

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.

Welcome, New Parishioners!

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

Mr. & Mrs. Jose Adan & Family
 Lucia & Teodoro Alvarez & Family
 Danely Maya & Mario De la Cruz & Family
 Meredith & David Farone & Family
 Kathleen & Nicholas Giorgianni & Family
 Jennifer & David Jordan & Family
 Melinda & Aaron Lewis & Family
 Elizabeth & David Link & Family
 Romualda & Cesar Lopez & Family
 Maria & Heladio Moreno & Family
 Annette & Xian Qiao
 Yesica & Luis Rios & Family
 Maria Rodriguez & Manuel Sepulveda & Family
 Aurelia & Humberto Torres & Family
 Maria Castañon & Francisco Vasquez & Family
 Imelda & Moises Velazquez & Family
 Ma. Carmen & Moises Villagomez & Family
 Silvia & Cesar Zavala & Family
 Leticia & Elpidio Zavala

Question for the Week

23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time – Year B

“When has God’s word in the Scriptures enabled you to speak out on an issue of importance?”

Labor Day Holiday

All offices are closed on Monday, September 7, for the Labor Day Holiday.



Reminder!

The regular Sunday Mass Schedule at Holy Angels Church resumes next Sunday, September 13.

Newly Baptized

August 29, 2015

Manuel Vazquez Salmeron, son of Cristina Salmeron Silva and Jonathan Vazquez.



NEWLY
BAPTIZED

Preview of This Week’s Readings

Monday: Colossians 1:24 – 2:3; Luke 6:6-11
Tuesday: Micah 5:1-4a or Romans 8:28-30; Matthew 1:1-16, 18-23
Wednesday: Colossians 3:1-11; Luke 4:38-44
Thursday: Colossians 3:12-17; Luke 6:27-38
Friday: I Timothy 1:1-2, 12-14; Luke 6:39-42
Saturday: I Timothy 1:15-17; Luke 6:43-49
Sunday: Isaiah 50:5-9a; James 2:14-18; Mark 8:27-35

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education Classes:

Religious Education Classes for 2015-2016 will begin September 27th (Sunday) or September 30th (Wednesday).

If you have not registered your child(ren), please do so as soon as possible. Registration forms are on the Parish web site and at the Parish Center. Or you may call the Religious Education Office (731-2209) and a form can be mailed to you.



Eternal rest grant unto him...

Please remember in your prayers Thomas M. Kearns. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John Church

September 6	8:00 AM	Shirle Orr
	10:00 AM	Jerome Gravatt
September 7	8:00 AM	Baldwin Schrift
September 8	8:00 AM	Sodality Members, Living & Deceased
September 9	8:00 AM	Sodality Members, Living & Deceased
September 10	8:00 AM	People of the Parish
September 11	8:00 AM	Pat DiAntonio
September 12	8:00 AM	Sodality Members, Living & Deceased
September 13	8:00 AM	Wilkinson-Tusio Family
	10:00 AM	Mary Brown

Holy Angels Church

September 5	5:00 PM	John Keefer
September 6	10:00 AM	Sodality Members, Living & Deceased
	12:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias
	7:30 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias
September 12	5:00 PM	Alice Seaberg
September 13	9:00 AM	Anthony V. Fidance Sr.
	11:00 AM	Helen & John Cheddar
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias
	7:30 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias



September 6 – 12, 2015

- Monday:** Labor Day Holiday – all offices closed
- Tuesday:** 6:00 PM Back To School Night – Fremont Hall
7:00 PM St. John-Holy Angels Athletics Meeting – Joan Muzzi Athletic Building
- Wednesday:** 9:00 AM Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality – Holy Angels Church Guardian Angels Room
7:00 PM Spanish R.C.I.A. – Parish Center Meeting Room 1
- Thursday:** 9:30 AM Eucharistic Bread Baking – Fremont Hall Kitchen
6:30 PM St. Vincent de Paul Society – Parish Center Meeting Room 2
7:00 PM Charismatic Prayer Group – Holy Angels Church Archangels Room
7:00 PM Hispanic Ministry “Growing in Faith” – Holy Angels Church Guardian Angels Room
- Friday:** 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM Eucharistic Adoration – St John Church
7:00 PM Spanish Prayer Group – Holy Angels Church Archangels Room
- Saturday:** 7:30 AM Men’s Bible Study – Parish Center Meeting Room 3



