

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

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 2022**

**REV. FR. MICHAEL P. DARCY, K. H. S., PASTOR**

**ST. MATTHEW R. C. CHURCH**

901 E. Newport Pike  
Wilmington, DE 19804

302-633-5850 Monday & Wednesday phone  
www.stmatthewsde.com

**CORPUS CHRISTI R. C. CHURCH**

903 New Road  
Wilmington, DE 19805

302-994-2922 Tuesday & Thursday phone  
www.ccp parishwilmington.org

**STM 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

**CLERGY**

Rev. Fr. William M. Hazzard  
(retired)

**PERMANENT DEACONS**

Mr. Harold R. Chalfant  
(retired)

Mr. William A. Kaper

Mr. Sean M. Sudler

Dr. Michael T. Wilber

**MUSIC DIRECTOR**

Mrs. Annie Adams

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

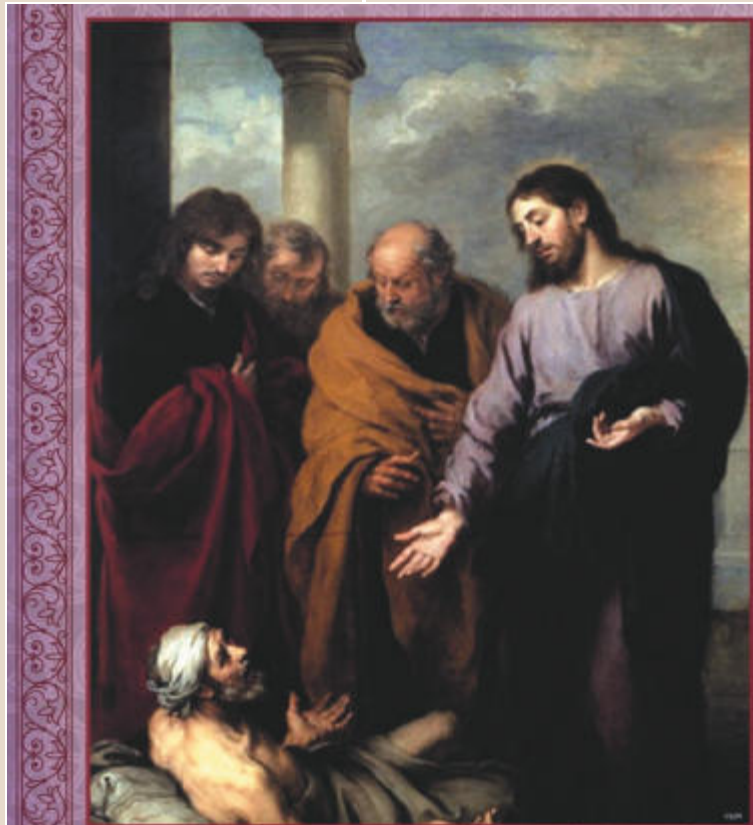
Mrs. Debbie A. Ciafre  
religiously@  
corpuschristide.com

302-275-8717

St. Matthew School Building

**ADMINISTRATOR**

Mrs. Rosemarie DeLong  
admin@stmatthewsde.com



**3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY** *in ordinary time*

"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me  
to bring glad tidings to the poor." - Lk 4:18a

Copyright © 2001, 1998, 1970 CCB

*Most glorious Eternal Word,  
I thank You for the wonderful gift of Sacred Scripture.  
Thank You for all that You have revealed  
through this gift and for the way that You used  
the human author for the transmission of Your life.  
Help me to always be open to Your divine Word  
and to always be open to becoming a living presence  
of that Word in our world.*

**CC 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

**PERMANENT DEACONS**

Mr. David M. DeGhetto

Mr. Sean M. Sudler

**MUSIC DIRECTOR**

Mrs. Susan Dunlap

**SECRETARY/BOOKKEEPER**

Mrs. Cynthia DeGhetto

secretary@

stmatthewsde.com

secretary@

corpuschristide.com

**MAINTENANCE**

Mr. Andre Wilburn

**PARISH OFFICES**

901 E. Newport Pike  
Wilmington, DE 19804

**OFFICE HOURS**

9am-3pm  
Monday thru Thursday

**OFFICES CLOSED ON FRIDAY**

**ST. MATTHEW & CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH OFFICES ARE LOCATED AT 901 E. NEWPORT PIKE**

## DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

### Corpus Christi

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 22**

4:00PM—*Ronald Ciafre*

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 23**

8:30AM—*Michael Schaal*

10:30AM—*Pro Populo*

**MONDAY, JANUARY 24**

8:30AM—*Justin Parker*

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26**

8:30AM—*James Trotto*

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 28**

8:30AM—*Anthony Gruszczynski*

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 29**

4:00PM—*Robin DelleDonne*

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 30**

8:30AM—*Betty Bogucki*

10:30AM—*Pro Populo*

† **The Sanctuary Lamp** †

In loving memory of

***Patricia Olazagasti***

requested by the Perregrino, Drummond &  
Goverts families.

