

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.

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John Church

December 30	8:00 AM	Frederick C. Dunn III
	10:00 AM	Silvia Thomas
December 31	8:00 AM	Thomas Concavage
January 1	9:00 AM	Sodality Members, Living & Deceased
January 2	8:00 AM	People of the Parish
January 3	8:00 AM	Mary Alice Soehlike
January 4	8:00 AM	Silvia Thomas
January 5	8:00 AM	Walter Janeczko
January 6	8:00 AM	Walter F. Janeczko
	10:00 AM	Carl Malatesta

Holy Angels Church

December 29	5:00 PM	Mary Ellen Urban
December 30	9:00 AM	Helen Audrey Bradley
	11:00 AM	James Dale Hill
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias
December 31	5:00 PM	Roy C. Hamilton
January 5	5:00 PM	Sr. Carmel Medalla
January 6	9:00 AM	Sodality Members, Living & Deceased
	11:00 AM	August Muller
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias

Parish Center Holiday Hours

Closed Monday & Tuesday, Dec. 31 & January 1
Reopens Wednesday, January 2



Preview of This Week's Readings

Monday:	I John 2:18-21;	John 1:1-18
New Year's Eve & Day:	Numbers 6:22-27; Galatians 4:4-7;	Luke 2:16-21
Wednesday:	I John 2:22-28;	John 1:19-28
Thursday:	I John 2:29 – 3:6;	John 1:29-34
Friday:	I John 3:7-10;	John 1:35-42
Saturday:	I John 3:11-21;	John 1:43-51
Sunday:	Isaiah 60:1-6; Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6;	Matthew 2:1-12

New Year's Mass Schedule

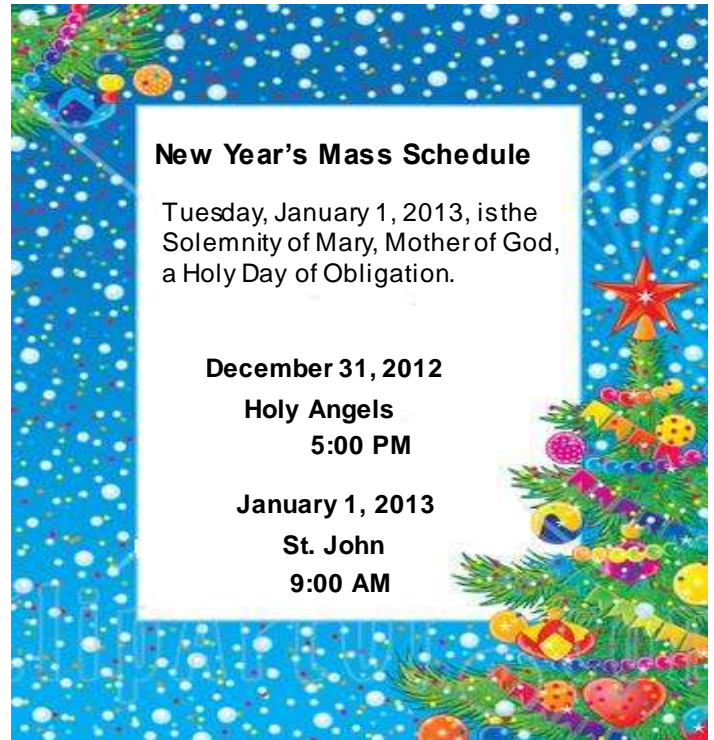
Tuesday, January 1, 2013, is the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God, a Holy Day of Obligation.

