

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 7	8:00 AM	Edward Wilkinson Jr.
	10:00 AM	John Muller
April 8	8:00 AM	Sodality Members, Living & Deceased
April 9	8:00 AM	Joseph D'Andrea
April 10	8:00 AM	Sodality Members, Living & Deceased
April 11	8:00 AM	People of the Parish
April 12	8:00 AM	Helen & John Cheddar
April 13	8:00 AM	Joseph D'Andrea
April 14	8:00 AM	Clarence Wendel
	10:00 AM	Irene Wnenchak

Holy Angels Church

April 6	5:00 PM	Edward Vangnoni
April 7	9:00 AM	Sodality Members, Living & Deceased
	11:00 AM	Irene Wnenchak
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias
April 13	5:00 PM	Rick Ott
April 14	9:00 AM	Lennard Novak
	11:00 AM	Thaddeus Kush
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias

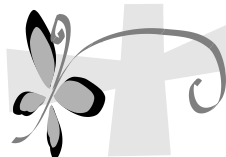
Welcome, New Parishioners!

We are pleased to welcome the following newly registered members to our parish community:

Alison & Steven Bruno & Family

A Special Welcome

Our parish community extends a prayerful welcome to the following persons who were received into full communion with the Church on Saturday, April 6, 2013.



William Blue
Jessica Renee Burns
Jennifer Erin (Taylor) Gracie

Preview of This Week's Readings

Monday:	Isaiah 7:10-14, 8:10; Luke 1:26-38	Hebrews 10:4-10
Tuesday:	Acts 4:32-37;	John 3:7b-15
Wednesday:	Acts 5:17-26;	John 3:16-21
Thursday:	Acts 5:27-33;	John 3:31-36
Friday:	Acts 5:34-42;	John 6:1-15
Saturday:	Acts 6:1-7;	John 6:16-21
Sunday:	Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; John 21:1-19	Revelation 5:11-14;

Calendar Lottery Winter 2013

Week 12 Winners: Congratulations to **Mary Cella, Donna Gustafson, Joseph Scarano, Tom & Marie Maiura and William Wanex!**



Youth Group Update

April 7: Karaoke/Talent Night
7:00 – 8:30 PM Fremont Hall

Please join us as the youth show their talent and have some fun. Last year this event was a lot of fun and we discovered talent that we never knew we had!

April 14: Youth Mass 11:00 AM Holy Angels Church
Come sing with the Youth Group at the 11:00 AM Mass at Holy Angels. Practice will be April 9 from 6:00 – 7:00 PM at Holy Angels Church.

April 21: Game Night 7:00-8:30 PM Fremont Hall
Come join the Youth Group as we enjoy a night of board games.



April 7 – 13, 2013

Sunday	1:00 PM 7:00 PM	1 st Communion at Mass – Holy Angels Church Youth Group Karaoke/Talent Night – Fremont Hall
Monday:	7:00 PM 7:00 PM 7:00 PM	Gospel of John Bible Study – Holy Angels Church Conference Room Pastoral Council – Parish Center Meeting Room 1 Mary, Queen of Peace, Prayer Group – Parish Center Meeting Room 3
Tuesday:	6:00 PM 7:00 PM 8:00 PM	Youth Group Music Practice – Holy Angels Church R.C.I.A. Child Inquiry – Parish Center Meeting Room 3 Athletic Association Meeting – Joan Muzzi Athletic Building
Wednesday:	6:30 PM 7:00 PM 7:00 PM	Cantor/Organist Practice – Holy Angels Church Music Room Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality – Holy Angels Church Conference Room Lectio Divina – Parish Center Meeting Room 3
Thursday:	9:30 AM 7:00 PM 7:00 PM	Eucharistic Bread Baking – Fremont Hall Kitchen Charismatic Prayer Group – Holy Angels Church Conference Room St. Vincent de Paul Meeting – Parish Center Meeting Room 2
Friday:	8:30 AM-12:30 PM 6:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration – St. John Church 1 st Communion Rehearsal (for 1 PM Mass on April 14) – Holy Angels Church
Saturday:	7:30 AM	Men's Bible Study – Parish Center Meeting Room 1

First Communion

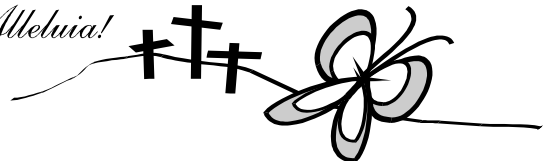


First Communion Masses

St. John Church

April 21: 10:00 AM
May 5: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM

*Jesus is Risen!
Alleluia!*



Holy Angels Church

April 7: 1:00 PM
April 14: 1:00 PM
April 20: 5:00 PM
April 21: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 1:00 PM
May 4: 5:00 PM
May 5: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 1:00 PM

There will be reserved seating for the First Communicants and their families. These areas will be designated by white bows. Thank you for being mindful of this. Please pray for these young people as they come for the first time to the Table of the Lord's Supper.

