

Welcome!

We welcome all visitors this weekend, and hope you will enjoy being part of our parish family. We invite you to continue joining us each week at our liturgical celebrations.

Parish Directory

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Rev. James M. Jackson Associate Pastor
Rev. Carlos Ochoa Associate Pastor

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Question for the Week

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A

“When have you taken the first step to make up with someone? And why?”



Welcome, New Parishioners!

We are pleased to welcome the following newly registered members to our parish community:

Margarita & Alejandro Escobar & Family
Maria Gomez & Family
Maria & Gabriel Gonzalez & Family
Alonda & Jaime Jimenez & Family
Dolores & Celso Reyes & Family
Deanna & Gordon Speir
Jennifer & John Stevenson & Family

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John Church

February 12	8:00 AM	Mary Wendel
	10:00 AM	Mark J. Manno
February 13	8:00 AM	Roger Fields
February 14	8:00 AM	Philip A. Toman
February 15	8:00 AM	The Lyons-Howell Family
February 16	8:00 AM	Thomas Concavage
February 17	8:00 AM	People of the Parish
February 18	8:00 AM	Gerard Petit de Mange
February 19	8:00 AM	The Wilkinson-Tusio Family
	10:00 AM	Ruth Garland

Holy Angels Church

February 11	5:00 PM	Regina Piechowski
February 12	10:30 AM	Shirley Klapps
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias
	7:30 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias
February 18	5:00 PM	Regina Piechowski
February 19	10:30 AM	Anna & Patrick Hughes
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias
	7:30 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias

Preview of This Week's Readings

Monday:	Genesis 4:1-15, 25;	Mark 8:11-13
Tuesday:	Genesis 6:5-8, 7:1-5, 10;	Mark 8:14-21
Wednesday:	Genesis 8:6-13, 20-22;	Mark 8:22-26
Thursday:	Genesis 9:1-13;	Mark 8:27-33
Friday:	Genesis 11:1-9;	Mark 8:34 – 9:1
Saturday:	Hebrews 11:1-7;	Mark 9:2-13
Sunday:	Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18; I Corinthians 3:16-23;	Matthew 5:38-48



February 12 – 18, 2017

Sunday:	9:00 AM – 2:00 PM	Precious Metal/Gem Buy-Back Event – Joan Muzzi Athletic Building
	10:30 AM	Religious Education Liturgy of the Word – Holy Angels Church Archangels Room
	2:30 PM	Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class – Holy Angels Church
	6:00 PM	Religious Education – Holy Angels School
Monday:	7:00 PM	Mary, Queen of Peace Prayer Group – Parish Center Meeting Room 3
	7:00 PM	Pastoral Council – Parish Center Meeting Room 1
Tuesday:	7:00 PM	R.C.I.A. Adult Catechesis – Holy Angels Church Guardian Angels Room
	7:00 PM	R.C.I.A. Children – Holy Angels Church Archangels Room
	7:00 PM	R.C.I.A. Adult Inquiry – Holy Angels Church Gathering Space
Wednesday:	6:00 PM	Religious Education Classes – Holy Angels School
	6:00 PM	St. John-Holy Angels Athletics Board – Joan Muzzi Athletic Building
	7:00 PM	Cub Pack 205 – Fremont Hall
	7:00 PM	Spanish Choir Practice – Holy Angels Church Guardian Angels Room
	7:00 PM	Choir Practice – Holy Angels Church Music Room
	7:00 PM	Spanish Pastoral Committee – Parish Center Meeting Room 1
Thursday:	10:00 AM	Lectio Divina – Parish Center Meeting Room 3
	7:00 PM	Spanish “Growing in Faith” Group – Holy Angels Church Guardian Angels Room
	7:00 PM	Charismatic Prayer Group – Holy Angels Church Archangels Room
Friday:	8:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Eucharistic Adoration – St. John Church
	7:00 PM	Spanish Prayer Group – Holy Angels Church Archangels Room

Thank You!

Bishop Malooly thanks our parishioners for your participation and sacrifice in meeting our parish goal for the 2016 Annual Catholic Appeal. We have received a rebate of \$ 2700.43, which will be used toward finishing our meeting areas in Holy Angels Church.

Eternal rest grant unto them...

Please remember in your prayers Ayden Matthew Foster and Charles Lutz Jr. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.



**Newly Baptized
February 4, 2017**

Illiana Mendoza, daughter of Ana Silvia Nuñez and Roberto Mendoza.



NEWLY
BAPTIZED

Please Note

The Parish Center will be closed on Thursday afternoon, February 16 for a Staff Meeting.

