

**FOURTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

**CUARTO DOMINGO DEL
TIEMPO ORDINARIO**



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MISAS / MASSES

Sábado por la tarde / Saturday evening:

5:00 p.m. English (Chapel) / Inglés (Capilla)

6:30 p.m. Spanish (Chapel) / Español (Capilla)

Domingo / Sunday:

9:00 a.m. English (Church) / Inglés (Iglesia)

10:30 a.m. Spanish (Church) / Español (Iglesia)

7:00 p.m. Spanish (Church) / Español (Iglesia)

Martes a Viernes / Tuesday - Friday:

6:30 p.m. Spanish (Chapel) / Español (Capilla)

Misa por los Enfermos / Mass for the Sick

Último martes del mes a las 7:00 p.m. en la Capilla

HORA SANTA

Tercer jueves 7:00 p.m. (Capilla) NO hay Misa.

RECONCILIATION/CONFESIONES

Saturday/Sábado: 4:00 - 4:45p.m. Chapel (Capilla)

Wednesday/Miércoles: 5:30 - 6:15p.m. Chapel (Capilla)

Or by appointment at rectory (o por cita en la rectoría)

CÍRCULO DE ORACIÓN

Martes: 7:00pm (Salón Roberto Clemente)

BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

Parents are asked to call the rectory on Tuesdays,
9:30am-11:30am, **at least four months in advance**
to make arrangements.

MARRIAGE

Please call the rectory **one year in advance** to begin
process. Please contact the church before setting a
wedding date with a reception hall.

SWEET 15 & 16 BLESSINGS

Please call the rectory **one year in advance** to make
arrangements. Please contact the church before setting
a date with a reception hall.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Please call the rectory to alert us when a member
of our parish is hospitalized or confined at home.

BAUTISMO DE NIÑOS

Los padres tienen que llamar a la rectoría, los martes de
9:00am a 11:30am, al menos **con cuatro meses de anti-**
cipación para hacer los arreglos.

MATRIMONIO

Favor de llamar a la rectoría con **un año de anticipación**
para empezar el proceso. Hay que contactar la iglesia
antes de reservar un hall para la recepción.

QUINCEAÑERAS

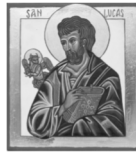
Favor de llamar a la rectoría con **un año de anticipación**
para hacer los arreglos. Hay que contactar la iglesia antes
de reservar un hall para la recepción.

MINISTERIO AL CUIDADO DE LOS ENFERMOS

Favor de avisarnos cuando un miembro de la parroquia
esté en el hospital o enfermo en casa.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
February 2-3, 2019

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2-3 de febrero de 2019



El Santo Evangelio según San Lucas (Lc 4:21-30)

En aquel tiempo, después de que Jesús leyó en la sinagoga un pasaje del libro de Isaías, dijo: “Hoy mismo se ha cumplido este pasaje de la Escritura que acaban de oír”. Todos le daban su aprobación y admiraban la sabiduría de las palabras que salían de sus labios, y se preguntaban: “¿No es éste el hijo de José?”

Jesús les dijo: “Seguramente me dirán aquel refrán: ‘Médico, cúrate a ti mismo’ y haz aquí, en tu propia tierra, todos esos prodigios que hemos oído que has hecho en Cafarnaúm”. Y añadió: “Yo les aseguro que nadie es profeta en su tierra. Había ciertamente en Israel muchas viudas en los tiempos de Elías, cuando faltó la lluvia durante tres años y medio, y hubo un hambre terrible en todo el país; sin embargo, a ninguna de ellas fue enviado Elías, sino a una viuda que vivía en Sarepta, ciudad de Sidón. Había muchos leprosos en Israel, en tiempos del profeta Eliseo; sin embargo, ninguno de ellos fue curado, sino Naamán, que era de Siria”.

