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## **April 22, 2018 – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter World Day of Prayer for Vocations**

### **Rectory Office**

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**Church: Food Closet Needs**

**Open on Friday from 9:30AM – 11:30AM**

Located across from Penn Mart Shopping Cntr.,  
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### **St. Vincent DePaul Society – Financial Needs**

302-322-1525

**Partnered School** – All Saints Catholic School –  
**www.ascsde.org**.

### **Parish Policy/Parroquia Depolitica**

**MARRIAGE ARRANGEMENTS:** Arrangements for Marriage must be made at least one year prior to the intended wedding per the policy of the Diocese of Wilmington. The Bride and Groom must have an interview with the parish priest before any date is set. Call the Rectory for an appointment.

**SACRAMENTO DEL MATRIMONIA:** Los arreglos para el Matrimonio deben hacerse por lo menos un año antes de la boda prevista de acuerdo con la política de la Diócesis de Wilmington. La novia y el novio deben tener una entrevista con el Diácono antes de preparar cualquier fecha. Llame a la Oficina de Liturgia para una cita o para obtener más información sobre el Sacramento del Matrimonio.

**Convalidation Preparation:** ¿Usted está casado, pero no en la Iglesia Católica? ¿Es su deseo de casarse en la Iglesia Católica? ¿Tienes tiempo para recibir la Eucaristía? Nuestra Señora de Fátima parroquia le está ofreciendo la oportunidad de hacer su deseo realidad. Si desea más información por favor llame a Deacono Soto. Toda la información se mantiene confidencial.

**Quince Años** Si usted está planeando una celebración años del membrillo, la formación comienza en el año 13 de su candidata. Por favor llame a la oficina de la liturgia para obtener información sobre cómo registrarse para la formación o programar su celebración.

### **BAPTISM**

Arrangements for the Sacrament of Baptism are to be made at the Rectory Office. The Baptismal Formation Program is required for all parents who wish to have their children baptized. You may download our brochure on the website at **www.olfnewcastle.com** link and hit the Parish Information link. Our English Baptism Class is held the first Sunday of the month and our English baptisms are held the second Sunday of the month.

**BAUTISMOS:** Los arreglos para el Sacramento del Bautismo son de hecho a través de la Oficina de Liturgia. Se requiere que el Programa de Formación de bautismo para todos los padres que desean que sus hijos sean bautizados. Nuestra clase de bautismo en español se celebra el primer sábado de cada mes de 5-7 PM. Bautismos en español se celebran el Sábado 2 de cada mes a la 1 PM.

### **VISITS TO THE SICK**

If you or someone you know is sick and would like a visit at home or in the hospital, please call our main office at 302-328-3431.

**First Fridays** of the month is held in the Chapel beginning **after 8:30AM with prayers and rosary.**  
**First Saturdays** of the month are held in the Chapel **after 8:30AM Mass with prayers and confession available.**

**Sodality** meets the first Wednesday of the month **after the 8:30AM Mass.**

# April 22, 2018 – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter



## **World Day of Prayer for Vocations**

*Holy and provident Father, You are the Lord of the vineyard and the harvest and You give each a just reward for their work. In Your design of love, You call men and women to work with You for the salvation of the world.*

*Send new workers into Your harvest. Christ Jesus, who on the shores of the Sea of Galilee called the Apostles and made them the foundation of the Church and bearers of Your Gospel, in our day, sustains Your people on its journey. Give courage to those whom You call to follow You in the priesthood and the consecrated life. Spirit of holiness; help young people to discover the beauty of the divine call. Help them to read the signs of the times, so as to be faithful interpreters of Your Gospel and bearers of salvation.*

## **2018 Annual Catholic Appeal: “Disciples of Christ, Witnesses of Faith.”**

In today’s gospel Jesus tells us, “I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.”

Everyone is welcome to the flock by Jesus. As followers of Christ, we too must act faithfully to reach out to others. As Christ committed His life to being the “one shepherd,” we too must commit ourselves to providing service to all.



Thank you to everyone who made a pledge to the diocesan Annual Catholic Appeal. If you have not participated, please consider doing so today. Your gift makes a real difference in the lives of thousands of individuals and families who reside within our 12-county diocese. Pledge envelopes are available at the exits of church and can be placed in the offertory basket. Thank you for your generosity and support.

## **Marriage Moments:**

“Love one another.” (John 13:35) You’re married. Of course you love your spouse. But Jesus keeps repeating this command to love. Perhaps it is because love is never finished.

