

## 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. Carlos Ochoa** Associate Pastor  
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## Question for the Week

### Ascension Sunday – Year A

Have you shared the Good News of Jesus with someone in the past month?



Daily Mass will be live-streamed every morning at 9:00 AM on Facebook. Sunday Mass will also be live-streamed on Sundays at 10:00 AM (English) and 12:00 Noon (Spanish). Daily reflections and meditations are posted periodically. Go to <https://facebook.com/stjohnholyangels>.



### St. John Church

May 24 – 30  
Charlotte E. Reynolds  
Christine Dzionis  
Those Who Have Died In Military Service  
Patricia Lyons  
People of the Parish  
Ralph Pupo  
Thomas Concavage  
Francis David Ross

### Holy Angels Church

May 24 – 30  
Intenciones Comunitarias  
Regina Tyler  
Leonard A. Quinn

## Preview of This Week's Readings

<b>Monday:</b>	Acts 19:1-8;	John 16:29-33
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Acts 20:17-27;	John 17:1-11a
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Acts 20:28-38;	John 17:11b-19
<b>Thursday:</b>	Acts 22:30, 23:6-11;	John 17:20-26
<b>Friday:</b>	Acts 25:13b-21;	John 21:15-19
<b>Saturday:</b>	Acts 28:16-20, 30-31;	John 21:20-25
<b>Sunday:</b>	Acts 2:1-11; I Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13;	John 20:19-23

Please see our parish website,  
[www.stjohn-holyangels.com](http://www.stjohn-holyangels.com),  
for updates on resuming public Masses in our parish.

### Memorial Day Holiday

**Please note:** All Offices are closed on Monday, May 25, for the Memorial Day Holiday.



Holy Angels School is closed until further notice due to Covid-19 protocol. Teachers and staff members have been working diligently preparing distance learning sessions for all students along with work packet information. We are most grateful for the availability of online conferencing opportunities to keep us connected during these challenging times.

Our prayers go out to so many at this time for continued good health and safety.

We are accepting applications for the 2020-2021 school year. Please email [gtullier@holyangelsschool.org](mailto:gtullier@holyangelsschool.org) for more information.

Also check our website at [www.holyangelsschool.org](http://www.holyangelsschool.org) for updates.

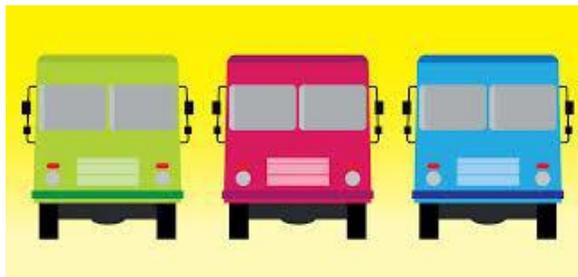
### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education 2020/2021 registration has begun. Registration forms are available on the Parish's webpage ([www.stjohn-holyangels.com](http://www.stjohn-holyangels.com)) and on the Parish Center front porch. These can be returned via US mail, email, or left in the box on the Parish Center front porch ([HARE@holyangels.net](mailto:HARE@holyangels.net)).

#### Communion & Confirmation Celebrations:

Confirmation and First Communions will not be celebrated in May or June 2020. When the guidelines for these gatherings has been determined by our Pastor, the Diocese, the Governor of Delaware and the CDC, the celebrations will be rescheduled. Families will be informed of this new schedule when it is available.

Parents, during this time away from the public celebration of Mass, use the opportunity to teach your children what a gift the Eucharist is, and what it means to miss it. Keep reviewing the 1<sup>st</sup> Communion lessons in the blue folder, practice how to receive communion, and pray together as a family.