**Food Collection Collaboration
SJHA and Holy Family
Food Outreach Office**



During two distribution weeks in January, the Holy Family Food Outreach was able to provide food to 61 families. This is good news, but at this rate the well-stocked shelves can become bare very quickly if donations do not keep pace. Holy Family and the community appreciate all the help we at St. John-Holy Angels are providing. It's fairly easy to remember the Food Collection if you just add some of these items to your family shopping list: instant oatmeal packets, complete pancake mix, syrup, jelly, peanut butter, instant potatoes, canned fruit, pasta sauce, pudding cups. Jesus Himself showed us how good it is to feed the hungry.

**Volunteer Opportunity:
Pastoral Council Secretary**

The Council has two more meetings this school year (Monday, Feb. 13 and Monday, May 9), both at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center. The meetings last about 2 hours. Duties involve taking and distributing minutes from the Council meeting, sending out announcements for upcoming meetings, and collecting and distributing ministry reports. This volunteer position provides an opportunity to learn what is happening in our parish and to be involved in helping plan for the future of our parish. Please contact Annie Adams or Father Fiore at the Parish Center, 731-2200, if you are interested.



SCHOOL NEWS

Our 2017-2018 school application and registration forms may be found on our website at www.holyangelschool.org under the Admissions tab. School tours are also available upon request. Call the School Office for more information at (302) 731-2210. Our next **Open House** will take place on **Weds., Feb. 15** from 9:00 – 11:00 AM.

Holy Angels School – now accepting BoxTops for Education and Campbell's Soup Labels. Thank you for your support!

The Week Ahead

- Mon., Feb. 13** Band Lessons
Art Club
Seraphim Choir
Enrichment Room
Talent Show Try-Outs
- Tues., Feb. 14** Happy Valentines Day!
Indoor Soccer Shots
Middle School Science Olympiad
Enrichment Room
Mad Science Club
Drama Club
- Weds., Feb. 15** Open House for Prospective Parents
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Banking at School
Chemistry Club
Intermediate Science Olympiad
Talent Show Try-Outs
Drama Club
Italian Club
- Thurs., Feb. 16** Enrichment Room
- Friday, Feb. 17** No Classes – Faculty Retreat Day

Little Sisters of the Poor to Visit February 18/19

Next weekend, the Little Sisters of the Poor will seek your financial support for their ministry to the elderly poor. The Sisters are committed to welcoming the needy regardless of race or religion, into their Home on Salem Church Road in Newark. They receive them as members of their large family, caring for them and preparing them for their heavenly home when God calls them. Your generosity will be deeply appreciated.

Knights of Columbus Fundraiser

Holy Angels Council #12104 Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a fundraiser to purchase an ultrasound machine for Belo Horizonte, Brazil, for the Crisis Pregnancy Center there that so desperately needs one to save countless pre-born babies. We are only the third Council in the United States to reach out to meet an international need for an ultrasound machine. Brazil does not have a Knights of Columbus organization. All donations are welcome. Please make checks out to Holy Angels Knights of Columbus #12104, and mail to 400 New London Road, Newark, DE 19711. Thank you for your consideration for this special outreach.

St. John-Holy Angels Athletics



Winter Sports News

What a week for SJ-HAA Athletics!!! As if we couldn't be any prouder of our student athletes and their coaches, the Angels proved, once again, that with all of the angels on our side, they can achieve greatness!

Not since 2009 has our **Angels Cheer Squad** participated in a competition, so how else do you debut the newly formed SJ-HAA Competition Cheer Squad under the amazing Coach Deb Roy? You win 1st Place at the 32nd Annual Christiana Cheer Classic! Our Lady Angels claimed "CYM JV Champions" on Sunday, February 5! We are proud of you!

Sixteen quarters equals 4 wins for our **SJ-HAA JV Girls Basketball Team!** On January 30, the Angels defeated the St. Elizabeth Vikings in the St. John the Beloved Tournament, 28-22, to advance to the championship round of play. Sophia Messick and Olivia Adams were top scorers! On February 2, the JV girls beat Christ the Teacher, 26-14, to claim the championship title in the 2017 St. Anthony of Padua Tournament! Keeping the winning momentum, the Angels continued their regular season of undefeated play on Saturday, Feb. 4 against St. Mary Magdalen. Putting an exclamation point of their week of perfect play, this JV team took home the championship trophy on Saturday, Feb. 4 in the St. John the Beloved Tournament, 27-11.