### St. Matthew

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 22**

8:30AM—*Jimmy Little*

5:00PM—*Barbara Pantano*

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 23**

7:30AM—*Pro Populo*

9:00AM—*Larry Manges*

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 25**

8:30AM—*Mary Ann Rathmanner*

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26**

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

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 27**

8:30AM—*James Fetters*

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 29**

8:30AM—*Lucy Horgan*

5:00PM—*Pro Populo*

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 30**

7:30AM—*Fr. Phillip Sheekey*

9:00AM—*Robert Conomon*

† **The Sanctuary Lamp** †

In loving memory of

***John Ratsep***

requested by Colette Horkey.

PLEASE SEND YOUR WEEKLY ENVELOPES  
AND AUTOMATIC BANK WITHDRAWS  
TO THE PARISH OFFICE

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

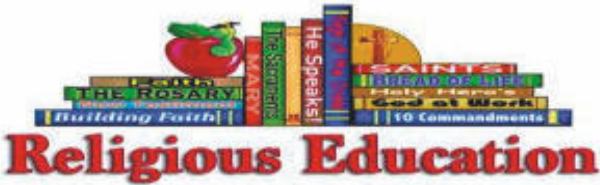
**WHEN SNOW AND ICE ARE  
PRESENT PLEASE STAY HOME  
TO ALLOW FOR OUR PLOWS  
TO CLEAR ALL PARKING LOTS  
AND WALKWAYS**



**Every Sunday Morning @ 10:30AM  
WEBSITE LINK WILL BE SENT TO YOUR  
EMAIL VIA FLOCKNOTES  
OR VISIT STMATTHEWSDE/YOUTUBE  
[PLEASE MAKE SURE WE HAVE YOUR  
CURRENT E-MAIL TO RECEIVE LINK]**



# PARISH NEWS & INFORMATION



**CORPUS CHRISTI AND ST MATTHEW CHURCH**  
**CCD PROGRAM 2021/2022**  
**SERVING CHILDREN IN KINDERGARTEN—GRADE 8**

### SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Jan 25      CCD 6:20PM School  
Tuesday, Feb 1      CCD 6:20PM School  
Thursday, Feb 3      6:30PM Conference Rm.  
Confirmation S/C

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

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



## Trustees

**Elections for Trustees**  
**at St. Matthew**

**Sunday, Jan. 23 after the 9:00 Mass**

**Elections for Trustees**  
**at Corpus Christi**

**Sunday, Jan. 30 after the 10:30 Mass**

Qualifications for a Trustee:

- A trustee must be a parish member, a practicing Catholic, and at least 25 years of age.
- Priests, deacons, and religious assigned to the parish are not eligible to serve as a trustee.
- State law requires that trustees be elected every year. Trustees serve until their successors are elected.
- Trustees may not hold office on the Parish Councils nor should they serve as chairpersons of parish committees.

### ST. MATTHEW'S (C.A.R.E)

#### CONTINUING ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

C.A.R.E. Meets Thursday evenings at 7:00pm  
in the conference room  
on the first floor of the school.

Please park in the church parking lot and enter  
through the school door.

The room is located at the end of the hallway.

New participants are ALWAYS welcome!!

This year we will be watching and reflecting on the  
series "The Chosen."

For additional information please contact  
Marguerite – margapiano@yahoo.com

### 2021 TAX DONATIONS

IF YOU WOULD LIKE A COPY  
OF YOUR 2021 TAX CONTRIBUTION,  
PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE AT  
994-2922 OR 633-5850.  
PLEASE NOTE THAT ANY 2021 CONTRIBUTION POST-  
ED AFTER JANUARY 1  
WILL BE RECORDED AS A 2022 CONTRIBUTION.





# CORPUS CHRISTI ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

*Thank you for your continued generosity.*

## **NEEDED FOR PANTRY**

**canned meats/tuna fish, pasta, spaghetti sauce,  
canned vegetables, especially peas, corn & string beans,  
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**

Pantry Open: NEW HOURS Monday evenings from 5:30pm to 6:15pm Call 598-6599

*SERVICING THE RESIDENTS OF THE TOWN OF ELSMERE AND WILLOW RUN*

Located at 905 New Road, use rear door facing school building.

## **St. Matthew Food Pantry**

### **THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.**

With our new **“Pop in and Shop”** program we have been very busy and are presently having a problem keeping our shelf’s stocked. The program allows the client to better meal plan and stops waste.

