



**MOST REVEREND WILLIAM E. KOENIG, TENTH BISHOP OF WILMINGTON**

**Very Reverend Joseph W. McQuaide, IV, J.V., Rector–Pastor**

Reverend Christopher M. Markellos, *Parochial Vicar*

Deacon Anthony J. Gallo

*XV Sunday in Ordinary Time—VII Sunday after Pentecost*

*July 16, 2023*

**SCHEDULED MASSES**

**Saint Patrick**

Sunday: \*8 am, 9:30 am, \*11 am, 5 pm  
 Mondays & Wednesdays: \*5:30 pm  
 Tuesdays & Thursdays: 5:30 pm  
 First Fridays: 5 pm Adoration; \*6 pm  
 First Saturdays: \*9 am

**Cathedral of Saint Peter**

Sunday: 9:30 am  
 Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays: 12:10pm  
 Saturday: 4 pm  
 \* Mass offered in Latin

**Saint Mary**

Sunday: 8 am  
 First Saturdays: 11 am

*Please invite your family and friends to join you at Sunday Mass.*

**CONFESSION SCHEDULE**

**Saint Patrick**

Monday–Thursday  
 4:30–5:15 pm

**Cathedral of Saint Peter**

Monday, Wednesday & Friday  
 11:30 am–12 noon

**OTHER SACRAMENTS**

Please contact one of the priests through the parish offices to arrange for the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Anointing, or Marriage.

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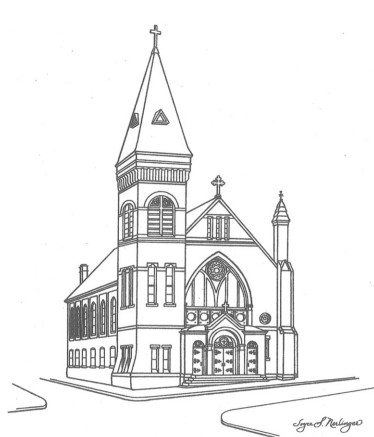
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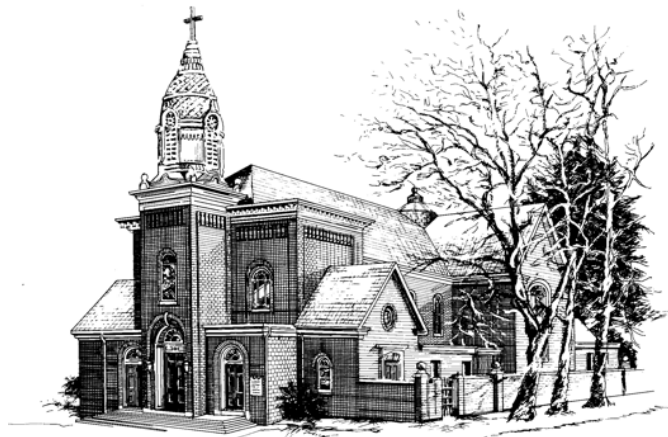
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**Saint Patrick**

*15th and King Streets  
 founded 1880*



**Cathedral of Saint Peter**

*6th and West Streets  
 founded 1816*



**Saint Mary  
of the Immaculate Conception**

*6th and Pine Streets  
 founded 1858*

## *Mass Intentions for the Week*

<i>Date</i>	<i>Celebrant</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Church</i>	<i>Mass Intention</i>
<b>July 15</b>	Fr. Markellos	4 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Tina Holmes & Carole Corcoran
<b>July 16</b>	Fr. Markellos	8 am	St. Mary	David Windsor †
	Fr. McQuaide	*8 am	St. Patrick	Dorothy & Al Fischer
	Fr. Markellos	9:30 am	Cathedral of St. Peter	The Brake Family
	Fr. McQuaide	9:30 am	St. Patrick	Carol Langsfeld †
	Fr. McQuaide	*11 am	St. Patrick	Patricia Shumaker †
	Fr. Markellos	5 pm	St. Patrick	Gemma Tribbitt †
<b>July 17</b>	Fr. Markellos	12:10 pm	Cathedral	Hornsby Family
	Fr. McQuaide	*5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Hannah & Andrew Gladu
<b>July 18</b>	Fr. McQuaide	5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Holy Souls in Purgatory †
<b>July 19</b>	Fr. McQuaide	12:10 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Bernice Heron †
	Fr. Markellos	*5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Holy Souls in Purgatory †
<b>July 20</b>	Fr. Markellos	5:30 pm	St. Patrick	May Stubblebine †
<b>July 21</b>	Fr. Markellos	12:10 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	William Marra †
<b>July 22</b>	Fr. Markellos	4 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	<i>Pro Populo</i>
<b>July 23</b>	Fr. McQuaide	8 am	St. Mary	Thomas Gil
	Fr. Markellos	*8 am	St. Patrick	Sophy Family †
	Fr. McQuaide	9:30 am	Cathedral of St. Peter	James Brake
	Fr. Markellos	9:30 am	St. Patrick	Dolores Weaver †
	Fr. Markellos	*11 am	St. Patrick	Patricia Shumaker †
	Fr. McQuaide	5 pm	St. Patrick	Robert Stith †

