



Saint Wenceslaus Catholic Church

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*St. Wenceslaus is "twinned" with St. Ann Church,
at Greenmount Ave. and E. 22nd St.
410-235-8169*

*Masses at St. Ann: Sunday – 9:45 a.m.
Thursday - 7:00 p.m.*

MASSES

SUNDAY
WEEKDAYS
HOLYDAYS

8:00 and 11:45 am
8:00 am
As announced in the bulletin

CONFESSIONS:

Please contact the parish office to schedule an appointment for confessions

DEVOTIONS:

Infant of Prague Novena - Tuesdays at 8:30 a.m.
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena - Wednesdays at 8:30 a.m.
First Friday Holy Hour for Vocations - 8:30 a.m.

BAPTISMS:

Adult candidates and parents of infants are invited to contact the pastor so that we can begin preparations for baptism.

MARRIAGE:

We extend a warm welcome to couples desiring to be married in the church. Please contact us early (six months or more) so that we can work with you to prepare for your wedding.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK:

Please notify the pastor when a member is unable to come to church. We will be happy to provide pastoral care at home or in the hospital.

SUNDAY SCHOOL:

Sunday School classes for children and youth meet every Sunday in the Lyceum from 9:30 to 11:30A.M. To register call the church office or Ms. Edith Pumphrey, Director, at 410-488-7069.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

We urge you to register as a member of the parish, so that we can keep you informed of church activities. We will be happy to provide you with church envelopes to assist you in the support of the church. You may register in person at the church office weekdays between 9:00 to 2:00 or by completing the following form.

Name _____
Street _____
Phone _____ Zip _____

Check:

New Registration Moving out of Parish
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Please cut out and drop in the collection box or mail to the rectory.

SAINT WENCESLAUS CHURCH

The Nativity of the Lord

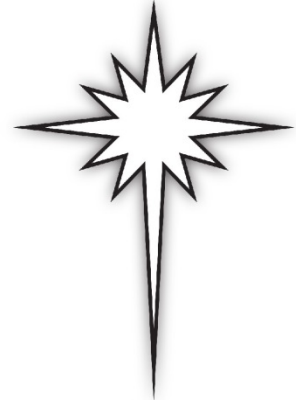
December 25, 2016

"For today in the city of David

a savior has been born for you

who is Messiah and Lord."

Luke 2:11



This Christmas, and on behalf of the entire St. Wenceslaus family,
the parish office staff wishes you and your loved ones
a blessed and holy celebration of the Birth of our Lord!

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NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE...

New Year's Eve:

8:00 pm St. Ignatius Interfaith Prayer Service

New Year's Day:

**10:00 am Solemnity of Mary, the Holy
Mother of God; World Day of Peace**

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember in your prayers Lauren Green (Marjorie McDonald's daughter), Enid Fung, Marie Holmes and from our sister parish, St. Ann's church, Delores Moore.

NEXT SUNDAY

Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

1 st Reading	Numbers 6:22– 27
2 nd Reading	Galatians 4:4–7
Gospel	Luke 2:16–21

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun	Dec 25	8:00 am	Arden G. Livingston, Sr. 11:45	For the Parishioners
Tues	Dec 27	8:00		Maximillin Vicen
Wed	Dec 28	8:00		
Thurs	Dec 29	7:00		Brandon Organ (Gift of Hope)
Fri	Dec 30	8:00		Dorsey Goldbeck

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & OFFERTORY

Because of an early bulletin deadline, the Weekly Attendance & Offertory collections will not be listed in this Sunday's bulletin.

NEW YEAR'S EVE AT ST. IGNATIUS

The 24th Annual Interfaith Prayer Service will be held at St. Ignatius Church, Madison and Calvert Streets on Saturday evening, December 31st. Music begins at 8:00 pm, and the hour-long service follows, concluding at 9:45 pm. Representatives of all the faith communities in Baltimore, as well as civic leaders will take part in the service. Archbishop William Lori will be the presider. Rabbi Deborah Wechsler of Chizuk Amuno Congregation will give the reflection. A reception will follow the service. Free parking is available at the SHA garage on Monument St., the entrance is between Guilford and Calvert streets.

YEAR END GIFTS

Donations to the church through December 31 are tax deductible in the current year. We will gratefully receive donations up to midnight Friday.

REMEMBER OUR INFIRM

During the Christmas season, please keep our elderly and infirm members and friends in your prayers. An address list is available in the back of the church for your convenience in sending Christmas cards.

MOTHER MARY LANGE AWARDS

The Mother Mary Lange Awards Banquet will be held on **Friday, February 10, 2017** at 7:00 pm at Martin's West. The event is Sponsored by the Office of Black Catholics to honor members of our Black Catholic parishes. Tickets for the St. Wenceslaus can be ordered from Mary Clayton or the parish office for **\$60 each, payable before** January 27th. Join us to celebrate our 2017 honorees.

2017 CALENDARS

There are 2017 Church calendars still available in the back of the church. We are grateful to the Cvach/Rosedale Funeral Home for sponsoring our church calendars again this year. Remember to take one when you leave.

KWANZAA CELEBRATION

Friday, December 26th, 6:00 – 9:00 pm at St. Cecelia Church Hall (enter from the parking lot) 3301 Windsor Mill Rd & Hilton Sts. Admission is FREE. Potluck: Bring a dish. All are welcome. Fellowship, Food, African Dance, Storytelling, Market Place and more.

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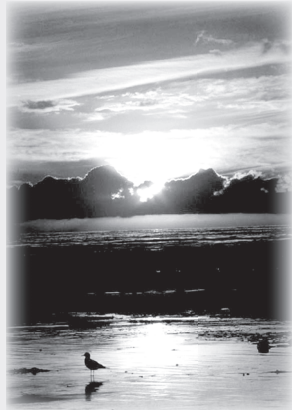
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