Summer Sunday Mass Schedule

Holy Angels Church

July 7 – September 2: 10:30 AM
12:30 PM (Spanish)

A message from the Director of Liturgy & Music:
"Many, many thanks!"



With the Easter Season upon us, I would be remiss to let the season pass without thanking those involved in the planning and execution of this season. Thank you to Fr. Fiore, Fr. Jackson, and Fr. Grasing for their inspirational presiding on the three nights of the Triduum. Thank you to our Choir, Cantors, Instrumentalists, Altar Servers, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Bread Baking Ministry, Hospitality Ministers, Lay Presiders, Deacons, and all who ministered during the "Three Days." Thank you to Amy Press for her coordination and organization of all the liturgical materials.

Finally, this Easter, I have been overwhelmed with compliments on the beauty of the decorations coordinated by Patti Walters and her many helpers at both of our churches. If you would like to assist in this wonderful ministry please contact Patti by emailing walterspb@comcast.net. We need men and women to help and arrange flowers, climb ladders, iron, water plants, and assist in set-up and design. If you would like to join any of the other ministries listed above, email sadams@holyangels.net. All are welcome!





SCHOOL NEWS

- **Classes resume on Monday, April 8!**
- **Applications are being accepted** for the 2013-2014 school year in Grades Pre/K 3 through Grade 8. Please call the School Office for more details at 731-2210. (Our Early Childhood Program offers various options of either full or half day sessions.)
- **Summer Camps** will take place during the months of June and July. (Check the website for camp offerings.) Registration form may be downloaded from this site.

Save the Dates!

- Wednesday, April 17:** **Open House** for Prospective Parents 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
- Saturday, April 20:** **Scrap Metal Recycling Day**
Holy Angels School Parking Lot
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
(more information to the right)
- Sunday, April 21:** **Evening of Sacred Music**
at St. Elizabeth Church 4:00 PM
- Tuesday, April 23:** **Holy Angels Talent Show** at St. Mark's High School 6:00 PM
- Wednesday, April 24:** **Science Family Fun Night** with Dr. Renee O'Leary Fremont Hall
- Saturday, May 11:** **"Angels Attic" Sale**
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Items such as clothing, games, toys, electronics, furniture and appliances will be on sale. (Proceeds benefit instructional programs for the next school year.)

- **Drop-Off dates** for donated items (Church Basement by back entrance gates adjacent to Old Possum Park Road). We are still accepting donations. Please consider the Holy Angels Attic Sale during your Spring Cleaning!

- Wednesday, April 10** 6:00 – 7:30 PM
Sunday, April 14 after 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM Masses
Wednesday, April 24 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

(Call Jennie Metz, 994-2122, for special arrangements for pick-up/drop-off of items.)

The Week Ahead!

- Monday, April 8:** Classes resume
- Tuesday, April 9:** Faculty Meeting 3:15 PM
Home & School Exec.Mtg.6:30 PM
- Weds., April 10:** Easter Mass 10:00 AM
Art Club 3:15 PM (Primary Gr.)
- Thursday, April 11:** Holy Angels Class Reunion
Class of 2009
4:00 PM Athletic Building
- Friday, April 12:** Italian Cooking Demo with Mrs. Scolara & Italian Club
3:00-4:15 PM Athletic Building



**Holy Angels Home & School
Recycling Event**
Saturday, April 20
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Holy Angels Parking Lot

Bins from Newark Recycling will be available for all scrap metal items: save all your aluminum cans, soda, pet food, soup, tuna, canned vegetables, etc. The best way to check if it is aluminum is to hold a magnet to the can – if it does not stick, it's aluminum!

Aluminum must be kept separate because it will go into a different container.

All other cans and scrap metal will be deposited into another container together.

We will accept any metal items, including but not limited to: old lawnmowers (empty out gas/oil), washers, dryers, weights and weight benches, filing cabinets, metal desks, folding metal chairs, metal lawn furniture and tables without glass, aluminum siding, all scrap metal, cooper, iron, brass, steel stainless steel, and even car batteries.

****And please don't forget****

We are seeking volunteers to work the drop-off ((unloading recyclables). If interested, please contact John Jensen at (302) 292-0169 or john.jensen@kci.com with your information.

This is a no cost fundraiser!

