

# Corpus Christi Church

25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - September 24, 2017



## PASTOR

**Rev. Fr. Michael P. Darcy, K.H.S.**

## DEACON

**David M. DeGhetto- Permanent Deacon**

**Sean M. Sudler- Permanent Deacon**

Deborah A. Ciafre, Coordinator Religious Education

Susan M. Dunlap, Music Coordinator

Joseph B. Smith, Chairperson, Finance Council

## MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Wednesday – Friday 8:30AM

Saturday Vigil 4:00PM

Sunday 8:30AM & 10:3AM

Holyday 8:30AM & 7:00PM

## SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday - 3:00PM-3:45PM

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Blessed Sacrament Council

1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month - 7:30PM

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Registered parishioner parents, must attend the one-hour Baptism class, held in the church.

Pre-registration is required, please call the church office, or email in advance.

## PARISH OFFICE

Parish Office: 905 New Road 994-2922  
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[www.facebook.com/ccparishwilmington](http://www.facebook.com/ccparishwilmington)

Office of Religious Education 994-2922

[ccreligioused@comcast.net](mailto:ccreligioused@comcast.net)

PREP inclement weather contact: [WDEL.com](http://WDEL.com)

## ST. VINCENT de PAUL OUTREACH

Help Line for those living in the town of Elsmere

598-6599 Food Pantry: Monday evenings 6:15PM

## HOSPITAL VISITS

When admitted through the Emergency Room, the information does not come to the Parish. If you or a loved one are in the hospital and would like a visit please be sure to call the office.

## ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

907 New Road Wilmington, Delaware 19805

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# Mass Intentions for the Week

## Saturday, September 23

1 Tm 6:13-16/Lk 8:4-15  
4:00PM-*John Cannon*

## Sunday, September 24

Is 55:6-9/Phil 1:20c-24, 27a/Mt 20:1-16a  
8:30AM-*Pro Populo*  
10:30AM-*Robert M. Boyd*

## Monday, September 25

Ezr 1:1-6/Lk 8:16-18  
8:30AM-*Cara Carroccio*

## Wednesday, September 27

Ezr 9:5-9/Lk 9:1-6  
8:30AM-*Patricia DiCampli*  
(*Sch. Mass in Church*)

## Friday, September 29

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a/Jn 1:47-51  
8:30AM-*Jim & Tillie Fitzsimmons*

## Saturday, September 30

Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a/Lk 9:43b-45  
4:00PM-*Stella Parsons*

## Sunday, October 1

Ez 18:25-28/Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5/Mt 21:28-32  
8:30AM-*Pro Populo*  
10:30AM-*Janice "Dee" Degnars*

### SCHOOL MASS

Wednesday, Sept. 27 @ 8:30 a.m.  
Will be celebrated in Church

### MOVED MASS INTENTIONS

Thurs. Sept. 28-Jim & Tillie Fitzsimmons moved to Fri.  
Sept. 29 @ 8:30am.

Thurs. Oct. 5-Dolores Mulrooney moved to Fri. Oct. 6 @  
8:30am.

*If you requested one of the above stated Masses and the change is not acceptable or you would prefer a different date then please call or email the parish office.*

### OFFICE HOURS

TUESDAY & THURSDAY

9:00AM TO 3:00PM

### † The Sanctuary Lamp †



Parishioners may request a Sanctuary Lamp in the Church or in the Chapel to burn for 1 week in memory or in honor of a loved one. Intentions will be published in the weekly bulletin. Please contact the Parish Office to schedule a Votive Memorial.

## Religious Education

### CORPUS CHRISTI C.C.D.

**Tuesday, September 26**  
**Time: 6:20pm / School**

## PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

### **-Prayer Group**

Second and fourth Tuesday of the month  
-7:00-8:00PM in the Chapel.  
Any questions please call Marianne  
@ 998-0010 or 421-2984

### **-Rosary**

Weekdays, following morning Mass  
Saturday, before 4:00PM Mass

### **-Monthly Devotions**

First Friday—The Sacred Heart

### **-Confessions**

Saturday afternoon, 3:00-3:45PM

### **-Calix Society**

Wednesday 6:15PM Mass @ St. Matthew



*John Houghton*

*May his soul and the souls of all  
the faithful departed  
rest in peace.*

## HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

If you or a loved one cannot come to Church and would like to receive Holy Communion on a monthly basis, please contact the parish office to schedule an initial visit from Deacon David DeGhetto.  
302-994-2922



