

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 6
4:00p.m. St. Elizabeth Church
All Souls Intentions

Sunday, November 7
THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
7:15 a.m. St. Benedict Church
All Souls Intentions
8:30 a.m. St. Benedict Church
All Souls Intentions
11:15a.m. St. Elizabeth Church
All Souls Intentions

Monday, November 8
9:00a.m. St. Elizabeth Church
All Souls Intentions

Tuesday, November 9
9:00a.m. St. Benedict Church
Stephanie Radcliffe

Wednesday, November 10
9:00a.m. St. Elizabeth Church
Steven Dalton
6:00p.m. St. Elizabeth Church
Peter Schirmer III

Thursday, November 11
9:00a.m. St. Benedict Church
Carlton Seward

Friday, November 12
NO MASS/CONFESSIONS

Saturday, November 13
4:00p.m. St. Elizabeth Church
Marvin Breeding

Sunday, November 14
THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
7:15 a.m. St. Benedict Church
Dave Agee
8:30 a.m. St. Benedict Church
Deceased Members of the
Charles L. Knott Family
11:15a.m. St. Elizabeth Church
Ken Flynn

TABERNACLE LIGHT INTENTIONS

NOVEMBER 6 through NOVEMBER 19
St. Elizabeth Church
In Memory of Dorothy Zinser

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFT OF STEWARDSHIP
BACK TO THE LORD
FOR OCTOBER 30 & 31, 2021

Envelopes	\$ 2,946.00
Loose	\$ 764.00
Online Giving via WeShare	\$ 3,870.00
TOTAL OFFERTORY	\$ 7,580.00
Poor Box	\$ 156.00

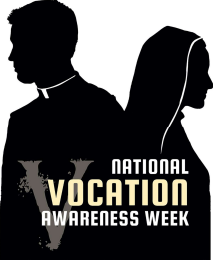
YEAR- TO-DATE OFFERTORY	
Actual Offortory	\$ 77,375.65
Average Weekly Offortory	\$ 4,298.65/wk.
(Week 18 of 52)	

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ST. ELIZABETH, DENTON
A WORD FROM FR. COFFIEY...

Dear Parishioners ~



This week we celebrate National Vocations Awareness Week. It is a chance to think about the vocation or “calling” God has given us, a calling that was appointed by God from the beginning of time. We are wonderfully made in His image and likeness to fulfill His will for our lives. Some are called to the vocation of priesthood, diaconate, religious or consecrated life. Many to the vocation of marriage. We are all called to something. A vocation is not a job. It is a life lived for the Lord. It requires obedience to Gods plan for our life and a commitment to trust Gods will.

Often, we are afraid when God asks us to do something for Him. It could be a simple nudge to draw deeper in our faith life, to have the courage to forgive someone, to say yes to the priesthood or religious life, or to approach our future spouse and ask for their hand in marriage. We must never be afraid. God gives you all the grace and tools necessary to live out your vocation. You may think you don’t have everything you need. But God always provides.

“Be not afraid” is the most repeated phrase in the entirety of the Bible. That is not sheer accident or coincidence. It’s there for a reason. What are you afraid of when Jesus asks you to follow Him and say yes? What others may think? Loneliness? Shame? Disappointing family and friends?

A vocation is lived for God, not for anyone else. If anyone discourages you in a vocation, they are interfering with God’s plan.

Pray for more HOLY priests, deacons, nuns, and marriages.

Our Holiday Bazaar is right around the corner! Please make sure you come and support our parish and vendors. Any donations or time you can give to help make this effort a huge success is immensely appreciated!

~ *Fr. Coffiey*

LITURGY

SACRED ITEMS EXPO on Monday, November 15
7:00-8:30p.m. St. Benedict Church
Fr. Coffiey will present the historical, practical, and symbolic perspective of several things we see used in Church, from chalices, Stations of the Cross, candles, baptismal font, vestments, to the altar and everything in between! Even some items that have been discontinued from ordinary use and lost in history. Come learn why we use all of the things we do as Catholics!

SEEKING VOICES TO FORM A PARISH CHOIR
We are looking for singers, aged teen-adult, all vocal ranges, to join the St. Benedict’s-St. Elizabeth’s Parish Choir. Sight-reading skills are not necessary, but choral experience is desired. Please contact Mary Beth Boggs at mboggs@udel.edu to indicate your interest to join and vocal range, or for any questions.

COFFIEY & DESSERTS BOOK CLUB
The Coffiey & Desserts Book Club begins this Monday, November 8th from 7:00-8:15p.m. in the Parish Hall. The evening will include discussion about the first 4 chapters of *How to Get More Out of Holy Communion* by St. Peter Julian Eymard along with coffee and desserts. All interested parishioners are welcome to attend. Looking forward to seeing you there!