Al oír esto, todos los que estaban en la sinagoga se llenaron de ira, y levantándose, lo sacaron de la ciudad y lo llevaron hasta una saliente del monte, sobre el que estaba construida la ciudad, para despedirlo. Pero él, pasando por en medio de ellos, se alejó de allí. **Palabra de Dios.**

Reflexión

La liturgia de este cuarto domingo conecta con el Evangelio del domingo pasado. Jesús, en la sinagoga de Nazaret, leyó la profecía del profeta Isaías: “El Espíritu del Señor está sobre mí, porque me ha ungido para anunciar a los pobres la Buena Nueva, me ha enviado a proclamar la liberación a los cautivos y la vista a los ciegos, para dar la libertad a los oprimidos”. Jesús, al terminar, afirmó que esta profecía se cumple en Él y eso causó estupor de sus conciudadanos escandalizados, a pesar de saber que ninguno de los antiguos profetas fueron bien recibidos en su propia tierra. Eso ocasionó que los nazarenos quisieran tirarlo desde un peñasco porque creían que Jesús blasfemaba, ya que no pudieron entender ni creer que, por haberlo conocido como su vecino desde la infancia y juventud en Nazaret, fuera un profeta y mucho menos fuera el Mesías anunciado por los profetas y esperado por todos. Jesús les recordó a los profetas Elías y Eliseo que consiguieron hacer milagros de Dios para extranjeros y no pudieron hacerlo para sus congéneres judíos, por causa de su incredulidad.

Todo lo anterior nos recuerda las veces que dudamos de la preferencia de Dios de actuar desde las cosas simples y sencillas para demostrar así su grandeza y poderío y que, solo en Él y no en nosotros, radica la fuerza e infinitud. Jesús nos dijo que el Hijo del Hombre no ha venido a ser servido y así revela el valor de “la humildad” en el Plan de Salvación de Dios, que humilla a los poderosos y enaltece a los humildes. Quien entendió bien esta realidad fue la bienaventurada siempre Virgen María porque creyó en el anuncio del Ángel Gabriel de parte de Dios. Ella nunca se escandalizó de su Hijo, mas bien, su asombro por Él está lleno de fe, amor y alegría al poder contemplarlo “tan humano y tan divino” a la vez. Hermanos, aprendamos de María, nuestra Madre en la fe, reconociendo en la humildad de Jesús, la humanidad de Cristo que es la revelación perfecta del Dios que nos ama. **¡Paz y Bien!**

Padre Rodolfo



The Holy Gospel According to St Luke (LK 4:21-30)

Jesus began speaking in the synagogue, saying: "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." And all spoke highly of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They also asked, "Isn't this the son of Joseph?" He said to them, "Surely you will quote me this proverb, 'Physician, cure yourself,' and say, 'Do here in your native place the things that we heard were done in Capernaum.'"

And he said, "Amen, I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place. Indeed, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah when the sky was closed for three and a half years and a severe famine spread over the entire land. It was to none of these that Elijah was sent, but only to a widow in Zarephath in the land of Sidon. Again, there were many lepers in Israel during the time of Elisha the prophet; yet not one of them was cleansed, but only Naaman the Syrian."

When the people in the synagogue heard this, they were all filled with fury. They rose up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town had been built, to hurl him down headlong. But Jesus passed through the midst of them and went away. *The Gospel of the Lord*

Reflection

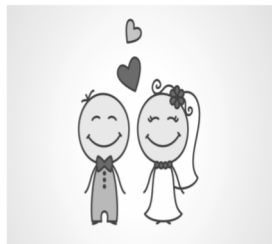
The liturgy of this fourth Sunday connects with the Gospel of last Sunday. Jesus, in the synagogue of Nazareth, read the prophecy of the prophet Isaiah: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to proclaim the Good News to the poor, he has sent me to proclaim the release of the captives and give sight to the blind, to give freedom to the oppressed." Jesus, when he finished, affirmed that this prophecy is fulfilled in Him and that caused astonishment and scandalized his fellow citizens, in spite of knowing that none of the ancient prophets were well received in their own land. That caused the Nazarenes to want to throw him from a rock because they believed that Jesus blasphemed, since they could not understand or believe, since they had known him as his neighbor since childhood and youth in Nazareth, that he was a prophet and much less the Messiah announced by the prophets and expected by all. Jesus reminded them the prophets Elijah and Elisha who were able to perform miracles of God for foreigners, could not do it for their fellow Jews, because they were incredulous of them.

All of the above reminds us of the time we doubt God's preference to act from the simple and humble things to demonstrate his greatness and power and that, only in Him and not in us, lays the strength and infinity. Jesus told us that the Son of Man has not come to be served and thus reveals the value of "humility" in God's Plan of Salvation, which humiliates the powerful and exalts the humble.

