

# Parish Directory

## Parish Center

82 Possum Park Road  
Newark, DE 19711

### Office Hours:

Weekdays: 9 AM – Noon, 1 PM – 4 PM  
6 PM - 9 PM

Saturday: 9 AM – Noon

**Parish Office:** 731-2200

**Website:** [www.stjohn-holyangels.com](http://www.stjohn-holyangels.com)

(Note: New Web Address)

**Fax:** 731-2434

Administrative Assistant: Annie Adams

**Parish Registration:** Please stop in at the Parish Office to complete registration form.

**Chaplain & Deacon Office:** 731-2439

Deacon: Charles Schaubert

Chaplain for Hispanic Ministry: Rev. Alan Reyna

**Business Office** 731-2208

Accountant: Bill Duffy

**Facilities/Maintenance** 731-2212

Director: James Kline

**Fremont Hall Rentals** 731-2431

Director: Elaine Montoro

**Hispanic Ministry** 731-2436

Deacon: Heriberto Rodriguez

Administrative Assistant: Pilar Carazo

**Holy Angels Athletic Association** 737-2435

Director: Charles Muzzi

**Holy Angels School** 731-2210

Office Hours:

School Days: 8 AM - 3 PM

Principal: Denise Winterberger

Administrative Assistants: Cindy Bartosik

Zina Walsh

**Liturgical Ministries** 731-2219

Coordinator: Amy Press

**Liturgical Music** 731-2435

Director: Stephen Adams

**Religious Education** 731-2209

Coordinators: Mary Alberici

Theresa Mancari

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** 731-2219

Coordinators: Susan & Fred Whitcraft

## Welcome!

We welcome all visitors this weekend, and hope you will enjoy being part of our parish family. We invite you to continue joining us each week at our liturgical celebrations.

### Our Mission Statement

**The Faith Community of St. John The Baptist-Holy Angels Parish** believes that we are empowered by the Holy Spirit to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to celebrate God's abiding presence among us.

**We believe** that Sacramental Worship is the source and summit of our Christian life, and that worshipping Jesus in union with the Father and the Holy Spirit is our highest calling.

**We believe** that God's creation is sacred and beautiful. We accept the responsibility to be stewards of all that God has entrusted to us, especially the gift of life itself.

**We believe** that, as brothers and sisters of Christ, we are called to live in peace. It is our responsibility to work for peace by seeking justice for all people.

**We believe** that we are called to proclaim the Gospel, by word and example, to the faithful, to those who have given up active participation in the Catholic Church, to those who have no church community, and to those who are seeking full communion with the Catholic Church.

The fulfillment of this mission is challenged by the geographic distance we encompass, and our large and ever-increasing membership and the diversity of needs among us.

Through the grace of God, may we be strengthened to fulfill this mission.

### Mass Intentions for the Week St. John Church

April 12	8:00 AM	Vincent Marra Sr.
April 13	8:00 AM	John Barry
April 14	8:00 AM	People of the Parish
April 15	8:00 AM	Deceased of the Lyons-Howell Family
April 16	8:00 AM	John F. Kinnaman
April 17	8:00 AM	Clarence Wendel
April 18	8:00 AM	Geraldine Fleming
	10:00 AM	Monica Peiffer

### Holy Angels Church

April 17	5:00 PM	Bill Howell
April 18	9:00 AM	Richard Bukay
	11:00 AM	Anna & Patrick Hughes
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias



### Eternal rest grant unto them...

Please remember in your prayers Robert J. Murphy and Sevearn J. Struyk. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