To spiritually prepare for our Holy Father’s arrival in the United States, Bishop Malooly has invited all parishes to hold a Holy Hour on Monday, September 21, the eve of Pope Francis’ visit, from 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM. We urge you to bring your family to unite in prayer as we ask God to bless Pope Francis, grant him a safe and fruitful pastoral visit and pray for the success of the World Meeting of Families and for our own families. St. John-Holy Angels Holy Hour will be held at Holy Angels Church.

Attention Parents of 3, 4, & 5 Year-Old Children!

Would you like your child to discover Jesus and his teachings in language he/she can understand? Would you like them to practice the “Our Father” and learn about the Mass with other children their age? We offer a Sunday Morning Religious Program just for 3, 4, & 5 year-olds.

The program begins on September 27th in Holy Angels School. You can drop your child off with Miss Lisa on your way to the 9:00 AM Mass and pick them up afterward. It is a great way to introduce your child to the Word of God and be able to share the readings from Mass as a family.

Please call Mary of Theresa in the Office of Religious Education (302-731-2209) to register, or find our registration forms online at www.stjohnholyangels.com.

Notice to all Students in Grades 4 – 12 and any ADULT

Our parish is very much in need of those who would be interested in the **MINISTRY OF ALTAR SERVER**.

There will be training for this ministry for TWO Saturdays in September:
 Sat., September 19 10:00 - 11:30 AM
 AND Sat., September 26 10:00 - 11:30 AM

Training is in Holy Angels Church. The training requires attendance at BOTH Saturdays. Please contact the Parish Office at (302) 731-2200 to leave your contact information or e-mail Father Jim Jackson at jjackson@holyangels.net. We are most grateful for all those who are presently altar servers for our liturgies in the parish.

Pilgrimage to Emmitsburg, MD

Tuesday, Sept. 29, 2015

St. John-Holy Angels One Day Pilgrimage, scheduled on the Feast of the Archangels, includes bus transportation, tour of the National Shrine of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, National Shrine Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes, and a lovely luncheon served nearby at The Carriage House Restaurant at 1:00 PM.

The bus will leave from Holy Family Parking Lot at 7:30 AM and return at approximately 7:00 PM. A light morning and afternoon snack, as well as water, will be provided. Cost is \$60 per person, non-refundable. Make checks payable to Mary Concavage by Monday, September 14. For more information, please call Mary Concavage (302) 368-3113, Mary Consiglio (302) 453-9613, or June Hansell (302) 366-0711.



SCHOOL NEWS

This summer, many capital improvement projects took place to enhance the property, along with needed upgrades to the building facility. We are grateful to the Home & School Association and various foundations that enabled us to complete the renovations.

We have also made strides with our technology upgrades and within the next few weeks, we will launch a new school website.

There are limited openings in the various grade levels (Pre/K3 – Grade 8). Please call the School Office, 731-2210, if you would like to tour the school.

Save the Dates:

Back to School Night – Tuesday, Sept. 8

6:00 PM Fremont Hall

Holy Angels School Auction – Harvest Hoedown

Saturday, Nov. 14 6:00 PM

School is collecting these items on a regular basis.

Please send in to the School Office. Thanks for your support!

Box Tops for Education
Campbell's Soup Labels
Printer Cartridges

Bulletin Advertiser of the Week

Please remember to patronize the advertisers on the back of our bulletin. This week's featured advertiser is:

Herman's Quality Meat Shoppe, Inc.