### Food Trucks to the Rescue! One Truck At A Time

This Parish Fundraiser began about a month ago. A different food truck is scheduled on a rotating basis at Holy Angels Parking Lot. Food trucks include The Wandering Chef, Gotta Lotta Gelata, Crazy Rick's, I Don't Give A Fork, Mojo Loco, Scission, Natalie's Creations and La Mixteca Poblana. A weekly food truck schedule is provided on the St. John-Holy Angels Food Truck Festival Facebook page. Menus for each truck are posted the evening before. Click on the discussion link: [www.facebook.com/events/181273496309537/](https://www.facebook.com/events/181273496309537/).

The rules are simple:

1. Text the truck to order your take-out order, or order at the truck window.
2. Please stay in your car while you wait for your order.
3. Please maintain Delaware Social Distancing regulations.



### Food Trucks to the Rescue

#### One Food Truck at a Time

- One Food Truck, per scheduled day, will be located in the front parking lot – closest to Possum Park Road.
- Call the truck to order your take-out order or order at the truck window.
- Please stay in your car, while you wait for your order.
- Please maintain Delaware Social Distancing regulations, including wearing your face mask.
- We will post a weekly food truck schedule, along with provided menus on our [f](https://www.facebook.com/stjohnholyangels) St John-Holy Angels Food Truck Festival Facebook Discussion Page.
- THIS IS A COMMUNITY EVENT!

## WEEK OF 5/24/2020 FOOD TRUCK SCHEDULE

TUESDAY 5/26

THE WANDERING  
CHEF  
12 - 6 PM

[f](https://www.facebook.com/) THE WANDERING CHEF  
CATERING CART

THURSDAY 5/28

GOTTA LOTTA  
GELATA  
2 - 6 PM

[f](https://www.facebook.com/) GOTTA LOTTA GELATA

SATURDAY 5/30

CRAZY RICK'S  
FOOD TRUCK  
2 - 6 PM

[f](https://www.facebook.com/) CRAZY RICKS FOOD  
TRUCK

HOLY ANGELS CHURCH  
82 POSSUM PARK ROAD  
NEWARK, DE 19711

FB: ST JOHN HOLY ANGELS

Proceeds benefit the  
participating Food Trucks & St  
John-Holy Angels Parish

## Eternal rest grant unto them...

Please remember in your prayers Osvaldo A. Arcieri, Brian T. Carotenuto, Angel Zion Castillo, Mark D. Lemon and Frances H. Polland. May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace.



## 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal



*"No one has ever seen God. Yet, if we love one another, God remains in us, and His love is brought to perfection in us."  
1 John 4:14.*

The Annual Catholic Appeal, with its theme "Seeing Christ in the Faces of Others", continues throughout our Diocese. Funds raised through the Appeal bring hope, comfort, compassion and love into the lives of many people. Appeal-supported ministries touch thousands of individuals and families throughout Delaware and Maryland's Eastern Shore, providing essential service that knows no race, no age, no social class, but rather knows only those who come to the Church for help are special in the eyes of Our Lord. Now more than ever, these ministries are needed. Your support demonstrates your compassion and concern for God's people and your willingness to share your blessings with those in need.

During the week of June 1, you may receive a mailing from Bishop Malooly inviting your participation in the Annual Catholic Appeal. For those of you who have given to this year's Appeal, thank you for your generosity. For those who have not, please prayerfully consider supporting this important effort.

In the meantime, you are encouraged to learn more about the Appeal by visiting [www.cdw.org/annualcatholicappeal](http://www.cdw.org/annualcatholicappeal). Please watch the brief video offering moving and inspiring testimony from recipients of featured Appeal supported ministries. A direct link to the video can be found at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=80qz5V5aH8&t=2s>.

## Weekly Rosary

Join our [Knights of Columbus \(12104\)](#) in praying the Rosary on Tuesdays from 7:30 PM – 8:00 PM via Zoom. For more information on how you can participate, check out their webpage at [www.kofc12104.weebly.com/events.html](http://www.kofc12104.weebly.com/events.html) or email [kc12014@gmail.com](mailto:kc12014@gmail.com).



