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UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM

Blue Hen Student Mass: 6:30 PM

Daily Mass: (Mon. – Fri.) 12:30PM

Confession

Tuesday: 5:30 – 6:30 PM

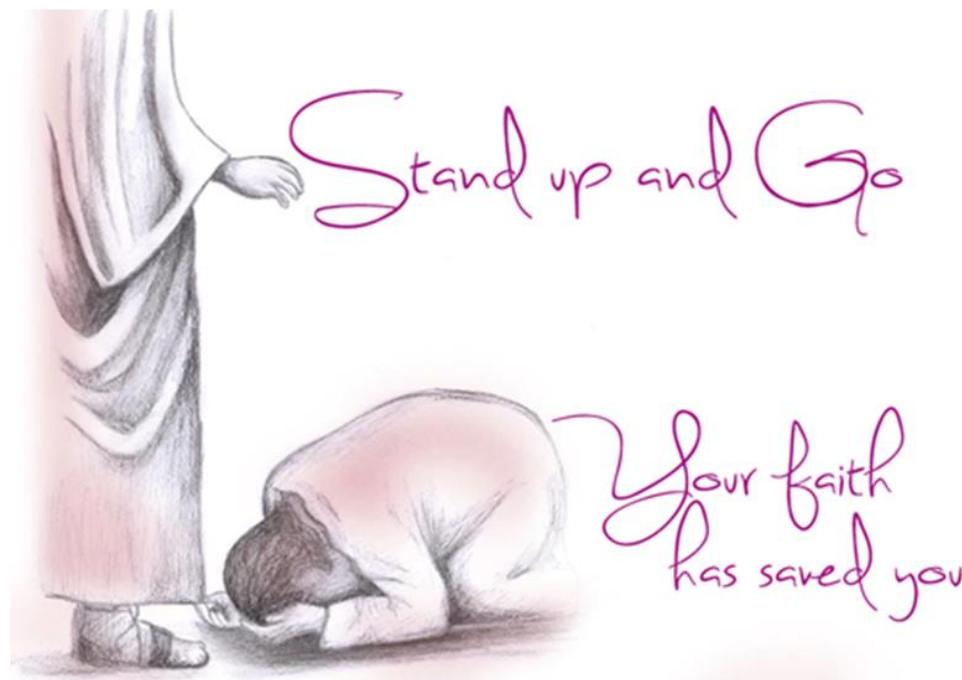
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Office Hours

Monday – Friday: 10 AM – 2 PM

or by appointment

OCTOBER 13, 2019
28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



We, the community of St. Thomas More Oratory, are the home of Catholic Campus Ministry at the University of Delaware. We are empowered by the Spirit and inspired by John Henry Newman's motto: *Heart Speaks to Heart* to reach out inclusively to make Jesus present to all who share their journey with us. We commit ourselves to the mission of Jesus Christ, which has been entrusted to us.

The St. Thomas More Oratory is administered by the Oblates of St. Francis De Sales, a congregation of priests and brothers dedicated to the spirit of St. Francis De Sales and their founder, Blessed Louis Brisson.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Taco Tuesday Talks – Tuesdays @ 6:30pm

Join us Tues. through 10/22 for student led talks over tacos

Parents & Family Brunch – October 20 @ 12:30pm

Pancakes, sausage, & Boston Market! All are welcome

Hayride & Bonfire – October 25 @ 9pm

Jump on the wagon and enjoy some s'mores and hot dogs

24 Hour Prayer Vigil – November 1 @ 5pm

Come spend a night at the O for the intentions of others

Free Dinner Fridays! – Fridays @ 6pm

Students, come enjoy a pasta dinner, every Friday at 6!

Please visit www.udcatholic.org for signups/details

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

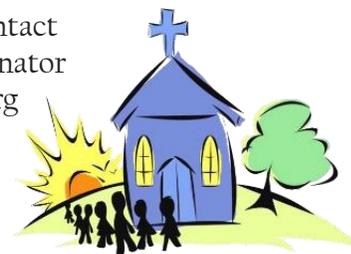
Upcoming Classes

October 20

October 27

November 3

For more information, contact
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24 Hour Prayer Vigil

UD students from Catholic Campus Ministry will be praying for the intentions of the Oratory and University community beginning at

5pm Friday, November 1st.

