

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

March 17	8:00 AM	Deceased Members of the Matalavage Family
	10:00 AM	Josephine Bartosik
March 18	8:00 AM	Veronica S. Rhoads
March 19	8:00 AM	Joseph D'Andrea
March 20	8:00 AM	Daniel Mackel
March 21	8:00 AM	People of the Parish
March 22	8:00 AM	Helen & John Cheddar
March 23	8:00 AM	April Birdsell
March 24	8:00 AM	Thomas Concavage
	10:00 AM	Janet Dallago

Holy Angels Church

March 16	5:00 PM	Eileen Orga
March 17	9:00 AM	Lennard Novak
	11:00 AM	Anna & Patrick Hughes
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias
March 23	5:00 PM	Irene Wnenchak
March 24	9:00 PM	Irene Wnenchak
	11:00 AM	Joseph D'Andrea
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias

Preview of This Week's Readings

Monday:	Daniel 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62; John 8:12-20	
Tuesday:	II Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Romans 4:13-, 16-18, 22; Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Luke 2:41-51a	
Wednesday:	Daniel 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; John 8:31-42	
Thursday:	Genesis 17:3-9;	John 8:51-59
Friday:	Jeremiah 20:10-13;	John 10:31-42
Saturday:	Ezekiel 37:21-28;	John 11:45-56
Sunday:	Luke 19:28-40; Philippians 2:6-11	Isaiah 50:4-7; Luke 24:14-23:56

Lenten Services

Vespers

March 17 6:30 PM Holy Angels Church

Mid Day Prayer

March 20 1:30 PM Holy Angels Church

Stations of the Cross

March 22 7:00 PM St. John Church

Eucharistic Adoration

March 22 8:30 AM -12:30 PM St. John Church



Soup & Sharing Meal

Holy Thursday

March 28

5:30 – 7:00 PM

Fremont Hall

Our Parish Youth Group is hosting the Parish Soup & Sharing Meal on Holy Thursday, March 28. It will be from 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM in Fremont Hall. There is no charge; if you plan to attend, call the Parish Office, 731-2200 to let us know how many people are coming, and if you will be bringing a loaf of bread.



Eternal rest grant unto him...

Please remember in your prayers Patrick J. Teta. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

Newly Baptized

March 9, 2013

Zachary Andrew Colmery, son of Nicole Jessica Hewett and Jeff Allan Colmery.

Rowan Clair McNelis, daughter of Bridget Downey Corry and Patrick Joseph McNelis.

Julian Gene Willey, son of Mary Grace Delmo Ramirez and Brian Kenneth Willey.



Youth News

March 17: 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM Fremont Hall

Banner Making and PB & J Sandwich-Making (Help us construct the Banner that we will walk behind at the 2013 Pilgrimage and make PB& J sandwiches for the hungry.)

March 23: 2013 Diocesan Youth Pilgrimage

Bishop Malooly invites youth and young adults from all parishes and schools to join him as we come together for the third annual Pilgrimage on Saturday, March 23. Young people from across the Diocese will carry the Diocesan Pilgrimage Cross through the streets of Wilmington with the Bishop as a representation of Jesus' entry to Jerusalem and his journey on Good Friday to Calvary.

The day begins with opening prayer at 10:30 AM. We conclude with the 5:00 PM liturgy at St. Elizabeth Church. Don't miss this great opportunity to wrap up your Lenten journey with hundreds of your peers. Cost for the day is \$15/person, or \$45 max per family (bring your own lunch).

Sign-up Days for Pilgrimage:

March 17 7:00 – 8:30 PM Fremont Hall

March 20 7:00 – 8:30 PM Parish Center

March 28: Holy Thursday Soup Dinner
5:30 PM Fremont Hall

(Come join us as we host the Holy Thursday Soup Dinner and attend Holy Thursday Mass together.)

April 7: Holy Angels Youth Group's Got Talent
(Come join us in Fremont Hall and show the Youth Group your talent. There will be judges and plenty of fun for all!)



