

Parish Directory

Parish Center

82 Possum Park Road
Newark, DE 19711

Office Hours:

Weekdays: 9 AM – Noon, 1 PM – 4 PM
6 PM - 9 PM

Saturday: 9 AM – Noon

Parish Office: 731-2200

Website: www.stjohn-holyangels.com

(Note: New Web Address)

Fax: 731-2434

Administrative Assistant: Annie Adams

Parish Registration: Please stop in at the Parish Office to complete registration form.

Chaplain & Deacon Office: 731-2439

Deacon: Charles Schaubert

Chaplain for Hispanic Ministry: Rev. Alan Reyna

Business Office 731-2208

Accountant: Bill Duffy

Facilities/Maintenance 731-2212

Director: James Kline

Fremont Hall Rentals 731-2431

Director: Elaine Montoro

Hispanic Ministry 731-2436

Deacon: Heriberto Rodriguez

Administrative Assistant: Pilar Carazo

Holy Angels Athletic Association 737-2435

Director: Charles Muzzi

Holy Angels School 731-2210

Office Hours:

School Days: 8 AM - 3 PM

Principal: Denise Winterberger

Administrative Assistants: Cindy Bartosik

Zina Walsh

Liturgical Ministries 731-2219

Coordinator: Amy Press

Liturgical Music 731-2435

Director: Stephen Adams

Religious Education 731-2209

Coordinators: Mary Alberici

Theresa Mancari

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults 731-2219

Coordinators: Susan & Fred Whitcraft

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.

Our Mission Statement

The Faith Community of St. John The Baptist-Holy Angels Parish believes that we are empowered by the Holy Spirit to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to celebrate God's abiding presence among us.

We believe that Sacramental Worship is the source and summit of our Christian life, and that worshipping Jesus in union with the Father and the Holy Spirit is our highest calling.

We believe that God's creation is sacred and beautiful. We accept the responsibility to be stewards of all that God has entrusted to us, especially the gift of life itself.

We believe that, as brothers and sisters of Christ, we are called to live in peace. It is our responsibility to work for peace by seeking justice for all people.

We believe that we are called to proclaim the Gospel, by word and example, to the faithful, to those who have given up active participation in the Catholic Church, to those who have no church community, and to those who are seeking full communion with the Catholic Church.

The fulfillment of this mission is challenged by the geographic distance we encompass, and our large and ever-increasing membership and the diversity of needs among us.

Through the grace of God, may we be strengthened to fulfill this mission.

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John Church

January 25	8:00 AM	Philip Pasquale Perrine
January 26	8:00 AM	Rita Kulisich
January 27	8:00 AM	Charles Buonassisi
January 28	8:00 AM	Rita Kulisich
January 29	8:00 AM	Rita Kulisich
January 30	8:00 AM	Charles Seitz
January 31	8:00 AM	John Muller
	10:00 AM	Thomas McHugh

Holy Angels Church

January 30	5:00 PM	Mark Baker
January 31	9:00 AM	Donald Eastburn
	11:00 AM	Waldo & Minerva Fox
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias



Eternal rest grant unto him...

Please remember in your prayers Colonel Henry Wilson. May his souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.



January 24 – 30, 2010

Tuesday:	7:00 PM	R.C.I.A. Candidates & Catechumens – Holy Angels Church Conference Room
	8:00 PM	Athletic Association Meeting – Joan Muzzi Athletic Building
Wednesday:	6:30 PM	Cantor Practice – Holy Angels Church Music Room
	7:30 PM	Choir Practice – Holy Angels Church Music Room
Thursday:	9:30 AM	Eucharistic Bread Baking – Fremont Hall Kitchen
	7:00 PM	Prayer Group – Holy Angels Church Conference Room
	7:30 PM	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting – Parish Center Meeting Room 1
Friday:	8:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Eucharistic Adoration – St. John Church
	7:00 PM	Rehearsal for Rite of Reception & Retreat – Holy Angels Church Conference Rm.
Saturday:	10:00 AM	Liturgy Committee – Parish Center Meeting Room 1

