

Resurrection Parish

JANUARY 17, 2021

A Catholic Christian Community

Mass Times

Mass Sunday 9:30 a.m.

Video Recorded Sunday Mass

Reconciliation
by appointment.

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Parish Office Hours :
10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Monday
9 :00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., Wed. Thurs.

Pastoral Council

Sharon Gidumal Executive Officer
Mary Beth Coté Asst. Executive
Pat Sormani Secretary

Baptisms

Please contact Deacon John.

Marriage

Contact clergy one year prior.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

For hospital and home visits
contact clergy or the office.

Becoming Catholic

Learn more by contacting
Fr. Greg or Deacon John

Spirituality Outreach Stewardship

Where should the tabernacle be placed in a Church?

The liturgical reforms of the Second Vatican Council prompted a “rethinking” of the location of the tabernacle. Two important points should be kept in mind: First, reverence for the Holy Eucharist is to be preserved and promoted. The Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy reminded us that the Holy Eucharist is “a sacrament of love, a sign of unity, and a bond of charity” (#46). We must not forget that being in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament is being in the presence of our Lord.

Second, the significance of the offering of the Mass itself where the Holy Eucharist is conected must be preserved and promoted.

Hence, the tabernacle “should be placed in a part of the Church that is prominent, conspicuous, beautifully decorated, and suitable for prayer” (Canon 938).

Thanks to our amazing liturgy team who have chosen to place the Blessed Sacrament among us. The architecture of the back wall beautifully surrounds the Tabernacle giving it a place of honor and reverence.

As the tabernacle is separate from the worshipping space, genuflecting upon entering the Worship Space is not necessary. Since the tabernacle is aligned behind the altar, upon entering the worship space, one simple bow to both is appropriate.

Parish Trustees

Thanks to all for participating in our open parish meeting on Sunday, January 3. Each year the diocese requires such a meeting so that new parish trustees can be elected. Two Trustees serve as members of the parish corporation. The other ex-officio members are the Bishop, the Chancellor, and the Pastor.

Thanks to Ed Collins and Robert Short for accepting the position of Trustee.



Peace and blessings,
fr. Greg Corrigan



God is the source of all healing and hope, to whom we lift up in prayer the needs of the sick and those who care for them.

Lord, allow your healing

hand to assist Eva Skripchuk, Burt Strasser, JD Howell, Jack & Jane Tabaka, Bill Dorsey, Joseph Hemphill, Alyssa Stover, Chet Andruskiewicz, Jim Gambort, Candi Smith, Sean McCormick, Janice Kane, Ralph Culver, Cass Thomas, Patty Calhoun, Katie Fink, Julie Edmiston, Anna Catriew, Annabelle Capritta, Patricia Barber, Joey (Morton) Scruggs, Steven Huhn, Ed Donaldson, Ginnie Marzouca, Rick Markel, Andy Werner, Wayne Bunting, Ann Amsler, C.D. Malmgren, Elmer Godwin, Jill Bauerle, Tina Mahler, Meghan Weiss, Paul Sanders, Nancy Bunting, Jane Hanson, Leslie Johnson, Elaine Fusco, Maryellen A. Sedlacek, Jackie Potacki, Lisa Shikany Hatfield, Judy Drew, Joan Rzucidlo, Gina Gurney, Alexander Mitchell, Mila Ann Weiss a precious newborn, Sister Mary Em McGlone, James E Barber Ronald Hayes, Patricia Lennon, Arthur Johnson.

Rest in Peace

Msgr. Ralph Martin longtime priest in Diocese of Wilmington, dies at 88

LITURGY

INTENTIONS

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|--------|--------|-----------|--------------------------|
| Sunday | Jan 17 | 9:30 a.m. | +Margie Cummings McGrath |
| Sunday | Jan 24 | 9:30 a.m. | + Ken Pfeiffer |

The parish office will be closed *Monday, January 18* in observation of Martin Luther King Day.

For the celebration of Mass at home

There will be no Resurrection video Mass this week. Please tune in to the Mass from the Cathedral of Saint Peter.



SUNDAY 9:30 A.M. MASS

It is such a joy to be able to worship together! Unfortunately, there are some who, because of their vulnerabilities and/or health concerns, are unable to join us. We understand. That is the right decision for them to make.

