

June 10, 2018

10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

In the first eleven chapters of the Bible, the inspired author sets the scene for the whole story of salvation. On the first page our God is described creating our whole world and everything He creates is good. But where did evil come from? Not from a "god of evil" as some pagans said but from humans misusing the good things God gave us. In chapters 2 and 3 he gave us the story of Adam and Eve. [The Hebrew word Adam means "Man"] It is the story of our human race created in happiness (described as an oasis in the desert.) But he is tempted to be "like God"; he fails the test and sins. God punishes the human race driven out of paradise. The race descended from Adam comes into the world without the gift of God's life, inclined to evil. [The church's doctrine "Original Sin"]

Jesus Himself in today's Gospel shows He is very aware His Mission is to confront and defeat Satan "BEELZEBUB".

Thank You Father Kevin

All are invited!

Choir prelude in honor of Fr. Kevin

10:30 in the church

When: Sunday, 6/17/18

Luncheon

in the Dougherty hall immediately following
11:00 Mass

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, June 10

**2nd Collection: Father's Day Mass
Remembrance**

2nd Sunday Breakfast Buffett

Tuesday, June 12

7:00pm Finance Council Mtg-R

Thursday, June 7

5:30pm Bingo-Masci Hall

7:00pm Parish Council - R

2018 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

All Annual Catholic Appeal participants who pledge to the campaign will receive a monthly payment reminder mailed directly from the diocesan development office. Please mail all payments in the self-addressed, return envelope provided with your pledge reminder. **Do not submit payments to the parish office or through the Offertory collection.** Thank you!

BINGO

Every Thursday Evening

In Masci Hall

Doors open at 5:30pm

Games begin at 7:00pm

Cookie Jar, Door Prizes, Food!

The Offertory Collection for the weekend of 5/27 was \$5,289.00 and the on-line collection was \$1,412.50 for a total of \$6,701.50.

Thank you!

Immaculate Heart of Mary

Eucharistic Adoration

"I strongly recommend that each of us make a resolution, no matter how much the decision may cost us, to make a holy hour before the Blessed Sacrament once a week. (Fr. John Hardon)

You are invited to spend time with Our Lord at Immaculate Heart of Mary Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel. If you can commit to spending an hour with Our Lord, please call Kathy Dunworth, Chapel Coordinator, at 302-383-6452

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION
BENEFIT...

1st Annual "Lou's Crew" (Lou Calvarese)
Saturday, June 16, 2018 7 - 11 p.m.
St. Elizabeth's Grant Hall

1500 Cedar Street, Wilmington, DE 19805
\$35.00 pp includes Beer, Wine, Soda & Buffett
(\$40 @door if available)

FEATURING LOU'S FAVORITE BAND
"GOODY BLUE SHOES"

CHECKS MAY BY MAILED TO P.O. BOX
2324 WILMINGTON, DE 19899

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO SUSAN
SCHNEESE c/o American Heart Assoc.

TICKETS MAY BE PURCHASED THROUGH
THE APP "ZELLE" USING THE EMAIL
LOUSCREWBENEFIT@GMAIL.COM

Please Pray For Our Sick Parishioners

Anne Ambagis, Ruth Bower, Charles Brumbaugh, Joan Callaghan, Joseph Campanella, Jean Capodanno, Tony Cutrona, Patricia Darmanin, Jayne Davenport, Bob Davis, Julia Davis, Gerri Episcopo, Sara Garrison, Sarah Hess, Ella Kirksey, Shirley Kosek, James Lafferty, Sue McLaughlin, Edward Mebs, Gay Meriggi, Dan Moley, Dora Pacitti, Fr. Roy Pollard, Terri Reed, Dorothy Rich, Helen Rupnicki, Joseph Sacher, Kathleen Schaubert, Irma Shock, Caitlin Soper, Frank Sullivan, George Theiss, William Thomas, Catherine Thomson, James Whisker, Ann Wilson, Cindy Zych

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

Reach out and meet individuals from the parish and community who have many needs and would appreciate a kind and compassionate person to assist them in the Parish Outreach Office. Call Dorothy at 764-0325 Ext. 104.

The food closet is in need of coffee, bar soap, canned meats, Spaghetti O's, tuna fish and tea bags. Please no pasta, pasta sauce, cereal or snacks. **Thank You for your generosity**

Little Sisters of the Poor
Annual Charity Golf Outing

Thursday, June 28th

Deerfield Golf Club

507 Thompson Station Rd, Newark DE

The schedule for the day is:

10:30am- registration, bag drop, practice and lunch buffet,

12 (Noon) - shotgun start-scramble format, 4:45pm, putting contest

5pm -dinner buffet, cocktails and silent auction.

If interested, please contact Debbie Strengari at 302-368-5886

RETRouvaille PROGRAM

Retrouvaille (retro-VIE) can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. **Our next program is coming up at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA: August 17-19.** For more information, or to register for one of our weekends, visit our web site at: www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 1-800-470-2230. All inquiries are kept strictly confidential.

SAVE THE DATE

Birthright of Delaware will host a fundraiser at Texas Roadhouse located in **bear, Delaware from 12 pm to 4 pm on august 4, 2018!** Please bring your family and friends out for lunch/dinner! A percentage of all meals will be given as a contribution to birthright Inc.

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 9

9:00 am (SR) Louis Calvarese Jr.

