



CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY at the  
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: 12:30PM

Confession

Tuesday: 5:30 – 6:30 PM  
or by appointment

Office Hours

Monday – Friday: 10 AM – 2 PM  
or by appointment

APRIL 7, 2019



*Fifth*  
SUNDAY  
IN  
LENT

*“Do not lose courage in considering your own imperfections.”*  
~ St. Francis de Sales

# READINGS

**April 7<sup>th</sup>**  
Isaiah 43:16-21

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Psalm 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6

Philippians 3:8-14

John 8:1-11

**April 14<sup>th</sup>**  
Isaiah 50:4-7

**PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION**  
Psalm 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24

Philippians 2:6-11

Luke 22:14-23:56

## OFFERTORY

3 Mar 19	\$6,509.72
10 Mar 19	\$3,862.00
17 Mar 19	\$5,042.48
24 Mar 19	\$5,166.00
31 Mar 19	\$3,703.00

Year to Date	\$205,593.68
Goal for Fiscal Year (7/1/18 – 6/30/19)	\$270,000.00

**Next 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection**

April 19, 2019  
Holy Land – Good Friday

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### Upcoming Classes

April 14  
April 28  
May 5



**Mark your calendar!**  
Religious Ed Easter Party  
Sunday, April 14  
10:30 – 1:30

### PARENTS!!

While your children are busy hunting Easter eggs,  
come have fun hunting for clues  
with your fellow parents on Main Street!  
**CLUE Scavenger Hunt: April 14<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30 – 1:30**  
visit [www.udcatholic.org](http://www.udcatholic.org) for signups/details

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

**Free Dinner Fridays – Fridays @ 6pm**  
Students, come enjoy a pasta dinner every Friday at 6!

**Pancake Brunch – April 28 @ 12:30pm**  
Pancakes, sausage & all the fixins

**Wilmington Blue Rocks – May 3 @ 6pm**  
Come see the Blue Rocks take on the Carolina Mudcats!

**Oratory Formal – May 4 @ 8pm**  
Get fancy and come dance the night away with us

Please visit [www.udcatholic.org](http://www.udcatholic.org) for signups/details



## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE



Daily Mass: Mon – Wed @ 12:30 pm

### Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper @ 7:30 pm  
(Chapel will remain open until midnight for adoration)

### Good Friday

Stations of the Cross @ 12:00 pm  
Service: Seven Last Words of Christ @ 3:00 pm  
Celebration of the Lord's Passion @ 7:30 pm  
(Collection for the Holy Land Shrines)

### Holy Saturday

Easter Vigil @ 7:30 pm

### Easter Sunday

Mass – 9:30 am & 11:30 am & 6:30 pm



Bishop Malooly invites youth,  
young adults, and families from the  
Diocese of Wilmington to join  
together as we carry the diocesan  
pilgrimage cross as a representation  
of Jesus' entry to Jerusalem

**Saturday, April 13**  
**10am – 6:15pm**

Cost for the day is \$15 per person  
(or \$45 max per family)  
Lunch is NOT included.

The day begins with opening prayer and a concert  
featuring Ben Walther at 10:30 am, and concludes with the  
5pm Mass at St. Elizabeth Parish. Don't miss this great  
opportunity to wrap up your Lenten journey with  
hundreds of your peers.

## **2019 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL**

St. Thomas More Oratory was established as a parish in September 1975. The Oratory has been a focal point of Catholic journey and identity for many University of Delaware students who have benefited from our mission. As we celebrated the life of our founding pastor, Monsignor Michael Szupper in December 2017, we are reminded of the firm foundational work that was accomplished and that we are now entrusted to continue.

The Diocese of Wilmington has just completed celebrating 150 years of Catholic Faith, lived vibrantly and joyfully by many parishioners and parishes. It has been a journey begun long ago and now continues by our prayers and participation on so many levels and ministries. We know what courage and strength it took to create that history and we know that we will continue to create the present and vision for the future.

