

SAINT PAUL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Confessions: ½ hour before each Mass for twenty minutes or by appointment.

For the reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, Eucharist, Confirmation, and Marriage, please see the parish website.

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

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

WORD OF GOD FOR A SUNDAY – For some months now, crowds have been following Jesus, moved by his words of mercy and peace, and especially by the many miracles he was working. They knew that he was a man of God in some way. They looked upon him as someone like the prophets of old of which they had heard. Even the Apostles and disciples had not as yet any idea that he was the Son of God in human nature. Perhaps some of them doubted that he could be the promised Messiah.

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK: 1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21; Galatians 5:1, 13-18; Luke 9:51-62

OFFERTORY COLLECTION June 13, 2010 \$1296.00
The bill in the amount of \$10,540 for the rectory roof came in yesterday. Your donations of \$6,147 will help greatly. Thank you.
Next weekend the annual Peter's Pence collection will be taken up. This helps His Holiness the Pope to continue his pastoral care for the Church; share the Gospel message throughout the world; and assist the victims of disasters.

Lectors for next weekend's Masses are: 5 p.m. – Susan Walker, 9 a.m. – Harry Killian.
Eucharistic Ministers for next weekend's Masses are: 5 p.m. – Charlie, Susan, & Jim; 9 a.m. – Judy, Marie, & Debbie.

The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit from June 19th – July 3rd for the parishioners of St. Paul's Parish.

Eternal rest grant to Monsignor Patrick Brady and all the souls of the faithful departed.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	June 19,	5:00 PM (rip) Stephen Sefcik by Ruth Press
Sunday,	June 20,	9:00 AM Nine Masses for Father's Day
Monday,	June 21,	9:00 AM Nine Masses for Father's Day
Tuesday,	June 22,	9:00 AM Nine Masses for Father's Day
Wednesday,	June 23,	8:00 AM Nine Masses for Father's Day
Thursday,	June 24,	9:00 AM Nine Masses for Father's Day
Saturday,	June 26,	5:00 PM Nine Masses for Father's Day
Sunday,	June 27,	9:00 AM Nine Masses for Father's Day

The next available dates for a Mass intention are September 12, 20, 2010. The stipend for a Mass is \$10.

Administrator – When Father Frank Rinaldi was made administrator it was under Bishop Saltarelli's tenure. This happened because Fr. Siry retired in December. On March 13th I reached the age of 70 and could have retired on that date, however, I told the bishop that I would stay until the new assignments came out. Bishop Malooly comes from Baltimore and was on the personnel committee for that diocese. If you noticed in the Dialog a number of administrators were made pastors this year and this seems to be how Bishop Malooly works. As the Bishop of the Diocese all appointments have to be approved by him. A priest who is assigned administrator is only assigned pastor after a year.

"New York Comes to Wilmington," a benefit concert featuring the hits of Broadway will be presented at the Benedictine Performing Arts Center of St. Elizabeth Parish, in Wilmington on Sunday, June 27. Performances are 2:00 PM and 7:00 PM. Tickets: \$12 adults, \$10 students / seniors citizens; free admission for children younger than seven. Contact Meghan at 302-229-2596 or e-mail CZ5028@aol.com. The concert spotlights St. E alumnus, Brian Kalinowski, who is currently on hiatus from his starring role in the Royal Caribbean production of "Hairspray" on the Oasis of the Seas cruise ship. Joining Brian on stage will be other professional performers, Matthew Skrincoosky, Natalie Dickinson and Carolyn Kimmel. Brian, Matt and Natalie are graduates of the DeSales University Theatre Program, and Carolyn is a Theatre graduate of Wagner College.

From Fr. Pollard - In the readings of the Scripture and the Gospels, we are all reminded that we have a ministry (obligation) to support the church by prayer, finances, but also service. As I retire I follow that example by offering my service as a priest to what will become my home parish. Sometimes when a priest leaves a parish some of the people figure that this is a good time to "retire" from the work they have done for the church (parish). Unfortunately neither you nor I have that option since we are always obliged to serve the Kingdom of God in the parish we live in.

Once again, I remind you that I will remember you in my prayer, especially during the breaking of bread, and in the words of St. Thomas More said "Pray for me as I will pray for you that we might joyfully meet in heaven".

Remembering all Fathers, Grandfathers, Godfathers — living and deceased!
Happy Father's Day!