# “BINGO 2017”

## Sept. 17

## Oct. 15      Nov. 19

### Corpus Christi Hall

**1:00PM, doors open at 12:00 noon**

**COME JOIN THE FUN!!!!**

## FRIENDS OF THE POOR WALK SATURDAY, SEPT. 30 CONCORD MALL

Sponsored by the St. Patrick Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Enter via the back entrance behind the Mall to register at 8:30 a.m. The walk will take place inside the Concord Mall between 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Go to this link to register online: <https://www.fopwalk.org/event/2001>  
You may direct your donation to any St. Vincent de Paul Conference. Contact Andrea Starr for more information. (302) 740-0662.

## "WOMEN OF GRACE" Saint Matthew's and Corpus Christi Parishioners

**We invite you to join our Catholic  
foundational study for women.  
Our Women of Grace study group  
is now forming!**

**Monday, Sept. 25 @ 7:00PM  
St. Matthew's School  
Classroom #5**

The Women of Grace® Study Program leads women on an exciting journey to discover the gift of authentic femininity™, holiness of life, and woman's purpose and mission in the world today. Taking the Blessed Virgin Mary as their exemplar and spiritual mother participants grow in the feminine virtues and the secrets of true fulfillment. The Women of Grace® Foundational Study Series is presented using DVD lessons taught by Johnnette Benkovic, the book being studied, and its accompanying study guide. Monthly meetings begin Sept 25 and will be held on last Monday's at 7pm at St. Matthew's School, classroom #5. The proposed meeting dates/time calendar for 10 sessions meeting from 7-8:30pm on the last Monday of the month. For the First Meeting we would do a quick introduction- overview of the program and watch a 45 minute video- the first chapter of Johnnette S. Benkovic's book *Full of Grace and the Abundant Life*. After watching the first chapter you will know if you would like to continue with us for a monthly meeting through the Calendar year. We would take off the month of December and run through June. Please contact: *Liz Bowker @ 302-545-2326, [liz.bowker.womenofgrace@gmail.com](mailto:liz.bowker.womenofgrace@gmail.com) or Kathleen Salam @ 302-489-9370, [natekatelucy@comcast.net](mailto:natekatelucy@comcast.net)*

# *Shower of Roses*

*"I have given nothing but love to God and He will repay with love.  
After my death I will let fall a shower of roses."  
Saint Thérèse of Lisieux (April 1895)*



**Join us on Sunday – October 1, 2017  
as we travel by bus to the  
Carmelite Monastery of  
St. Theresa of the Child Jesus**

*Cost is \$30 per Person*  
*To make reservations call (302) 897-3022 or 998-1582*  
*Makes Checks Payable to Bernadette Tressler*  
*Mail to: 308 Southern Rd. Wilmington, DE 19804*

9:00am Meet Riverfront Shipyard Parking Lot A Behind  
Outfield Scoreboard Blue Rocks  
10:30am Arrival for 11am mass St. Joseph Church  
12:30pm Arrival at Carmelite Monastery for lunch  
3:00pm Shower of Roses Celebration—Benediction—  
Veneration of the Relic of St. Therese  
4:15pm Departure for Dinner at local restaurant (on your  
own) - Return time approx. 8pm

**HELLO EVERYONE**



Come have a night of fun!!!

Come to Corpus Christi Social Hall

October 7, 2017

for A Fall Harvest dance.

The Cost is \$30.00 per person Includes Soda, Beer, and Food which includes: Turkey & Gravy, Parsley Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad, dessert, coffee, and appetizers. Cash bar for mixed drinks, Jello Shooters, and wine.

Music by band "Helixx"

Call or see Sharon Burg 302-354-9219 for tickets.

Hope to see you there!!!

**RED MASS**  
**Monday, October 2**  
**at 6:00 p.m.**

**St. Joseph on the Brandywine Church.**

Bishop Malooly invites you to the 30th Annual Celebration of the Red Mass, and the homilist will be Fr. Robert Kennedy. The Red Mass is celebrated annually for judges, lawyers, law professors and students, and government officials. The Mass invokes the gifts of the Holy Spirit for those who seek justice and serve in its administration. Dinner follows in the church hall.

