

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 1

Saint Joseph the Worker

- 6:30 Lucy Robertson Norton †
9:00 Owen Thompson †
7:30 Dawn Kuker

Tuesday, May 2

Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

- 6:30 Mary and Lou Warchot
9:00 Charles Thompson †

Wednesday, May 3

Saints Philip and James, Apostles

- 6:30 Sharon Christen †
9:00 Estelle K. Danielson †

Thursday, May 4

Easter Weekday

- 6:30 Paul Kemp †
9:00 William Harvey †

First Friday, May 5

Easter Weekday

- 6:30 John Clem †
9:00 Alfonso Zavala †

First Saturday, May 6

Easter Weekday

- 8:15 Brian McNiff †
5:00 Manuel Marengo †

Sunday, May 7

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

- 7:30 Dr. Walter John Mircea-Pines †
9:00 Mary Jane Hathaway †
10:30 People of the Parish
12:00 Debra Balint

THE SCHOOL MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED ON
FRIDAY, MAY 5 AT 9:00 A.M.

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

MAY 2017

Christians in Africa: That Christians in Africa, in imitation of the Merciful Jesus, may give prophetic witness to reconciliation, justice, and peace.

IN TESTIMONIUM...



“The Road to Emmaus”
Maestà

Duccio di Buoninsegna
(1308-1311)

Museo dell'Opera Metropolitana del Duomo
Siena, Italy

**THE SPECIAL COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND
IS FOR CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL**

FIRST FRIDAY & FIRST SATURDAY ADORATION

Adoration begins following the 9:00 a.m. Mass on Friday, May 5th and continues through the night into Saturday. Please come spend an hour in the presence of Our Eucharistic Lord. A sign-up sheet is in the vestibule to ensure adorers are present every hour. Saturday's 8:15 a.m. Mass will be followed by Investiture with the Miraculous Medal, exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary and Benediction.

**WELCOMING CATHOLICS HOME
TUESDAY, MAY 2ND**

Welcoming Catholics Home is an apostolate at St. John the Beloved that serves those who are considering returning or returning more fully to the Catholic faith. We meet weekly on Tuesday nights from 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. in the Teacher's Lounge at St. John Academy. On Tuesday, May 2nd we will discuss: *What Is The Relevance Today Of Our Lady's Messages At Fatima 100 Years Ago?* On May 13, 1917, Mary began appearing to three young children in Fátima, Portugal, with messages to humanity to convert, pray and do penance for mankind's sins.

**SENIOR'S CLUB MONTHLY GATHERING
MONDAY, MAY 15TH**

Ladies and Gentlemen, former Congressman Frank Wolf will be our distinguished guest speaker at our next gathering on Monday, May 15th. Mr. Wolf, now a Distinguished Senior Fellow with the 21st Century Wilberforce Initiative, will speak to us about his efforts to address the needs of persecuted religious minorities abroad that are living on the edge of extinction. How he and his organization are meeting this moral imperative is indeed a most urgent and timely topic. Please mark your calendars and bring a friend. Lunch will be served in the school auditorium following Mass which will be said at 11:30 a.m. Please sign up on the sheet in the vestibule of the Church or call the parish office at 703-356-7916 by Friday, May 12. **Those who arrive without reservations are welcome but, unfortunately, we cannot offer them lunch.** The suggested donation is \$15.00 per person to be collected at the door.

MOTHERS DAY-ST. PETER CLAVER SOCIETY

For Mother's Day, the St. Peter Claver Society will be selling coffee imported from Zambia and freshly roasted by Beanetics Coffee Roasters in Annandale, along with coffee/travel mugs, after Masses on the weekends of April 29-30, May 6-7 and May 13-14. All profits go toward supporting orphans and children in need at our three projects in Zambia.

**ST. JOHN THE BELOVED
SUNDAY SPIRITUAL CONFERENCE**

"PRAYER AND FRIENDSHIP"

Featuring: Fr. Carleton Jones, O.P.