\*indicates Mass is offered in Latin  
 † indicates a person who is deceased

*There is no better way to experience God  
 than to find Him in the Mass.*

—Saint John Marie Vianney

### *Sacrificial Giving*

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- ST PATRICK (44)
- ST PETERS CATHEDRAL (1)



#### **Cathedral of Saint Peter WEEKLY OFFERTORY**

	<i>Received</i>	<i>Budgeted/ Needed</i>	<i>Difference</i>
July 8/9	\$2,859	\$2,264	\$595
YTD	\$4,918	\$4,528	\$390

#### **Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception**

	<i>Received</i>	<i>Budgeted/ Needed</i>	<i>Difference</i>
July 8/9	\$392	\$717	(\$325)
YTD	\$822	\$1,434	(\$612)

#### **Saint Patrick**

	<i>Received</i>	<i>Budgeted/ Needed</i>	<i>Difference</i>
July 8/9	\$2,366	\$4,340	(\$1,974)
YTD	\$6,003	\$8,679	(\$2,676)

July 22<sup>nd</sup> is the feast of *St. Mary Magdalene*

Mary Magdalene's love was praised by Jesus Himself who said that because much was forgiven her, she loved much. Where she is buried, no one knows. Legend has her dying in Provence, France, in a cavern where she spent her last days, and her body resting in the chapel of St. Maximin in the Maritime Alps. Another has her buried in Ephesus where she went with St. John after the Resurrection. This latter view is more likely.

*From Dictionary of the Bible by Scott Hahn:*

Tradition often identifies Mary Magdalene either with the sinful woman who anointed Christ's feet in Luke 7:36-50 or with Mary of Bethany, the sister of Lazarus and Martha mentioned in Luke 10:38-42 and John 11-12. By the sixth century A.D., figures such as Gregory the Great had begun to advance the notion that these two women mentioned in Scripture were one and the same person: Mary Magdalene, who hailed from Bethany and who had become a disciple of Jesus after leading a notoriously sinful life. This tradition explains why Mary Magdalene was revered for centuries as the "model penitent." It is not impossible that Mary Magdalene could be identified with either one or both of these two women, but decisive evidence is lacking and so it must remain uncertain.

*Summer Book Group with Fr. Markellos*

**The Biblical Basis for Purgatory** Dr. John Salza  
 July 12 (Pages 1-94) & July 19 (Pages 95-221)  
 6:30 pm — Saint Patrick's Hall  
[DowntownCatholic.com/RSVP](http://DowntownCatholic.com/RSVP)



*Summer Movie Series*

**Next Showing: Friday, July 21**  
**Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back**  
 Lot opens at 7:30—movie shows at dusk  
 Popcorn & Snacks Provided  
 Bring lawn chairs & inflatables for seating

*Pray for the Sick of our Churches*

Ed Baldwin, Michael Dineen, Pat Dougherty, Cal Fuhrmann, Al Hafner, Kathryn Jones, Jean Manlove, Maggie Menton, Bill & Phyllis Muzzi, Carol Scofield, Norma Sudler, Mary Ellen Sullivan

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*Lectors for Next Weekend*

Cathedral, 4 pm	Sheila Dunne
St. Mary, 8 am	Susan Naughton
Cathedral, 9 <sup>30</sup> am	Bill Kirk
St. Patrick, 9 <sup>30</sup> am	Stephanie Thomas
St. Patrick, 5 pm	Paul Suarez

**16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary time—July 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>**  
 Wisdom 12:13, 16-19; Romans 8:26-27; Matthew 13:24-43



Listen to *Catholic Forum* each week. Next Saturday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>, learn about Father Vincent Capodanno, a Navy chaplain who was killed during the Vietnam War, and how the Air Mobility Command Museum at Dover Air Force Base plan to honor him. *Catholic Forum* airs on Saturday afternoons at 1:30 on Relevant Radio 640. You can listen online anytime at [cdow.org/CatholicForum](http://cdow.org/CatholicForum), or by searching "Catholic Forum" on Apple, Spotify, iHeartRadio, or Amazon Music podcasts. @CatholicForum "Like" Catholic Forum on Facebook at [facebook.com/CatholicForum](http://facebook.com/CatholicForum)

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