CHRISTIAN FORMATION

The parent/student Confirmation Meeting will be held this Thursday, November 11 at 7pm in St. Benedict Church (because of bazaar prep in the hall). If your Confirmation student has not handed in his/her sponsor form, please do so this week.


PARISH & FAMILY LIFE

WE CELEBRATE ...
Aaron Perez
son of Jose & Jessica (Esparza) Perez
Alex Larios Murillo
son of David & Karina (Murillo) Larios
Angelique Larios Mercado
daughter of Jose & Margarita (Mercado) Larios
Isabelle Ida Abel
daughter of Daniel & Amanda Abel



We celebrate the beginning of a life of faith for these newly baptized children as they receive the gift of new life in God’s spirit and become a part of the fellowship of the Church through the Rite of Baptism.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR SET for NOVEMBER 12 & 13

 Our 52nd Annual Holiday Bazaar will take place on Friday, November 12th and Saturday, November 13th. Saturday’s festivities will include a bluegrass performance as well as a performance by the Mid-Shore Dance Studio. The Veterans United Outreach will also be on hand with lots of information for veterans.

DO YOU HAVE ITEMS TO DONATE? If you have items for the Silent Auction or the Parish Market, you may drop those items off at the Parish Office November 9 – 11 during office hours (if you can’t make it during that time, just give us a call to make other arrangements).


FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER on NOVEMBER 12th ~ This year’s Friday Night Dinner in conjunction with the Bazaar will include your choice of two delicious entrée’s – homemade Chicken Marsala or Lasagna – served with Italian bread, salad, dessert & beverages. There will be two seatings for the dinner – 5:00-6:30pm and 6:30-8:00p.m. Tickets are \$15 per person and are now on sale after all Masses or at the Parish Office. **THERE WILL BE NO TICKET SALES AT THE DOOR.**

PRE-ORDER SOUPS or PORK BBQ ~ Interested in picking up some delicious homemade soup or pork BBQ from the Bazaar to take home with you? Help our kitchen crew by ordering early using the Pre-Order form which can be found by clicking on the Events link on the parish website at www.beparish.com. You may also stop by the Parish Office to place your pre-orders.

THEME BASKETS, HANDMADE ITEMS for SILENT AUCTION
Help us to add to the festive atmosphere at the Bazaar by considering a donation of a theme basket, handmade item, or other new item for the Silent Auction. Items for the Silent Auction can be dropped off at the Parish Office anytime (or contact us to arrange for pick-up at your home or office).

PARISH MARKET ~
We are seeking donations for the Parish Market: HOMEMADE PRESERVES, SALSA, RELISH, ETC * BAKED GOODS & CHOCOLATES * ORNAMENTS & WREATHS * HANDMADE ITEMS * FLOWER BULBS * HOUSE PLANTS * WHAT IS YOUR SPECIALTY?

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

 Our council is doing all kinds of fun activities for our Parish and our Community. Working together with the Blessed Virgin Mother Ladies’ Sodality, the Knights helped to plan and host a very successful dinner after our recent Forty Hour Retreat. I want to thank all our volunteers who helped make that happen. We know that our efforts as Knights are always appreciated by our parish. We really do our work as Faithful Men in Action. You may or may not know that we help many charities with our fundraising: Choices Pregnancy Center, the Little Sisters of Poor and our own parish to name a few.

St. Joan of Arc has just added 8 new members to our membership: Brett Carmean Erik Knower, Brendan Clark, Daniel King, Carlos Olvera, Maurilio Morales, Seth Mohen, Michael Mohen. I invite them to get involved with our activities and welcome them to council.

During the month of November we will host our Super Sunday Breakfast (11/7), help with the Holiday Christmas Bazaar (11/12-11/13), and have our Friday Night Fellowship Dinner (11/19). The proceeds from our Vegetable Sale at the Bazaar will go to the seminarian that we sponsor. On November 22, we have our Exemplification of new members to our council at 6pm in the Parish Hall. All Knights and their families are invited to the Exemplification and the reception afterwards. We are busy so I encourage you to help us or just come and enjoy yourself. Thank You and God Bless ~ **Tom Lough, Grand Knight**

LIFE IN THE PARISH FAMILY

Sunday, November 7
• 2nd Collection – Neighbors United to Serve
• Religious Ed/R.C.I.A. Classes – 9:40-10:45a.m.
• Super Sunday Breakfast – after 7:15a.m. & 8:30a.m. Masses (Advance RSVP required)
• Hall Set-Up for Bazaar – begins after Breakfast
• Youth Ministry Gathering – 5:00-7:00p.m. – Hall