This Sunday the 30th of April

4:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall

Admission is free of charge

**DIRECTOR OF SENIOR SERVICES
IS HERE ON THURSDAYS**

Gracie Ortiz, Director of Senior Services for Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Arlington will be available to meet with parishioners all day on Thursdays beginning at 11:30 a.m. in the Conference Room in the Parish Office. If you would like to schedule an appointment you may reach Gracie Ortiz at 571-970-8734 or at gortiz@ccda.net. She will be helping with Elder Care and Caregiver Support. Gracie will be able to offer grief counseling.

CORPUS CHRISTI CELEBRATION

Plans are in the works for a very special Corpus Christi celebration to take place on **Sunday, June 18, 2017**. There will be a Mass at 4:00 p.m. followed by a procession of the Blessed Sacrament to an outdoor altar in the lower parking lot and then returning to the Church. All parish organizations, SJA students, parish choir and all St. John parishioners are invited to participate. Following the procession, there will be a reception/ cookout provided by the Women's Council and the Knights of Columbus in the gym. For additional information or to volunteer please contact Alice Middleton at: cathcap@aol.com

VOCATIONS CRUCIFIX PROGRAM

Sign up for St. John the Beloved's Vocations Crucifix Program! It is a wonderful means to foster prayer and devotion among our parish families. The Crucifix reminds each host family that they share in the responsibility to pray for and encourage vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, consecrated life and marriage. Each family takes the Crucifix home for a week and prays each evening as a family for vocations. Pick up and drop off of the Crucifix are on Sundays following the 10:30 a.m. Mass. If you are interested, please contact Ann Francis by email at annfrancis1986@gmail.com.

ELECTRONIC CONTRIBUTIONS TO ST. JOHN

For your convenience sign up for the Faith Direct Offertory program. www.faithdirect.net our code: VA77

HOLY LAND CHRISTIANS CARVING DISPLAY WEEKEND OF MAY 6TH AND 7TH



“On the weekend of May 6th/ 7th, 2017, there will be a display of beautiful olive wood handmade carvings from the Holy Land in Our Church. These Carvings are made by the Christians of Bethlehem who use them as their source of income. These brothers and sisters of ours are enduring hardships at this moment because of the volatile situation in their home country. Christians in the Holy Land used to be more than 37% of the population. There is less than 1% now because of the situation. As Christians of faith, it is our duty to support our brothers and sisters in Bethlehem. YOU can support them by purchasing some of these beautiful carvings after the Masses.

COFFEE & DONUTS

After the 9:00 & 10:30 a.m. Masses the St. Peter Claver Society will host Coffee & Donuts. Thanks to the members of the St. John Academy PTO for hosting Coffee & Donuts last Sunday.

ST. JOHN'S YOUTH MINISTRY

CAR WASH THIS SUNDAY

Haven't gotten your car cleaned of salt since the last snow fall? Come put our youth to work by getting your car washed today Sunday April 30th at St. John's. It will take place all morning. Proceeds will benefit those going to WorkCamp this summer.

NO SUNDAY YOUTH NIGHT

No Sunday Youth Night tonight April 30th due to yesterday's Diocesan Bash event. We will continue next Sunday May 7th.

CONFITEOR CLASS

Continues tomorrow, Monday May 1st at 4:30 p.m. in the Adult Ed. Room. Open to all Freshmen and Sophomore aged students.

RCIA CLASSES

Juniors and Seniors are welcome to audit RCIA classes in the Adult Education Room this Monday May 1st from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

James Clement




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SOLEMN VESPERS

NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 7TH AT 4:00 P.M.

St. John the Beloved will celebrate Solemn Vespers in the Church next Sunday, May 7th at 4:00 p.m. Solemn Vespers takes place in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament exposed on the altar, usually includes a homily after the reading and always concludes with Benediction. Come join in the official Evening Prayer of the Church.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
April 30	May 1	May 2	May 3	May 4	May 5	May 6
10:30am CCD			ADORATION 9:30am-7:30pm		FIRST FRIDAY	FIRST SATURDAY
4:00pm Conference	4:30pm CCD 7:00pm Confiteor 7:30pm RCIA 7:30pm Latin Mass 7:30pm Legion 8:30pm Futsal	7:00pm CCD 7:00pm WCH 8:00pm Hoops	 Confessions Hourly 10:00am - 6:00pm 7:00pm Holy Hour			
						8:45am Confessions 3:30pm Confessions

Youth Workcamp Fundraiser



**This Sunday, April 30th
After the 7:30, 9:00, and 10:30 Masses
in front of the gym**

All donations will go to help offset the costs of Workcamps.

