

THE PARISHES OF  
**SAINT MATTHEW & CORPUS CHRISTI**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2021**  
**REV. FR. MICHAEL P. DARCY, K. H. S., PASTOR**

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**MASS TIMES**

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

Tuesday, Thursday, and  
Saturday | 8:30am  
Wednesday | Calix Society  
6:15pm

**WEEKEND MASSES**

Saturday | 5:00pm  
Sunday | 7:30am & 9:00am

**CONFESSIONS**

Saturday | 4:00 - 4:45pm  
or by appointment

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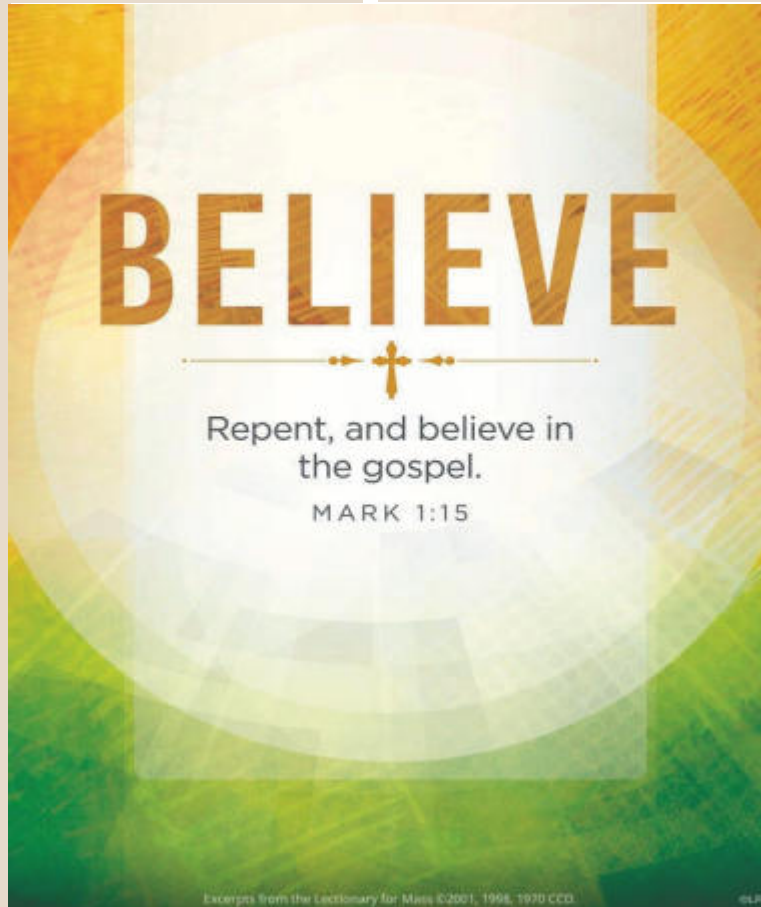
Mrs. Annie Adams

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Mrs. Debbie A. Ciafre  
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302-275-8717  
St. Matthew School Building

**ADMINISTRATOR**

Mrs. Rosemarie DeLong  
admin@stmatthewsde.com



*Loving Father,  
reveal to me  
my great worth and  
how I am to serve you  
in this life  
so as to rejoice with  
you in heaven,  
where all temptations  
will have been  
vanquished.*

**MASS TIMES**

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

Monday, Wednesday, and  
Friday | 8:30am

**WEEKEND MASSES**

Saturday | 4:00pm  
Sunday | 8:30am & 10:30am

**CONFESSIONS**

Saturday | 3:00pm - 3:45pm  
or by appointment

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Mr. Andre Wilburn

**PARISH OFFICES**

901 E. Newport Pike  
Wilmington, DE 19804

**OFFICE HOURS**

9am-3pm Monday, Wednesday  
St. Matthew

9am-3pm Tuesday, Thursday  
Corpus Christi

**Offices closed on Friday**

## DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

### Corpus Christi

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20

4:00PM—*Gaetano & Maria Ciarlo*

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21

8:30AM—*Pro Populo*

10:30AM—*Mass Available*

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

8:30AM—*Thomas Kelly*

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

8:30AM—*Phyllis & Edward McCarthy*

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26

8:30AM—*Marian Pelan*

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

4:00PM—*Pro Populo*

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

8:30AM—*Helen Carney*

10:30AM—*John & Natalie Bonvetti*

#### † The Sanctuary Lamp †

Parishioners may request a Sanctuary Lamp in the Church to burn for 1 week in memory or in honor of a loved one.

Intentions will be posted in the weekly bulletin. Please contact the Parish Office to schedule a Votive Memorial.

