



**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*

Deacons Anthony J. Gallo & Roberto Ortiz

*Second Sunday of Lent*

*February 25, 2024*

**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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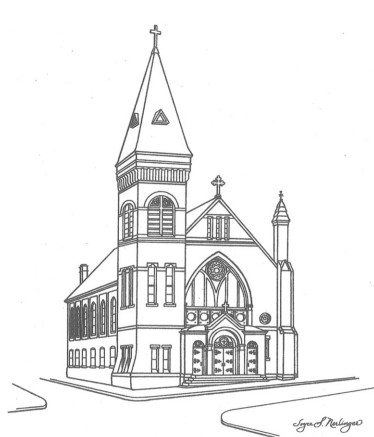
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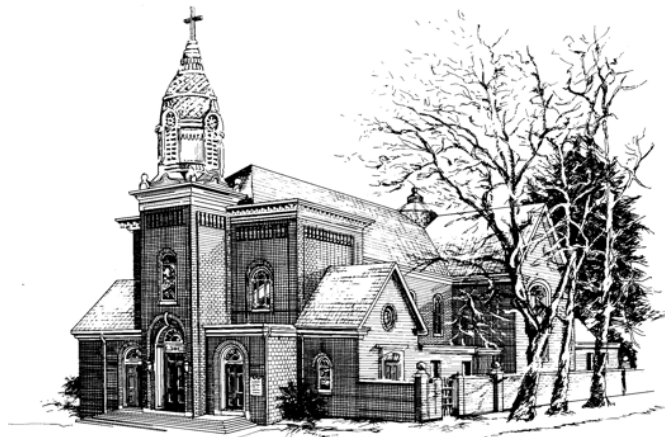
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**Saint Patrick**

*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

Date	Celebrant	Time	Church	Intention
Feb. 24	Fr. Markellos	4 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Frances Licki †
Feb. 25	Fr. McQuaide	8 am	St. Mary	Tom Gill
	Fr. Markellos	*8 am	St. Patrick	Paul & Mary Jane Bockrath †
	Fr. McQuaide	9:30 am	Cathedral of St. Peter	Becky Yerak
	Fr. Markellos	9:30 am	St. Patrick	Tusi Family
	Fr. Markellos	*11 am	St. Patrick	Karl Wagner †
	Fr. McQuaide	5 pm	St. Patrick	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Feb. 26	Fr. McQuaide	12:10 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Julie Wilson †
	Fr. McQuaide	*5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Hannah & Andrew Gladu
Feb. 27	Fr. McQuaide	5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Holy Souls in Purgatory †
Feb. 28	Fr. McQuaide	12:10 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Charles & Elizabeth McKinney †
	Fr. McQuaide	*5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Agnel Coutinho †
Feb. 29	Fr. McQuaide	5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Maryangelina Campanella †
Mar. 1	Fr. McQuaide	12:10 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Judith Coombs-Convery †
	Fr. McQuaide	* 6 pm	St. Patrick	Robert Shumaker, Jr. †
Mar. 2	Fr. McQuaide	*8 am	St. Patrick	Isabella & Jacob Wagner
	Fr. McQuaide	11 am	St. Mary	Mary Rose Fay
Mar. 3	Fr. McQuaide	4 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Elsie V. Brown †
	Fr. McQuaide	8 am	St. Mary	Michael Richards †
	Fr. Markellos	*8 am	St. Patrick	Christa Scalise
	Fr. McQuaide	9:30 am	Cathedral of St. Peter	Michael & Joann Vincze
	Fr. Markellos	9:30 am	St. Patrick	Sabatino & Pasqua Pettinaro †
	Fr. Markellos	*11 am	St. Patrick	Robert & Patricia Shumaker †
	Fr. McQuaide	5 pm	St. Patrick	<i>Pro Populo</i>

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

## Pray for the Sick of our Churches

Sabina Abbadessa, Daniel Bargelski, Darius Burton, Michael Dineen, Dorothy Furry, Al Hafner, Kathryn Jones, Jean Manlove, Bill & Phyllis Muzzi, Linda Prince, Robert Raque, Elvera Sarnecky, Carol Schofield, Norma Sudler, JoAnn & Mike Vincze

## Sacrificial Giving

**Online Giving available.** Besides giving your offering at Mass or mailing in or dropping off your offertory envelopes, you can now contribute electronically, simply visit [www.cdown.org](http://www.cdown.org) and click on the church logo "Support Your Parish Through Electronic Giving" and complete the form. Be sure to indicate our parish:

