

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)

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

PASTORALLY SPEAKING – This weekend we celebrate the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Our Scriptures remind us that a person of true wisdom, like Solomon, will seek the reign of God and treasure it above all else. May we also be blessed with this same wisdom.

Fr. Clem

OFFERTORY COLLECTION July 17, 2011 \$1250.00

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

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



Polish Dinner Update – At our initial meeting, we decided on the menu of kielbasa, Golabki (pronounced ga-WUMP-kee - Polish cabbage rolls), pierogies, rye bread, and dessert will be Kruszyki (Polish pretzels). For this initial dinner we will be selling only 100 tickets. Any questions – see Fr. Clem!

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	July 23,	8:00 AM (viv) Gondek Children by Charlie Gondek 5:00 PM (rip) Jeannie Beldyk-Byers by Jim Byers 9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Sunday,	July 24,	7:00 AM (rip) Fr. Joe Bozzelli by Toni Hebert
Monday,	July 25,	7:00 AM
Tuesday,	July 26,	7:00 AM
Wednesday,	July 27,	7:00 AM
Thursday,	July 28,	7:00 AM
Friday,	July 29,	7:00 AM
Saturday,	July 30,	8:00 AM 5:00 PM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Sunday,	July 31,	9:00 AM (rip) Chad Litchford by the Lowe Family

The next available dates for a Mass intention are July 26 and 27. The stipend for a Mass is \$10.

The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit from July 16 - 30 for members of the McKenna & Tally Families (living & deceased) by Pat & Norma McKenna.

Vocations - In today's first reading, Solomon asks God for "an understanding heart." He wants, in other words, a heart that understands God's will for him and for the people he is to serve. What is God's will *for you*? Could He be calling you to serve His people as a priest, deacon, religious sister or religious brother? If you think so, please call or write Father Joe Cocucci, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations (302-573-3113 or jcocucci@cdow.org). Be sure to visit our website: www.CalledByTheLord.com!

Catholic Forum - Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 10:05 a.m. on 1150AM WDEL and www.wdel.com. Next Sunday, July 31st, tune in to learn about the Retrouvaille Marriage Help Program when Bob and Joyce Gillespie are interviewed. Catholic Forum is a production of the Office of Communications of the Diocese of Wilmington.

From The Office for Marriage and Family Life of the Catholic Diocese of Wilmington – **Marriage & Family Life Corner** - Ideally spouses find recreational pursuits that both enjoy but couples can become trapped in habit or society's definition of fun. Identify what REALLY feeds your spirit. Is it conversation or quiet, going out or staying home, being a participant or a spectator, with a crowd or just by yourselves?

Parenting Pointers - How FREE are you and your children? Can you enjoy each other's company without spending money? Can you have fun without depending on electricity? Explore free recreation this weekend. Sing and dance – or at least talk and walk.

The next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** is planned for November 11-13 in Rehoboth Beach, DE. For more information visit our website at: www.wwme-delmar.org or to register for the weekend, please call Jackie and Paul Czachorowski @ 302-465-0935.
