

# SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 6, 2018



<b>Monday,</b> 6:45 AM 8:00 AM	<b>5/7</b> MICHAEL ANDREOLI	FAMILY
<b>Tuesday,</b> 6:45 AM 8:00 AM	<b>5/8</b> MR. & MRS. JAMES JULIAN	FAMILY
<b>Wednesday,</b> 6:45 AM 8:00 AM	<b>5/9</b>	
<b>Thursday,</b> 6:45 AM 8:00 AM	<b>5/10</b>	
<b>Friday,</b> 6:45 AM 8:00 AM	<b>5/11</b> C. NATALIE MERIGGI & MARY C. ROGGERO	FAMILY
<b>Saturday,</b> 6:45 AM 5:30 PM	<b>5/12</b> JOHN J. HAMMERER JOSEPHINE BURTON	MR. & MRS. PAUL SEITZ DAUGHTER
<b>Sunday,</b> 7:00 AM 9:00 AM 11:00 AM	<b>5/13</b> PARISHIONERS MADELIENE SMITH JOHN & JENNIE MIRTO	DAUGHTER DAUGHTER



## Next Sunday's Readings

### 1<sup>st</sup> Reading:

Acts 1:1-11

### Responsorial Psalm:

Psalms 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:

Ephesians 1:17-23

### Gospel:

Mark 16:15-20

### "God's Plan for Giving"

OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR 04/29/18

TOTAL OFFERTORY COLLECTION:	\$10,960.20
Budget:	\$11,361.51
Actual vs. Budget This Week:	-\$ 401.31
Percent Difference This Week:	- 3.5%
Total Difference Fiscal Year to Date:	-\$8,961.68

*Thank you for your sacrifice of tithing!*



Blessings and congratulations to the following members of our faith community who joined us this Saturday for the first time at the table of the Lord:

**Emily Anderson, Rebecca Baker, Brooke Brown, Thomas Ciccone, Dominic Ciliberti, Tristen Clinton, Alyssa DeLuca, Anna Dzielak, Nora Farrell, Jessica Garcia, Viggo Hohman, Gabriella Martinez, Scarlett Murphy, Adrian Ortiz, Xavian Pabon, Rocco Priest, Nunzio Roca, Lilliana Stellini, Alexis Stewart, Brenan Truver, Chase Willard**

May we give thanks to God for encouraging them so far on their journey. May we also ask God to make us appreciative for the strength we receive from his Word and his Sacrament.

Father Mark



"We must be prepared to see weeds growing in our garden and also have the courage to pull them out."

*St. Francis de Sales*

We welcome the recently Baptized...

**Aiva Isabella Gonzalez**  
**Caleb Marciano Gonzalez**



In your charity, please pray for

**James Johnson**  
**Ann M. Mastrotta**

all the deceased of St. Anthony's.

## New Parish Website!

St. Anthony's is pleased to announce our new parish website, which features significant usability upgrades and a wide expansion of content. The new site is "live" now, & we will prepare to wind down the existing site after 5/15/2018. Please bookmark the new site & start visiting it today! The new site address is: [sapde.org](http://sapde.org). Stop back often as we continue to add content to the new site!

## Your Prayers and Support Requested

Mateo Ahumada  
Roger Chao  
Thomas DiGuglielmo  
James Ganey  
Mark Johnson  
Charles Rosenberg, Sr.  
Albert Vietri

Nancy Brown  
Mary T. DiBiao  
Tommy DiVirgilio  
Richard Jakotowicz  
William J. Nardo, Jr.  
Jimmy Silicato  
Robert Walton

Marianne Calvarese  
Judi DiFrancesco  
Christopher Ganey  
Bonita Della Rocca Jodz  
Kelly Panella  
Larry Silvestri  
Annmarie White

...and all the sick of St. Anthony's Parish.

## Catholic Forum



Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 10:05 a.m. on WDEL 101.7 FM, 1150 AM and [www.wdel.com](http://www.wdel.com). Next Sunday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, tune in to meet the winners of

this year's Knights of Columbus Vocations Essay Contest and hear them present their winning essays. For photos, information regarding upcoming guests, podcasts and more, "like" Catholic Forum on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/catholicforum](http://www.facebook.com/catholicforum). Listen to past episodes of Catholic Forum online at [cdow.org/communications](http://cdow.org/communications) or search "Catholic Forum" on Apple Podcasts or iHeartRadio podcasts.

## Newman Connection

The Diocese of Wilmington has partnered with the Newman Connection, a non-profit organization that works with college Catholic campus ministries helping to facilitate the introduction of those ministries to incoming college freshmen. Interested students who will be college freshmen this coming fall should contact Jim at the rectory to fill out a registration card: [parish@stanthonynet.org](mailto:parish@stanthonynet.org)

## Thank You!

The Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality would like to give a warm "thank you" to all who bought items during the recent bake sale. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

## 1st Annual "Lou's Crew" (Lou Calvarese) American Heart Association Benefit...

Saturday, June 16th, 7 – 11 p.m.

St. Elizabeth's Grant Hall

1500 Cedar Street, Wilmington, DE 19805

\$35.00 pp includes Beer, Wine, Soda & Buffett (\$40 @door if available)

Featuring Lou's favorite band: "Goody Blue Shoes"

Checks may be mailed to:

P.O. Box 2324, Wilmington, DE 19899

Make checks payable to Susan Schneese c/o American Heart Assoc.

Tickets may be purchased through the app "ZELLE" using the email

[LOUSCREWBENEFIT@GMAIL.COM](mailto:LOUSCREWBENEFIT@GMAIL.COM).

## Respect Life: Fact of Life



"I believe that life is a sacred gift of God and should be treated as such."