The one person who understood this reality well was the blessed, always Virgin Mary, because she believed in the announcement from Gabriel The Archangel that came from God. She never was scandalized by her Son, rather, her amazement for him is full of faith, love and joy at being able to contemplate him "so human and so divine" at the same time. Brethren, let us learn from Mary, our Mother in faith, recognizing in the humility of Jesus, the humanity of Christ who is the perfect revelation of the God who loves us.

¡Paz y Bien!

Fray Rodolfo



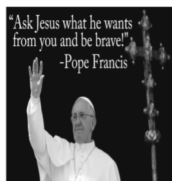
Rediscover the Love in Your Marriage!

**Is your marriage going down the right road . . .
or is it a little off track?**

**Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges
you face in marriage.**

Is your marriage hurting? Do you feel helpless? Hopeless? ***Retrouvaille*** (retro-VIE) ***can help and offers hope for a better relationship.*** Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples who can help you re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought you together, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille can help heal your marriage, as it has for tens of thousands of couples throughout the world. **The next program begins on the weekend of February 8-10 at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA. Additional weekends will be held in April and August.** For more information, or to register for one of our weekends, visit our web site

at: www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 1-800-470-2230. All inquiries are kept strictly confidential.



What was spoken to you long ago that you still try to hear? God speaks to His people through the prophet Jeremiah: "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you. Before you were born I dedicated you." Our God knows us intimately; our God has a plan for each of us. What are you doing to discover God's plan for *your* life? Could it be that He's calling you to a life of religious ministry for the good of the Church? If you think so, call or write Father Norman Carroll, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations (302-573-3113, vocations@cdow.org). Be sure to visit our website: www.cdow.org/vocations.



Pray for Our Seminarians: Gabe Weston, Kevin Lilly, James Gebhart, Mark Donohue, Brooks Jensen, James Holman, John Enemuo, Adam Bauer, Craig Kursinsky, Brennan Ferris, & Michael Preston

God our Father, thank you for calling these men to prepare for priesthood. Grant them the grace to grow closer to You through daily prayer. Help them form their personality as a credible witness to others. Bless them while they study Your word and the teachings of the Church, and give them a generous heart to serve Your people. We ask this through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our great High Priest. Amen

Feeling a call to Priesthood?

In conjunction with the 150th Anniversary celebration of the Diocese of Wilmington, the Vocations Office will sponsor a day of prayer and discernment to be held February 26, 2019, at St. Joseph Church in Cordova, MD and St. Benedict Church in Ridgeley, MD. Bishop Malooly, many of our priests and our 11 seminarians will spend the day with the invited participants sharing experiences of the missionary zeal that drives the priestly heart in the 21st century. So that we may have an approximate idea of the number of young men attending, we ask that if any high school student is interested in participating, he should call the rectory no later than February 3, 2018 so we can include him on the list of participants.



Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 6:05 a.m. on WDEL 101.7 FM, 1150 AM and www.wdel.com. After it airs, listen online anytime at www.cdow.org/CatholicForum, or search "Catholic Forum" on Apple, Spotify, or iHeartRadio podcasts. Next Sunday, February 10th, tune in to meet St. Thomas More Academy teacher and Miss Delaware 2018, Joanna Wicks. For photos, information regarding upcoming guests, links and more, "Like" Catholic Forum on Facebook at www.facebook.com/catholicforum.



ALGUNOS PENSAMIENTOS EN LOS ESCRITOS PAULINOS (2)

Flu season is upon us and so the following:

According to the CDC, influenza (more commonly known as the “flu”) is a contagious respiratory illness caused by viruses that infect the nose, throat, and lungs. It can cause mild to severe illness, and at times can lead to death.

Most experts believe that flu viruses spread mainly by droplets made when people with the flu cough, sneeze or talk. Less often, but equally probable, a person might also get the flu by touching a surface or an object that has flu virus on it. The radius of infection from a sneeze by a person who is contagious is an astounding 13 feet. Furthermore, an infected person may be able to pass the flu to someone else even before they know they are sick, which can be up to 72 hours before the onset of symptoms and up to 7 days after. The flu is especially dangerous to young children, the elderly, and to anyone with a compromised immune system.