March 17 – 23, 2013

Sunday:	9:00 AM	Religious Education – Holy Angels School
	6:00 PM	Religious Education – Holy Angels School
	6:30 PM	Vespers – Holy Angels Church
	7:00 PM	Youth Ministry Pilgrimage Planning Meeting – Fremont Hall
Monday:	7:00 PM	Finance Council – Parish Center
	2700 PM	Baptismal Preparation Class – Holy Angels Church Conference Room
	7:00 PM	Mary, Queen of Peace, Prayer Group – Parish Center Meeting Room 3
Tuesday:	7:00 PM	R.C.I.A. Inquiry – Parish Center Meeting Room 3
	7:00 PM	R.C.I.A. Catechesis – Holy Angels Church Conference Room
	7:00 PM	Knights of Columbus – Joan Muzzi Athletic Building
Wednesday:	2:00 PM	Mid Day Prayer – Holy Angels Church
	6:00 PM	Religious Education – Holy Angels School
	7:00 PM	Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality – Holy Angels Church Conference Room
	7:00 PM	R.C.I.A. Children’s Inquiry – Parish Center Youth Room
	7:00 PM	Cub Pack 205 – Fremont Hall
	7:00 PM	Choir Practice – Holy Angels Church Music Room
Thursday:	7:00 PM	Charismatic Prayer Group – Holy Angels Church Conference Room
	7:00 PM	Practice for Holy Thursday Liturgy – Holy Angels Church
Friday:	8:30 AM-12:30 PM	Eucharistic Adoration – St. John Church
	7:00 PM	Practice for Good Friday Liturgy – Holy Angels Church
	7:00 PM	Stations of the Cross – St John Church
Saturday:	7:30 AM	Men’s Bible Study – Parish Center Meeting Room 2
	9:30 AM	Decorating – Holy Angels Church
	11:00 AM	Practice for Easter Vigil – Holy Angels Church
	1:30 PM	Decorating – St. John Church

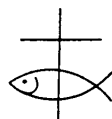
Calendar Lottery Winter 2013

Week 10 Winners: Congratulations to Anne Gullo and Kevin Fertig!

Sustaining Hope for the Future

Bishop Malooly announces the members of the Clergy Campaign Policy Committee in this week’s issue of *The Dialog*. This eight-member leadership group will assist the Bishop in shaping the policies of the **Sustaining Hope for the Future** campaign. As you leave Mass, be sure to pick up your copy of *The Dialog* or visit the diocesan website www.cdow.org.

Lenten Penitential Fast & Abstinence



Lent

Days of Fasting & Abstinence: Ash
Wednesday

& Good

Friday
Days of Abstinence: All Fridays of Lent

To Fast means to eat only one full meal during that day. The other two meals should be smaller than the main meal. Also, no eating between meals. All persons ages 21 – 59 must fast on the required days.

To Abstain means to refrain from eating meat on the appointed day. All persons over the age of fourteen must abstain on required days.

Thank You!

“God’s Precious Gift” Sculpture

The long-awaited sculpture, “God’s Precious Gift”, has finally arrived! It is on display in Holy Angels Church Gathering Space. The sculpture will be permanently displayed in the Garden for the Unborn later this Spring.

We wish to thank **Gene Consiglio** for donating his skilled craftsmanship and materials to create the beautiful display case for this sculpture. Thank you too to all the parishioners who donated toward the purchase of “God’s Precious Gift”.

We also thank **Mark Manniso**, for designing and planning the manufacture of the sculpture and the miniature statues, and having it shipped from the Far East. Mark also procured the rock base for the sculpture in the Garden for the Unborn.

Smaller copies of this sculpture may be available for purchase to those who are interested. If you are interested, please sign-up on the tablet near the display case.

Thank You!

The **Little Sisters of the Poor** thank us for our generosity several weeks ago during their parish visit. St. John-Holy Angels parishioners donated \$ 5960.58 toward their ministry to the elderly.



SCHOOL NEWS

Happy St. Patrick's Day!

Applications are being accepted for the 2013-2014 school year. Holy Angels School is accredited by the Middle States Association of Elementary Schools. Our Early Childhood Program offers a quality multi-sensory based education for children in Pre/K 3 and Pre/K 4 classes. There are various options of either full or part-time hours. Please refer to our website at www.holyangelsschool.org for more information or call the School Office at 731-2210. Our K-8 program aligns to the standards of learning as set forth by the Diocese of Wilmington.

Our next **Open House** will take place on Tuesday, March 26, from 9:00 – 11:00 AM. Parent ambassadors will be available to give you a tour of the school. You may also visit by scheduling an appointment.

Summer Camp information may be found on our website. Classes will be offered in reading, math, and the "Angels Adventure" program.

Many thanks to all who came out and supported our International Wine & Dine Night on March 9! It was a great evening of fellowship and wonderful foods from around the world! Proceeds will go toward a new social studies series for next Fall. A special note of gratitude to all our Home & School members who planned this event including Mrs. Ada Myer and Mrs. Julie Wenger!

Save the Date!

Saturday, May 11: "Angels Attic" Sale

Items such as clothing, games, books, furniture, appliances, etc., will be sold. If you are in the process of Spring Cleaning, please consider donating to this event. Please call Mrs. Jennie Metz at 994-2122 or email metzjmetz@aol.com to arrange a pick-up or drop-off of items..

The following items help generate funds for our education programs:

- Box Tops for Education
- Campbell's Soup Labels
- Printer cartridges

The Week Ahead at School:

Terra Nova testing will take place **all week** in Grades K-8.