The Oratory exists in union with the Diocese of Wilmington and with our Bishop, Francis Malooly. Together, with our Shepherd, we are the Body of Christ in the Diocese of Wilmington called to Live Jesus through our kind words and compassionate actions, worship, prayer, stewardship and service.

Each year the Annual Catholic Appeal blesses us with the opportunity to reach out to people within the Diocese of Wilmington to provide many services and assist our brothers and sisters beyond the boundary of the Oratory. Through this yearly commitment, we focus not just on our university parish, but also on the needs of all who live within the diocese. This is the Christian way to Live Jesus. The Annual Catholic Appeal touches our heart to sincerely live in love and ministry to all. This year's theme is entitled, "As I have done for you, you should also do", taken from Holy Thursday's Gospel of St. John when he recounts Our Lord washing the feet of his Disciples.

This weekend (April 6-7) is Annual Catholic Appeal weekend. There will be a video message from Bishop Malooly and you will receive a brochure and a pledge card. Your pledge can be placed in the collection basket or mailed to the diocese using the envelope provided.

As your pastor, I thank you in advance for your gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal and the prayerful consideration you give to such an important decision. Your generosity to the Oratory and our diocese is always appreciated. Please continue to pray for the many people we serve at the University of Delaware. I will continue to hold you and your family members in daily prayer.

(Rev.) Edward F. Ogden, OSFS

Pastor

## ONGOING PROGRAMMING

### **ROSARY**

**MON 7:30 PM**

Come join us to pray 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 Jujan 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 7-8:30 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 Leaders: Mary Kate Prieto & Jenn Wallach

### **COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY** WED 11 AM

Community Bible Study meets weekly on Wednesdays from 11 – 12 to look ahead at the Sunday readings. Bible Study is led by Fr. Ed and welcome to all non-students. Call or email for more information: [udcatholic@gmail.com](mailto:udcatholic@gmail.com)

### **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](mailto:udcatholic@gmail.com)

### **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 and include in our prayers. Please include the name and connection to the soldier for our display board.

## 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](http://www.cdow.org) and click the FSGC logo.

### **CDOW LENTEN SERIES**

The Diocese of Wilmington is presenting "Holy Boldness: A Journey through Lent with Four American Saints," a Lenten series that will be distributed via digital video, radio broadcasts, and podcasts. Written and hosted by Fr. Rich Jasper, Associate Pastor of Saint Ann Church, the 4part series uses the lives & examples of 4 holy Americans to help listeners get the most out of Lent and prepare spiritually for the celebration of Easter. Presentations will debut on Sat. afternoons at 5p.m. on the CDOW YouTube channel, ([YouTube.com/DiocesefofWilm](https://www.youtube.com/DiocesefofWilm)) and Sun. mornings on Catholic Forum on WDEL (available via podcast at [cdow.org/CatholicForum](http://cdow.org/CatholicForum)) The series and additional Lenten resources are also available at [cdow.org/lent](http://cdow.org/lent).

### **LONGEST MARRIED COUPLE SEARCH!**

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is seeking nominations for the longest married couple in each state and the U.S. Please submit the couple's name, their wedding date and where they currently reside – plus a contact phone or email address of the individual nominating the couple to: email [bkberland@gmail.com](mailto:bkberland@gmail.com), Bryan and Karen Berland, 530 S. Academy, Guthrie, OK 73044, 405-850-4274, or at [wwme.org](http://wwme.org). All entries must be received by May 14th, 2019. Celebrate Marriage!

### **ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL**

*As I Have Done For You, You Should Also Do*

Once a year, our Bishop asks each of us to make a commitment to support the work of diocesan programs and ministries that provide services that no one parish can offer on its own. Your gift helps bring Christ to those who seek His presence - the poor, the sick, the distressed, children and elderly. This weekend you will be invited to participate in the 2019 Annual Catholic Appeal. Please respond by pledging a sacrificial gift to this important campaign. Learn more by visiting the diocesan website at [www.cdow.org](http://www.cdow.org); click "Giving" then "Annual Catholic Appeal."