

SAINT PAUL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Confessions: ½ hour before each Mass for twenty minutes or by appointment. The Reconciliation Room is located on St. Joseph's side in the sanctuary. If the door is closed, do not enter.

St. Paul's Cemetery Information: Contact Sheryl at 656-3323 (Catholic Cemeteries Office)

Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

WORD OF GOD FOR A SUNDAY: Today's readings are about listening for God's voice and following where God leads us. Let us quiet our minds and calm our hearts and listen for God's call to us this day.

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; 1 Corinthians 7:29-31; Mark 16:15-18

OFFERTORY COLLECTION January 11, 2009 \$1318.00
Next weekend the annual special collection for Catholic Communications Campaign & Catholic University will be taken up. Please be generous.

Lectors for next weekend's Masses are: 5 p.m. – John Edwards, 9 a.m. – Susan Walker.

The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit from January 17th - 31st in memory of Henry & Dorothy Cressman by the Dudlek Family.

Upcoming Events – January 25th, 9 a.m. Mass – Bishop Malooly's parish visit & light reception; March 1 – Spaghetti Dinner at Dragon Run (details to follow); March 15 & 22nd – DVD presentation of Paul, the Apostle, 7 p.m. – Parish hall; April 22nd – Fundraiser Dinner at Crabby Dick's (we receive a portion of the sales), Sunday, May 17th, at 7 p.m. in the Parish Hall (409 Adams St.), there will be a reading of the section about St. Paul from Pope Benedict's book on "The Apostles" with a discussion to follow; June 14, 7 p.m. – Benediction and Adoration with readings of St. Paul on the Eucharist.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	January 17,	5:00 PM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Sunday,	January 18,	9:00 AM (viv) MaryJune Peterson by David Smith
Monday,	January 19,	9:00 AM (rip) Carl Jorgenson by David Smith
Tuesday,	January 20,	9:00 AM (rip) Karie Feeny
Wednesday,	January 21,	8:00 AM (rip) Joseph Conway
Thursday,	January 22,	9:00 AM (rip) Beth McLaughlin
Saturday,	January 24,	5:00 PM (rip) Margaret Townsend
Sunday,	January 25,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

A letter was mailed a week ago to all parishioners. Some letters were returned as not having a post office box number, or that someone moved. If you are registered and did not receive a letter, please contact the office, either by a note in the offertory, or a call and let us know what your current address is. Thank you.

CHURCH CLEANERS NEEDED: Additional cleaning teams are needed to join the St. Paul's cleaning rotation. The time requirement is about 1.5 hours once per month, carrying out the basic tasks of dusting, vacuuming and bathroom cleaning on Fridays or Saturdays. If you are looking for a way to serve, this humble yet vital ministry, may be for you. Please contact Debbie Martin at 832-0653, dcmartin@atlanticbb.net for more information. Many thanks to our current and dedicated team members!

Please join us for **the March for Life in Washington, DC on January 22, 2009**. The Knights of Columbus from St. Peter's and St. John the Beloved are co-sponsoring a bus leaving St. Peter's parking lot at 7:00 AM returning approximately 7:00 to 7:30 PM. Please take this opportunity to let our newly elected officials know how important the lives of unborn children are to our faith community. Any St. Paul's Parishioners wishing to make reservations should contact Larry Ciskanik at 328-2279.

Catholic Forum - Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 10:05 a.m. on 1150AM WDEL and www.wdel.com. Next Sunday, January 25th, learn about our Catholic schools and Catholic Schools Week with Cathy Weaver, Superintendent of Schools for the Diocese of Wilmington will be interviewed. Catholic Forum is a production of the Office of Communications of the Diocese of Wilmington.

2008 Tax Contributions – Anyone wishing to have a tax letter for their contributions for 2008 please complete this form and place it in the offertory basket. The letters will be available for your pickup the following weekend. They will be in a box marked "Tax Statements" in the last windowsill on the Blessed Mother Side.

Name _____ Envelope # _____
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