To register to attend the Mass, please visit the parish website www.resurrectionde.org and look for the sign up genius link. You may also call the parish office at 302-368-0146 ext. 0 until Thursday at 3 p.m. to register.

Please Note:

- A face mask or covering is required for all
- 6 ft. social distancing is required at all times on parish property
- Please sanitize your hands upon entering the church
- Please stay home if you are feeling ill.
- Parishioners who are particularly vulnerable are **STRONGLY DISCOURAGED** from attending public celebrations of the Church until all restrictions have been lifted.

PARISH LIFE

Capriotti's Fundraiser in a Bag

- \$10 for a sandwich, beverage and chips
- Preorder now through Sunday January 17
Pick up orders on January 23 at Resurrection between 5:00p.m. and 6:45p.m..
Order form:
<https://resurrectionde.org/capriottis-fundraiser-in-a-bag-order-form>



Winter Arts Festival Concert
UPDATED INFORMATION
February 13, 2021 7 PM

After further consideration we believe it is safest to pre-record our Winter Arts Festival Concert. The Concert will go live on Saturday February 13, 2021 at 7 PM.

We ask each act to record themselves and submit your videos before January 31 by either uploading the video file to the Google Drive folder https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1ZhX6zjlisa_dh0p3yyWfZdPTOT3r4Hyi3?usp=sharing , or by emailing a link to a shared video file to Ed Schieffer, eschieffer@verizon.net.

Whichever way you choose to send the file, or if there are questions, please let Ed know by email.

If you are unable to make your own recording, but still want to participate go to <https://resurrectionde.org/winter-arts-festival-sign-ups-2021> and sign up to be recorded in the worship space on Saturday January 23. Please be sure to provide your contact information, so we can contact you with a specific arrival time. We will be following our parish's safe-distancing and masking protocols for the recording session and allowing time for cleaning in between acts.

Winter Arts Festival Online Auction
January 7-23, 2021

All proceeds go to the Young Neighbors in Action service trip to Buffalo, NY in July 2021

Go to <https://www.32auctions.com/4000> to bid on our wide variety of auction items.

Go to <https://d2y1pz2y630308.cloudfront.net/5398/documents/2021/1/32AuctionsLoginInfo.pdf> for instructions on how to create an account to bid on items.

**We thank the following
businesses and parishioners for
their support of our annual
auction:**

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Longwood Gardens
Metro Diner (Concord Pike)
Philadelphia Eagles
Total Wine & More
Winterthur
Woodside Creamery

Any questions contact Elaine Little at elittle@resurrectionde.org

CHRISTIAN FORMATION PROGRAM



The Christian Formation Program (CFP) is utilizing a Hybrid Model this year for Religious Education. We are using Sadlier EBook, Outdoor classes, and Zoom meetings under the guidance of the Religious Education Safety Plan. Please contact: Nancy Maloney nmaloney.resurrectionde@gmail.com

YOUTH MINISTRY



**MS YOUTH GROUP Mini
Retreat Saturday February 6
from
9:00 AM-12:00 Noon
*In the worship space!***

**HS YOUTH GROUP March 14 at 6:30 p.m. VIA
ZOOM**

Contact Elaine for all Zoom links.

Contact Elaine for more details or to register for middle or high school youth group at elittle@resurrectionde.org or 368-0146 ext. 107

SOCIAL CONCERNS

Sandwiches anyone? Emmanuel Dining Room (EDR) needs our help

by Andre and Sue Dagenais



As most of you know, Resurrection has been involved in the social concerns ministry at EDR for many years. Once a month, a small group of Resurrection volunteers go to EDR West to prepare a hot meal, and serve it to people in need, frequently serving about 180-200 people.

The generosity of Resurrection Parish is bountiful. We would like to call on that generous tradition of giving to offer EDR some more help as they continue their incredible, much-needed work, helping people who are experiencing food insecurity here in Delaware. The Ministry of Caring feeds about 200 people a day at EDR West alone.

EDR needs sandwiches, about 200 per day. Wednesday, January 20 and February 17 are the next dates we are providing sandwiches. Please visit the parish website and sign up genius for directions to make sandwiches and to drop off sandwiches at the proper time.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c45adae2fa0ff2-sandwiches>



JANUARY 21-29, 2021

9 Days for Life is a novena for the protection of human life. Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life.

Join today at www.9daysforlife.com!