### St. Matthew

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20

8:30AM—*Robert Satterfield*

5:00PM—*Genevieve Riley*

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21

7:30AM—*Pro Populo*

9:00AM—*Walter Davis*

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

8:30AM—*Robert Satterfield*

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

6:15PM—*those suffering from addiction  
Both living and deceased*

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

8:30AM—*Ron Caldwell*

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26

3:00PM—STATIONS OF THE CROSS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

8:30AM—*Robert Satterfield*

5:00PM—*Albert Mirto*

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

7:30AM—*Jackie Witzman*

9:00AM—*Pro Populo*

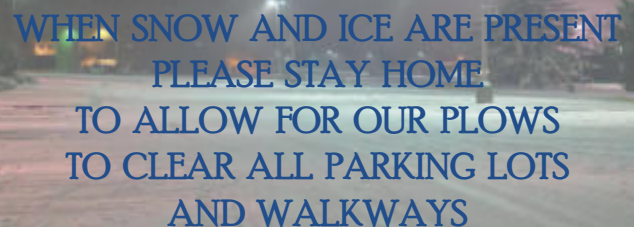
#### † The Sanctuary Lamp †

In loving memory of **Genevieve Riley** requested by the Jennie Pajerowski.

### 2020 TAX DONATIONS

IF YOU WOULD LIKE A COPY OF YOUR 2020 TAX CONTRIBUTION, PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE AT 994-2922 OR 633-5850.

PLEASE NOTE THAT ANY 2020 CONTRIBUTION POSTED AFTER JANUARY 1 WILL BE RECORDED AS A 2021 CONTRIBUTION.



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OF THE BULLETIN



# PARISH NEWS & INFORMATION



*Michael Marro  
Dolores Patterson  
St. Matthew*

*Doris Murphy  
Corpus Christi*

**PLEASE SEND  
YOUR WEEKLY ENVELOPES  
TO THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS**

**Corpus Christi / St. Matthew Church  
901 E. Newport Pike  
Wilmington, DE 19804**



## Religious Education

**CORPUS CHRISTI AND ST MATTHEW  
CHURCH  
CCD PROGRAM 2021**

SERVING CHILDREN IN  
KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE 8

**St. Matthew Church**

**\*Tuesday, February 23  
6:20PM—CCD School**

**\*Tuesday, March 2  
6:20PM—CCD School**

**\*Thursday, March 4  
6:30PM—Confer. Rm  
Confirmation S/C**

**\*Saturday, March 6  
10:00AM-8:30PM—Retreat**

**St. Matthew School building  
901 E. Newport Pike**

Contact: Debbie Ciafre at 302-275-8717  
religioused@corpuschristide.com

**Stations of the Cross  
Friday during Lent at 3:00pm  
at St. Matthew R.C. Church**



**Every Sunday Morning  
@ 10:30AM  
WEBSITE LINK WILL BE SENT TO  
YOUR EMAIL VIA FLOCKNOTES  
OR VISIT STMATTHEWSDE/YOUTUBE**

# CORPUS CHRISTI & ST. MATTHEW PARISH INFORMATION

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

**Infant to 6 years of age** Registered parishioner parents must attend the one-hour Baptism class held in the Church. Pre-registration is required, please call the parish office.

### Adults or Children 7 years or Older

The normal process is the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). Please contact Debbie A. Ciafre at [religioused@corpuschristide.com](mailto:religioused@corpuschristide.com)

## SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples who are planning to marry must contact the parish priest or deacon **AT LEAST 6 WEEKS** before the potential wedding date.

## HOSPITAL/NURSING HOME

If your loved one would like to receive Holy Communion, please let admissions know so they can be put on the list. If Anointing of the Sick is required, notify hospital chaplain first

## HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

If you or a loved one is sick or cannot come to Church & would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact the parish office to schedule a home visit.

## NEW MEMBERS

Please contact the parish office for a registration form.

## CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH COMMITTEES

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** Blessed Sacrament Council meets the 1st Monday of the month at 7PM in the Church

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL** Those living in the Town of Elsmere call 598-6599. Open Monday evenings at 6:15PM.

**MONTHLY DEVOTIONS** First Friday of the month Sacred Heart.

**PRAYER GROUP** 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month from 7P to 8PM in the Chapel. Contact Marianne at 998-0010

**ROSARY** Weekdays following morning Mass at CC & STM. Saturday, before 4PM Mass at Corpus Christi.

**EMMANUEL DINING** Contact Angelo D'Amico at 998-2091 or Sheila McMahon at 998-5620.

## ST. MATTHEW PARISH COMMITTEES

**FOOD PANTRY** Mon., Tues., & Thurs., 10am to 2pm. Wed., 6pm to 8pm. Call 302-428-1247

**B.V.M SODALITY** Contact Barbara Becker Graham at: [bbg@schaffnerholdings.com](mailto:bbg@schaffnerholdings.com)

**ACTIVITY COMMITTEE** Contact Colette Ratsep Horkey at: [cratsep@aol.com](mailto:cratsep@aol.com)

**EMMANUEL DINING** Contact Carol Monaghan at: [carolkmonaghan@aol.com](mailto:carolkmonaghan@aol.com)

**POWER OF PRAYER** If you have an intention or would like to join the prayer chain group, please contact: [lodonnell12@verizon.net](mailto:lodonnell12@verizon.net) or call 302-994-5117.