December 31, 2012

**Holy Angels
5:00 PM**

January 1, 2013

**St. John
9:00 AM**



Saint John - Holy Angels Feast of the Epiphany Concert

SUNDAY, JANUARY 6, 2013 - 1 PM



SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH
MAIN STREET NEWARK

COME HEAR SAINT MARK'S HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR
VIOLINIST CHRISTINA VAN DUYKE
AND VOCALIST JOYCE TANNIAN





December 30, 2012 – January 5, 2013

New Year's Eve:	5:00 PM	Holy Day Mass – Holy Angels Church
New Year's Day:	9:00 AM	Holy Day Mass – St. John Church
Thursday:	7:00 PM	Charismatic Prayer Group – Holy Angels Church Conference Room
Friday:	8:30 AM-12:30 PM	Eucharistic Adoration – St. John Church
Saturday:	10:30 AM	Confirmation Retreat (candidates' last names "A" – "L") – Fremont Hall

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



Sacramental Preparation

Confirmation 2013:

January 5: Retreat for Candidates only - Last Names "A" - "L"
10:30 AM Fremont Hall

January 6: Winter Session I 7:00 PM Holy Angels Church

January 13: Winter Session II 7:00 PM Holy Angels Church

January 20: Winter Session III 7:00 PM Holy Angels Church

Candidate and Sponsor must attend all 3 sessions.

February 2: Retreat for Candidates only - Last Names "M" - "Z"
10:30 AM Fremont Hall

First Reconciliation:

January 12: Parent & Child Workshop
Fremont Hall
10:00 AM Last Names "A" – "L"
12:30 PM Last Names "M" – "Z"

January 26: Celebration of 1st Reconciliation
Holy Angels Church
10:00 AM Last Names "A" – "L"
12:30 PM Last Names "M" – "Z"

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

Thank You!

On behalf of Mary Nardo and her family, and the Newark Area Welfare Committee (new home of Val's Needy Family Fund), we would like to take a moment to thank St. John-Holy Angels Parish for your continued support with our Christmas turkey drive.

Your support helps us continue Val's mission in helping feed the less fortunate among us. We know that Val is looking down on us with great pride as we continue what he started so many years ago! We also want to thank Father Fiore for allowing us to continue this annual drive at both churches. Thanks also to Frank Miller for the use of his truck, and to Dan Crisona and his sports team for volunteering time to help with distribution of the Christmas food boxes.

May God bless you all, and have a Happy, Healthy New Year!

Mary Jo Nardo
December 2012



Calendar Lottery

Winter 2013

\$20.00 each

90 chances to win!

Only 1000 calendars available!

No duplicate numbers!

New Game begins January 1, 2013

Stop by after Mass or at the Parish Center during regular business hours to purchase your lottery calendar. Calendars will be on sale every weekend after all Masses at both churches. For more information, please contact Amy Press at apress@holyangels.net or 731-2219.

Just A Reminder!

Please be sure to lock your car doors in Holy Angels Parking Lot and Newark Shopping Center. Items of value (purses, packages, GPS devices) should not be visible from outside of your car.





SCHOOL NEWS

We hope that all families have enjoyed a pleasant and festive holiday season!

- ▶ Classes resume on Wednesday, January 2, 2013.
- ▶ Scrip Sales will resume at school on Weds. and Friday afternoons from 2:15 – 2:45 PM.
- ▶ Open House for prospective parents
Wednesday, January 9 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
- ▶ Mid-terms for Grades 7 and 8 will take place during the week of January 21. A schedule will be given to students upon their return this week.

Save the Dates:

Weds., January 9: Open House for prospective parents
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Tuesday, January 29: Open House during the evening
5:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Saturday, May 11: Holy Angels Consignment Sale
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Please consider donating your items of clothing, furniture, books, games, electronics and appliances to this event. Proceeds will benefit the new social studies series for the 2013-14 school year. Drop-off dates for your donations will be posted in the bulletin within the next few weeks.



Diocesan Healing Mass

Rev. John S. Grimm, Pastor of Holy Spirit Parish in New Castle, Delaware will be presider and homilist at the Catholic Diocese of Wilmington's Healing Mass at St. Mary of the Assumption Church, 7200 Lancaster Pike, Hockessin, Delaware on Friday, January 4, 2013 at 7:00 PM.