Monday, November 8
• Confessions – 8:15-8:45a.m./Mass – 9am – SE Church
• Hall Set-Up for Bazaar
• Coffiey & Desserts Book Club – 7:00p.m. – Hall

Tuesday, November 9
• Confessions – 8:15-8:45a.m./Mass – 9am – SB Church
• Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – 9:30-10:30a.m. – St. Benedict Church

• Hall Set-Up for Bazaar
• R.C.I.A. Adapted for Children Class – 5:30-6:30p.m. – Resource Room
• Adult Bible Study – 7:00p.m. – Resource Room
• Ladies’ Sodality Meeting – 7:00p.m. – Hall
• Finance Council Meeting – 7:00p.m. – Pastor’s FLC Ofc

Wednesday, November 10

• Confessions – 8:15-8:45a.m./Mass – 9am – SE Church
• Hall Set-Up for Bazaar
• Confessions – 5:15-5:45p.m./Mass – 6pm – SE Church
• Parish Council Committee Meetings – 6:30p.m. – Hall
• Parish Council Meeting – 7:00p.m. – Hall

Thursday, November 11 ~ VETERANS DAY
• Confessions – 8:15-8:45a.m./Mass – 9am – SB Church
• Hall Set-Up for Bazaar
• Adult Bible Study – 9:30a.m. – Great Room
• Confirmation Orientation – 7pm – SB Church

Friday, November 12
• Annual Parish Bazaar – 5:00-8:00p.m. – Parish Hall
• Dinner Seating #1 – 5:00-6:30p.m. – Hall (Advance Tickets required)
• Dinner Seating #2 – 6:30-8:00p.m. – Hall (Advance Tickets required)

Saturday, November 13
• Annual Parish Bazaar – 8am-2pm – Parish Hall
• Confessions – 3:00-3:45p.m. – St. Elizabeth Church
• Blessings of Veterans at Mass

Sunday, November 14
• 2nd Collection – Building & Maintenance
• Blessing of Veterans at all Masses
• Religious Ed/R.C.I.A. Classes – 9:40-10:45a.m.
• Hospitality offered by Ladies’ Sodality – 9:30a.m. – Hall
• Knights of Columbus Exemplification Ceremony – 9:30a.m. – SB Church
• Confirmation Prep Class – 10:45-11:15a.m. – 10th Grade Classroom

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK...

For Healing, Strength, Grace & Peace...



Kathleen Green ~ Edie Crank ~ Janet Kibler ~ Rita Miedl ~ Al Buccalo ~ Ben Shirley ~ Kevin Flynn ~ Rob Pasciak ~ Julia Seiler ~ Ginny Lewis ~ Butch Petroski ~ Michael Petroski ~ Mary Jo Clancy ~ Luis Jackson ~ Ron Champagne ~ Socorro McIntire ~ Helen Vogt ~ Mary Lukacsina ~ Joe Ernest ~ Bill Williams ~ Liz Bedwell ~ Maria & Keith Poptanich ~ Angel Champagne ~ Mark M. ~ Steve Kerstetter ~ Allen Kinnamon ~ Susie Booze ~ Annette Constantino ~ Erica Redgraves ~ Rita Albright ~ Ben Adams ~ Justin Burgess ~ Mikaela Nickum ~ Clorinda Passwaters ~ Joe Dobrenski ~ Sr. Paula Revire ~ Marianna Breeding ~ Jackie Long ~ Doris Schneider ~ Mary Ellen Black ~ Mackenzie Hart ~ Mindy Shifflett ~ Rourke Jones ~ Jackie Mickler ~ Darnell DeMoss ~ Sarah Griffith ~ Tony Keating ! Anthony DePasquale ~ Jeanie Bennett ~ Selena Bunker & Family

SOCIAL CONCERNS MINISTRY

A Rachel's Vineyard Catholic Retreat will be held the weekend of December 3-5, 2021. This retreat is for anyone who has struggled with the pain of abortion. Whether you are post-abortive or associated with someone who is (parent, spouse, friend), there is nothing to fear and so much to gain. For more info about this a beautiful and liberating opportunity, contact Nan Freeman at 302-463-7711 (call or text) or lucyminn929@gmail.com, or visit www.rachelsvineyard.org.