3 WAYS TO JOIN



9DaysforLife.com

Image: A statue of Our Lady of Guadalupe (recreated a side view to the Church of Santa Maria della Visitazione at the Vatican, Dec. 14, 2019, photo: Peter Hebblethorn)

Bishop Malooly will preside at a Holy Hour for Life and a Mass for Life, on Friday, January 29, 2021. Both online events are a part of the National Prayer Vigil for Life sponsored by the U. S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. The Holy Hour will debut at 4:00 a.m., and the Mass will be live-streamed at 10:00 a.m. Both events will be shown on the diocesan YouTube channel, [YouTube.com/DioceseofWilm](https://www.youtube.com/DioceseofWilm), and are from the beautiful and historic Cathedral of Saint Peter in Wilmington, Delaware. Due to COVID concerns, these events are online only. More information can be found at cdow.org/respect-life.

Taking it Home by Deacon John

In the end whether we know it or not, all of our struggles are about one thing, finding our way back home again. What we all want at the end of the day is home, rest, someone to be comfortable with, someplace to be comfortable in, at home, at eternal rest. But this is not easy, especially for young people many of whom have just left home and are unsure of where and with whom they will again find home. The energies of our youth drive us out, and in that restlessness we search in many places for that home we have lost and are trying again to find.

But it is getting increasingly harder to find home. We live in a world today where growing up is no longer identified with becoming an elder, a parent or a grandparent. We live in a time when there are many pressures that want to keep us forever young, forever free and forever the adolescent in a way that prevents many of us from fully growing up. It is the mature adult who carries us. This is the one who takes responsibility to make our families, communities, neighborhoods, churches and government work.

But the mature person today has no solid place on which to stand. And when one is not on solid ground, it's hard to live this way and to find a place to find home. Instead of popular culture we need law, tradition, authority, boundaries and morality to put us on solid ground. They help us live within our limits and avoid living in the midst of a culture that is unreal. We need things like community, family or marriage to put us on solid ground.

And so even though we are driven in many directions in search of a place to find home, we eventually find our way to that place. This typically happens when marriage and the eventuality of children force us to face the questions of import; what is the meaning of my life and what is the purpose of my existence? And thus begins the struggle to get our lives together.

If this sounds like a familiar journey of your own life, you are not alone. It's not just the young who struggle with finding solid ground on which to stand, all of us in some way are in the same boat. We are all at one time or another looking for a home to return to, for ground on which to stand. It is part of a universal quest. It is part of our nature to seek after our desires to search for meaning or to seek to discover our purpose for being.

This is the universal quest because implanted in us at creation is the desire to be at home and in right relationship with the God who made us. And ever since that creation we have been struggling to get back home without our realizing it. We forget that it is God who first loved us and who gives us a reason to live so we wind up searching after so many other things instead of seeking that one thing that will truly take us home, God and God's love.

It is important to recognize this universal quest because it is so much a part of our lives. Even the gospel this weekend recalls this quest. In the gospel two prospective disciples are looking for something. They first approach John the Baptist wondering if he might be the one they are seeking. But instead he tells them that the "Lamb of God" is over there. Curious, they walk toward Jesus, who notices them and asks them the question, "what are you looking for?" And then in an exchange, the disciples ask Jesus, "where do you stay?" to which Jesus replies, "Come and see."

Staying in John's gospel means abiding and abiding with Jesus is what Jesus wants. Later in John's gospel we will learn that like a vine to a branch, those who abide in Jesus will bear much fruit. The disciples were really asking a much more complex question. Is Jesus the one who will fulfill their hopes and desires and, if so, should we risk getting involved with you and your life? Jesus in turn gives them the invitation to "come and see;" to come and see if he will fulfill their longings; to come and see if they want to risk a personal relationship with the God who loves them and wants them to come home. If this is truly what they want, then Jesus is offering them a chance to abide with him and to find what they seek. Jesus' offer is a share in his life and sharing in the life of Jesus is participation in the life of God, for "whoever is joined to the Lord becomes one Spirit with Jesus."


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