

SAINT PAUL PARISH

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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 Parish Cemetery Information: Contact Scott Hudson at (302) 656-3323 or email at shudson@cathcemde.org

Please visit and **LIKE** our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/698842276869943/>

Please consider an offering online at: <http://www.stpaulsrcchurch.org/donate.php> to assist in the support of our Parish. Thank you for your continued generosity.

January 7, 2024

Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Offertory

\$ 3,096

This week – there will be NO second collection.

Food Closet – Any monetary donations to assist with the purchasing of Bread/Milk/Eggs vouchers from the Sunset Market downtown will be deposited and remitted through our parish. Please make checks payable to: St Paul Parish. There are Special Offering Envelopes on the windowsills.

Volunteer or Volunteers requested – Steve Beaston, who carries out the Homeless Ministry for us through St Vincent de Paul Society, will be unavailable to perform this Ministry during the month of January. If you have an interest and some time to fill in for him, please contact Steve for more information at 302-463-8747 or smbent@verizon.net

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul homeless project provides small bags of food and personal items to homeless people located throughout the diocese. Around Thanksgiving, we requested donations of hats, gloves, snack bars, protein shakes, and small packages of tissues or wet wipes – thank you to the many parishioners who have already responded. We are still accepting donations through the end of the year and you can place a donation under the statue of Saint Joseph. Thank you and May God Bless You during this holiday season.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday January 6

5:00 PM (RIP) Jeffrey Roberts by the Patterson Family

Sunday January 7

9:00 AM (RIP) Kyle Jeitner by the Lentine Family

Monday January 8

8:30 AM (RIP) Helen Brannon

Tuesday January 9

8:30 AM (RIP) Margaret Townsend

Saturday January 13

5:00 PM (RIP) Stephanie D'Auria by Richard & Joanne MacKenzie

Sunday January 14

9:00 AM (RIP) Theresa DiAntonio by Mike & Joanne McLeod

Monday January 15

8:30 AM (RIP) Helen & Stephen Sefcik

Tuesday January 16

8:30 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

The Sanctuary Candle is lit from 12/31 – 1/13 for the intentions of St Paul parishioners.

Message from Fr. Dave

This weekend we celebrate the Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord and on Monday we celebrate the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, the last day of our Christmas Liturgical Season. I would like to thank everyone for their kind Christmas gifts and donations this past Christmas. I hope you had a blessed Christmas with your family and friends.

The election for our two lay Parish Trustees will take place this weekend after the 9am Sunday Mass.

Eucharistic Adoration, St. Polycarp Church, 55 Ransom Lane, Smyrna. Tuesdays, 9 AM - 9 PM and after the Vigil on the second Sunday of the month, in St. Ann's Chapel. Also, the Vigil Mass before the second Sunday at 4 PM. More information, (302) 653-8279.

Wedding Anniversary Mass: Bishop William E. Koenig invites all couples celebrating their 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, wedding anniversary, or any anniversary beyond 50th, to the annual Wedding Anniversary Mass being held on World Marriage Sunday, February 11, 2024 at 1 PM at St. Margaret of Scotland Church in Newark, DE. Reservations are required by February 2, 2024. Bishop Koenig will be available for photos with interested couples beginning at 12 PM and again after the Mass. If you would like to have a photo taken with Bishop Koenig, please arrive at 12 PM or plan to stay after Mass. Questions may be referred to the Office of Marriage and Family Life at 302-295-0657 or by emailing OMFL@cdow.org. Registration can be completed by using the link www.cdowcym.wufoo.com/forms