64 East Cleveland Avenue, Newark

(302) 731-5344

"Prime and choice meats cut to order"

"Unearthing Christmas" – A Young Adult Novel for All Ages

Book Signing Events:

Saturday, Sept. 12, 4:00 – 6:00 PM Benincasa Monastery Gallery & Gift Shop, 6 Church Road, New Castle (Holy Spirit Parish) Phone: (302) 689-6420 or (302) 654-1206

Tuesday, Sept. 15, 2:00 – 4:00 PM, Angel Crossing, 550 S. Colonial Avenue, Elsmere Phone: (302) 652-3232

Local author and St. John-Holy Angels Parishioner, Anthea Piscarik, will be available to sign her books for sale at these events, or books previously purchased. *"Unearthing Christmas"* takes place in 1955 and present day, becomes a meeting ground between the past and present and a fate-filled adventure to self-awareness, forgiveness and redemption. 10% of the author proceeds will benefit the Ministry of Caring, a local nonprofit that feeds, clothes and shelters the poor and homeless.



**Make Mary
More Meaningful
In Your Life!**

Please join us!

Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality

**First Meeting of this Fall
Weds., Sept. 9 9:00 AM
Holy Angels Church**

Our Purpose: ...Making Mary and her Son, Jesus, more a part of our life is our main purpose.

We strive to participate in the following:

- 1) Mass on the first Sunday of each month (Sept.- June) at 9:00 AM at Holy Angels. Also, Mass on our monthly meeting day at 8:00 AM at St. John.
- 2) Mass on the Feast Days and Special Days devoted to Mary; September 8, Mary's birthday, etc.
- 3) October & May Devotions
- 4) May Crowning of Mary

We also serve our parish family by helping out with several projects throughout the year.

Our Meetings: We meet the **second Wednesday of each month** (Sept. – June) after attending the 8:00 AM Mass at St. John. The meeting begins at **9:00 AM at Holy Angels Church in the Guardian Angels Conference Room.** We start with refreshments, and the meeting follows with a hymn to Mary, rosary recitation, Question of the Week, etc.

Our Symbol: ...the Miraculous Medal, given to each member and worn at all Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality meetings and activities.

Our Moderator: Father Jim Jackson

All women are invited to join us on September 9! Call Bernice Farabaugh, 731-5791, for more information.

National Day of Remembrance

For Aborted Children

Saturday, September 12

9:00 AM Cathedral Cemetery

The Delaware Right To Life and other Pro-Life Groups from the Diocese will gather at the grave of the unborn aborted babies that is located at Cathedral Cemetery, 2400 Lancaster Pike, Wilmington. Attendants will be on duty to direct you and assist with parking. The interdenominational prayer service will be conducted by Msgr. Joseph F. Rebman, Director of Catholic Cemeteries. If you are unable to join us, we ask that you pray for the victims of abortion and for an end to abortion on demand in this country.

4:00 PM Gate of Heaven Cemetery

Bishop Malooly will preside at the 13th annual Mass of Remembrance at Gate of Heaven Cemetery in Dagsboro, DE. The Mass begins at 4:00 PM, and fulfills your Sunday Mass obligation.

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, October 17, 2015



Father Fiore's 40th Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood

5:00 PM Mass

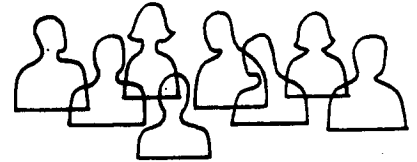
Open House Reception immediately following in Fremont Hall

All parishioners, friends and family invited

Details to follow

A REMINDER ABOUT PARISH MEETINGS:

Whole Community Catechesis-----What is it?



The Vatican II Council from the 1960's reiterated that the local parish should be the center for our continued growth in Faith. In an effort to allow as many parishioners as possible to embrace the Scriptures each week and make it their own, the parish's Christian Formation Committee is offering an easy opportunity to begin this process of Whole Community Catechesis (teaching/learning together as a parish).

Using both the praying community at weekend Mass and the different groupings and committee meetings of the parish throughout the week, we already have a sizable number of the parishioners available to share the good news of the Sunday Scripture readings. The process begins with the "Question of the Week".

This "Question" will usually be from the Gospel we heard in church on the weekend but it also could come from the other readings. It invites reflection on the message of Jesus and leads into daily life.

