



MOST REVEREND WILLIAM E. KOENIG, TENTH BISHOP OF WILMINGTON
Very Reverend Joseph W. McQuaide, IV, Rector-Pastor
 Deacon Anthony J. Gallo & Deacon Roberto Ortiz

III Sunday in Ordinary Time—III Sunday after Epiphany

January 25, 2026

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

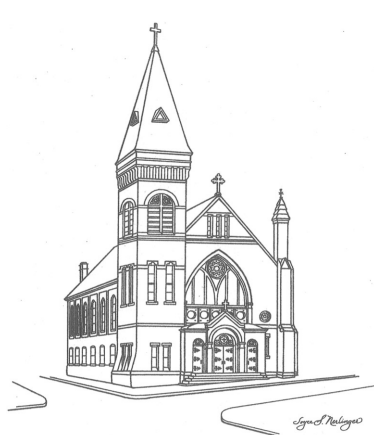
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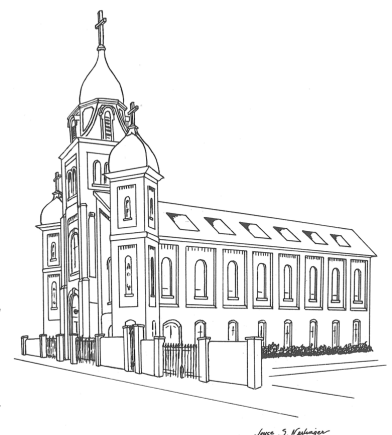
Saint Patrick

*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>Intention</i>
Jan. 24	Fr. McQuaide	4 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Herbert Blackwelder, Sr. †
Jan. 25	Fr. Remo	8 am	St. Mary	Jane Buxton
	Fr. McQuaide	*8 am	St. Patrick	Susan Reichardt †
	Fr. McQuaide	9:30 am	Cathedral of St. Peter	Holy Souls in Purgatory †
	Fr. Remo	9:30 am	St. Patrick	<i>Pro Populo</i>
	Fr. McQuaide	*11 am	St. Patrick	Vincent & Patricia Carroll †
	Fr. Dillingham	5 pm	St. Patrick	Karl Rhein
Jan. 26	Fr. McQuaide	12:10 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Kathy Lawson
	Fr. McQuaide	*5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Jerome Zehringer †
Jan. 27	Fr. McQuaide	5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Rev. James Trainor †
Jan. 28	Fr. McQuaide	12:10 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Holy Souls in Purgatory †
	Fr. McQuaide	*5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Katherine Best
Jan. 29	Fr. Dillingham	5:30 pm	St. Patrick	Holy Souls in Purgatory †
Jan. 30	Fr. Visitor	12:10 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Jonathan Hodson
Jan. 31	Fr. Remo	4 pm	Cathedral of St. Peter	Harry Walker †
Feb. 1	Fr. Visitor	8 am	St. Mary	Kathleen Lyons †
	Fr. Darcy	*8 am	St. Patrick	Issel & Shumaker Families
	Fr. Visitor	9:30 am	Cathedral of St. Peter	Herbert & Mary Blackwelder †
	Fr. Darcy	9:30 am	St. Patrick	Clara Radick †
	Fr. Darcy	*11 am	St. Patrick	Konrad V. Eldracher †
	Fr. Visitor	5 pm	St. Patrick	<i>Pro Populo</i>

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

If you would like to provide

Flowers at the Altars of Our Churches

to observe an anniversary or as a sign of your devotion, please be in touch with the parish office. Maria can coordinate with the florist and arrange for delivery. Standard arrangements begin at \$45 each.