We all know that the single best way to prevent the flu is to get a flu vaccine and during flu season to take precautions that will minimize the spread of the flu to others. Please use the hand sanitizer located at the entrances/exits of the church when you both enter and exit Mass.



Ya vamos a comenzar los preparativos del Vía Crucis Dramatizado para el Viernes Santo. Todos los interesados en participar están invitados a los ensayos los domingos a las 2:00pm en el Hall de la Escuela. Para más información se pueden comunicar con Tito Molina. Gracias.



150 años

Este año celebraremos el 150^{mo} Aniversario de nuestra Iglesia San Pablo. Estén atentos a las actividades que celebraremos durante este Año Jubilar.

+ Seamos amables y misericordiosos con todos, perdonando a los que nos ofenden, como Dios nos ha perdonado a nosotros. (Ef. 4, 32)

+ Hay que evitar las charlatanerías mundanas y profanas, porque ellas enfrían la piedad. (2Tim. 2, 16)

+ No obremos para ser vistos y para agradar a la gente, sino para cumplir lo que Dios quiere de nosotros. (Ef. 6, 6)

+ Todo lo puedo en Cristo que me fortalece. (Fil. 4, 13)

+ Hay que ser de buen ejemplo para los demás en las palabras, en la conducta, en la pureza y en la fe. ((1Tim. 4, 12)

+ Jamás se escuchará que alguien diga al momento de su muerte quisiera haber dedicado menos tiempo a rezar, a trabajar o a ayudar a los demás.

+ Los frutos que el Espíritu Santo concede a quienes le rezan con fe son: alegría, bondad, amabilidad, amor, gozo y paz. (Gal. 5, 22)

+ Las malas amistades corrompen las buenas costumbres. (1Cor. 15)

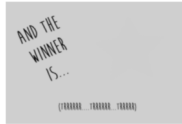
+ En Cristo tenemos redención porque con su sangre obtuvo el perdón de nuestros pecados. (Ef. 1, 7)

+ Examine cada uno su propia conducta para ver si tiene motivos de gloriarse y enorgullecerse. (Gal. 6)

+ Perseveremos en la oración, y dediquemos tiempo a dar gracias a Dios. (Col. 4, 2 y 6, 38)

+ Hagamos todo el bien que podamos, que a su tiempo conseguiremos los buenos resultados, si no nos desanimamos. (Gal. 6)

+ No tenemos otro nombre por el que podamos ser salvados, sino **JESÚS**. (Hc. 4, 12)



La Iglesia Católica San Pablo de
Wilmington, DE
estará sorteando los siguientes artículos:
SAINT PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH IN
WILMINGTON, DE
WILL SPONSOR A DRAWING OF THE
FOLLOWING ITEMS:

- 04/01/2018 Parrilla de Barbacoa / *Outdoor Grill*
Ganadora (Winner): Nivea Mercado
Boleto (Ticket) #1616
- 05/06/2018 Sistema de Sonido / *Sound System*
Ganadora (Winner): Patty Logullo
Boleto (Ticket) #0151
- 06/03/2018 Aire Acondicionado / *AC*
Ganador (Winner): Ángel M. Ramírez
Boleto (Ticket) #0920
- 7/01/2018 Congelador / *Freezer*
Ganador (Winner): Enrique Cález
- 08/05/2018 Computadora / *Computer*
Ganadora (Winner): Verónica
Boleto (Ticket) #0925
- 09/02/2018 Microonda / *Microwave*
Ganadora (Winner): Blanca Salas
Boleto (Ticket) #1794
- 10/07/2018 Aspiradora / *Vacuum Cleaner*
Ganadora (Winner): Evelia Quiroz
Boleto (Ticket) #0257
- 11/04/2018 Chimenea Eléctrica / *Electric*
Fireplace
Ganadora (Winner): Ann Adams
Boleto (Ticket) #0331
- 12/02/2018 TV Pantalla Plana / *Flat Screen TV*
Ganadora (Winner): Norma Ramírez
Boleto (Ticket) #1668
- 01/06/2019 Tableta Inteligente / *Smart Tablet*
Ganador (Winner): Genaro Dorantes
(Boleto (Ticket) #: 0011
- 02/03/2019 Lavadora / *Washer*
- 03/03/2019 Sillón Reclinable / *Recliner*

Cualquier duda o pregunta, puede contactar la
Rectoría de San Pablo al
302-655-6596. Será a beneficio de gastos y
reparaciones de nuestra Iglesia.