5:00pm (SR) John O'Connor

Sunday, June 10

7:00 am (SR) The People of the Parish

9:00 am (SR) Frank Gazzillo

11:00 am (KN) Kenneth Smitheman

Monday, June 11

No 7:00 am Mass

9:00am (SR) Dorothy Ruhl

Tuesday, June 12

7:00am (DV) Msgr. Patrick Brady

9:00am (SR) Daniel T. Hughes, Sr.

Wednesday, June 13

No 7:00 am Mass

9:00am (WK)

Thursday, June 14

7:00am (SR) Samuel and Marie Emmi

9:00am (WK) Paul O. Knight

Friday, June 15

7:00am (Cap) Stephen Paytash

9:00am (SR) Stanley J. Russell, Sr.

Saturday, June 16

9:00 am (SR) Intention for the Ashe Family

5:00pm (SR) Thomas M. Nelson

Sunday, June 17 Father's Day

7:00 am (SR) Joseph Gazzillo (Living)

9:00 am (SR) Sharleen And Paul Alex
30th Wedding Anniversary

11:00 am (KN) Father's Day Novena

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Our Prayer Shawl Ministry will not be meeting during June, July or August, 2018. We will resume our usual schedule in September by meeting on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

If anyone needs information, would like to join us or would like instruction in knitting or crocheting, please call Dolly at 302-764-3465 or Carmela at 762-9057. Also, if you need materials, we provide it at no cost. Have a blessed summer.



MUSIC MINISTRY

Are you interested in piano or organ lessons? Our very own music director, Joe Loudon is offering limited slots for future students. Joe may be reached at 888-1743 or by email: jlouden@ursuline.org

SELLERS SENIOR CENTER

A Noon meal is available at Sellers Senior Center, located at 2800 Silverside Road, Wilmington, DE 19803, on the premises of the Silverside Church. Monday - Friday City Fare provides meals to seniors 60 years of age and older. The donation for the meal is based on income. The suggested cost is \$2.25; persons under 60 years of age are required to pay \$5.00 for their meal. Call the previous day by 10:30am for a guaranteed reservation. Menus for the month are provided. The number to call for reservations is 302-762-2050. Come enjoy a meal with us and meet new friends.

YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO BE A MEMBER OF SELLERS SENIORS CENTER TO COME TO OUR LUNCH PROGRAM

CAPE COD BUS EXCURSION

Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary St. Josephine Bakhita Court 383 is sponsoring a 5 day/4 night bus excursion to Cape Cod, September 10-14, 2018. Please consider vacationing with friends from the Diocese. It's an all-inclusive trip with a total cost of \$800. You can reserve your seat for \$200. Contact Deborah Robinson, 302-494-5709 or St. Joseph's Church, 302-658-4535 for more detail and to make your reservation.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Look what is coming....

Registrations for Religious Education Classes held on Monday nights will be mailed out at the end of July and will also be online to fill out at the first Parent/Child Meeting scheduled for Monday, September 10, 2018.

Vacation Bible School

Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus is this year's Community Vacation Bible School theme. Bible school will be held July 22-26 at Presbyterian Church of the Covenant from 5:15 PM- 8:30 PM. Many adults are needed to serve as station leaders, station helpers and crew leaders. Our own Ms. Hummy will be a counselor once again for this Bible School and encourages all of our children to take advantage of this wonderful experience.

June is Stock the Pantry Month for Catholic Charities

Participate in Catholic Charities semi-annual "Stock the Pantry" project throughout the month of June! Catholic Charities distributes approximately 10,000 pounds of food. You can support our most vulnerable neighbors by making a donation of non-perishable food items. Drop off canned meats, soups, fruits, and vegetables; boxes of pasta, cereal, baking mixes; jars of peanut butter and jelly; coffee, tea, powdered milk at any of the Catholic Charities locations. Catholic Charities will also accept gift cards to local grocery stores or cash donations. You can find the nearest Catholic Charities service center at www.cdow.org/charities.

11TH ANNUAL WOMEN'S WELLNESS WEEKEND

The Sisters of St. Joseph Development Office will host the 11th Annual Women's Wellness Weekend at St. Mary's by-the-Sea in beautiful Cape May Point, New Jersey on Sept. 7-9, 2018.

Included in the \$375 price, are meals, accommodations and the opportunity to participate in a variety of workshops. Email development@ssjphila.org or call 1-800-4826510 with any questions.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER



Don't you and your spouse deserve a beautiful, romantic weekend away together? The next Marriage Encounter weekend will be November 2-4, 2018 in Rehoboth Beach, DE. For more information, visit our website at www.wwme-delmar.org or to register for the weekend, please call Tony and Linda Massino at 302-220-9833. Don't Delay!

Office of Priestly and Religious Vocations

Paul, a persecutor of the early church, was a most unlikely candidate to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ. And yet he came to recognize that through God's grace he was called to make the Good News the singular purpose of his life. What has God called you to make the singular purpose of your life? If you want help in figuring out God's plan for your life, feel free to call or write Father Norm Carroll, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations (302-573-3113, vocations@cdow.org). Be sure to visit our website: www.cdow.org/vocations!

Marriage Moments and Parenting Pointers **By Susan Vogt**

Marriage Moments: Dare you share with your beloved a foolish thing you've done during your life? More importantly, share one way that you see your beloved as wise (other than marrying you).

Parenting Pointers: Family matters, but perhaps our definition of "family" is too small. Try to identify someone outside of your immediate family who did the will of God this past week. Tell them you noticed.