### **We are looking for consistent shoppers.**

To be a consistent shopper you would pick one or two items from our list and donate those items on a regular basis. If you are interested, please call the pantry at 302-428-1247 and let us know that you are interested and what item you would like to contribute regularly.

**WE ARE CURRENTLY IN NEED OF THE FOLLOWING:** Canned Roast beef, Corned beef hash, Beef stew, Spam, Tuna, Chili, Chicken breast

**OTHER ITEMS:** Sugar, Mayonnaise, Spices, Salad dressing, Coffee, Tea, Creamer, Chicken or beef broth, Jar of spaghetti sauce, any kind of fresh bread, any kind of boxed bread mix, Knorr sides, Hamburger helper

## **COVID-19 GUIDANCE FOR THE DIOCESE OF WILMINGTON EFFECTIVE JANUARY 6, 2022**

In response to the rising numbers of positive COVID-19 cases, particularly the Omicron variant, the Diocese of Wilmington is issuing new COVID-19 protocols for all parishes effective January 6, 2022.

- Clergy and volunteers are **STRONGLY ENCOURAGED**, to obtain COVID-19 vaccinations and boosters.
- Clergy and Liturgical ministers at all parishes are encouraged to wear masks, except when speaking publicly.
- Parishes are to encourage all attendees to be masked while attending Mass.
- Mass attendees over the age of 5 who are not vaccinated for COVID-19 must wear a mask.
- o No parish should be checking the vaccine status of those attending Mass, but rely on the individual’s compliance with these guidelines
- Ministries and non-liturgical parish activities should be carefully evaluated and, if possible, held virtually or with limited contact.
- o This effort includes third-party use of facilities, such as Scouts, community groups, etc.
- o Parishes should consider rescheduling in-person social gatherings scheduled for January or February to later in the year.

## IN MEMORIAM



St. Matthew  
Michael F. Burns  
Corpus Christi  
Donald A. Cote



**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK**  
**JAN. 30—FEB. 5**

Catholic Schools Week is a celebration across the nation of the outstanding quality, Catholic education available to students.

Through special liturgies, a variety of programs, open houses, and special events schools focus on the value Catholic education provides to young people and their contributions to our Church, community, and nation.

### **Many Gifts, One Nation: A Day of Giving to Catholic Schools**

Support quality Catholic education through a contribution to a local Catholic school of your choice. Every gift remains with the school where the contribution is given for tuition assistance, school resources, or special programs.



Do you or someone you know need help paying for housing or utilities?

Assistance with overdue or currently due bills is available.

CONTACT: the Delaware State Housing Authority.  
Visit [decovidhousinghelp.com](http://decovidhousinghelp.com) or call 866-935-0407 for more information.

## ST. CLARE MOBILE OUTREACH VAN JANUARY 2022

**Corpus Christi Social Hall**  
**820 Kirkwood Highway**  
**Elsmere, DE 19805**

At this time the Medical Van will not be on the road until further notice. Sadly our provider will no longer be with us and at this time we are looking for a replacement. We hope and pray we can find one soon. Please if you have a client that needs to be seen by a provider have them call our St Clare Van Numbers or you can call me directly if you have any questions.

Thank you and we appreciate your understanding and patience during this time.

I will keep everyone up to date.

Thank You, Vilma

**PLEASE CALL TO CONFIRM: 302.575.8218 |**  
**ESPANOL SOLAMENTE: 302.575.8222**

# Birthright

## BIRTHRIGHT BOTTLES FOR BABIES FUNDRAISER

Birthright of Delaware is so grateful for your generous support of our Bottles for Babies Fundraiser 2021. Just know that St Matthews raised \$660.06 so far. We are expecting straggler bottles to trickle in, at that point, we will continue to add to your total.

**\*Final amounts will be posted in the Spring Newsletter\***

**Thank you for sharing in our work of serving mothers and their babies! We really appreciate EVERY one of you! If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at any time 302-656-7080!**

Tinisha Brown  
Executive Director  
Birthright of DE

A BIBLICAL  
**WALK**  
THROUGH THE  
**MASS**



**DATES—TIMES—LOCATION**

**SUNDAYS, FEB. 27—APRIL 3**

6:30—8:00PM

CORPUS CHRISTI CHURCH  
GATHERING AREA

**TUESDAYS, MARCH 1—APRIL 5**

10:00—11:30AM

ST. MATTHEW CONFERENCE ROOM

**COST—REGISTRATION**

WORKBOOK—\$33.00 (includes shipping)  
Order online—[ascensionpress.com](http://ascensionpress.com)  
(A Biblical Walk Through the Mass Study Set)

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

TO REGISTER:  
CONTACT: DEBBIE CIAFRE  
CELL: 302.275.8717  
[RELIGIOUSED@CORPUSCHRISTIDE.COM](mailto:RELIGIOUSED@CORPUSCHRISTIDE.COM)

*Discover the Beauty,  
the Riches, and the Profound  
Meaning of the Mass*

Everything we say and do in the Liturgy is steeped in biblical language. A *Biblical Walk Through the Mass* explores the extraordinary biblical roots of the Liturgy and reveals what it all means and why it all matters. This fascinating tour of the Mass will renew your faith and deepen your love for and devotion to the Holy Eucharist.