If you have intentions that you would like to be included, please fill out a prayer intention form either online or in the lobby and return it to the office. Vigil candles for intentions will also be available.

All are welcome to stop by and join us.



Thirst Reverse VI



Wednesday, November 13
at Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant

Enjoy a delicious meal at Iron Hill, present a Thirst Reverse card to your server, and 20% of your food bill will be donated to Water is Life all day!

Iron Hill will once again crafting their "Kenyan Quench" signature beer and donating \$1 of each pint as well.

Reservations highly recommended.
Hope to see you there to support a great cause!



PARKING NOTICE



The City of Newark has added metered parking on Lovett Ave. & Haines St. Due to this, all cars on Lovett Ave in front of the Oratory must now be parked on the opposite side of the street, and city parking rates will now apply. Parking will remain free from 7am to 1pm on Sundays and anytime with a handicap plate or placard displayed. Daily Mass parking will be allowed on the next block of Lovett & Haines during Mass time only, with a STMO placard displayed. Please contact the office for full details and to get a Daily Mass placard if needed.

Thank you for your flexibility!



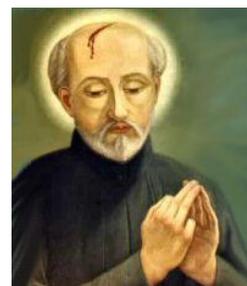
Due to a scheduling conflict, there will be **no Confession, Adoration, & Benediction**

Tuesday, October 15

Weekly Adoration & Confession will resume the following week.
We apologize for any inconvenience.



St. Isaac Jogues
Feast day: October 19



Born in Orleans, France, Isaac joined the Jesuits at a young age and was sent to his order's North American mission in 1636. He and Rene Goupil were captured and tortured by a band of Iroquois in 1642. Rene was killed and Isaac was held as a slave until his rescue by Dutch settlers. He returned to France, secured permission to continue saying Mass despite mutilated hands, and returned to Canada in 1644. He and John Lalande were tomahawked and beheaded by Huron Indians who invited them to a meal. These three and five others, the North American martyrs, are patron saints of Canada and North America. They share this feast and shrines in New York State and Ontario, Canada.

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READINGS

October 13th
2 Kings 5:14-17

28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Psalm 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 2 Timothy 2:8-13

Luke 17:11-19

October 20th
Exodus 17:8-13

29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Psalm 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2

Luke 18:1-8

OFFERTORY

This Month

October 2018

6 Oct 2019 \$5,641.00

7 Oct 2018 \$5,323.00

Year to Date
Goal for Fiscal Year
(7/1/19 – 6/30/20)

\$ 60,529.89
\$270,000.00

Next 2nd Collection

October 20, 2019
World Mission Sunday

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat.	Oct. 12	5pm	†Michael Lewandowski
Sun.	Oct. 13	9:30am	†José Loaiza
		11:30am	†Pat Barry
		6:30pm	St. Thomas More Oratory Community
Mon.	Oct. 14	12:30pm	†Kitty Ansaldo
Tues.	Oct. 15	12:30pm	Joe Stout
Wed.	Oct. 16	12:30pm	†Rosemary Wells
Thurs.	Oct. 17	12:30pm	†Joseph Tuan
Fri.	Oct. 18	12:30pm	All Souls in Purgatory
Sat.	Oct. 19	5pm	†George & Jeanne Hudson
Sun.	Oct. 20	9:30am	†Celia Gonzalez
		11:30am	†Chuck Ely
		6:30pm	St. Thomas More Oratory Community

Salesian Sunday Reflection Twenty-Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time



Today's readings emphasize gratitude. Gratitude is so much at the heart of Salesian Spirituality that St. Francis de Sales even makes it a part of his method of meditation. The following are some contemporary Salesian prayers of thankfulness:

Thank you, God, for making haste slowly with my soul lest it stumble, for replacing my anxiety and preoccupation with care and solicitude, and for reminding me that only one thing is necessary, trust in you.

Thank you, God, for all the gifts of this day. In my impatience to do it my way, you alone know how many times today I have stumbled over you without ever recognizing you. Thank you for your patience with me. May I let you do your part.

Thank you, God, for blessing my efforts, not caring whether they were great or small, done well or badly. It mattered only that I tried to do Your Will. That always is enough.

Thank you for responding to my anger with your gentleness, for answering my petty lies with your truth, for healing my wounds and those I have wounded.