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



### Cathedral of Saint Peter WEEKLY OFFERTORY

	Received	Budgeted/ Needed	Difference
Feb. 17/18	\$706	\$2,264	(\$1,558)
YTD	\$100,635	\$76,981	\$23,654

### Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception

	Received	Budgeted/ Needed	Difference
Feb. 17/18	\$486	\$731	(\$245)
YTD	\$20,926	\$24,377	(\$3,451)

### Saint Patrick

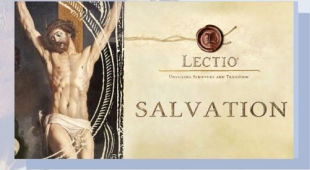
	Received	Budgeted/ Needed	Difference
Feb. 17/18	\$12,487	\$4,340	\$8,147
YTD	\$171,246	\$147,547	\$23,699

## Week 2 Wednesday, February 28

# Not Just Fire Insurance

“Salvation as self-help” is only the first of many common misunderstandings that can become pitfalls in the way we understand and live our faith. This week, Dr. Barber addresses the common misconception that salvation is like “fire insurance”: that it’s all about saving people from the fires of Hell.

Join us at 1 pm in the Cathedral Chapel or at 6:30 pm in Saint Patrick’s Hall.



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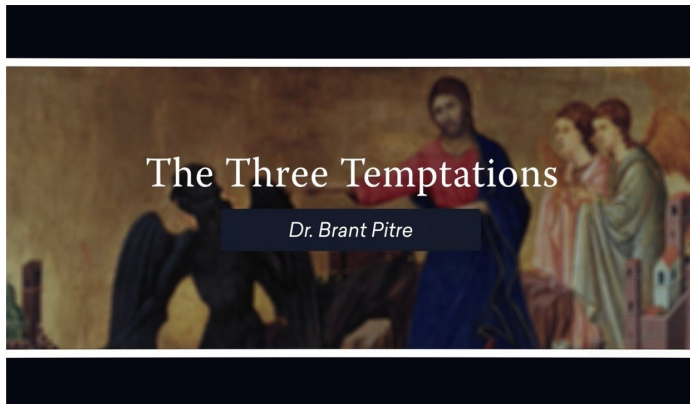
### Lenten Regulations

- The **Fridays of Lent** are days of **abstinence** from meat for those 14 or older.
- Ash Wednesday** and **Good Friday** are also days of fasting for those 18 to 59. Fasting is having only one full meal to maintain one’s strength. Two smaller meals are permitted according to one’s needs, but they should not together equal the one full meal. Eating between meals is forbidden.
- These can be observed as a spiritual discipline by those who are not required by law to do so and throughout Lent.

### Stations of the Cross

- The Stations of the Cross will be prayed each Friday of Lent
- at the Cathedral of Saint Peter after 12:10 pm Mass
  - at Saint Patrick at 7 pm, followed by Benediction
- Also, please join us for our next **Soup & Salad Supper** on Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup> from 6–7 pm in Saint Patrick church hall.
- The recorded Stations of the Cross, from Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception, is available on the Downtown Catholic YouTube channel and will be featured at [www.downtowncatholic.com](http://www.downtowncatholic.com) during this holy season.

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### The Three Temptations with Dr. Brant Pitre

Reflect with Dr. Brant Pitre on the temptations of Jesus in the desert as he gets to the heart of the meaning of Lent.

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### Lectors for Next Weekend

St. Mary, 11 am	Sean Reilly
Cathedral, 4 pm	Kathy Blackwelder
St. Mary, 8 am	Mary Jane Lisansky
Cathedral, 9 <sup>30</sup> am	Christa Klein
St. Patrick, 9 <sup>30</sup> am	Stephanie Thomas
St. Patrick, 5 pm	Sheila Dunne

### 3rd Sunday of Lent—Mar. 2<sup>nd</sup> & Mar. 3<sup>rd</sup>

Exodus 20:1-17; 1 Corinthians 1:22-25; John 2:13-25

\*9:30 AM CSP Exodus 17:3-7; Romans 5:1-2, 5-8; John 4:5-42



Listen to *Catholic Forum* each week. Next Saturday, March 2nd, tune-in to hear an interview with baseball player/priest, Father Burke Masters, author of the book: “A Grand Slam for God.” *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. You can see videos of most interviews at [YouTube.com/DioceseofWilm](http://YouTube.com/DioceseofWilm). For photos, information regarding upcoming guests, links and more, “Like” Catholic Forum on Facebook at [@CatholicForum](http://facebook.com/CatholicForum).