Tuesday, March 19

Parent Conference (optional) 3:30 – 5:30 PM

Weds., March 20

Mid-Day Prayer at 1:30 PM

Thurs., March 21

Italian Club 3:00 PM

Science Olympiad Club (Grades 4/5)

Friday, March 22

Drama Club Performance in AA Bldg. at 5:30 PM

Saturday, March 23

Science Olympiad Competition (Grades 4/5) at St. Mark's High School



The Gospel of John

After Easter we will begin to study the Gospel of John. Unlike the Synoptic Gospels (Matthew, Mark and Luke), where we see more of the humanity of Jesus, in John, Jesus is a majestic figure, in control of his destiny at all times. John has a very black and white version of the world. The narrative can even be harsh and abrasive at times.

The Little Rock Scripture Series commentary helps us to be provoked, challenged and enlightened by the "deceptively simple" but "irony-laden" words and actions of the Gospel's characters.

We will break the study into 2 segments, Spring 2013 and Fall 2013. The Spring session begins Monday, April 8 and ends Monday, June 10. We will meet every Monday, except for Memorial Day, in Holy Angels Church Conference Room from 7:00 – 8:30 PM. There is a \$20 registration fee to cover class materials. Please contact Beth Cresswell to register for the course: email bethmulrycresswell@gmail.com or phone (302)-584-7427.

Easter Memorial Flowers

Be a part of our floral decorating for the Easter Season and contribute towards our decorating fund in memory of a loved one, living or deceased. Acknowledgements will appear in the Easter Sunday bulletin. Flowers will vary throughout the season from Easter through Pentecost.



Fill out the order form below and return it with your donation to the Parish Office. For more information, contact Annie, 731-2200. Floral order deadline is **Monday, March 18.**

Circle your choices below:

Which Church: St. John's Holy Angels

\$12/ea: Lily Tulip Begonia Mum

\$24/ea: Boston Fern Hydrangea Azalea

\$30/ea: Paschal Candle Arrangement Live Plant

Easter Flower For: _____

From: _____

Daytime Phone number: _____



St. John – Holy Angels Day Friday, March 22

8:30 AM – 12:00 Noon

Peaceful Vigil at Planned Parenthood

625 N. Shipley Street in Wilmington

If you cannot participate at the Vigil,
please support us by prayer and fasting!

Contact Person: Bess McAneny 593-7876

Adult Confirmation

The Diocese of Wilmington has scheduled Adult Confirmations to take place on Pentecost Sunday, May 19, at St. Peter Cathedral in Wilmington. This sacrament is available to any Catholic age 18 or older who has not already been confirmed. St John-Holy Angels will provide formation-training classes starting right after Easter. Anyone interested in this program should contact Deacon Charlie at the Parish Center, 731-2439, as soon as possible.

Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality

We will meet on **Wednesday, March 20**, at 7:00 PM in Holy Angels Church Conference Room. All ladies of the parish are invited to join us!

Holy Angels Home & School Recycling Event

Saturday, April 20

9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Holy Angels Parking Lot



Bins from Newark Recycling will be available for all scrap metal items: save all your aluminum cans, soda, pet food, soup, tuna, canned vegetables, etc. The best way to check if it is aluminum is to hold a magnet to the can – if it does not stick, it's aluminum!

Aluminum must be kept separate because it will go into a different container.

All other cans and scrap metal will be deposited into another container together.

We will accept any metal items, including but not limited to: old lawnmowers (empty out gas/oil), washers, dryers, weights and weight benches, filing cabinets, metal desks, folding metal chairs, metal lawn furniture and tables without glass, aluminum siding, all scrap metal, cooper, iron, brass, steel stainless steel, and even car batteries.

****And please don't forget****

We are seeking volunteers to work the drop-off ((unloading recyclables). If interested, please contact John Jensen at (302) 292-0169 or john.jensen@kci.com with your information.

This is a no cost fundraiser!

Palm Sunday Clean-Up and Spring Cleaning

Your help is needed on Sunday afternoon, March 24, for cleaning up from Palm Sunday and also for Spring Cleaning of both churches. We also need several fellows to help with the scaffolding work and vacuuming of the window wells at Holy Angels.

**Sunday, March 24: 1:30 – 3 PM St. John Church
3 PM – 5 PM Holy Angels Church**

Please bring dust cloths, swiffers, dust mops, rags and cleaning supplies! Hope you can join us! For more information, please contact Patti Walters at walterspb@comcast.net or 593-5795.