**RACHEL'S VINEYARD**  
**CATHOLIC RETREAT**

For post-abortion healing will be held at the Franciscan retreat house, Wilmington, DE October 6-8. The retreat weekend is a beautiful opportunity for any person who has struggled with the emotional or spiritual pain of abortion to heal. For more information contact Nan Freeman at 302-528-8313 or visit [rachelsvineyard.org](http://rachelsvineyard.org).



**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1 IS LIFE CHAIN SUNDAY,**

PLEASE JOIN US for an hour or more to be a voice for the voiceless innocent babies who need us to stand up for them.

FOUR Life Chain locations will be active in Delaware this year.

*Please note different times for each county.*

**New Castle County, Concord Pike across from Fairfax Shopping Center, 1 – 3 p.m.**

Contact: [prolifedelaware@gmail.com](mailto:prolifedelaware@gmail.com) or 302-494-3834.

## ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

*Thank you for your prayerful and temporal support of quality Catholic education for our children!*

**September 28** is Picture Day. Students are to wear their school uniform.

An afterschool "Computer Kids Club" will be held Thursdays for grades PK-5. There will be 3-eight week sessions (fall, winter, spring). The fall session begins Thur, Sept 21 and it will be held in our computer lab 3:15 to 4:30 p.m. The club teaches coding, graphic arts, creating Minecraft pictures etc. Please call 302-995-2231 for more information and cost.

Students and community members who are interested in boy or cub scouts, please contact Nick Henry 302-530-8276 or [nhenry@dmvc.org](mailto:nhenry@dmvc.org) for more information

Volunteers are needed for sports events. The volleyball team needs a few more members. Please contact Dennis Esterline for more information [dennisesterline@yahoo.com](mailto:dennisesterline@yahoo.com)

**September 29** is the first **All Saints Middle School Dance** from 7-10 p.m featuring DJ Dr. Chris Macgrath. \$10. All 6-8th grade students from other schools are invited as well. Permission slips are required and available on our website [www.ascsde.org](http://www.ascsde.org).

**October 2** - HSA Board Meeting 6 p.m. @ the school

Parishioners, please like our Facebook page.  
Our school has many wonderful community events.

Please stay up to date with our good news.  
Find us at [www.facebook.com/ASCSDDEL](http://www.facebook.com/ASCSDDEL)



## **HIGH SCHOOL**

**St. Elizabeth**—October 22 from 11:30 am to 2:30 pm.  
High School Placement Tests  
will be administered on Dec. 2nd at 8:30 am and then  
again on December 3rd at noon.

**St. Mark**—8th Grade HSPT Prep Course Saturday, October 14th and November 11th

Fall Open House —Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup> from 12:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Spartan for a Day for 8<sup>th</sup> Grade students, beginning October 3rd and offered, Tuesday – Friday. 8th Grade HSPT at Saint Mark's, offered December 2nd at 8:00 a.m. or December 3rd at 12:00 p.m.

**Ursuline Academy** —the Upper School will be hosting an Open House on Sunday, October 15. Please register for the open house at : [ursuline.org/admissions](http://ursuline.org/admissions).

## TWILIGHT RETREAT FOR PROFESSIONAL YOUNG WOMEN

The Sisters of St. Francis of Philadelphia are sponsoring an evening of prayer on Sunday, October 1, 2017, from 3 P.M. to 6:30 P.M. for young professional women (ages 18-35) to be held at Our Lady of Angels Convent, 609 S. Convent Road in Aston, Pennsylvania (near Neumann University). The theme is the life of St. Francis of Assisi and his spirituality. A light dinner will be provided. There is no fee for this event. Reservations need to be made by September 25 with Sr. Christopher Marie Wagner, OSF, at (610) 588-6789 or [cwagner@osfphila.org](mailto:cwagner@osfphila.org). Bring a friend and have a

## IHM SISTERS OKTOBERFEST

The annual IHM Oktoberfest will be held on Saturday, October 7 from 10 am - 3 pm on the grounds of Camilla Hall, located in Immaculata, PA. Join us for a fun-filled day of delicious food, crafts, children's games, white elephant flea market, and entertainment. Proceeds benefit Camilla Hall Nursing Home for the Sisters, Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary (IHM).



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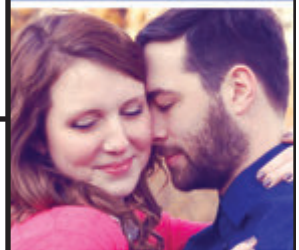
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