Preview of This Week’s Readings

Monday:	Acts 22:3-6 or 9:1-22; Mark 16:15-18
Tuesday:	II Timothy 1:1-8 or Titus 1:1-5; Mark 3:31-35
Wednesday:	II Samuel 7:4-17; Mark 4:1-20
Thursday:	II Samuel 7:18-19, 24-29; Mark 4:21-25
Friday:	II Samuel 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Mark 4:26-34
Saturday:	II Samuel 12:1-7a, 10-17; Mark 4:35-41
Sunday:	Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19; I Corinthians 12:31 – 13:13; Luke 4:21-30

**What is that
“Reserved For Winner” Parking Place
at Holy Angels Church?**

Just a reminder, the “Reserved For Winner” Parking Place by Holy Angels Church is just that! The reserved spot is a prize won at the Home & School Auction every other year, guaranteeing the winner that parking spot for the next 2 years. Thank you for being mindful of this!

**Our Weekly Offertory
January 16/17, 2010**

Parish Collection	\$12746
Capital Campaign	330
Restoration & Expansion Fund.....	50
Earthquake Victims in Haiti.....	8517
Total	\$21643

January 17/18, 2009

Parish Collection	\$15909
Capital Campaign	788
Restoration & Expansion Fund.....	135
Total	\$16832

**2 More Jackpot Drawings!
Mondays, January 25 & February 1
Get your tickets today!**

Congratulations to the 4 winners from January 18th:
 \$3000 Philip Butler \$2000 Irene Datilio
 \$1000 Amy Press \$500 Theresa Spence
 Each drawing will have 4 winners, for prizes of \$3000, \$2000, \$1000 and \$500. The fourth and final drawing will have an additional \$500 winner. Tickets are on sale after all weekend Masses until January 31, as well as at the Parish Office. Ticket price remains the same, \$1 per ticket, or 6 for \$5. These Jackpot Drawings are cumulative; tickets remain in the Jackpot Barrel for all four drawings, except for the winning tickets. There is no prize to the sellers of winning tickets.

**Holy Angels School
Open House
Tuesday, February 2
5:00 PM – 7:00 PM**



This Open House is for prospective parents of children entering Kindergarten through 6th grade.

**Good News! PreK4 Opening September 2010!
New Student Applications**

PreK4 - Kindergarten – due January 29th
Grades 1-6 – due February 26th

Information and applications are available either online at www.holyangelsschool.org or from the School Office, 731-2210. Students entering kindergarten must be 5 years of age by August 31, 2010. PreK4 must be 4 years of age by August 31, 2010.

Applications must include:

- Birth Certificate
- Baptismal Certificate
- 2-page Application Form
- Recent Report Card/Testing
- Non-refundable check of \$100.00

Basket Sponsors Needed

Would you be willing to sponsor a Longaberger Basket for our Spring Bingo? You will receive a tax donation letter for the actual basket value. Sponsor cost varies from \$75 to \$150. Please call Annie Adams, 731-2200, for more information.

Snow Cancellations

In the event of poor weather and dangerous driving conditions during the winter season, sometimes we find it necessary to cancel parish activities, meetings, and liturgies.



Weather-related information will be on the parish website, www.stjohn-holyangels.com; and also available by calling the Parish Center (731-2200).

The following radio stations will be contacted if the 8:00 AM Daily Mass, Weekend Masses, and parish activities are canceled. Please check to be sure there are no cancellations before you venture out in adverse weather.

WILM 1450 AM 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.

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 we too may give thanks.

Longaberger Basket Bingo

Sunday, April 11

2:00 PM

Fremont Hall

(Doors open 1:00 PM)

Tickets: \$20/person

(if purchased by April 8)

\$25 at the door (if still available)

(no one under 21 admitted)

Featuring 20 Games, 2 Specials,

Door Prizes, Raffles,

50/50, Great Food!

25 Beautiful Filled New & Retired Baskets!

For tickets, please call the Parish Office, 731-2200, or Annie Adams, 836-4103. Tables of 8 may be reserved in advance.

Supermarket Gift Card Program

Our parish participates in a Supermarket 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. Please call the Parish Center, 731-2200, if you have questions.

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 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.

“SaveAround Delaware 2010”

The Delaware edition of SaveAround Delaware is now available at the Parish and School Offices. This book contains over 350 “Buy One-Get One Free” coupons, to be used at IHOP, Royal Farms, Soffritto, Burger King, Dunkin Donuts, KFC, McDonald’s, Subway, Seasons Pizza, and many, many more!