**April 11 – 17, 2010**

<b>Sunday:</b>	3:00 PM	Basket Bingo Spring Parish Spring Fundraiser – Fremont Hall
<b>Monday:</b>	9:30 AM 7:00 PM 7:00 PM 7:30 PM	Hispanic Moms Group – Parish Center Meeting Room 4 Baptismal Preparation Class – Holy Angels Church Pastoral Council – Parish Center Meeting Room 2 40+ Singles – Fremont Hall
<b>Tuesday:</b>	7:00 PM 8:00 PM	R.C.I.A. Neophytes – Holy Angels Church Conference Room Athletic Association Meeting – Joan Muzzi Athletic Building
<b>Wednesday:</b>	6:30 PM 7:00 PM 7:00 PM 7:30 PM	Cantor Practice – Holy Angels Church Music Room New Lector Training Workshop – Holy Angels Church Lectio Divina – Parish Center Meeting Room 3 Choir Practice – Holy Angels Church Music Room
<b>Thursday:</b>	7:00 PM 7:00 PM	Prayer Group – Holy Angels Church Salt & Light – Parish Center Meeting Room 1
<b>Friday:</b>	8:30 AM – 12:30 PM 7:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration – St. John Church Confirmation Rehearsal

**Basket Bingo**  
**Spring Parish Fundraiser**  
**Today (Sunday)!**  
**3:00 PM**  
**Fremont Hall**



**Doors open at 2:00 PM**

**Tickets: \$25 at the door**  
**(\$20 advance- call Annie 836-4103)**  
**Featuring 20 Games, 2 Specials,**  
**Door Prizes, Raffles, 50/50**  
**24 Beautiful Filled New & Retired Baskets!**

**A Special Welcome**

Our parish community extends a prayerful welcome to **Dianne Michelle Greer and Robert Karl Hill**, who were received into full communion in the Catholic Faith at the 11:00 AM Mass this morning at Holy Angels Church.

**Preview of This Week's Readings**

<b>Monday:</b>	Acts 4:23-31;	John 3:1-8
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Acts 4:32-37;	John 3:7b-15
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Acts 5:17-26;	John 3:16-21
<b>Thursday:</b>	Acts 5:27-33;	John 3:31-36
<b>Friday:</b>	Acts 5:34-42;	John 6:1-15
<b>Saturday:</b>	Acts 6:1-7;	John 6:16-21
<b>Sunday:</b>	Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41;	
	Revelation 5:11-14;	John 21:1-19

**Our Weekly Offertory**  
**April 3/4, 2010**

Parish Collection .....	\$22934
Easter Collection .....	11042
Holy Land Shrines (Good Friday) .....	1035
Capital Campaign .....	1032
Restoration & Expansion Fund .....	317
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$36360</b>

**April 4/5, 2009**

Parish Collection .....	\$28396
Easter Collection .....	13473
Holy Land Shrines (Good Friday) .....	1566
Capital Campaign .....	1588
Restoration & Expansion Fund .....	2459
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$47482</b>

