## SAINT PAUL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Confessions: 1/2 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)

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**PASTORALLY SPEAKING** – This weekend we celebrate the Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Our Scriptures remind us that all people are invited to worship the Lord and to know His ways. Today we celebrate this universal call to salvation.

Fr. Clem

OFFERTORY COLLECTION	August 7, 2011	\$961.00
	Repairs of Church and Buildings	\$395.00
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Next weekend a second collection will be taken up for the upkeep of our Church, Rectory, and Hall Grounds.

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

Lectors for next weekend are: 5:00 p.m. - Linda; 9 a.m. - Susan.

**Polish Dinner Night** – at our meeting on Tuesday, our committee set the dinner ticket price at \$15 per person. Our next meeting will be Monday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>, at 7 p.m. in the rectory. If you have any questions, please see Fr. Clem.

*Pro-Life Committee* – we are looking for people to share the Gospel of Life. Please contact Patty Allen at 834-1928.

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday,	August 13,	8:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
		5:00 PM (rip) Edna Knowles by Katherine Skinner
Sunday,	August 14,	9:00 AM (viv) Christine Tapert by David Smith
Monday,	August 15,	7:00 AM (rip) Christina DiVirgilio by MaryJune Peterson
Tuesday,	August 16,	7:00 AM (viv) MaryJune Peterson by David Smith
Wednesday,	August 17,	7:00 AM (rip) Ernest Beckner by David Smith
Thursday,	August 18,	7:00 AM (rip) Bruce Curry by Debi Valiante & family
Friday,	August 19,	7:00 AM (rip) Dennis Cogdell by Katherine Skinner
Saturday,	August 20,	8:00 AM (rip) Jeannie Beldyk-Byers by Jim Byers
		5:00 PM (rip) Blessed Pope John Paul II
Sunday,	August 21,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

The next available dates for a Mass intention are August 22, 24. The stipend for a Mass is \$10.

The *Sanctuary Candle* is lit from August 13 - 27 in memory of Robert Shortlidge by his family.

August 15<sup>th</sup> we celebrate the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Since it falls on a Monday this year, it **is not** a Holyday of Obligation. Morning Mass is at 7 a.m.

*St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Preschool* is currently accepting applications for the upcoming school year for the three and four year old program. There is a \$70.00 non-refundable registration and supply fee. For more information please call 322-2631.

**Vocations** - For many of us, life slows down a little in the summer months. What a great opportunity to take stock of where we're going in life! What am I doing to nurture my relationship with the Lord? In practical terms, how do I try to listen for His voice as He reveals to me His plan for my life? Am I trying to become what He's trying to make of me? Or am I following my own agenda – or the plan of someone else? If you think God might be calling you to serve as a priest, deacon, religious brother or religious sister, 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: <a href="https://www.CalledByTheLord.com">www.CalledByTheLord.com</a>!

Bishop Francis Malooly invites all couples celebrating 25, 50 or more years of marriage to a Wedding *Anniversary Celebration Mass* at 12:15 PM on Sunday, October 23, 2011 at St. John the Beloved Parish, 907 Milltown Rd., Wilmington, DE. All couples will receive certificates signed by the bishop in recognition of their anniversary. A small reception in the parish hall will immediately follow Mass. There is no cost to you! **Reservations are required. Please make reservations no later than October 14th, 2011** by filling out a form (located in the vestibule) and returning it to the Diocese.

Bulletin Readers' Survey – It is time to renew our subscription for BRINGING HOME THE WORD – the weekly insert in the bulletin. We are taking a reader's survey. Please indicate how often you read this insert. Your feedback will determine whether we renew this subscription and how many copies to make. Yes, I read this. \_\_\_\_ How Often \_\_\_\_\_

No, I do not read this.\_\_\_\_

Please return this by August 28<sup>th</sup>.