The **SJ-HAA JV #1 Boys Team** beat IHM with a score of 26-20 on Saturday, Feb. 4. Another win in the books improves the boys' regular league play to 6 and 1! Keep flying, Angels!

The **SJ-HAA JV #3 Boys Team** had a challenging game vs. Immaculate Conception on Sunday, Feb. 5. A hard battle was fought on the Angels' home court. The boys gave it their all, working together with great passing and shooting to bring a 4th quarter tie game of 17-17! With 3.9 seconds left on the clock, 6th grader Griffen Scully made a great pass to Nate Golden, who stepped in for an open-jumper buzzer-beater! The Angels won 19-17!

Don't forget to register your Spring Angel athlete for the fast-approaching 2017 season. Visit www.SJ-HAA.org for details.

Also, "Like" us on Facebook, @stjohnholyangelsathletics, to see the most current updates, information and pictures of our Angels in action!

Snow Cancellations

Cancellations of parish activities due to poor weather and driving conditions can be on the parish website, www.stjohn-holyangels.com, and also are available by calling the Parish Center, 731-2200.

The following radio stations will be contacted if Weekend Masses are canceled.

WSTW 93.7 FM WDEL 1150 AM WJBR 99.5 FM



Calendar Lottery Winter 2017

\$20.00 each 47 more chances to win!

Week 6 Winners: Malynda Orr George Thompson

Catholic Youth Ministry Annual Recognition Event

The Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM) for the Diocese of Wilmington holds an annual recognition dinner for those individuals who serve the youth or are youths themselves who serve in our parishes. These individuals are special members of our faith community and we are proud to have them represent our parish at this event. Below is a brief synopsis of each of the 4 awards. We are asking for nominees from you to help us “shine a light” on these exceptional people.

The first Award is **Volunteer of the Year.** This award is open to anyone 21 years of age or older who has been cleared for service in the Diocese and who is an outstanding volunteer with young people. This person could be a chaperone, a catechist, a Confirmation leader, or even someone who helps keep the website up to date. Each parish is challenged to name the most deserving person. Do you know someone who unselfishly gives of their time and talents to the youth of our parish? If so please contact: Mike Calvetti, alemab8@verizon.net for consideration. Please give a brief description of the person and their contributions.

The next award is the **St. Timothy National Youth Award.** This award is given to a young person from the parish or school and is the highest recognition from the National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry and CYM. Criteria is tough, the candidate must be a junior or senior in high school and be a youth who *lives as a disciple of Christ*, sets a positive example for other youth, witnesses to their faith by exhibiting Catholic morals and integrity, demonstrates Gospel values through service to others and exhibits Christian leadership in parish, school and/or community settings. This is a prestigious award given to a remarkable young person from our Parish. Please send your nominations to: Mike Calvetti, alemab8@verizon.net. Please provide a detailed description of your nominee and concrete examples of their merit. Include any and all outside activities and service. This is a highly competitive award and only the strongest candidates will be considered.

The third award is the **St. John Bosco Award.** This is a diocesan award given to adult leaders (21 years and older cleared for service in the diocese) who have been involved in youth ministry for **five or more years** and have been positive role models in **one** of several categories. Recipients may be volunteer or salaried, lay or religious. An individual may be nominated from each category listed below:

- parish or diocesan youth ministry
- ministry in Catholic school
- ministry as clergy or religious
- ministry in athletics
- ministry in catechesis
- ministry in Girl Scouts
- ministry in Boy Scouts
- ministry to young adults
- ministry in multi-cultural setting
- ministry in justice and service

Are you aware of someone who deserves recognition for their contributions in any of these areas? If so please provide a brief detailed description of their attributes to: Mike Calvetti, alemab8@verizon.net

The last award is the **Companions on the Journey National Award.** Nominees may be adult volunteers, paid staff, or clergy (21 years or older and cleared for service in the diocese). This award is given by the National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry through local diocesan offices for service in one of seven (7) categories to and individual who has provided **three or more years** of outstanding service to youth. Nominations may be made in each category:

- ministry in athletics
- ministry in catechesis
- ministry in Boy Scouts
- ministry in Girl Scouts
- ministry in justice and service
- ministry to young adults
- parish youth ministry

We have many adults in our parish who willingly give of their time and faith to our youth. Do you know of one who needs special acknowledgment of their selfless gift of time to our parish children? Please let us know by providing a brief description for consideration to: Mike Calvetti, alemab8@verizon.net

If you have additional questions please contact Mike Calvetti @ 302.545.4502 or
Mary Alberici & Theresa Mancari @ 302.731.2209

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS MARCH 15, 2017

Oficina del Ministerio Hispano
Asistente: María del Pilar Carazo (302) 731-2436
Horario de oficina:
Lunes –Jueves: 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Confirmation 2017 Reminder

- February 24:** **Candidates-Only Meeting**
5:30 – 6:30 PM Dinner in Fremont Hall, then
6:30 – 7:30 PM Confessions Holy Angels Church
- March 12:** **Candidates & Sponsors Meeting**
4:00 – 5:30 PM Fremont Hall
- April 1:** **Candidates-Only Retreat**
10:30 AM – 6:30 PM Holy Family Parish

For more information, please call the Religious Education Office, 731-2209.