Charlie Stenholm, U.S. Representative

## Second Collection

Next weekend, May 12th and 13th, there is no scheduled second collection.

## BVM May Devotion

Please join the **Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality** for their May devotion to our Blessed Mother.

**Sunday 5/6** Recitation of the Rosary immediately following the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

**Sunday 5/13** Crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary during the 9:00 a.m. Mass

**Sunday 5/20** Office prayers at 8:45 a.m prior to the 9:00 a.m. Mass; Following the 11:00 a.m. Mass, the Sodality is hosting the refreshments served at the Social.

**Sunday 5/27** Recitation of the Rosary immediately following the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

## Mother's Day Rose Sale



The Knights of Columbus will be selling roses before and after all Masses the weekend of May 12-13 to benefit Birthright of Delaware. The roses are priced at \$2.00 each, \$5.00 for three, \$18.00 per dozen, and \$35.00 for a bouquet of twenty-five. Please consider honoring Mom with a red rose, the symbol of life, while helping moms facing crisis pregnancies choose life for their babies. Your past generous support has made this program a success year after year!

## 2018 Italian Festival: Volunteers Needed!

It's that time of year again! The region's largest Italian-American cultural event, and the primary fundraiser benefitting our Grade School, is coming up, Sunday, June 10-Sunday, June 17! Volunteers are essential to the Festival's success. It's a fun and very fulfilling way to support our school and parish, and to be part of a treasured community tradition. Of course, without volunteers, there is no Festival! No special skills or experience needed—everyone is welcome to volunteer! Check out volunteer opportunities at the Festival website: [www.stanthonysfestival.com](http://www.stanthonysfestival.com), & click on the **Sign Up To Volunteer Online** link on the upper right of the home page. Then follow instructions on that page to our online signup link.

**A reminder that Grade School families are expected to volunteer 15 hours for the Festival. In addition to the online signup option, look for information that will be sent home with students regarding the volunteer assignment/signup process. School families may sign up either online or by completing & returning the paper signup form.**

Thanks to everyone for your continued support!

## Parish Calendar

**Tuesday**

6:30 PM, Baptism Class (Rectory)

**Wednesday**

2:00 PM, May Procession

**Thursday**

7:30 PM, Choir Rehearsal



**Monday, May 7**

**through**

**Sunday, May 13**

*(All events listed in the Parish Calendar are in church unless otherwise noted.)*

## Grade School Calendar

**Wednesday**

2:00 PM, May Procession

**Thursday**

9:00 AM, Kindergarten

Field Trip

6:00 PM, Education Fund Mtg.

(Ballad Room)

**Friday**

8:00 AM, Grade School Mass

## May Parish Monthly Social

Our next parish social will be held on Sunday, 5/6/2018, in the Ballad Room of the Grade School, following the 9AM & 11AM Masses. Stop by for food, fun, and socializing with fellow parishioners and friends. The social, as always, will feature a variety of great treats from Serpe's Bakery, delicious breakfast pizzas from Degnars Greenhill Deli, and a variety of foods.

## Pentecost Sunday "Red Foods" Social

A new parish tradition, the Pentecost Sunday Social featuring red foods (the color of the Holy Spirit, whose descent into the world we celebrate on Pentecost) will be held on **Sunday, 5/20/2018 after the 11AM Mass** in the Ballad Room of the Grade School. Stop by for food, fun, and socializing with fellow parishioners and friends. The social will feature a variety of great treats from Serpe's Bakery, delicious breakfast pizzas from Degnars Greenhill Deli, and a variety of red (& other) foods. Thanks to the Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality for their sponsorship of this social, & for all they do to serve our parish community.

## Looking For an Inexpensive Way to Promote Your Business?

Would you like to reach the tens of thousands of people who attend the Italian Festival? Consider banner advertising on our perimeter gate. It's an easy & affordable way to spread the word about your business! For more info email us at: [festival@stsanthonynet.org](mailto:festival@stsanthonynet.org) or send a message to the [Festival Facebook page \(facebook.com/stsanthonynet.org\)](https://www.facebook.com/stsanthonynet.org).

## St. Anthony's Italian Festival 2018

**Italian Festival 8-Day Passes & Gift Cards Now Available—**

### **PRE-FESTIVAL SALES PRICES**

Passes are a great gift for graduation or any occasion! Gift cards perfect gift for Moms, Dads, grads—everyone. Also a smart way to provide funds to the kids for use at this year's Festival. **BUY NOW & SAVE!!**

Passes & Gift Cards are available:

- at the rectory during office hours (8AM-4PM, Monday-Friday and 5:30PM-8PM, Monday-Thursday)
- at the Church after 5:30PM/7AM/9AM Masses
- via secure PayPal purchase on the Festival website ([www.stanthonysfestival.com](http://www.stanthonysfestival.com))
- with Home & School gift card sales at the Grade School on Friday mornings & at 11AM Masses on Sundays

### **PRICING:**

- **PRE-FESTIVAL 8-DAY PASS PRICE:**
  - **\$12.00—20% OFF price is purchased at the Festival (\$15.00).**
  - A pass provides one admission per person per day to the Festival.
  - **Festival Admission Policy: Under age 14: FREE (if accompanied by a parent or guardian age 18 or older); \$5 daily for ages 14-61; Over age 61: FREE.**
- **PRE-FESTIVAL GIFT CARD PRICES:**
  - \$25.00 Gift Cards: **PRE-FESTIVAL PRICE \$22.00**
  - \$50.00 Gift Cards: **PRE-FESTIVAL PRICE \$42.00**

*NOTE: Advance Ride Tickets will also be on sale when available. (mid-May)*