*If you have any questions, contact St Paul Rectory
at 302-655-6596. Profits will benefit expenses and
repairs of our Church.*

SCHEDULE OF BAPTISM CLASSES HORARIO DE CLASES BAUTISMALES

Please call the rectory on Tuesdays, 9:30am-
11:45am, to make arrangements before you go to
the class. (Por favor, llame a la rectoría los martes
de 9:30am a 11:45am para registrarse, antes de ir a
la clase.) Thank you. (Gracias.)

Tuesday, February 12, 2019; in the Rectory
(martes, 12 de febrero de 2019; en la Rectoría)
7:00pm (English-Inglés)

Saturday, March 2, 2019; in Church
(sábado, 2 de marzo de 2019; en la Iglesia)
10:00am (Spanish-Español)



"Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, it is
not pompous..." (1 Cor. 13:4) Which of these
qualities is your beloved strongest in?



"Before I formed you in the womb, I knew
you." (Jeremiah 1:4) Even before your child was
born you had hopes for him or her. Even before you
conceived, you had hopes. Even if you adopted
your child, you wondered how this person would
grow and change you. Ponder how God knows you
and your child even more deeply than the surface
knowledge you now have.

150
years

Archives to hold exhibit in conjunction with Diocesan 150th anniversary celebration.

The Archives of the Catholic Diocese of
Wilmington will present a special exhibit in
celebration of the 150th anniversary of the founding
of the Diocese. The exhibit will take place on
Sunday, February 24, 2019 from 12:00 p.m. to
3:00 p.m. in the Family Center of Saint Joseph on
the Brandywine Church, 10 Old Church Road in
Greenville, Delaware. The exhibit will feature
dozens of items and documents going back to the
1600s when the first Catholic Europeans arrived in
present-day Delaware and the Eastern Shore of
Maryland. It is free and open to the public.

Mass Intentions



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Saturday (2/2)

5:00p St Paul Parishioners

6:30p +Marisol Mercado

Sunday (2/3)

9:00a St Paul Parishioners

10:30a +Asunción Ramos

7:00p St Paul Parishioners

Tuesday-Friday (2/5-2/8)

6:30p St Paul Parishioners

Saturday (2/9)

5:00p St Paul Parishioners

6:30p St Paul Parishioners

Sunday (2/10)

9:00a St Paul Parishioners

10:30a +Julia Silva

7:00p St Paul Parishioners

SUNDAY OFFERING



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January 19-20, 2019 Offerings

Amount Needed First Collection	\$3,500.00
Actual Collection	<u>\$2,604.00</u>
Amount Under	\$896.00
Supporting Our Parish Campaign	\$100.00
Catholic University	\$482.00
Altagracia Mass	\$60.00
Fuel & Heat	\$28.00
Maintenance	\$7.00
All Souls	\$5.00
Christmas	\$5.00



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PLEASE MAKE YOUR DONATION COUNT

Please become a registered parishioner. Being a registered parishioner will help St. Paul's and help you in many ways. For example, many people ask for parish letters for immigration or taxes. In order for us to write such a letter you need to be a registered parishioner. This information is private and it is share with others only if you request it. There is a short parishioner registration form at the end. Please fill one out.

TU DONACIÓN CUENTA

Por favor, sea un feligrés registrado. Al ser un feligrés registrado, ayuda a la Iglesia y se ayuda usted mismo. Si necesita alguna carta para inmigración, documentos legales, prueba de dirección, para entrar en escuela católica y recibir la cuota baja o para propósitos de impuestos, debe estar registrado para poder recibir dicha carta. Esta información es privada y la compartimos solo si usted nos da la autorización. Encontrará un formulario pequeño al final de esta nota. Llene el formulario y sea parte de la familia de la Iglesia San Pablo.

**Register in Our Parish!!!
¡Regístrate en Nuestra Parroquia!**

**Saint Paul Parishioner's Registration Short Form
Formulario pequeño para ser miembro de San Pablo**

First & Last Name: _____
(Nombre y Apellido)

Address: _____
(Dirección)

Phone #: _____
(Número de teléfono)

**The Secretary will call for more information
(La Secretaria los llamará por más información.)**

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