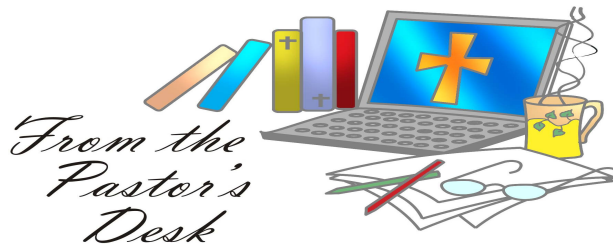


SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 25, 2010



Monday,	7/26		
6:45 AM	INTENTIONS OF THE DONOR	DENNIS O'BRIEN	
7:30 AM	PEGGY FILLIBEN	SISTER	
Tuesday,	7/27		
6:45 AM	JOE & JACQUE SOLGE	FAMILY	
7:30 AM	DAVID ERNST	ALFRED FRACZKOWSKI	
Wednesday,	7/28		
6:45 AM	SILIO VOLPE	FAMILY	
7:30 AM	JOHN & ROSE JULIAN	FAMILY	
Thursday,	7/29		
6:45 AM			
7:30 AM	PADRE PIO	SUSI FAMILY	
Friday,	7/30		
6:45 AM	CHRIS EPISCOPO	PHYLLIS & CHILDREN	
7:30 AM	EUGENIANO DAGANDAN	BERNARDA BALAN	
Saturday,	7/31		
6:45 AM	RICHARDS BROWN	FRIEND	
5:30 PM	NEDDIE SHIELDS	SAM & LEE MIRABELLA	
Sunday,	8/1		
7:00 AM	PARISHIONERS		
9:00 AM	WILLIAM BARONE, SR.	FAMILY	
11:00 AM	SALVATORE FAMILY	MARIE, TOM & FAMILY	

Today's readings have a businesslike cast. Abraham negotiates with God. What is so fascinating is the way the Israelites saw God as both utterly transcendent, (they would not even mention God's name) and at the same time so incredibly intimate and close. Paul describes Christ's death as the cancellation of a debt. Jesus' disciples ask Him how to pray. He said to them: 'When you pray, say: Father ... And I tell you, ask and you will receive, seek and you will find, knock and the door will be opened to you...' His prayer was special, personal. He went to the desert and the mountaintops to pray. He prayed in hidden places, in gardens and in synagogues. He prayed with a certain faith that God would hear Him and help Him. In His prayer, He never invoked pain or punishment on His enemies. He has so much to teach us in how to pray. In the words of Luke, we find all the elements of prayer, notably praise of God, the request for forgiveness, dependence on God for our needs, and our concern for others. Luke continues the teaching, speaking about perseverance and persistence and then offers three steps to put it into practice - to ask, seek and knock. Today's Scriptures show us that God's judgment is both righteous and compassionate. St. Francis de Sales says in his Introduction to the Devout Life: "How offensive to God is rash judgment. It is a kind of spiritual jaundice that causes all things to appear evil to the eyes of those infected with it." Rash judgments seldom - if ever - result in compassionate action. To be like God - to live like Jesus - to be instruments of the Holy Spirit - requires that our judgments of one another be righteous. May God bless you always!

Father John

"God's Plan for Giving"

OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR 07/18/10

TOTAL OFFERTORY COLLECTION: \$7,572.58

Total Offertory Collection 1 Year Ago: \$8,127.77

Budget: \$9,360.00

Actual vs. Budget This Week: -\$1,787.42

Percent Difference This Week: -19.1%

Total Difference Fiscal Year to Date: -\$572.92

Thank you for your sacrifice of tithing!

"Blessed are those whose hearts are ever open to God's inspiration; they will never lack what they need to live good holy lives."

St. Francis de Sales

We welcome the newly Baptized of our parish:

Mackenzie Lynn Haynes

Gianna Rose Scrivens

Mary Elizabeth Shields



In your Charity, please pray for

John A. Marta

Robert Pantalone

and all the deceased of St. Anthony's.