**Silent Prayer Community**

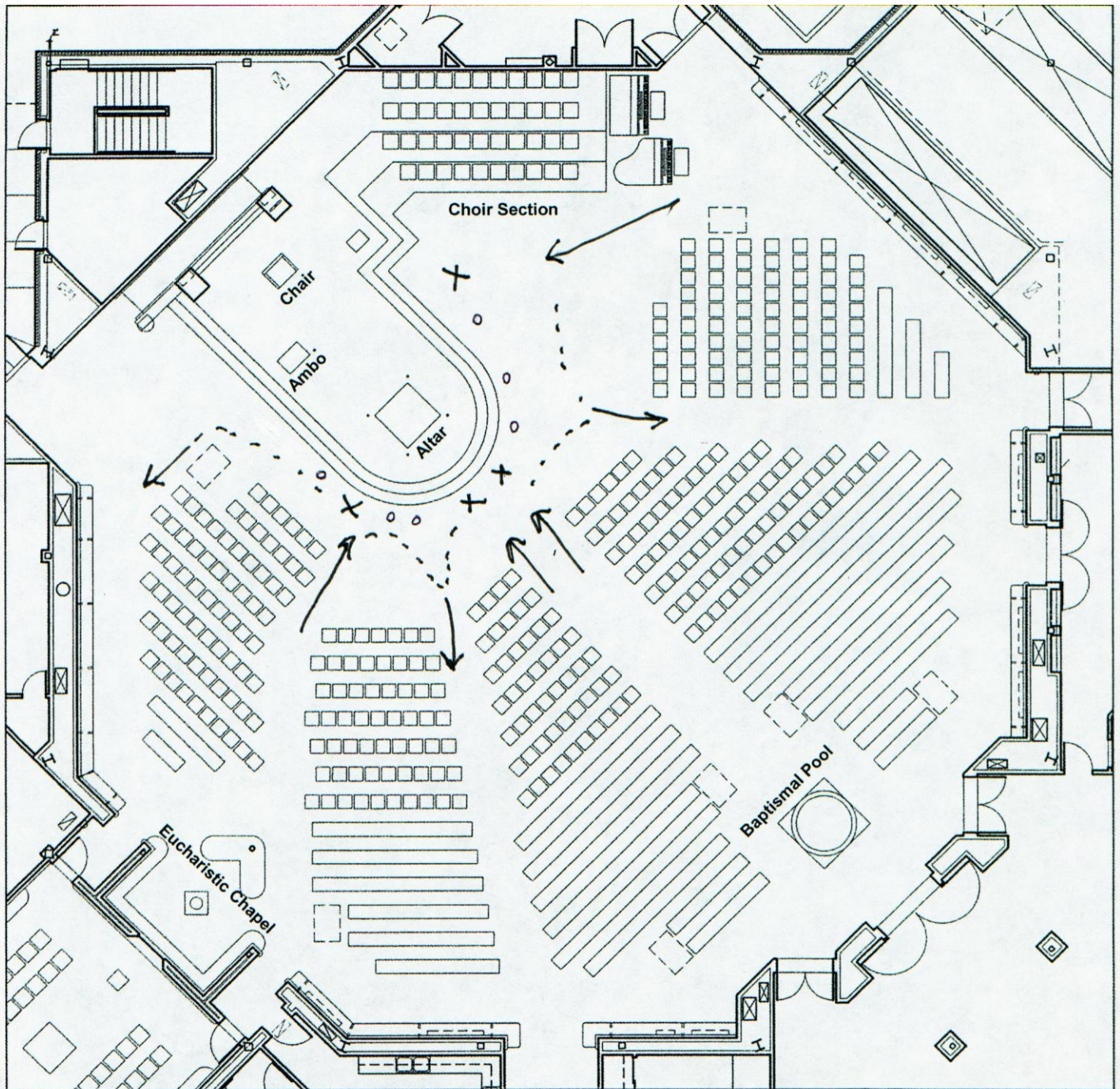
Our parish has a group of people who will earnestly pray for any needs that you might have. This is done anonymously via a telephone prayer chain. If you have a special need about which you need prayer, please call 894-0726, 731-4297, or 369-3330, and our members will pray for you.



## New Communion Patterns for Holy Angels Church effective April 10

There have been 2 major problems with the present arrangement of communion stations at Holy Angels: the large number of ministers needed and the traffic patterns. Hardly a celebration occurs when we're not missing at least 1 or 2 cup ministers. Fortunately, most of the time, volunteers come to our aid from the assembly. This doesn't work so well during the summer when there are a smaller number of people attending, and there are no additional ministers in the assembly. Other than the center aisle, the side aisles are generally not wide enough to have 2-way traffic. Also, because of the chairs, the aisles shift in size: sometimes larger, sometimes smaller.

To address these problems we have devised a new pattern, suggested by one of our ministers. All aisles will be 1-way, either approaching the altar, or returning from the altar. (Please see the differences below. "x" = bread station "o" = cup) There will be 4 bread stations and 6 cups. The cup ministers may see people approaching from 2 directions, so be aware of where people are coming from. The bread minister nearest the choir, and the adjoining cup will be the ministers to take communion to those older members seated around the perimeter of the church.



**Holy Angels School  
PreK4 Opening September 2010!**

**New Student Applications**

Information and applications are available either online at [www.holyangelsschool.org](http://www.holyangelsschool.org) or from the School Office, 731-2210. Students entering kindergarten must be 5 years of age by August 31, 2010. PreK4 must be 4 years of age by August 31, 2010.

Applications must include:

- 1) Birth Certificate
- 2) Baptismal Certificate
- 3) 2-page Application Form;
- 4) Recent Report Card/Testing
- 5) Non-refundable check of \$100.00

**New Lector Training Workshop**

"The Church never ceases to present to the faithful the Bread of Life taken from the Table of God's Word and Christ's Body." Come play a role in helping to present the Word to the people during liturgy.