AROUND THE DIOCESE/COMMUNITY

Attention: All 8th Grade Students and Families

A Catholic high school education in the Diocese of Wilmington is a gift of faith and academic excellence for each student enrolled. In addition to an academic program of highest quality, teaching and learning are infused with the Catholic faith. In the classroom, through extracurricular activities, on the playing field, and through service to others, Catholic high schools develop young men and women who are faith filled, competent, and confident as they prepare for college and careers.

The Diocese of Wilmington will administer the High School Placement Test (HSPT) at our diocesan and parish high schools (Padua Academy, Saint Elizabeth High School, Saint Mark's High School, Saints Peter & Paul High School) the second weekend in November. The HSPT is an important step in the process of successful admission and placement in a Catholic diocesan or parish high school. This test is used for admission, scholarship, and placement decisions. Visit www.cdow.org for information and to register.

Inaugural Gold Mass

St. Thomas More Oratory, on the campus of the University of Delaware, is now the home of the Delaware Chapter of the Society of Catholic Scientists (SCS). They will be having their inaugural *Gold Mass* on Monday, November 15, 2021, at 7:00 p.m. at the church, located at 45 Lovett Avenue in Newark, Delaware. A reception will follow. Gold Masses are usually Votive Masses in honor of St. Albert the Great (patron saint of natural science), and many such Masses are celebrated on the feast day of St. Albert (November 15) or near it. The SCS is open to Catholics who are engaged in scientific research on a graduate or professional level, but Catholic science teachers, at both the grade school and high school levels, are invited to attend. For more information about the Delaware Chapter of the SCS, please call St. Thomas More Oratory at 302-368-4728 or email Fr. Tim McIntire, OSFS, at tmcintire@udcatholic.org. To learn more about the Society of Catholic Scientists, visit catholicscientists.org.

St. Albert Initiative for Catholic High School Students and their parents:

The St. Albert Initiative is a half-day program on science and faith for Catholic high school students, teachers, and parents, as well as the general public (high school age and above). It will take place on Saturday, November 13, 2021, at Catholic University in Washington, D.C. It will feature short talks by Catholic scientists and the opportunity to meet, eat with, and ask questions of Catholic scientists in many fields and at various stages of their careers. It is free for students and \$25 for adults (but refunded for adults who bring a student). Also, teachers receive stipends plus 8 hours of professional development from Univ. of Notre Dame. Registration and additional information is available at <https://sites.google.com/view/stalbertinitiative>. The St. Albert Initiative is sponsored by the Society of Catholic Scientists (SCS). For more information about the Delaware Chapter of the SCS, please call St. Thomas More Oratory at 302-368-4728 or email Fr. Tim McIntire, OSFS, at tmcintire@udcatholic.org. To learn more about the Society of Catholic Scientists, visit catholicscientists.org.

This year's Bishop's 5K will be held on November 20th at Saint Mark's High School from 8-11 a.m. The Bishop's 5K not only raises much needed funds for Catholic Charities, it also raises awareness of the work we do in our community. Catholic Charities helps one out of every 10 people in our diocese, the most vulnerable in our community. Our services vary from providing Basic Needs, like food and energy assistance, to Behavioral Health Services, Immigration Services, Addiction Services, Pregnancy Counseling, and residential programs such as Bayard House, Casa San Francisco, and Marydale Retirement Village. Please consider participating in the Mission of Catholic Charities by joining us at the Bishop's 5k. Visit our website to register or become a sponsor [Bishop's 5K Registration](#).

Listen to Catholic Forum each week. Next Saturday, November 13th, we will learn about the Rachel's Vineyard Catholic retreat for those who have suffered due to abortion, when Ms. Nan Freeman is the guest. 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. For photos, information regarding upcoming guests, links and more, "Like" Catholic Forum on Facebook at facebook.com/CatholicForum.

NOVEMBER 6 & 7, 2021

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

This week, Nov 7 -13 is National Vocations Awareness Week. Continue to pray for Vocations to the Priesthood, Consecrated Religious Life, and the Permanent Diaconate. Prayer works not only to surface those who are called but prayer has been the place where they encounter that call. God calls and we have the responsibility to draw it out, encourage and support it in our young people. All young people are looking for confirmation and validation as they discern their futures. When you see a young person at prayer, pray for them and find an opportunity to ask them if they have considered a vocation to priesthood, consecrated religious life or the permanent diaconate. For more information see www.cdow.org/vocations or email vocations@cdow.org.



PRAY for VOCATIONS to the PRIESTHOOD

“Let us
TOGETHER
DISCOVER the
TREASURES
that GOD has
in store for us.”
— Bishop William E. Koenig
Diocese of Wilmington



Rev. Norman Carroll
Vocative Director



Rev. Richard Jasper
Associate Vocation Director

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