Preview of Triduum Liturgies

Holy Thursday

March 28

Soup & Sharing Meal 5:30 – 7:00 PM
Fremont Hall
Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30 PM
Holy Angels Church
Prayer during Night Watch 10:30 PM
Holy Angels Church
Adoration at the Altar of Repose until Midnight
Holy Angels Church

Good Friday

March 29

Prayer during Morning Watch 9:00 AM
St. John Church
Commemoration of the Lord's Passion 7:30 PM
Holy Angels Church

Holy Saturday

March 30

Prayer during Morning Watch 9:00 AM
Holy Angels Church
The Easter Vigil 8:00 PM
Holy Angels Church

Easter Sunday

March 31

Mass 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM St. John Church
9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 1:00 PM (Spanish) Holy Angels

Easter Vigil

The Easter Vigil is the most important Mass of the year. In the complete ranking of all Catholic Church celebrations, the Triduum occupies the top spot. The Triduum, which begins with Holy Thursday's Mass of the Lord's Supper, concludes on Easter, reaching its climax with the Easter Vigil. If there is one Mass in which Catholics should make every effort to participate every year, it is the Easter Vigil. If you attend church Easter Sunday morning but miss the Easter Vigil, you have missed the most important celebration of the year.

The Easter Vigil celebrates the resurrection of Christ and the commitment of believers. It has four parts. It begins with a service of light. The community gathers in darkness to hear that Christ is our light, shattering the darkness of sin. The next part of the Vigil is the Liturgy of the Word. We hear up to nine Scripture passages that tell the story of salvation, ending with the Gospel of the resurrection.

The third part is the Liturgy of Baptism. Some catechumens have already been listed among the Elect, those chosen for baptism this year. They now come forward to be plunged into the waters of new birth. Anointed with chrism, they celebrate confirmation, receiving the strength of God's Spirit for the Christian life. Then the entire community renews its baptismal promises. Together we pledge our faith in the resurrection and promise to follow Christ more closely.

The Vigil culminates in the fourth part, the Liturgy of the Eucharist. The length of the celebration has sharpened our hunger for communion. Now the newly baptized will join us in the Eucharist for the very first time. At the Easter Vigil we recommit ourselves to our faith and rejoice with the newly baptized.

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

“COORDINADORES DEL MINISTERIO HISPANO”

Coordinador General: Milton Santiago
Sub-coordinador: Víctor Pérez
Representante Concejo Parroquial: Paola del Prado

Secretaria: María Lara
Tesorera: Ana Durán

Ministerios:

Ministros de Eucaristía:
Coordinador: Víctor Lorzo

Lectores:

Coordinadora: Martha Just

Monaguillos:

Coordinadora: Alicia Gómez

Colecta: Marilú, Sandra, Alejandra

Misa de Sanación:

Carlos Andrade & Mariana Navas

Círculo de Oración:

Carlos & Mariana Navas

Estudio Bíblico: Rev. Alan Reyna

Hospitalidad: Joel & María Lara

Rosarios en las casas: Cecilia Olano/ Carmen Broncales

Coros: Milton & Ana & Carmen

Liturgia de los niños: Leticia Lomelí

Grupo Guadalupano: Víctor Pérez

Viacrucis: /Joel Lara/Julio

Posadas: Grupo Bíblico

Pláticas de bautismo & Charlas Prematrimoniales:

Roberto & Georgina Hernández Flores

Quinceañeras: Martha Just/ Pilar Carazo

Retiros & Actividades: Mayte Castro, Ana Durán
Paola Del Prado, Martha Just & Gustavo Grajales

Sacristía: Javier Lomelí- Héctor Quiñones
Ofrendas: Carmen Broncales
Libro de Intenciones: Martha Reyes & Lisseth García

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).
Próxima charla: Abril 28

Presentaciones:

Registrar al niño(a) en la oficina. Después de misa.

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 la 7:00 PM.
En la oficina Parroquial.

Rosarios en las casas:

Todos los martes a las 7:00 PM.

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

Por favor, no introducir comida dentro de la iglesia.

Gracias, por participar y acompañarnos en la jornada de la “Misión de nuestra parroquia”.

En la tiendita tenemos accesorios para las primeras comuniones, para niños y niñas.

Hoy, domingo 17 de marzo, Quinto Domingo de Cuaresma.
Tiempo de Ayuno Oración y Penitencia.

<< A ti alzo mi voz, Yahavé, roca mía, no enmudezcas; pues si te callas seré igual que los que bajan a la fosa.

Oye la voz de mi súplica, cuando te pido socorro, cuando levanto mis manos, hacia tu santo templo....>>.

Sal. 28. 1-2

Las personas que deseen comprar una replica de la estatua de estatua que se pondrá en el jardín de la iglesia, ponerse en contacto en la oficina. El precio es de \$45.00.

Fechas para las Primeras Comuniones:

Abril: 07, 14, 21.

Mayo: 05...Misa de 1:00 PM. Si usted todavía no a apartado la fecha, hablar con Mary ó Theresa, coordinadoras de Educación Religiosa.