## SAINT PAUL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

209 Washington St., Delaware City, DE 19706

St. Paul's Official Website is: <a href="http://www.StPaulsRCChurch.org">http://www.StPaulsRCChurch.org</a>.

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Secretary: Mrs. Toni Hebert (usually Monday & Wednesday mornings)

Knights of Columbus: for information contact Pat McKenna (302) 832-2365

**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)

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**PASTORALLY SPEAKING** – This weekend we celebrate the Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Our Scriptures remind us of the Parable of the Sower. May the soil of our hearts be receptive to the Word and carry it out through the presence of the Spirit.

Fr. Clem

## **OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

July 3, 2011

\$1339.00

This weekend a second collection will be taken up for Air Conditioning for the Church. Thank you for your generosity.

**Eucharistic Ministers for next weekend are**: 5:00 p.m. – Charlie, Linda; 9:00 a.m. – Joe, Dot, & Susan.

Lectors for next weekend are: 5:00 p.m. – Deborah; 9a.m. – Susan.



**Delaware City Day – Saturday, July 16 2011** - The town parade starts at 11am. Play in the park all day! Larry Anderson presents Art Walk Delaware City Day; free pony rides; merchant sales; free bingo; the Philly George Band; mummers, and so much more!!!

## MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	July 9,	8:00 AM (rip) Jeannie Beldyk-Byers by Jim Byers 5:00 PM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Sunday,	July 10,	9:00 AM Valerio Pettinaro by Vivien Brittingham
Monday,	July 11,	7:00 AM (viv) Paul & Toni Hebert by Charlie Gondek
Tuesday,	July 12,	7:00 AM (rip) Louis St. Marie by Toni Hebert
Wednesday,	July 13,	7:00 AM (viv) Joanne Ademski by Charlie Gondek
Thursday,	July 14,	7:00 AM (rip) Joseph Palermo by Charlie Gondek
Friday,	July 15,	7:00 AM (viv) Judy Gondek by Charlie Gondek
Saturday,	July 16,	8:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
	-	5:00 PM McKenna & Tally Families (living & deceased) by Pat &
		Norma McKenna
Sunday,	July 17,	9:00 AM

The next available dates for a Mass intention are July 17, 19. The stipend for a Mass is \$10.

The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit from July 2 – 16 for members of the McKenna & Tally Families (living & deceased) by Pat & Norma McKenna.

**Jesus House** is offering a **Day of Prayer and Reflection** on Tuesday, July 26, at 10:30 a.m. Four women of the Bible will be portrayed by Marie Gormley-Tarleton, a dramatic storyteller and historical impersonator. Mass will follow at 12:15 p.m. Cost \$15. Please register by July 20 by calling the office: (302) 995-6859 or <a href="edie2501@comcast.net">edie2501@comcast.net</a>.

Listen to *Catholic Forum* every Sunday morning at 10:05 a.m. on 1150AM WDEL and www.wdel.com. Next Sunday, July 17<sup>th</sup>, tune in to hear an interview with Fr. Tom Peterman, author of the book "Bohemia 1704-2004 A History of St. Francis Xavier Catholic Shrine in Cecil County, Maryland." Catholic Forum is a production of the Office of Communications of the Diocese of Wilmington.

**Vocations** - In today's Gospel reading, Jesus tells the parable of the sower whose seeds fall on different types of soil. What seeds are *you* planting? When the Master summons you, what harvest will you be able to point to? Are you nurturing the seeds He gave you? If you think you might have the seed of a religious vocation, please call or write Father Joe Cocucci, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations (302-573-3113 or <a href="mailto:icocucci@cdow.org">icocucci@cdow.org</a>). Be sure to visit our website: <a href="mailto:www.CalledByTheLord.com">www.CalledByTheLord.com</a>!

## From the Office of Parish & Family Life - Diocese of Wilmington

"Marriage and Family Life Corner"- Pick your battles wisely. You may win the battle, but lose the marriage. Was the last argument you had with your spouse worth it?

**Parenting Pointers -** Self-deprecation can be disarming. Tell a silly story on yourself from your youth. Your child may be relieved that you made mistakes too. Teens often appreciate the role

reversal. It might even generate an evening of reminiscing.