At weekend Masses this "Question" will be asked at the end of Liturgy by the Song Leader just before the final hymn is announced. You will also find it printed in the weekly bulletin and on our parish website. This gives an opportunity for everyone to reflect on the Scripture more deeply, individually, or talk about it on the way home or around the dinner table during the rest of the day.

During that week we ask **every** grouping that meets at the parish to begin their session by reading the Scripture, ask the "Question" and then offer the opportunity for those present to give their personal reflection as to what Jesus is saying to them. This should last about 10 minutes. The work of the meeting would begin after that and conclude by asking if anyone has any petitions to be remembered by the whole group in prayer. This time of petition ends with the praying of the Lord's Prayer together.

This simple process opens up the Scripture to adults and children alike whenever we gather for our parish activities.

In every conference and meeting room, there will be wall box containing the Scripture in English and Spanish and weekly "Questions" for the entire month. Chairpersons or group leaders should use this during the meeting and return it to the box for those who will follow at another time.

May the Lord bring us all to a personal and deeper understanding of His Word through our efforts in teaching, learning and deepening our faith in Him!

Oficina del Ministerio Hispano
Asistente: María del Pilar Carazo (302) 731-2436
Horario Oficina: Lunes- Cerrada
Martes, Miércoles y Jueves:
9:00 AM-12:00 Medio día
1:00 PM-4:00 PM
Viernes: 9:00 Am -2:00 PM

Lecturas del día

I lectura **Isaías 35:4-7^a**

Salmo Responsorial 145

“Alaba, alma mía, al Señor”.

II lectura **Santiago 2:1-5**

Evangelio Marcos 7: 31-37

Todos sabemos que en la medida que escuchamos crece nuestra capacidad para hablar y establecer comunicación.

Escuchar es fundamental, porque es el primer paso para luego articular las

palabras, hacerlas nuestras y transformadas, pronunciarlas. Usamos

solamente las palabras que hemos recibido. Hablamos de lo que

escuchamos; y este proceso de apropiarnos de la palabra nos humaniza.

Por lo mismo, es de pensar que la palabra de Dios nos hace más humanos.

Pronunciar la palabra de Dios no nos despersonaliza, nos reorienta a reorienta

a ser imagen y semejanza del creador, junto a la palabra va la sintonía.

Sintonizar, nos exige apertura mental y disposición a reunir en el corazón tanto la

información que la persona nos proporciona, como los modos, actitudes, e

intensidad con los que ella misma se brinda. Sintonizar con la palabra de Dios

nos lleva a ser testigos de Dios.

¿Escucho la palabra de Dios y la interiorizo para hacerla presente en mi vida diaria, con mi familia, en mi trabajo, o con las personas que trato a través del día?

Bautismos: Charlas, domingo después de misa. Padrinos deben ser casados por la iglesia., Pueden ser padrinos solteros que no estén conviviendo con otra persona. Debe de tener todos los sacramento., Todos traer biblias católica. No habrá cuidado de niños. Próxima charla: Septiembre 13, 2015.

Se extenderá una hasta la primera semana de septiembre la registración para el catecismo. Apresúrese porque los cupos son limitados.

En el mes de septiembre empezará la registración para la preparación de adultos que no tengan los sacramentos completos (bautismo, primera comunión, confirmación). RICA. Llamar o llegar a la oficina para registrarse).

Las parejas que desean casarse en nuestra parroquia, tenemos la preparación (pre-cana) una vez por mes a cargo del matrimonio Roberto y Georgina Hernández. Debe de tener una entrevista previa con el sacerdote. Próximas charlas: Septiembre 20-, Octubre 18-, Noviembre 22.

Para cualquier sacramento, presentaciones, quinceañeras, presentaciones, intenciones para misas de difuntos, registraciones de catecismo; llegar a la oficina en horario de oficina.

Gracias a todas las personas que colaboraron de diferentes maneras, como las que asistieron a nuestro “Festival Internacional de la Comida”.

Cada año trataremos de ir mejorando y creciendo con su valioso apoyo como comunidad parroquial.

Rev. Arturo Fiore (párroco).

Fr. Carlos Ochoa (coadjutor)

Fr. Jim Jackson (coadjutor)