Modell's Team Weeks

Use the Holy Angels Spring Coupon and receive an additional 15% off of your Spring sports shopping at Modell's. The coupon is valid from March 22 – April 18, and can be used multiple times. Download the coupon from the Parish or School website. Holy Angels School receives 5% of all purchases made utilizing these coupons.

BJ's Spring Fundraiser

...for Holy Angels School runs from March 25 – April 8. If you plan to purchase or renew your BJ's membership anytime in the next 6 months, please consider participating in this fundraiser. The School receives \$5 for every membership purchased or renewed through this program. And you get a discounted price on your 15-month membership!

For more information on either of these programs, please call Patti Bebbington, 836-1794.

Help Us Stock the Food Pantry!

Thank you for your continued support for our Food Pantry.!

More food is always needed to feed the hungry in our area. Take a look at the list below, and if you have anything on hand, put it in a bag and bring it to Mass with you. You can leave the bags at the designated box at the entrance to Church.



Items we especially need:

- ▶ Peanut Butter & Jelly
- ▶ Pancake Syrup
- ▶ Mayonnaise
- ▶ Canned Fruit & Bottled Juices
- ▶ Pop Tarts

2013 Annual Catholic Appeal



The 2013 Annual Catholic Appeal will be conducted in parishes throughout the Diocese next

weekend. Funds generated by the Appeal provide pastoral, charitable and educational ministries to tens of thousands of people in our 12-County Diocese. As members of St. John-Holy Angels Parish, we are proud to be part of the Church of Wilmington. As members, it is important that we reach out in service to 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 the Diocese. The Annual Catholic Appeal offers us a chance to work in collaboration to care for the Church by sharing the gifts God has granted us.

Our parish target is \$119,200. Your financial support also provides funding for our parish, since 100% of monies collected above our target will be returned for our own ministerial needs.

Please give prayerful consideration to your resources as well as the thousands of individuals and families who receive needed assistance through ministries supported by the Annual Catholic Appeal. Decide ahead of time the contribution 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 and click on "Annual Catholic Appeal".

The Gospel of John

After Easter we will begin to study the Gospel of John. Unlike the Synoptic Gospels (Matthew, Mark and Luke), where we see more of the humanity of Jesus, in John, Jesus is a majestic figure, in control of his destiny at all times. John has a very black and white version of the world. The narrative can even be harsh and abrasive at times.

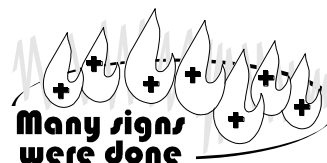
The Little Rock Scripture Series commentary helps us to be provoked, challenged and enlightened by the "deceptively simple" but "irony-laden" words and actions of the Gospel's characters.

We will break the study into 2 segments, Spring 2013 and Fall 2013. The Spring session begins **Monday, April 8** and ends Monday, June 10. We will meet every Monday, except for Memorial Day, in Holy Angels Church Conference Room from 7:00 – 8:30 PM. There is a \$20 registration fee to cover class materials. Please contact Beth Cresswell to register for the course: email bethmulry.cresswell@gmail.com or phone (302)-584-7427.

Make the Decision to Give the Gift of Life!

One person can save or enhance the lives of more than 50 people. More than 103,000 Americans are waiting for life-saving organ transplants. Tragically, 18 people die each day because the organs they need are not available.

Register to be an organ and tissue donor online today, or when you renew your driver's license, and tell your family about your decision. To register or get more information online, go to www.donors1.org. You may also call The Gift of Life Donor Program, our region's organ and tissue donor program, at 800-DONORS-1.



Little Sisters of the Poor 6th Annual "Rockathon" Saturday, April 20 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Come out and enjoy music, dancing, karaoke, door prizes and games. Food and homemade baked goods will be available for purchase. For more information, contact Debbie Strengari at the Little Sisters, 368-5886, or visit www.rockfortheaged.com.

St. Mark's High School 7th Grade Achievers Test

All seventh grade students are invited to experience sitting for the High School Placement Test before officially taking the test in the eighth grade. The Achievers test will be offered on Saturday, April 13. Download an application for the test at www.stmarkshs.net/admissions. Students who take the Achievers Test are eligible to participate in a special enrichment program at St. Mark's during the summer. For more information, please call 757-8721. St. Mark's students are inspired to live the values of faith, excellence, humility and integrity every day.

Day Trip to New York City, NY – on your own –

Sponsored by Cardinal Gibbons
Assembly No. 150 Fourth Degree of the
Knights of Columbus

Travel date: Wednesday, May 8, 2013
Trip cost: \$50.00 per person.