Not Yet Confirmed?

If you are an adult Catholic adult, age 18 or older, who is interested in being confirmed, please contact Annie at the Parish Office, 731-2200. There will be 2 classes you need to attend in order to receive Confirmation. You must bring your Baptismal and First Communion Certificates to the classes. Adult Confirmation is administered by Bishop Malooly once a year on Pentecost Sunday. This year's Adult Confirmation will be on Sunday, June 4.

St. Patrick's Day Dinner Dance

Saturday, March 11th

6:00 PM Fremont Hall

Holy Angels Knights of Columbus will host a St. Patrick's Day Dinner Dance on Saturday, March 11th, from **6:00 PM – 10:00 PM** in Fremont Hall. This fun event features a traditional dinner (corned beef & cabbage, broiled salmon & more), beer, wine and soda, and a performance by dancers from the McAleer School of Irish Dance.

Tickets are \$35 per adult, \$15 per child (under age 15) and \$250 for a table of 8 people. Dinner, beer, wine, soda, DJ dancing and door prizes are all included. Please contact Bob Sassa (302) 234-2368, Paul Keely (302) 540-6658 or Joe Colosi (302) 383-0117 for tickets or more information.



A Vocation Reflection 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Paul writes to the Corinthians, "we speak of God's wisdom, mysterious, hidden, which God predetermined before the ages for our glory." This is a wisdom not of this age, and so who will speak it today? Will you speak God's wisdom to the people of today as a priest, deacon or religious? If so, please call or write Father Norm Carroll, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations at (302) 573-3113 or vocations@cdow.org. Be sure to visit our website, www.cdow.org/vocations!

VI DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Primera lectura Eclesiástico 15: 16-21

Salmo Responsorial 118 "Dichosos los que caminan en la voluntad del Señor".

Segunda lectura 1 Corintios 2:6-10

Evangelio Mateo 5: 20-22^a, 27-28, 33-37

Los cristianos primeros vivían en un medio judío y se preguntaban por la validez de la ley y los profetas frente a las enseñanzas novedosas del Mesías. Era un asunto de mucha importancia que concernía en la identidad de los creyentes.

Escribas y fariseos eran muy respetados entre los judíos porque encarnaban el ideal de vida establecido en la ley de Dios. Aquí Jesús no los descalifica para participar en el Reino de los cielos, más bien, los pone como espejo de los propios cristianos para que estos descubran "un más allá", un compromiso más profundo y transformador de sus propios criterios de acción.

El precepto sobre votos, promesas y juramentos, en la justicia nueva, no acepta distinciones ni reservas mentales. El creyente debe tener una sola palabra y ser coherente con ella. Los ejemplos dejan establecido como el cristiano es luz, testigo y sal de la tierra, gracias a su experiencia del reino realizada en Cristo Jesús.

Para meditar.

La sabiduría de Dios entra en mi vida y me conduce a ver. Jesús me hace ver con claridad el verdadero sentido de su Buena Noticia. Sus palabras me cuestionan sobre como vivo mi fe, dándole sentido a mi vida con su luz o utilizándola como cauce de mis vanas voluntades. Nuestra misión es cumplir y enseñar a cumplir la verdadera ley de Dios a través del perdón, la honestidad y sinceridad de corazón y, sobre todo, el amor a la verdad, aunque me cueste sacrificios y renunciaciones.

Avisos parroquiales

-La segunda preparación de quinceañeras será Febrero 24 a la 7:00 pm, en la oficina parroquial. Para celebración de 15 años en esta parroquia la preparación es obligatoria.

- Para recibir los sacramento de matrimonio, bautismo y confirmación llegar a la oficina..

- Próxima charla para bautismo: febrero 12

Estamos invitando a miembros de nuestra comunidad para ser parte del vía crucis del Viernes Santo. Contactarse con Víctor Cárdenas o Héctor Quiñonez después de misa.