Your Prayers And Support Requested

Barry Baldwin	Rev. Roberto Balducci, OSFS	Catherine Barker
Carter Biondi	Carla Campbell	Joseph Casapulla
Florence Cuthbert	Sue Deery	John DiFrancesco
Elizabeth DiGenova	Tommy DiVirgilio	Shirley Dukes
Anna Dzielak	Fredrick Eissler	Bryan Elliott
Anna Marie Georgianna	Norris Hall	Harry Hamilton
Patrick Hemphill	Florine Hill	Joe Janvier
Frances Keech	Maryann Kelly	Christopher Lemonds
Pat Longobardi	William Lorenzo	Theresa McGinness
Jonathan Rosales Molina	Elwood Nabb	Helen Nance
Patricia Nicholson	Geraldine Panico	Dorothy Pell
Edward Phelan	Gail Pierce	Deacon Robert Pierce
Robert Pugliese	Juanito Sanchez	Diana Santow
Steve Sharp	Larry Silvestri	Daniel Warren Sixbey
Don Strube, Jr.	Vera Toto	Vincent Troise
Don Van Erp	Vincenza Vella	Ann Vietri
Robert Walton	John Westfield	Tiara White

...and all the sick of St. Anthony's Parish.

Festival Workers' Party

I would like to thank the managers and all the volunteers who helped with this year's Italian Festival. Our workers' party will be held on **Wednesday, August 4th**, in Fournier Hall. Doors will open at 6:00 PM. Hope to see you there!

Jim DelGrosso
Chairman

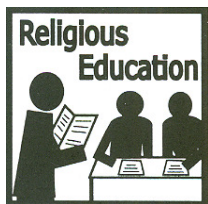
Family Mass and Parish Picnic 2010



All parishioners are welcome to attend the 10th Annual St. Anthony's Family Mass and Parish Picnic, to be held on Sunday, 8/22 @ St. Anthony in the Hills. Mass will be celebrated at 12:30 PM, and

hamburgers and hot dogs will be served from 1:30 - 3:00 PM. Attendees are asked to provide their own drinks, and are encouraged to bring a covered dish/fruit or dessert item. Contribution to defray costs: \$5 per family or \$2 per individual. Please RSVP by submitting a registration form to the Grade School office or by calling JoAnn DiOssi at (302) 836-4438.

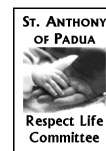
Catechists Needed



Do you want to share your faith with the young people of our parish? The Parish Religious Education Program (P.R.E.P.) is looking for people willing to teach our parish children ages 6-12. Classes begin on September 27th and run every

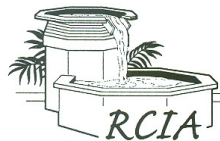
Monday evening (holidays excluded) from 6:15 - 7:30 p.m.. If you are interested, or would like to learn more, please call Fr. Rinaldi at 421-3700.

Fact of Life



Approximately 4,000 abortions are performed each year in Delaware.

Journey of Faith



If you, or someone you know, is interested in becoming Catholic or completing Sacraments, call Deacon Bob Leonzio at 421-3715. During a short meeting, he will explain the process involved in becoming a full

member of the Catholic Church. This is an opportunity to join together with others who are also traveling on a journey of faith. A new program will begin in September.

Help a Neighbor Get a Job

Catholic Charities' Thrift Center provides professional clothing and accessories for low-income individuals as they prepare for job interviews for employment. We currently have a need for shoes, purses, costume jewelry, plus-size dresses and men's and women's suits. You can drop off your items at the Thrift Center Tuesday thru Friday from 8:30AM and 4:30PM and on Saturdays from 8:30AM to Noon. The Thrift Center is located at 1320 E. 23rd Street in Wilmington and can be reached by phone at 302-764-2717. Thank you for helping us to help those in need!

Maintenance Worker

The Diocese of Wilmington Catholic Ministry to the Elderly, Incorporated - Marydale, a housing facility for senior citizens is seeking a full time Maintenance Worker. Duties include repair of structures, vehicles and equipment, records and written reports, inventory control, ordering supplies, maintenance of emergency systems. Candidates must possess a high school diploma or GED and/or trade school graduate with knowledge of preventative building, vehicle and grounds maintenance. Should have experience in repairing structures and operating light equipment as well as carpentry, painting skills and electrical systems. Must have a valid driver's license and an insurable driving record. Send resumes to the Director of Human Resources, P. O. Box 2030, Wilmington, DE 19899-2030 or download an application at www.cdow.org click on Employment - Diocesan Offices/Services.