Departure: 6:45 AM from St. Mary of the Assumption
Arrival in NYC approx. 9:45 AM. Passengers will be dropped off at the rear of the Winter Garden Theatre, 7th Avenue between 50th and 51st streets, close to Times Square. Return pickup will start at 6:45 PM at the drop-off site, and return to St. Mary's at 9:45 PM. You must be on time.

For reservations contact: Hank and Shirlee Steenkamer
Phone: 302-239-7388



AOH Gettysburg- Emmitsburg Tour

Travel Dates: May 3 & 4

The Ancient Order of Hibernians in Newark invites parishioners to join on a tour of Gettysburg National Military Park, the National Shrine Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes, the National Shrine of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, and Linganore Winecellars. Mass will be celebrated at the Basilica of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Cost is \$120/person, plus hotel room; includes bus transportation, entrance to venues, and lunch on both days. A block of rooms is reserved at a discount in Gettysburg for Friday, May 3. This is an over-age 21 trip, since there will be a tour and tasting at a winery. For more information, contact AOHNewark@comcast.net.



Oficina del Ministerio Hispano

Asistente: María del Pilar Carazo (302) 731-2436
Horario de Oficina: Lunes, martes, jueves; 9:00 - 4:00 PM
Miércoles: 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM Viernes: 9:00 AM-2:00 PM.

“COORDINADORES DEL MINISTERIO HISPANO”

Coordinador General: Milton Santiago
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Coordinadora: Martha Just

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Coordinadora: Alicia Gómez

Colecta: Marilú, Sandra, Alejandra

Misa de Sanación:

Carlos Andrade & Mariana Navas

Círculo de Oración:

Carlos & Mariana Navas

Estudio Bíblico: Rev. Alan Reyna

Hospitalidad: Joel & María Lara

Rosarios en las casas: Cecilia Olano/ Carmen Broncales

Coros: Milton & Ana & Carmen

Liturgia de los niños: Leticia Lomelí

Grupo Guadalupano: Víctor Pérez

Viacrucis: /Joel Lara/Julio

Posadas: Grupo Bíblico

Pláticas de bautismo & Charlas Prematrimoniales:

Roberto & Georgina Hernández Flores

Quinceañeras: Martha Just/ Pilar Carazo

Retiros & Actividades: Mayte Castro, Ana Durán
Paola Del Prado, Martha Just & Gustavo Grajales

Sacristía: Javier Lomelí- Héctor Quiñones

Ofrendas: Carmen Broncales

Libro de Intenciones: Martha Reyes & Lisseth García

Actividades en nuestra parroquia

Bautismos: Charlas, domingo de cada mes después de misa. 2:30-4:30 PM: Padrinos deben ser casados por la iglesia. Todos traer biblias católica, obligatoriamente y no biblias protestante. (Latinoamericana, preferiblemente). No habrá cuidado de niños, busque con tiempo quien se los cuide. Gracias.
(Cualquier pregunta, llamar a Roberto y Georgina).
Próxima charla: Abril 28

Presentaciones:

Registrar al niño(a) en la oficina. Después de misa.

Quinceañeras:

Charlas tercer viernes de cada mes en la oficina parroquial de 6:00-8:00 PM. Traer su biblia. Las jóvenes tienen que tener sus sacramentos completos o estar registrados para la confirmación. Si todavía no la ha recibido. Registrarse en la oficina. La preparación empieza en Enero, 2013.

Grupo de Oración:

todos los viernes, 7:00 PM. En el salón de conferencia de la iglesia, Con Marianita y Carlos Andrade).

Estudio Bíblico: Todos los miércoles 7:00 PM.

En la oficina parroquial. (Fr. Alan Reyna).

Rosarios en las casas: Los martes, 7:00 PM.

Fr. Alan Reyna, Carmen Broncales y Cecilia Olano.

Ensayo del coro los viernes: 7:00 PM. En la iglesia.

Hablar con Milton o Ana.

Los niños (as) que recibieron su Primera Comunión este domingo 7 de Abril.

Angélica Vargas, Carlos y Cristian Arzate Calvo, Michael Delgado, Natasha Pérez Medina, Gustavo Santillán Cortez, Mariana Ceja, Fabiana Vidal, Joanne Castañeda Manuel, Christian Najera, Raúl Roman Trinidad. Felicidades a todos ellos y a su familia.

Próximas Comuniones:

Abril: 14, 21. Misa de 1:00 PM

Mayo: 05...Misa de 1:00 PM.

Confirmaciones Abril 27, 2013

10:00 AM Apellidos que empiezan con la letra A hasta la L. Práctica abril 23, 7:00 PM. Santos Angeles
1:00 PM. Letra M-Z. Práctica abril 24, 7:00 PM.
Padrinos y candidatos. Santos Angeles.