Great value for \$20! For more information, please contact Amy, 731-2219 (apress@holyangels.net).



**Knights of
Columbus**

Holy Angels Council News

Soup-er Bowl 2010

The 2010 Soup-er Bowl Sunday Food drive will be held at Masses the weekend of January 6/7. Members of the Knights will be available after all Masses to accept your donations of canned goods and non-perishables to benefit the St. Vincent de Paul Society. We will also accept donations of cash or checks (payable to “Knights of Columbus”), to benefit the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Seafood Sale Begins Next Weekend

Are you looking for something delicious to serve at your Super Bowl Party? The Knights of Columbus will be taking orders after all Masses January 23/24 and 30/31.

Items available include:

Jumbo Lump Crab Cakes (3.25 oz.)

\$4.75 per crab cake

available in packages of 4, 6, or 12
(minimum order is 4)

Crab Soup (quart) \$10.50

Crab Appetizers (bag of 50) \$14.00

Payment is due when you when you place your order.

Orders will be available for pickup in Fremont Hall on Thursday, February 4th, 5:30 PM – 8:00 PM.

Bring Us Your Old Newspapers!

Please support our Athletic Association by participating in the Abitibi Paper Retriever program. Bring all your used catalogs, magazines, newspapers, office paper, fax paper, school paper, notebooks and folders to the 3 green and yellow containers next to the Athletic Building.

(Note: no cardboard, telephone books or trash!)

Tell all your neighbors, friends and family! The more we fill the containers, the more money we can make! For more information, contact Lyn Wolfe at 420-8659 or email wolfelyn@comcast.net.

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.



Liturgy Corner

Ordinary Time

The color green in the church tells us that we are back in Ordinary Time. Actually the word "ordinary"

does not mean *routine*, but "counted" or "ordinal" time. We enter into these 2nd, 3rd, 4th Sundays... all counted one after another. Winter Ordinary Time is just a few short weeks until we enter into the Season of Lent. Summer and Fall Ordinary Time comprises the longest portion of the Liturgical Year, covering as much as six months of the calendar. Ordinary Time challenges us with the demands of building the Kingdom. We listen to the Word of God which keeps reminding us of our call as Christians to internalize the teachings of the Lord and to live out what we proclaim. The miracles and the parables of Jesus are, for the most part, the subject of the Gospel readings. The task that we are given is the same task Jesus had—to proclaim the reign of God in our midst—so this is hardly an ordinary mission. The prayers of the Mass ask for the gifts necessary to accomplish this task and they carry the same message: "Bring forth the Kingdom!"

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Introduction to the Bible Series starting in Lent

Lent is the perfect time to reinforce the basic building blocks of your faith development. Gain confidence and familiarity with the Bible so that you can enjoy the wealth of inspiration that comes from Bible Study.

Beginning Sunday evening, February 14, we will meet in Holy Angels Church Conference Room, 6:00 – 7:15 PM, to learn and share about Scripture. The series will run every Sunday evening from February 14 through March 28.

As in the past, our series is based on The Little Rock Scripture Series "Introduction to the Bible" series. It is guaranteed to build knowledge and fellowship among the participants. There is no fee for this course.

To register or get more information, contact Beth Cresswell via email, bethcresswell@yahoo.com, or by phone, 584-7427.

Visitors for Christ

Visitors for Christ are men and women commissioned by St. John-Holy Angels Church 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.

Do You Want To Grow In Faith This Lenten Season?

Parishes are communities of faith, action and hope. They are where the Gospel is proclaimed and celebrated, where believers are formed and sent to renew the earth. Parishes are the place where God's people meet in Jesus in word and sacrament and come in touch with the source of the Church's life.

St. John The Baptist-Holy Angels Parish is pleased to offer a very highly recommended program, specifically intended to help Roman Catholic Parishes become Christian havens of charity, justice, and peace.

"Becoming a Community of Salt and Light" will be presented at the Parish Center for seven Thursdays (March 4th, 11th, 18th, April 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th) from 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM.

Contact Diane Fisher at jdfish2@msn.com, or call (302) 737-6864 to register!



2009 Year End Tax Statements

If you would like a 2009 Church Contribution Record for tax purposes, please fill out the form below, and send it to the Parish Office via the collection or mail.

Statements will be mailed out at the end of January to those requesting one.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Offering Envelope Number _____