A parish-wide Lector Workshop for those ages 10 and above who have an interest in training to become a Parish Lector will be held on Wednesday, April 14, at 7:00 PM in Holy Angels Church. The training will last approximately 1½ hours. Please do not just show up to training; please call and register so that we can contact you ahead of time if we need to cancel or move the time. Please call 731-2219 to register for the workshop or email [apress@holyanfels.net](mailto:apress@holyanfels.net).

**Hospitality Ministers Needed  
for Condolence Ministry**

Many of us have experienced the death of a loved one. It helps to know that your parish supports you when feel most alone. We have identified the need for hosts or greeters from the parish to be present during funeral liturgies.

However, our ability to serve the needs of the bereaved is limited by the size of our team. Please join our Condolence Ministry and help us bring comfort to those who grieve, as well as provide the welcoming presence of Christ to those who attend a funeral liturgy or viewing in our Church.

If you are able to serve as a Minister of Hospitality at funeral liturgies, please leave your name and contact information at the Office for Liturgical Ministries, 731-2219.

**Holy Angels Community Gardens  
Gardeners Wanted**

Our parish is planning a community garden at Holy Angels (area behind the Parish Center). The garden will include 10' x 16' plots that individuals, families or groups can lease for \$50.00. We would also like to include a community plot that will be used to donate fresh vegetables to needy families.

We need your input and involvement to launch this project and sustain it. If you are interested in leasing a plot or getting involved in any way, please contact Deacon Heriberto Rodriguez at 731-2436 or call the Parish Center, 731-2200.

**2010 Annual Catholic Appeal  
One in Heart & Mind with Jesus**

Next weekend, the 2010 Annual Catholic Appeal will be conducted in all parishes throughout the diocese. Funds from the Appeal help provide pastoral, charitable and educational ministries to tens of thousands of people in our 12-county diocese. As parishioners of St. John-Holy Angels, we are proud to be part of the Church of Wilmington. As members, it is important that we reach out and serve others by sharing our resources. Just as we are one in the Body of Christ, we must remember that we are one with other parishes and with our diocese. The Annual Catholic Appeal offers us the opportunity to all work together to care to the Church by sharing the gifts God has granted us.

Our parish Appeal target is \$117,000. Your financial support will assist us in reaching that goal. One hundred percent of the money collected above our target will be returned to the parish for our own ministerial needs.

Please give prayerful and thoughtful consideration to your resources and the needs of those served by the Annual Catholic Appeal. Kindly decide ahead of time the contribution that you wish to make this year, and come to Church next weekend prepared to offer your support.

To learn more about the Annual Catholic Appeal, look for the special campaign insert in this week's *Dialog*, or visit [www.cdow.org](http://www.cdow.org) and click on "Annual Catholic Appeal".

**Confirmation for Adults**

Baptized Adult Catholics who have received First Communion, but for some reason have never been confirmed, may receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Pentecost Sunday, May 23, at the Cathedral of St. Peter. Confirmation sessions for these adults begin this month. Please call Deacon Charles Schaubert, 731-2439, to register for these classes. Registration deadline is April 21.

**Where's The Choir?**

Our Choir will be singing at the 5:00 PM Mass at Holy Angels on Saturday, April 17<sup>th</sup>. If anyone is interested in joining any of our music ministries, please call 731-2435.

**Hearing Devices**

Devices for assistive listening are available at Holy Angels Church. Please stop in the Sacristy before Mass if you would like to use one of these.

**Maafa 21**

...is a stunning new feature-length movie that exposes a hidden plan to eliminate the African-American population in 21<sup>st</sup> Century America.

Abortion advocates speak of women's rights and privacy as reasons for legalization of abortion. This movie both explains and documents that eugenics is truly the driving force behind legalizing abortion.

You are invited to see Maafa 21 on Saturday, April 24 at the Parish Center. Please join us for coffee and donuts at 9:00 AM. To reserve a seat, call Bess McAneny at 593-7876.