## Please be aware of a scam involving our Parish!

Some of you are receiving emails from scammers who claim to be our Pastor needing assistance. The scammer will try to get you to purchase gift cards or money orders and send the account information to the 'Pastor' (scammer). Please do NOT respond. This is a scam. If you have received this, or other scam emails or phone calls, please file a report with the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) at 1-877-FTC-HELP (1-877-382-4357) or TTY 1-866-653-4261. For more information visit: [ftc.gov/complaint](http://ftc.gov/complaint).

# Parish Giving

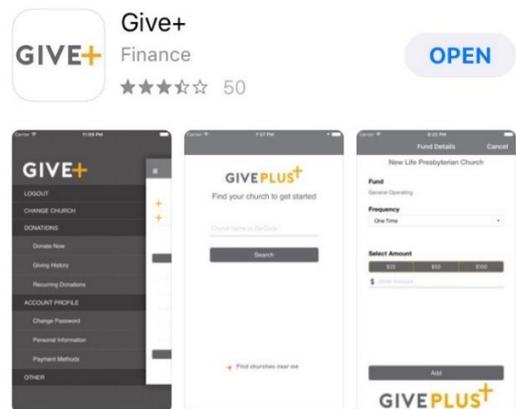
—SIGN UP FOR ELECTRONIC GIVING—

Our parish still needs your support, even though public Masses have been cancelled due to Coronavirus. Consider scheduling a recurring electronic contribution today. It's easy! You will no longer need to write out checks and prepare envelopes every week. Even when travel, illness or other circumstances prevent you from attending services, your electronic contributions will continue to be received on an uninterrupted basis. To sign-up for online contributions, go to the parish website homepage, [www.stjohn-holyangels.com](http://www.stjohn-holyangels.com), and click on the link to online giving.

## GIVEPLUS+

### Our New Church Giving App

Our online giving program now has a convenient mobile app you can use to send your gifts to our Parish. With GivePlus, you can quickly and easily give to your church using your smartphone. Enjoy the convenience of making credit or debit card donations as a guest user, or create an account to set up recurring donations and view your giving history. Either way, GivePlus offers a safe, secure way to make one-time or recurring contributions to your church. GivePlus is free to use and available for download at the App Store. If you have questions or would like to learn more, search our FAQs and check out our user guides below.



Go to the App Store or Google Play on your mobile device and search for "GivePlus" to download the app for free.

- Enter your church's name or ZIP code and click Search.
- Select your church and click Give Now
- Enter your donation amount and click Add.
- Scan or enter your credit/debit card or bank account information.
- Review and click Complete Donation

**Please note: If you wish to drop off your offertory envelope, there is a mail slot in the front door at the Parish Center.**

Para español comunicarse al (302)731 2436 o escribanos al correo [hministries@holyangels.net](mailto:hministries@holyangels.net)

## BOLENTÍN INFORMATIVO DE LA IGLESIA CATÓLICA DE SAN JUAN - SANTOS ÁNGELES

La Comunidad de Fe de la Parroquia San Juan - Santos Ángeles cree que el Espíritu Santo nos faculta para proclamar el Evangelio de Jesucristo y celebrar la presencia permanente de Dios entre nosotros.

Rev. Stanislao Esposito, Pastor

Rev. Carlos Ochoa, Pastor Asociado

Santa Misa en español los

domingos: 8:00 am, 1:00 pm, 7:30 pm

Sacramento de Reconciliación los domingos

antes y después de misa.