Thank you for taking me by the hand this day. Thank you for a day filled with a thousand trivial trials and little opportunities, and for the strength I borrowed from you in those scattered moments when I recognized your presence and responded to it as best I could.

Thank you for planting, in all the corners of this day, tiny reminders of your presence, that is, gentle inspirations meant to blossom into love. Cultivate these inspirations in me all the days to come. Please don't stop now!

Thank you for walking with me, chatting with me and leading me gently through the garden of your love. Thank you for placing me in this garden where alone I will find you. *(Adapted from John Kirvan, Set Your Heart Free, Ave Maria Press, 1997)*

ONGOING PROGRAMMING

SUPPORT OUR TROOPS

If you have a family member serving in the armed forces or know a UD student or alum serving, please bring in a picture with the name & unit address of the soldier to include in our prayers. Please include the name and connection to the soldier for our display board.

ROSARY

MON 7:30 PM

Come join us in praying the Rosary before the Blessed Sacrament

PRAYER & MEDITATION

TUE 5:30 PM

Looking for some quiet prayer & meditation time during your busy day?

Stop by the O on Tuesdays from 5:30-6:30

5:30 – 6:30 Exposition & Adoration
5:30 – 6:30 Sacrament of Reconciliation
 Available
6:30 Benediction

BINGO OUTREACH

TUE 6:30 PM

The Jeanne Jugan Home is a retirement home in Newark run by the Little Sisters of the Poor. We volunteer our time by spending an hour playing bingo and talking with the residents. We leave from the Oratory at 6:30 and are back by 8:15PM.

BIBLE STUDY

WED 7:30 PM

Looking for a student Bible study? Join us as we look ahead to the Sunday scripture readings and discuss how they affect our lives. Stop by and share the challenges of living out the gospel on campus.

Student Leader: Jenn Wallach

COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY

WED 11AM

Community Bible Study meets weekly to look ahead at the Sunday readings. Join us Wednesday mornings throughout the semester. All are welcome! Contact the office for more information.

FAITH JOURNEY/ADULT CONFIRMATION

Need to receive the sacrament of Confirmation? Thinking about joining the Catholic Church? Sign-up online. Feel free to call or email with questions. Contact – udcatholic@gmail.com

OTHER INFORMATION

FOR THE SAKE OF GOD'S CHILDREN

For the Sake of God's Children is the safe environment program of the Diocese of Wilmington, designed to keep young people participating in ministry around the diocese free from harm. Participants include the Bishop, all priests, deacons, seminarians, religious, all lay employees and volunteers. For more information visit www.cdow.org and click the FSGC logo.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER – A GET-AWAY WEEKEND!!!

Why not give you and your spouse a weekend away from it all, a chance to talk and listen to that special someone who loves you? Enrich your relationship by attending this year's Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on November 1-3 in Rehoboth Beach, DE. To get more information, visit our website at www.wwmw-delmar.org or to register for the weekend, please call Tony and Linda Massino at 302-220-9833.

BIRTHRIGHT BOTTLES FOR BABIES

Throughout October, Birthright of Delaware will have its Annual Bottles for Babies Event. Bottles were distributed after all Masses October 5 & 6. Please fill the bottle with loose change, cash or checks and return them at the end of October or sooner. Proceeds benefit pregnant women and their infants.

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH 45TH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR:

Mark your calendars for the 45th Annual Parish Christmas Bazaar to be held at Immaculate Conception School, 452 Bow St. Elkton, MD 21921 on November 9th from 9am – 5pm and November 10th from 8am – 2pm. Join us to shop at over 60 crafters and vendor tables including jewelry, toys, décor, beauty products, clothing, scented candles, natural oils, handmade crafts, doll clothes, and much, much more! You will also enjoy raffles, silent auctions, kid's crafts, food, and, of course, Santa!! For more information, visit www.iccparish.org or contact office@iccparish.org.

DAUGHTERS OF CHARITY: COME & SEE

Single Catholic women ages 18-40 interested in a vocation as a Sister are invited to attend our Come & See weekend Oct. 25-27. The retreat will be held at the National Shrine of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton in Emmitsburg, MD. If interested, please contact: Sr. Regina Hlavac, DC, Vocation Director, 443-602-2511, dcvoc@doc.org, or register at <http://called2.be/CASENov18www.daughters-of-charity.com>