Look for a new opportunity to show your love today. Surprise your beloved.

## **Parenting Pointers:**

Often our children teach us how to be responsible recyclers, take care of nature, etc. Brainstorm with your child ways that your family can take a step to care for creation. Do one of the ideas today.

Referring to Jesus, today’s responsorial psalm declares that “the stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.” Religious women and men take vows of poverty, chastity and obedience – values often rejected by the dominant culture. Their lives and ministry have been magnificently used by God in the building up of the Body of Christ. If you think so, call or write Father Norm Carroll, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations (302-573-3113; [vocations@cdow.org](mailto:vocations@cdow.org).)



The Good Shepherd provides an example of leadership that shows compassion, care and concern. There is an intimacy in the “knowing” that this shepherd has of his sheep. How different are the attributes shown here than the image of other leaders? Do we see compassion as a strength or weakness in today’s workplace, on the gym floor, or in the classroom? The goals of a shepherd focus on the sheep not the wool they will produce. Shepherds must tend and care for sheep daily without fail, for the wolves do not take a day off. What is an example of a leader who is like a good shepherd?

**All Saints Catholic School: Check out the upcoming activities from our partnered school.**

1. If you are a family or know of a family that is interested in affordable, high-quality, Catholic education, please schedule a tour or Shadow Day at *All Saints Catholic School*. We've introduced Tuition Transfer Grants for students transferring in from public, private, charter and home schools. Transferring students can receive up to \$1,500 over two years, \$1,000 the first year and \$500 the second year! Contact Mrs. Chantal Scott for more information, 302-995-2231 or [advancementdirector@ascscde.org](mailto:advancementdirector@ascscde.org)



2. The **6<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing, Auction & Dinner is Monday, April 30<sup>th</sup>**. If you're interested in golfing, attending our dinner/auction, or supporting through sponsorship or the donation of an auction item, please contact parent Lori Carpenter at [lori.carpenter@bankofamerica.com](mailto:lori.carpenter@bankofamerica.com) or visit [www.birdeasepro.com/ASCS](http://www.birdeasepro.com/ASCS).

3. You can purchase **Golf Ball Drop** raffle tickets by calling the school 302-995-2231 or by visiting [www.birdeasepro.com/ASCS](http://www.birdeasepro.com/ASCS). Each ticket is \$10, and the Drop will take place on April 24<sup>th</sup>!

**Pray for the sick of the parish:**

*Frances Grecco, Eugene Smallwood, Connie McElwee, Donald Yanick, Carmlelita Kutch, George Dzarnik, Cindy Johnstone, Leslie Hampton, Anna Brown, Matthew Gray, Richard Woerner, Joseph DiMartino, Donna and Bill Thomas, Rev. Robert Hoban, Hayden Godwin, Gerard Pelletier, Francis Pelletier, Pat Donohue, William Hoops, Tony NeCastro, Irene Suigne, Silva Lopez, Robert Evanousky, Mary Harrison, Meta Caserta, Scott Baker, Tyler Messinger, Ben Saffer, Joan Carilli, Joe Ellis, Len & Margaret Earl, Fred Hagerty, Helena Miller, Tommy Martone, Samuel Watts, Frank Yarrusso, Betsy Tong, Tony Arcaro, Anna McDonald, Christopher White, Maureen Monaghan, Darlene Bargelski, Donna Hagan, Dr. Marion Panyan, Kansas Collins, Frank Pecoraro, Mary Querey, Rosa Santos, Kay Jarman-McElwee, Gina Coburn, Helen Toto, Mary Allen VanAken, Angeline DiRienzo, Meghan Ward, Linda Murphy, Donna Cronk, John Haller, Elizabeth Keenan, Raul & Juanita Lopez.*



**The Paschal candle represents Christ, the Light of the World.**

The pure beeswax of which the candle is made represents the sinless Christ who was formed in the womb of His Mother. The wick signifies His humanity, the flame, His Divine Nature, both soul and body.

Five grains of incense inserted into the candle in the form of a cross recall the aromatic spices with which His Sacred Body was prepared for the tomb, and of the five wounds in His hands, feet, and side.

During the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday night the priest or deacon carries the candle in procession into the dark church. A new fire, symbolizing our eternal life in Christ, is kindled which lights the candle. The candle, representing Christ himself, is blessed by the priest who then inscribes in it a cross, the first letters and last of the Greek alphabet, (Alpha and Omega `the beginning and the end') and the current year, as he chants the prayer below; then affixes the five grains of incense.