The Diocesan Healing Mass features a reserved seating area for the aged and infirm and ushers are available to provide assistance if needed. St. Mary of the Assumption is handicapped accessible, with a wheel chair ramp and a restroom with side rails for the handicapped. Additionally, Father Grimm will go into the congregation to bless those in the reserved seating area, and prayer teams will also visit all who cannot come forward to the altar for prayers. Confessions will be heard after Mass.

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 the 8:00 AM Daily Mass or Weekend Masses are canceled. Please check to be sure there are no cancellations before you venture out in adverse weather.

WSTW 93.7 FM WDEL 1150 AM WJBR 99.5 FM
Please note: Parish Offices follow the School Closing Policy. If the Diocesan Catholic Schools are closed for inclement weather, the Parish Offices will be closed that day also.



The Sports Box

Athletic Association Meeting: Tuesday, January 8 at 8:00 PM in Athletic Building.

Save the Date: The Fabulous Greaseband
Friday, March 1
(more information to follow)

Congratulations to the Varsity C Girls Team for winning the Christmas Jamfest in King of Prussia!

Most of our teams are in Christmas tournaments over the holidays. Come out and support our teams!
Have a Happy New Year!!

Longest Married Couple in the United States

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is searching for the longest married couple in the United States. The national winners will be recognized during Valentine's Week 2013, which coincides with World Marriage Day, February 10th. Recognition will also be given to a couple from each state who has achieved that distinction. Appropriate gifts will be presented to them at a ceremony to be held at their location during Valentine's week. The state winners will receive personal recognition and a special certificate of achievement from the Worldwide Marriage Encounter movement.

Contact information for nominating a couple:

- Name of the Couple
- Wedding Date
- Where the couple currently resides
- Contact phone or email address of the person who is nominating the couple

Send nominations to dickanddiane66@bellsouth.net, or by regular mail to Dick & Diane Baumbach, 8934 Puerto Del Rio Drive, Suite 204, Cape Canaveral, FL, 32920. Nominations must be received by January 10, 2013.

Attention, Catholic Singles

Interested in joining an excellent Catholic singles organization? The Catholic Alumni Club International is looking to expand into the Wilmington Diocese. We provide a group dedicated to social, cultural and spiritual relationships in a Catholic setting. For more information, please check out the following site, or contact Steve at valksr@yahoo.com: www.caci.org.



2012 Year End Statements

If you would like a 2012 Church Contribution record for tax purposes, please fill out the form below, and send it to the Parish Office. Statements will be mailed out at the end of January to those requesting one.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Offering Envelope Number _____

Make a Good New Year's Resolution!

Purchase Supermarket Gifts from the Parish

Our parish participates in a Gift Card Program with Pathmark, Superfresh, ShopRite, and Acme Markets. You use the gift cards you purchase from us rather than your own money at the grocery store. There are two ways to purchase the gift cards.

Method I: You may stop in at the Parish Center and purchase Gift Cards during office hours.

Method II: A Supermarket Gift Card envelope is included in your monthly packet of offertory envelopes. Each month, you can order Supermarket Gift Cards by filling out that envelope, placing your check inside, and putting it in the collection basket. Your order will be filled and mailed to you the next day.

Hearing Devices

Devices for assistive listening are available at Holy Angels Church. Please stop in the Sacristy before Mass if you would like to use one of these.

Silent Prayer Community

Our parish has a group of people who will earnestly pray for any needs that you might have. This is done anonymously via a telephone prayer chain. If you have a special need about which you need prayer, please call 894-0726, 731-4297, or 369-3330, and our members will pray for you. Please let us know when your prayer has been answered, so that we too might give thanks.

Visitors for Christ

Visitors for Christ are men and women commissioned by the parish to serve and minister to the sick, the convalescing, the elderly and the homebound of our parish family.