INSTITUTE OF CATHOLIC CULTURE



Riches of His Glory: A Study of Philippians

Rev. Sebastian Carnazzo, Ph.D.

Tuesday, May 2 @ 8:00 – 10:00 p.m.

Live Webinar: www.instituteofcatholicculture.org/events

What's In A Name? The Errors of Nominalism

Prof. John Cuddeback, Ph.D.

Sunday, May 7 @ 6:00 p.m. *Dinner included; lecture to begin @ 7:00 p.m. No RSVP*

Holy Spirit Church Hall

5121 Woodland Way, Annandale, VA 22003

Crusading King: The Story of St. Louis IX

Christopher Check

Tuesday, May 9 & Thursday, May 11 @ 7:30 p.m.

Live Webinar: www.instituteofcatholicculture.org/events

Preaching Christ:

St. Dominic Against the Albigensians

Prof. Brendan McGuire, Ph.D.

Thursday, May 18 @ 7:30 p.m.

Live Webinar: www.instituteofcatholicculture.org/events

St. John of the Cross & the Living Flame of Love

Prof. Daniel Garland, Ph.D. (cand.)

Tuesday, May 23 @ 7:30 p.m.

Live Webinar: www.instituteofcatholicculture.org/events

The Courage to Be Catholic: The Gifts of the Holy Spirit & Apostolic Faith with Compline

Rev. Msgr. Charles Pope

Saturday, June 3 @ 6:00 p.m.

Dinner included; lecture to begin @ 7:00 p.m. No RSVP

St. Veronica Church Hall

3460 Centreville Road, Chantilly, VA 20151

Deconstructing the Bible:

Understanding the Crisis in Biblical Interpretation

Prof. Jeffrey Morrow, Ph.D.

Tuesdays, June 6, 13, 20 @ 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Live Webinar: www.instituteofcatholicculture.org/events

THE STATE OF THE COMMONWEALTH



Find out how our state legislators voted on issues important to the Virginia Catholic Conference by going to their statewide charts of key votes taken during the recent 2017 General Assembly session:

bit.ly/VCC2017GAvotes

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Carmel Broadfoot	Christopher Katz
Frederick Baumgartner	Dorothy Kottler
Salvatore Calabro	Sharon LeMaster
John Cartelli	Pat Malloy
John Paul Charles Carver	Sue Malone
Virginia Connelly	Carmella Manetti
Sheila Corallo	Patrick McDonough
Lastenia Cortavarria	John F. McLaughlin
Edward Cotter	Diana Meisel
Elke D'Amico	Bonnie Moran
Richard DeCorps	Anna Maria Mullins
William Dunne	Veronica Nowakowski
Joe Elias	Anita Oliveira
Sandra Elias	Briner Orillo
Marie Gillespie	Mary Pistorino Reilly
Francesca Greco	Patricia Richer
Paul Griffith	Shelby Rogers
Gayle Grinstead	Connie Seymour
Edward M. Hallinan III	Merle Shannon
Helen Hargenrader	Gloribeth Smith
Arnold Harrington	Carolyn Steinhoff
Emily Hazlett	Rita Steininger
Agnes Henley	Bill Sullivan
Mark Johnson	Mary Warchot
Andrew Katson	Marie Wysolmerski



God bless and protect all our family members and parishioners who are serving in the military and civil service for our defense, especially...

Robert Ayala	Michael Shipley
Jonathan Choo	Kimberly Templer
Nicholas Galvan	Michael Templer
Harry Griffith	Jesus Toledanes
Bill Jones	Alex Trujillo
Brendan Murphy	Justin White
Lynn Partik	Dr. Paul White