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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. 17/18	\$964	\$2,608	(\$1,644)
YTD	\$71,175	\$75,620	(\$4,445)

Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception

	<i>Received</i>	<i>Budgeted/ Needed</i>	<i>Difference</i>
January 18	\$225	\$705	(\$480)
YTD	\$16,595	\$20,431	(\$3,836)

Saint Patrick

	<i>Received</i>	<i>Budgeted/ Needed</i>	<i>Difference</i>
January 18	\$1,963	\$4,735	(\$2,772)
YTD	\$158,120	\$137,322	\$20,798

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Begins on today, January 18 and runs to the Feast of the Conversion of Saint Paul, January 25.

Today marks the beginning of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

The Octave was founded in 1908 by Father Paul Wattson, an Anglican priest born on the Eastern Shore of Maryland who explained the devotion as a week of prayer for the unity of all under the authority of the Holy See. Father Wattson was received into the Church the following year, and was ordained a Catholic priest in 1910. As originally conceived by Father Wattson, the Week reflects the unchanging truth that there can be no real unity apart from union with that Rock, established by Christ Himself, which is Peter and his successors.

Daily Prayers

ANTIPHON: That they all may be one, as Thou, Father, in me and I in Thee; that they also may be one in Us; that the world may believe that Thou hast sent me.

V. I say unto thee, thou art Peter;

R. And upon this rock I will build my Church.

(Here is brought to mind the intention for the day's prayer.)

January 18: For the return of the "other sheep" to the One Fold of our Lord Jesus Christ.

January 19: For the return of the Eastern Orthodox Christians to communion with the Apostolic See.

January 20: For the return of the Anglicans to the authority of the Vicar of Christ.

January 21: For the return of all Protestants throughout the world to the unity of the Catholic Church.

January 22: That Christians in America may be one, in union with the Chair of Saint Peter.

January 23: That lapsed Catholics will return to the Sacraments of the Church.

January 24: That the Jewish people will be converted to the Catholic Faith.

January 25: That missionary zeal will conquer the world for Christ.

Let us pray. Lord Jesus Christ, who said to Your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you; look not on our sins, but on the faith of Your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with Your will. Amen.

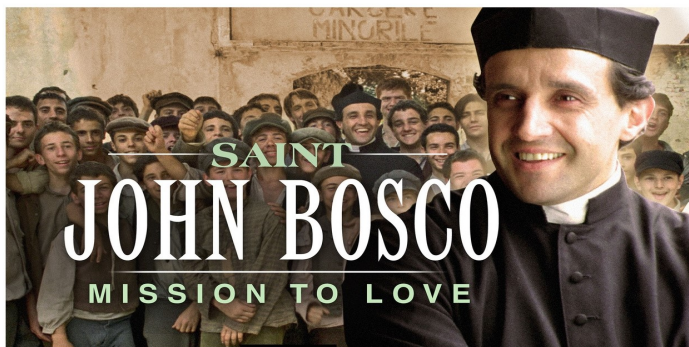
Pray for the Sick of our Churches

Sabina Abbadesa; Carla Barkley; Helen Callahan; Michael Dineen; Ann Domenic; Joseph Hannas; Paul Lundmark; Jean Manlove; Bill Muzzi; Betty O'Malley; Charlotte & Georgiana Rhein; Erlene Rohles; Elvira Sarnecky; Carol Scofield; Justin Smith; Norma Sudler; Donna Tusi

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Thank you for your continued generosity!



Saint John Bosco: Mission to Love

Flavio Insinna gives a winning performance as John Bosco, the great priest and educator of youth. Beautifully filmed in Italy, this epic movie dramatizes the many challenges that he had to overcome from his childhood all the way to founding his religious order.

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Lectors for Next Weekend

Cathedral, 4 pm	Kathy Blackwelder
St. Mary, 8 am	Mary Jane Lisansky
Cathedral, 9 ³⁰ am	RoseMarie Binns-Watson
St. Patrick, 9 ³⁰ am	Sheila Dunne
St. Patrick, 5 pm	Paul Suarez

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time- Jan. 31st & Feb. 1st

Zephanian 2:3; 3:12-13; 1 Corinthians 1:26-31; Matthew 5:1-12a



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