## CATECHETICAL DAY – MARCH 20, 2021 WITH BISHOP W. FRANCIS MALOOLY

- ***All who serve in the Catechetical Ministry are welcome to attend!***

Registration Packet:

[cdow.org/fresh/wp-cont...](http://cdow.org/fresh/wp-cont...)

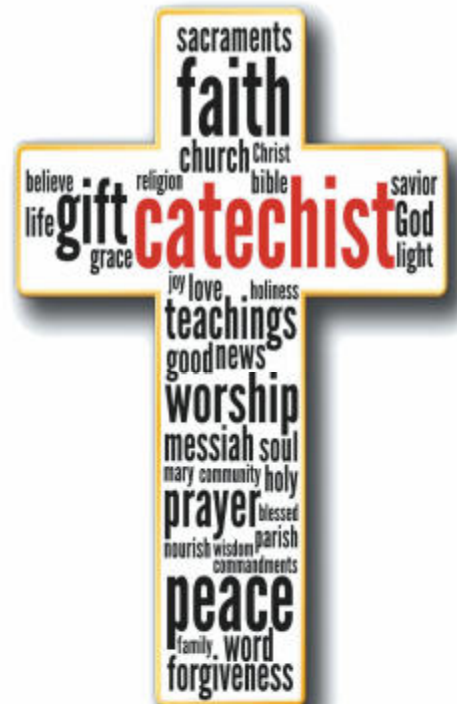
Register Online:

[cdowcym.wufoo.com/form...](http://cdowcym.wufoo.com/form...)

- Registration deadline is February 26, 2021.
- ***Some highlights of the day!***
- D/CREs and Catechists celebrating anniversary years of service will be honored via a live presentation.
- Award recipients are encouraged to upload their pictures for Inclusion in the presentation. *Please note: certificates signed by the Bishop will be mailed to each recipient following Catechetical Day.*
- Bob McCarty, D. Min. is the keynote speaker and will lead participants in two spiritual and professional development sessions.
- A Young Adult Panel will share their real experiences of faith and discipleship.

### ***Office for Religious Education Contact Information:***

Linda Jackson, Assistant to the Director,  
at [LJackson@cdow.org](mailto:LJackson@cdow.org) or [302-573-3130](tel:302-573-3130).



# LENTEN GUIDELINES

## ASH WEDNESDAY

### LENT BEGINS

#### WHAT IS LENT?

The *40-day period* from Ash Wednesday and before Easter Sunday. It is marked by praying, fasting, abstinence, and other acts of penance.

PRAYING ||||| FASTING ||||| ABSTINENCE



#### WHAT IS FASTING?



One meal a day, and two smaller meals which if added together would not exceed one full meal

#### WHAT IS ABSTINENCE?



Abstinence is refraining from eating meat. Meat is considered to be the flesh and organs of mammals and fowl.

#### DAYS OF FAST?

Ash Wednesday

Good Friday

#### DAYS OF ABSTINENCE?

Ash Wednesday

All Fridays of Lent

Good Friday

#### WHO ARE REQUIRED?

Catholics from age < 18 to 59 >



The sick are excused from fasting

#### WHO ARE REQUIRED?

Mandatory for everyone



older than 14 years old





GIRL SCOUT COOKIES

WILL BE SOLD

OUTSIDE OF

ST. MATTHEW CHURCH

FOLLOWING THE

5:00PM,

7:30AM & 9:00AM

MASSES

ON

FEBRUARY 27 & 28



**NEEDED FOR PANTRY**

Breakfast bars, complete pancake mix, syrup, beef stew, corned beef hash, beef stew, canned roast beef, sloppy joe, spam, soups, crackers, sugar, spices, flour, dry milk, ketchup, butter, oil, cooking spray

Mon-Tue-Thu—10am to 2pm / Wed— 6pm to 8pm

Call 428-1247 or Debbie Steinbrunner @ 994-5225

Located at 901 E. Newport Pike

**FOOD COLLECTION CONTAINERS ARE LOCATED INSIDE EACH CHURCH DOOR**



**NEEDED FOR PANTRY**

canned meats/tuna fish, pasta, spaghetti sauce, cereal, juices, tea, coffee, jelly, salad dressing, rice, beans, peanut butter and jelly/jam, toilet paper, paper towels, dish/hand soap.

**NON-PERISHABLE ITEMS ARE NOT DISTRIBUTED UNTIL MONDAY EVENING**

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