*"We need to recommit ourselves to the central act of our faith with passion and joy. This marvelously written aid will help us join ourselves to the Lord as he offers himself to the Father in the Sacrifice of the Mass."*

*-Most Reverend Charles J. Chaput, OFM Cap.,  
Archbishop Emeritus of Philadelphia*



Visit [ascensionpress.com](http://ascensionpress.com) to learn more!

January 2022 - Priest Mass Schedule – Subject to Change without Notice -- St. Matthew's/Corpus Christi Churches

	<b>4:00pm <u>Corpus</u></b>	<b>5:00pm <u>St. Matthews</u></b>	<b>7:30am <u>St. Matthews</u></b>	<b>8:30am <u>Corpus</u></b>	<b>9:00am <u>St. Matthews</u></b>	<b>10:30 <u>Corpus</u></b>
Jan. 1/2	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Darcy
Jan. 8/9	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Hazzard
Jan. 15/16	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Darcy
Jan. 22/23	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Hazzard
Jan 29/30	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Darcy	Fr. Hazzard	Fr. Darcy

St. Matthews Daily Mass Schedule at 8:30am

	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
Jan 3-8	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Hazzard
Jan 10-15	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Hazzard
Jan 17-22	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Hazzard
Jan 24-29	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Hazzard

Corpus Christi Daily Mass Schedule at 8:30am

	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
Jan 3-7	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Hazzard	~
Jan 10-14	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Hazzard	~
Jan 17-22	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Hazzard	~
Jan 24-28	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Darcy	~	Fr. Hazzard	~
Jan 31	Fr. Darcy					



**DELCOLLO ELECTRIC** INC.

**(302) 994-3400**

Trouble shooting and Repairs  
Electrical Up-grades

Residential - Commercial - Industrial

**DELCOLLO SECURITY**

**(302) 994-5400**

Security - Surveillance Systems  
Fire Alarms - Access Control

**DOHERTY FUNERAL HOMES**  
WILMINGTON PIKE CREEK

**& CREMATION SERVICES**

Family Owned & Operated | Since 1896

**Wilmington**  
1900 Delaware Avenue  
Wilmington, DE 19806  
302-652-6811

**Pike Creek**  
3200 Limestone Road  
Wilmington, DE 19808  
302-999-8277



## NEVER MISS A BULLETIN !

Sign up to have our weekly parish bulletin emailed to you at [www.parishesonline.com](http://www.parishesonline.com)



The Anthony Sianni Team



**Jade Ruff**  
REALTOR®

302-290-5988 cell  
jade.ruff@foxroach.com  
jade.ruff.foxroach.com  
teamsianni.foxroach.com

## WE'RE HIRING

AD SALES EXECUTIVES

BE YOURSELF. BRING YOUR PASSION. WORK WITH PURPOSE.

- Work-Life Balance
- Full-Time with Benefits
- Serve Your Community
- Paid Training
- Some Travel



Contact us at: [careers@4lpi.com](mailto:careers@4lpi.com) | [www.4lpi.com/careers](http://www.4lpi.com/careers)

AVAILABLE FOR A LIMITED TIME!

ADVERTISE HERE NOW!

Contact **Renee Puchalski** to place an ad today!  
[rpuchalski@4LPi.com](mailto:rpuchalski@4LPi.com) or **(800) 477-4574 x6453**

### ADT-Monitored Home Security

Get 24-Hour Protection  
From a Name You Can Trust

- Burglary
- Fire Safety
- Flood Detection
- Carbon Monoxide



Authorized Provider

SafeStreets

1-855-225-4251

### Paula Di Netta, CMT Shiatsu Massage

TEXT OR CALL  
302-999-1000

Established 1998  
23 years experience  
All ages welcome!

[illuminata1998@gmail.com](mailto:illuminata1998@gmail.com)  
References given on request



*Dedicated to Integrity, Honesty, and Fairness  
Family Owned & Operated Since 1912*

703 North Broom Street ~ Wilmington, DE 19805  
(302) 652-5913

2509 Limestone Road ~ Wilmington, DE 19808  
(302) 654-3005

[www.mealeyfuneralhomes.com](http://www.mealeyfuneralhomes.com)

# SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS!



Ad info. 1-800-477-4574 • Publication Support 1-800-888-4574 • [www.4lpi.com](http://www.4lpi.com)

St. Matthew Parish, Wilmington, DE

03-1356