The Easter candle is lighted each day during Mass throughout the Paschal season until Ascension Thursday. Let us remember the following people whose family made donations on their behalf for this purchase: **Raymond D. Frederique, Anna M. Paglia, Ramon Navarro, Nicholas Cantlin, Nichole Malizia, Carol & Ron Bailey, Gregory Kuchak and Agnes L. Stroz.**

**Today is Earth Day** and one of our responsibilities as people of faith is to care for the earth and all of God's creation. Let this care be the family's prayer throughout the week.



## **ANNOUNCED MASSES**

### **Monday, April 23 (St. George, St. Adalbert)**

6:30AM Communion Service

8:30AM Communion Service

### **Tuesday, April 24 (St. Fidelis)**

6:30AM James Williams

8:30AM Dominic Scatasti

### **Wednesday, April 25 (St. Mark)**

6:30AM Rosalie Pucylowski

8:30AM Agnes Stroz

### **Thursday, April 26**

6:30AM Anthony Barone

8:30AM Michael McNesby

### **Friday, April 27**

6:30AM Thomas Lawler

8:30AM Helen Paglia

### **Saturday, April 28**

**(St. Pter Chanel, St. Louis Grignon de Montfort)**

8:30AM Robert Myers (Annv.)  
(wife, Betty)

5:00PM M/M Andrew LeNoir (Fam)

7:00PM Spanish Intentions

### **Sunday, April 29**

8:00AM John Horwath

10:00AM Frances Martini  
(Husband, Joe)

Noon People of the Parish

## **WEEKLY EVENTS:**

### **Sunday, April 22**

PREP – 8:30AM – School

Youth Group – 1PM – Board Room

Sp Alcoholics Anonymous – 6:30PM – McD

### **Monday, April 23**

Sp Alco Anony – 6:30PM – McDonough

RCIC – 6:30PM – Conf Room #1

Sp Choir – 7:00PM – Chapel

### **Tuesday, April 24**

English AA – 7:00PM – McDonough

Sp Encuentro – 7:00PM – Conf Room #1

Parish Choir – 7:30PM - Church

### **Wednesday, April 25**

Spanish AA – 6:30PM – McDonough

PREP – 6:30PM – School

### **Thursday, April 26**

Cub Scouts – 6PM – Hall

Spanish Choir – 6PM – Chapel

Sp Marriage Prep – Conf Room #1

### **Friday, April 27**

Spanish Choir – 5:00PM – Chapel

### **Saturday, April 28**

First Eucharist – 10AM – Board Rm

Spanish Choir – 4PM – Board Room

Neo-catechumen – 8PM – Middle Room

### **Upcoming Events:**

Bingo – April 29<sup>th</sup>

### **Mother's Day Rose Sale**

Weekend of May 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>.

### **Anointing of the Sick Mass –**

May 16 @ 7PM in the church.



### **SANCTUARY CANDLES**

All four candles are in  
memory of Carl Scarpa  
(Family)

### **GREAT FAMILY FUN:** St. Helena's Carnival,

602 Phila Pike, Mon. April 30 -Sat. May

5. Dinners in the school hall start at

5PM. Midway begins

6PM. Admission: \$5/night,

\$15/week for ages 13 to

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### **Mother Teresa: In My Own Words**

Some parents feel great love and  
tenderness for their children.

I remember the instance of an

Indian mother who had twelve children.

The youngest of all was in terrible shape. I would  
have a hard time describing what the child looked  
like, emotionally or physically.

When I suggested taking the child to one of  
our homes, where we had many more in similar  
conditions, the mother started to sob. "Please,  
Mother Teresa, don't say that! This child is the  
greatest gift God has given my family. All our love  
is showered on her. If you take her away from us,  
our lives would have no more meaning."

*St. Teresa of Calcutta*

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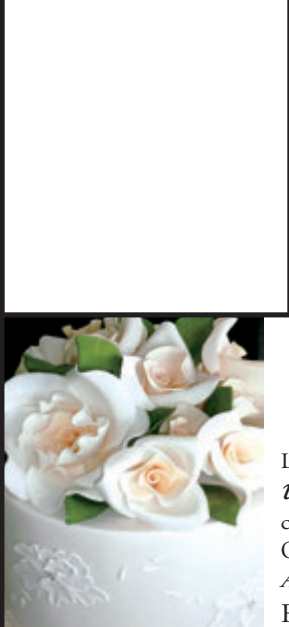
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