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-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

PASTORALLY SPEAKING - This weekend we celebrate the Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Our Scriptures remind us that the Lord is kind and merciful. We are invited to receive that forgiveness and also extend it to others.

On this tenth anniversary of 9/11 let us remember in our prayers all those who died during those attacks.

Fr. Clem

OFFERTORY COLLECTION September 4, 2011 \$1582.00 Religious Education Program \$ 336.00

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

Lectors for next weekend are: 5:00 p.m. – Linda; 9 a.m. – Laura.

POLISH DINNER - Tickets for the Polish Dinner are on sale after Mass or you may call Sharon Gleeson at 753-3325 or the office at 834-4321. Tickets are \$15 each, 100 tickets advance sale only. PLEASE NOTE - there was an error regarding the time on the tickets. The dinner is at 6 p.m. not 7 p.m. If you already purchased your tickets, please change the time.

The **next meeting** will be on Monday. September 12. at 7 p.m. in the rectory.

Eternal rest grant to Howard "Andy" Anderson, husband of Patty, and all the souls of the faithful departed.

MASS INTENTIONS

| Saturday, | September 10, | 8:00 AM (viv) Charlie Gondek by Toni Hebert |
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| | | 5:00 PM (rip) William, Mary, & Willard Smith by David Smith |
| Sunday, | September 11, | 9:00 AM (rip) Steve Murphy by Irene Nowland & family |
| Monday, | September 12, | 7:00 AM (viv) Meadowcroft Family by David Smith |
| Tuesday, | September 13, | 7:00 AM (rip) Delbert Cogdell by Kathie Skinner |
| Wednesday, | September 14, | 7:00 AM (rip) Al & Joanna Pasquino by David Smith |
| Thursday, | September 15, | 7:00 AM (rip) Helena Moore by Hilary McNulty |
| Friday, | September 16, | 7:00 AM (viv) Meadowcroft Family by David Smith |
| Saturday, | September 17, | 8:00 AM (rip) Jeannie Beldyk-Byers by Jim Byers |
| | | 5:00 PM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE |
| Sunday, | September 18, | 9:00 AM (rip) Clarence TaBois by Dorothy TaBois |

The next available dates for a Mass intention are Sept. 14, & 16. The stipend for a Mass is \$10.

The **Sanctuary Candle** is lit from September 10 – 24 in memory of Wilbur E. Curlett by Judith Johnson.

The Diocesan Marian Pilgrimage this year will be held at the Shrine of Our Lady Queen of Peace, which is on the grounds of Holy Spirit Church in Garfield Park, New Castle, near the Delaware Memorial Bridge. It will take place on Saturday. October 22, 2011 beginning with Holy Hour at 1:00 pm and culminating in a concelebrated Mass with Bishop W. Francis Malooly at 4:00 pm. The Mass will then be followed by a candlelight procession to the Shrine with recitation of the rosary. There will be opportunities for private confessions during the afternoon, and the Shrine Gift Shop will be open. All parishioners are invited to attend.

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.

