

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)

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

PASTORALLY SPEAKING – This weekend we celebrate the Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time. Our Scriptures remind us that Jesus confers upon Peter the authority to bind and to loose. We also remember the Lord's promise to be with the Church for all time.

Fr. Clem

Time Away This Wednesday, I am leaving with my classmate, Fr. Paul Jennings, on our vacation. We will be back on Tuesday, September 6.

Please welcome Fr. Anthony Pileggi on the weekends of August 27, 28, and September 3, 4. Fr. Pileggi will celebrate the 5 p.m. and 9 a.m. Masses on both weekends. There will not be any weekday Masses in the morning Monday – Saturday beginning August 25 – September 6. The daily weekday Mass will resume on Wednesday, September 7th.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION August 14, 2011 \$1162.50

This 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.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	August 20,	8:00 AM (rip) Jeannie Beldyk-Byers by Jim Byers 5:00 PM Blessed Pope John Paul II
Sunday,	August 21,	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Monday,	August 22,	7:00 AM (rip) Willard Smith by David Smith
Tuesday,	August 23,	7:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Wednesday,	August 24,	7:00 AM Comeforo Family (living & deceased) by David Smith
Thursday,	August 25,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Friday,	August 26,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE
Saturday,	August 27,	NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE 5:00 PM (rip) George Rodenberg by his family
Sunday,	August 28,	9:00 AM (rip) M/M Anthony Felpo by the Michel Family

The next available dates for a Mass intention are Sept. 12, 13. The stipend for a Mass is \$10.

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

Polish Dinner Meeting – our next meeting is Monday, August 22nd, at 7 p.m. in the rectory. All volunteers are asked to attend. If you have any questions, please contact Stan or Joann Bachmura.

Vocations - Today's Gospel reading reminds us that Jesus has given to Peter and his successors the power to bind and to loose. One of the ways priests exercise that ministry is through the sacrament of Reconciliation, in which the faithful are freed from the binding effects of sin. God is calling men in our Diocese to serve as priests even now. Are you one of them? 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, August 28th tune in to get an inside look into the priesthood when Fr. Dominic Grassi, author of the book "Still Called by Name: Why I Love Being a Priest" is interviewed. Catholic Forum is a production of the Office of Communications of the Diocese of Wilmington.

Tickets Available For Annual Columbus Day Communion Breakfast - Tickets are now available for the annual Columbus Day Communion Mass & Breakfast, to be held on Monday, 10/10 (Columbus Day). The event celebrates outstanding contributions by Italian-Americans to our local community and benefits St. Anthony of Padua Grade School & the Oblates of St. Francis de Sales retirement fund. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Malooly at St. Anthony's at 7:30AM, followed immediately by a delicious catered full breakfast in Fournier Hall (1816 Howland St; Wilmington). This year the Committee is pleased to honor Br. Mike Rosenello, OSFS. Br. Mike is a "legend" at St. Anthony's who has contributed an immeasurable amount in his decades of service to the parish and the Oblates. Among his countless accomplishments, Br. Mike has been an integral part of the Padua Academy family from the school's inception, worked closely with Fr. Roberto Balducelli, OSFS, to construct the school, served as Facilities Manager for many years, and has been at the "heart" of the Padua family. One does not think of Padua (or St. Anthony's) without thinking

of Br. Mike! Breakfast tickets are \$35 each, and full tables may be purchased. To purchase a ticket or table please contact Mike Malchione at (302) 652-4194 x122 or via e-mail at: mmalchione@dossnet.com.
