

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)

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

PASTORALLY SPEAKING – This weekend we celebrate the Ascension of the Lord. Our Scriptures remind us that Jesus commissions His disciples to baptize in His name reminding them that He will be present through His Spirit. This Feast also calls us to be His witnesses.

Fr. Clem

OFFERTORY COLLECTION May 29, 2011 \$1234.00
Tornado Victims' Relief \$ 636.00

Next weekend the annual collection for the Seminary and Priests' Continuing Education will be taken up. Thank you for your generosity.

The Nine Masses for Father's Day will begin on Father's Day, June 19th.

Eucharistic Ministers for next weekend are: 5:00 p.m. – Joe, Charlie, & Linda; 9:00 a.m. – Richard, Marie, and Judy.

Lectors for next weekend are: 5:00 p.m. – Stan Bachmura; 9a.m. – Harry Killian

Save the dates for these parish events:

- **Crabby Dick Fundraiser for our parish** – Tuesday, June 7th, 4 – 9 p.m. come for good food and a good time with friends and fellow parishioners. 20% of the proceeds are given to our parish.

- **Pentecost Sunday Bake Sale** - (June 11/12) we will need volunteers to bake and to help with the tables. A sign up sheet is on the bulletin board in the vestibule. - **Polish Night Dinner** – Sept.

24th at Dragon Run. Details will follow.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	June 4,	8:00 AM (rip) Jeannie Beldyk-Byers by Jim Byers 5:00 PM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Sunday,	June 5,	9:00 AM (rip) Leon Binder by the Lowe & Nowland Families
Monday,	June 6,	7:00 AM (viv) MaryJune Peterson by David Smith
Tuesday,	June 7,	7:00 AM (rip) MaryJane St. Marie by Toni Hebert
Wednesday,	June 8,	7:00 AM Gondek & Kleamski Families (living & deceased)
Thursday,	June 9,	7:00 AM (rip) Prettyman & Sutton Families by David Smith
Friday,	June 10,	7:00 AM (rip) Stephen Sefcik by Ruth Press
Saturday,	June 11,	8:00 AM (rip) Mary Smith by David Smith 5:00 PM (rip) Jeannie Beldyk-Byers by Jim Byers
Sunday,	June 12,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

The next available dates for a Mass intention are June 15, 16. The stipend for a Mass is \$10.

The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit from June 4 – 18 in memory of Blanche & John Klimasewski by Charlie Gondek.

Hockessin "Life Chain" - you are invited to join with us for the first Hockessin "Life Chain". It will be held Saturday, June 11th from 9:30am-10:30am on the sidewalk along Lancaster Pike in Hockessin. We will start where the sidewalk begins in front of Wells Fargo bank. This is a peaceful and prayerful event, sanctioned by the police and is safe for all ages. The participants are each able to hold a sign that reads "Abortion Kills Children" or "Abortion Hurts Women", and will stretch along the sidewalk. Please come out, sunshine or rain, to stand up for those who cannot. For more information please call Ann (494-4138). This is sponsored by St. Mary of the Assumption parish Pro-Life Committee.

"Where is God in Your Life" **The Sisters of Mercy of the Mid-Atlantic Community** are hosting an overnight retreat experience for single, Catholic women, age 17-21, who are interested in exploring where God is in their life. It will include time for information gathering, sharing, praying and informal conversation. It will be held at Cranaleith Spiritual Center in Philadelphia, PA on July 20th-21st. Suggested donation for the retreat is \$10.00. **"Come and See"** The Sisters of Mercy of the Mid-Atlantic Community are hosting an overnight informational retreat experience for single, Catholic women, age 20 – 40, who are interested in exploring religious life and the Sisters of Mercy. The gathering will provide an opportunity to meet some Sisters of Mercy and ask questions about our life. The experience will include meeting other women with similar interests. It will also include time for information gathering, sharing, praying and informal conversation. It will be held in Brentwood, NY July 29th-30th. We hope you can join us! Suggested donation for the retreat is \$10.00. For further information or to register for one of these retreats please contact Sister Anne Kappler or Sister Regina Ward at vocationinfo@mercymidatlantic.org or 610-664-6650.

Monthly Income & Expense Report for May 2011

Offertory	\$ 6081.00
Other Income (some of these funds are specified for certain purposes)	\$ 3758.85
Income	\$ 9839.85
Expenses	\$ 9363.72