



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

VI Sunday in Ordinary Time/VI Sunday after Epiphany

January 29, 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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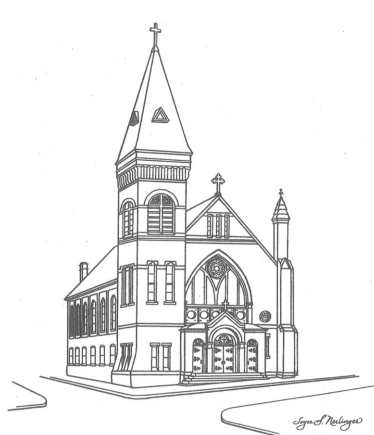
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Saint Patrick

*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>
Jan. 28	Fr. McQuaide	4 pm	Cathedral of Saint Peter	Theresa Moore
Jan. 29	Fr. Markellos	8 am	St. Mary	Catherine Manlove Pugliese
	Fr. McQuaide	*8 am	St. Patrick	Michael Althouse
	Fr. Markellos	9:30 am	Cathedral of Saint Peter	Rachel Owens
	Fr. McQuaide	9:30 am	St. Patrick	Kiera Smale
	Fr. McQuaide	*11 am	St. Patrick	Irene Dougherty
	Fr. Markellos	5 pm	St. Patrick	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Jan. 30	Fr. Markellos	12:10 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Dolores Koczorowski
	Fr. McQuaide	*5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Irene Dougherty
Jan. 31	Fr. McQuaide	5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Elsie V. Brown
Feb. 1	Fr. McQuaide	12:10 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Angelina Lewis
	Fr. Markellos	*5:30 pm	St. Patrick	James Russell
Feb. 2	Fr. Markellos	5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Reverend James Trainor
	Fr. McQuaide	* 7 pm	St. Patrick	John Lyon
Feb. 3	Fr. Markellos	12:10 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Mary Skelly
	Fr. Markellos	*6 pm	St. Patrick	Robert Shumaker
Feb. 4	Fr. McQuaide	* 9 am	St. Patrick	Frances Conte
	Fr. Markellos	11 am	St. Mary	Catherine Manlove Pugliese
	Fr. Markellos	4 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Herbert & Mary Blackwelder
Feb. 5	Fr. McQuaide	8 am	St. Mary	Lester & Gladys Buxton
	Fr. Markellos	*8 am	St. Patrick	Donald L. Miller
	Fr. McQuaide	9:30 am	Cathedral of Saint Peter	Caroline & Eleanor DeAscancis
	Fr. Markellos	9:30 am	St. Patrick	<i>Pro Populo</i>
	Fr. McQuaide	*11 am	St. Patrick	Robert Shumaker, Sr.
	Fr. Markellos	5 pm	St. Patrick	Michael & Delia O'Brien

*indicates Mass is offered in the extraordinary form (Latin)

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

—Saint John Marie Vianney

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- ST MARY-WILMINGTON (34)
- ST PATRICK (44)
- ST PETERS CATHEDRAL (1)



Cathedral of Saint Peter WEEKLY OFFERTORY

	<i>Received</i>	<i>Budgeted/ Needed</i>	<i>Difference</i>
Jan 21-22	\$818	\$2,115	(\$1,297)
YTD	\$67,448	\$63,462	\$3,986

Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception

	<i>Received</i>	<i>Budgeted/ Needed</i>	<i>Difference</i>
Jan 21-22	\$174	\$673	(\$499)
YTD	\$19,567	\$20,192	(\$625)

Saint Patrick

	<i>Received</i>	<i>Budgeted/ Needed</i>	<i>Difference</i>
Jan 21-22	\$2,283	\$3,442	(\$1,159)
YTD	\$144,653	\$103,269	\$41,383

Friday, February 3rd is the feast of
Saint Blaise, Bishop and Martyr

Blaise was a physician and Bishop of Sebaste, Armenia. Agricola, governor of Cappadocia, came to Sebaste to persecute Christians. Discovered in prayer, Blaise was arrested, and Agricola tried to get him to recant his faith. While in prison, Blaise ministered to and healed fellow prisoners, including saving a child who was choking on a fish bone; this led to the blessing of throats on the saint's feast day.

Thrown into a lake to drown, Blaise stood on the surface and invited his persecutors to walk out and prove the power of their gods; they drowned. When he returned to land, he was martyred by being beaten, his flesh torn with wool combs (which led to his association with and patronage of those involved in the wool trade), and then beheading.

Blaise has been extremely popular for centuries in both the Eastern and Western Churches and many cures were attributed to him, notably that of a child who was suffocating through a fish bone being caught in his throat. He is one of the Fourteen Holy Helpers. He is invoked for all throat afflictions, and on his feast two candles are blessed with a prayer that God will free from all such afflictions and every ill all those who receive this blessing.

—Excerpted from The Church's Year of Grace, Pius Parsch

The blessing of throats will be offered after both the Cathedral's 12:10 pm and Saint Patrick's 6 pm Masses on Friday, February 3rd in honor of Saint Blaise.

No Daily Masses: February 6–10

Every other year, the priests of the diocese go away together for a series of meetings with the Bishop for continuing formation. As all the priests are away at the same time this year, it is very difficult to find other priests to cover our Masses. So, Fathers McQuaide and Markellos will take the intentions with them from Monday, February 6th to Friday the 10th. Please pray for our priests, as they pray for you! Our schedule will return to normal Saturday, February 11th.

Pray for the Sick of our Churches

Sonya Brake, Eileen Cutrona, Michael Dineen, Pat Dougherty, Claudette Dunford, Cal Fuhrmann, Al Hafner, Kathryn Jones, Rev. John McVoy, Maggie Menton, Bill & Phyllis Muzzi, Pat Myers, John Pollera, Michelle Shelin, Patricia Shumaker

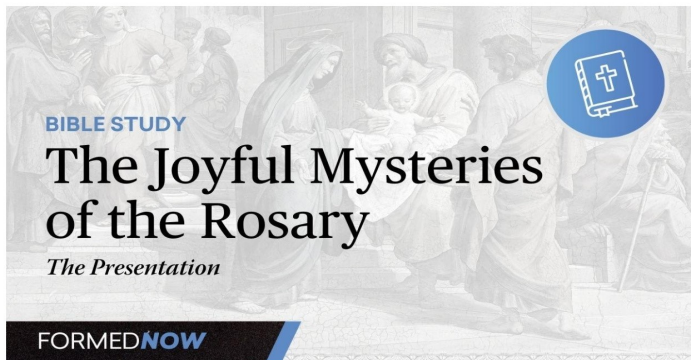
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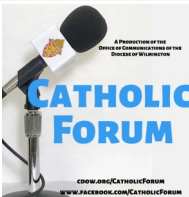


An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE and GRACIAS PRESS

Lectors for Next Weekend

St. Mary, 11 am	Sue Naughton
Cathedral, 4 pm	Kathy Blackwelder
St. Mary, 8 am	Mary Jane Lisansky
Cathedral, 9 ³⁰ am	Val Dobson
St. Patrick, 9 ³⁰ am	Stephanie Thomas
St. Patrick, 5 pm	Paul Suarez

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time— February 4th & 5th
 Isaiah 58: 7-10; 1 Corinthians 2:1-5; Matthew 5:13-16



Listen to *Catholic Forum* each week. Next Saturday, February 4th, tune-in to learn about the new book, "How I Became a Man: A Life with Communists, Atheists, and Other Nice People," by Father Alexander Krylov. *Catholic Forum* airs on Saturday afternoons at 1:30 on Relevant Radio 640. You can listen online anytime at 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

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