Pilgrimage to France

February 9th through 17th, 2011

Join Fr. David Wathen, OFM, on a pilgrimage to Lourdes, Paris, Nevers and Lisieux. Visit sites associated with St. Bernadette and St. Therese. For more information, call Elizabeth Grinder at 301-740-9332.

Counters Needed

The parish is in need of people to count the weekly offertory collection. We are looking to make 2 new groups of 4 to 6 people. No experience is necessary. Please contact Lisa at 421-3707 if you are interested or have any questions.

The 2010 Rev. Joseph F. Power, OSFS, National Salesian Teleconference

The Visit: Salesian Icon for Today will take place on Saturday, August 7. In its 28th year, the conference, sponsored by DeSales Resources and Ministries, will be broadcast from **Salesianum School in Wilmington, DE** with simulcasts in Washington, D.C., Wilmington, NC, Mendota Heights, MN, St. Louis, MS, Toledo, OH and Lewiston, NY.

In this year of the 400th anniversary of the founding of the Order of the Visitation, it is most appropriate that our conference theme will focus on Visitation... as mystery, as community, as commitment. Rev. Joseph Chorpenning, OSFS, Wendy M. Wright and Joseph Boenzi, SDB, well-known for their scholarship and presentation in all things Salesian, will provide the main keynote presentations.

In 2009, the 27th Conference gathered over 600 people for a very special day of presentation, prayer and community interaction. We expect this conference to bring together even more friends, new and old, to share in the charism of St. Francis de Sales and St. Jane de Chantal.

More information will soon be available at www.desalesresource.org or call 1-800-782-2270.

CYM Fall Sports

Catholic Youth Ministry Fall sports practices begin Monday, August 16, 2010. Please go to <http://www.cdow.org/cymathletics.html> to register for the league. The CYM volleyball program starts at 4th grade and runs through 12th grade and the football, soccer, cross country and cheerleading programs start at 4th grade and run through 8th grade.

Way to Go!



Congratulations Chloe Runco for winning the gold medal at the National Family Career Community Leadership of America competition in Chicago, IL. Chloe represented the State of Delaware and won the top prize for Fashion Design and Construction.

Retreat

“Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good” (Ps34:9) – A day retreat with Fr. Clement Machado, S.O.L.T., Sunday, August 8, 2010, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. followed by Mass at Georgetown Prep School, North Bethesda, Maryland. Cost \$30.00. Pre-registration is required. Fr. Machado promotes healing of the whole person, body, mind, heart, & soul through intercessory prayer & ministry of the Sacramentals and the Sacraments—particularly the Sacraments of the Holy Eucharist & Confession. For more information, call 240-345-6775. You can also visit our web page: <http://georgetownretreat.com>.

Vocations

The Diocese of Wilmington will sponsor a “Priesthood Discernment Vocation Retreat” weekend, August 20 to 22, at the Jesuit Center in Wernersville, PA. This retreat is open to single men, ages 18 to 40, who believe God might be calling them to the priesthood. The cost of the retreat is \$100.00. Some need-based assistance is available. For more information, contact Father Joe Cocucci at 654-5920 or jcocucci@cdow.org.

Child Care

Child Caregiver w/ 10+ yrs. exp. (preschool/private home) seeks parents looking for childcare for their w/ newborn/infant/toddler. Trained in First-aid/CPR, infant/toddler early childhood curriculum, certified as teacher's aide, excellent references & clean/clear background. Call 887-9028 or email marymccreary68@gmail.com

Catholic Forum

Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 10:05 on 1150AM WDEL and www.wdel.com. Next Sunday, August 1st, tune in to hear an interview with Fr. John Trigilio, EWTN host and author of the book, “John Paul II for Dummies.” Catholic Forum is a production of the Office of Communications of the Diocese of Wilmington.

Social Ministry

In both the story of Sodom and Gomorrah and the stories Jesus tells about prayer, we find examples of persistence. When working for social justice—promoting the dignity of life, advocating for the poor and vulnerable, endorsing care for the environment, or upholding the rights of workers to fair wages, for example—we need to stay persistent even in the face of setbacks. In addition, both stories remind us that our first and most effective weapon against social injustice is prayer. For more information on Catholic social teaching, contact Andy Zampini at Catholic Charities at 302-655-9624 or azampini@ccwilm.org.