We make short visits to homes, hospitals, and nursing homes bringing the prayers of the Parish and the Eucharist when requested. We also offer the opportunity to pray the rosary with you for your personal intentions and the needs of our community.

If you or someone you know would like a visit from the Visitors For Christ, please call the Parish Center, 731-2200, or June, 366-0711.

Northwest Italy & Western Mediterranean Cruise/Tour with Very Rev. Arthur B. Fiore, VF

May 15 – 27, 2013

A quality cruise/tour:
4 nights land/7 nights cruise



Please join Father Fiore on this exciting cruise/tour. Explore the culture and history of 3 fascinating countries: Italy, France and Spain.

We hope you'll join us on this exciting cruise/tour. Cost is from \$3779 per person including r/t air. Space is limited, so call today to reserve your space or for more information.

Premier Tours of Owings Mills:

Toll free: (800) 932-9213

Email: Premiertours@verizon.net

Father Fiore: (302) 731-2200

Oficina del Ministerio Hispano

Asistente: María del Pilar Carazo (302) 731-2436
Horario de Oficina: Lunes, martes, jueves; 9:00 - 4:00 PM
Miércoles: 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM Viernes: 9:00 AM-2:00 PM.

Actividades en nuestra parroquia

Bautismos: Charlas, domingo de cada mes después de misa. 2:30-4:30 PM: Padrinos deben ser casados por la iglesia. *Todos traer biblias católica, obligatoriamente y no biblias protestante. (Latinoamericana, preferiblemente). No habrá cuidado de niños, por favor busque con tiempo quien se los cuide. Gracias. (Cualquier pregunta, llamar a Roberto y Georgina).*

Próximas charlas: Enero 6, 2013

Presentaciones:

Registrar al niño(a) en la oficina.

Quinceañeras:

Charlas tercer viernes de cada mes en la oficina parroquial de 6:00-8:00 PM. Traer su biblia. Las jóvenes tienen que tener sus sacramentos completos o estar registrados para la confirmación. Si todavía no la ha recibido. Registrarse en la oficina. La preparación empieza en Enero, 2013.

Grupo de Oración:

Todos los viernes 7:00 PM. HAC.

Clases de Biblia: Todos los miércoles a las 7:00 PM.

En la oficina Parroquial.

Rosarios en las casas:

Todos los martes a las 7:00 PM. (En enero se continuara)

Nuestra parroquia les da la bienvenida a todas las personas que nos visitan por primera vez, siéntanse en familia.

Favor de cuidar de nuestra iglesia, no dejando basura en las bancas ni en el piso. Gracias

A la salida se están entregando los calendarios para el 2013. Llevarse uno por familia.

QUE ESTA NAVIDAD ESTE LLENA DE AMOR, PAZ, HERMANDAD. QUE EN NUESTRO HOGAR BRILLE LA LUZ QUE GUIO A LOS REYES MAGOS HACIA EL PESEBRE DEL NIÑO JESUS. ASI MISMO NOS GUIE A NOSOTROS A ENCONTRAR A ESTE DIVINO NIÑO EN CADA PERSONA QUE ENCONTRAMOS EN NUESTRO DIARIO CAMINAR, BRINDEMOS SONRISAS, BUENOS DESEOS, CARIDAD Y COMPASION. COMPARTAMOS CON EL MAS NECESITADO, NO SOLAMENTE COMIDA SINO TAMBIEN AFECTO Y AMISTAD. EL MEJOR PESEBRE ES EL QUE LE PREPAREMOS EN NUESTRO CORAZON.

FELIZ NAVIDAD SON LOS DESEOS SINCEROS DE NUESTRO PASTOR, Rev ARTURO FIORE, Fr. ALAN, NUESTROS DIACONOS Y TODO EL PERSONAL DE SANTOS ANGELES.

“COORDINADORES DEL MINISTERIO HISPANO”

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Círculo de Oración:

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Viacrucis: ¿ ?

Posadas: Grupo Bíblico

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