# EL SIGNIFICADO DEL LA ASCENSIÓN DE SEÑOR

El tiempo pascual tiene como acontecimiento central la resurrección del Señor. La resurrección significó la glorificación del cuerpo del Señor. Según los relatos bíblicos, Jesús, después de su resurrección, permaneció un tiempo con sus discípulos, a quienes se hizo visible, durante cuarenta días comió y bebió familiarmente con ellos, los instruyó sobre el Reino. "La última aparición de Jesús termina con la entrada definitiva, irreversible, de su humanidad en la gloria divina, simbolizada por la nube (...) y el cielo" (Catecismo de la Iglesia N.º 659). El Libro de los Hechos de los Apóstoles (Cf., Hech 1, 1-11) nos relata ese episodio: "Los discípulos lo vieron levantarse hasta que una nube se lo quitó de la vista" (Hech 1, 9). Obviamente, no debemos entender ese relato en sentido literal, sino teológico. "Subir al cielo" es un lenguaje metafórico utilizado para expresar la entrada definitiva en la gloria divina.

La ascensión es la prolongación del acontecimiento de la resurrección, la entrada definitiva de la humanidad de Jesús en la gloria de Dios. *San Agustín*, al comentar el hecho de la Ascensión, dice que Jesús bajó del cielo por su misericordia (en su encarnación); pero con su ascensión ya no subió solo, pues se llevó consigo a la humanidad. Cristo está a la diestra del Padre corporalmente. El deseo del hombre

de llegar hasta Dios se ve cumplido, y esperamos también nosotros estar algún día con Él, pues somos miembros de su cuerpo que es la Iglesia. La resurrección y la ascensión no son sólo el triunfo de Jesús, es el triunfo de la humanidad entera, la realización de las promesas de Dios.



Con la ascensión Jesús no se ha ido, sino que ha cambiado su modo de estar presente. Ya no lo podemos ver de un modo físico, como lo vieron sus discípulos en su vida terrenal; pero, Él sigue estando con nosotros. Jesús dice a sus discípulos: "Yo estoy con ustedes todos los días, hasta el fin del mundo" (Mt 28, 20).

Jesús, pues, está con nosotros, nunca se ha marchado; la ascensión no es la partida de Jesús.

Dice *San Agustín*, en uno de sus sermones: "Él ha sido elevado ya a lo más alto del cielo; sin embargo, continúa sufriendo en la tierra a través de las fatigas que experimentan sus miembros. Así lo atestiguó con aquella voz bajada del cielo: Saulo, Saulo, ¿Por qué me persigues? Y también: tuve hambre y no me disteis de comer" (Sermón 98, sobre la Ascensión del Señor, PLS 2, 494-495).

pero Jesús nos dice "Yo estoy con ustedes todos los días", es aquí en el mundo donde tenemos que descubrir la presencia de Jesús, es aquí donde tenemos que encontrarlo, porque Él no está lejos de los que lo buscan con sincero corazón; Él ni siquiera espera que lo busquemos, Él mismo nos sale al encuentro cada día. Lo que tenemos que hacer es no evadir ese encuentro con el Señor que nos sale al paso cada día: en el pobre, el necesitado, en todo hombre que sufre y que no es reconocido en su dignidad de persona.

Jesús les promete a sus discípulos la venida del Espíritu Santo para constituirlos en testigos del Señor, en enviados a testimoniar al mundo entero la salvación obrada por Jesús.

## CORAZONES HONESTOS PRODUCEN ACCIONES HONESTAS



La Iglesia San Juan – Santos Ángeles les da el más sincero agradecimiento por la donación y ayuda prestada a nuestro programa de entrega de despensas a los necesitados, y que sin su ayuda no hubiera sido posible. El aporte que tan generosamente ustedes donaron, permitió entregar despensas a cientos de familias. Nos complace con contar con personas con una generosidad tan grande que busca ayudar al más necesitado. Dios los bendiga y les de una vida prospera.

## MINISTERIO GUADALUPANO

### NEWARK, DE

Te invita a rezar el Rosario todos los días a las 6:00 p.m.

Los días lunes, miércoles, viernes se hace con audio.

Se utiliza la plataforma de Facebook live, en vivo. Para mayor información se pueden contactar con **la Señora Ana Carranza al (302) 757 0641**.