

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 29

Easter Weekday

6:30 Donna Moraca †
9:00 Glenn John Crain †
7:30 Rosemary Granchelli †

Tuesday, May 30

Easter Weekday

6:30 Col. James J. Kelly & Deceased Military †
9:00 Glenn John Crain †

Wednesday, May 31

The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30 Martin Thomas †
9:00 Glenn John Crain †

Thursday, June 1

Saint Justin, Martyr

6:30 Donna and William Moraca †
9:00 Donald Danielson

First Friday, June 2

Saints Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs

6:30 Estela Scully †
9:00 Glenn John Crain †

First Saturday, June 3

Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

8:15 John Clem †
5:00 Jean Dolan †

Sunday, June 4

PENTECOST SUNDAY

7:30 Daniel P. Scully †
9:00 Avelino Esteves †
10:30 People of the Parish
12:00 Johnathon Craig †

**THE SCHOOL MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED ON
FRIDAY, JUNE 2 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...



Ascensione di Gesù
Pietro Perugino, 1496-1500
detail

**THE SPECIAL COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND
IS FOR CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN**

FIRST FRIDAY & FIRST SATURDAY ADORATION

Adoration begins following the 9:00 a.m. Mass on Friday, June 1 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 assure adorers are present every hour. Saturday's 8:15 a.m. Mass will be followed by exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, devotions and Benediction.

SOLEMN VESPERS

NEXT SUNDAY, JUNE 4

St. John the Beloved will celebrate Solemn Vespers in the Church on the first Sunday of each month 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.

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. For information or to reserve the Crucifix please contact Ann Francis by email at annfrancis1986@gmail.com.

**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.

COFFEE & DONUTS

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

**PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY,
MAY 29 IN OBSERVANCE OF MEMORIAL DAY**

MORNING ROSARY ON PENTECOST SUNDAY

The morning Rosary will take place on June 4th, Pentecost Sunday, in the morning, at 8:15 a.m., in the soccer field of the parish. We will accompany a statue of the Blessed Mother in procession, along with the youth who will be finishing their Holy Spirit Retreat. The Rosary will be prayed in Spanish and English. The event will take place after 7:30 a.m. Mass, and will last 45 minutes, ending in time for 9:00 a.m. Mass. It is sponsored by Stabat Mater Institute. All parishioners are kindly invited to participate.

**HEARTFELT THANK YOU FROM
ST. JOHN'S PRO LIFE GROUP**

The St. John the Beloved's Pro Life Group would like to thank all the generous families who contributed to our Mother's Day collection for Hope in Northern Virginia, and A Woman's Choice. What a generous parish we have!

ST JOHN THE BELOVED THRIFT SHOP

St John Thrift Bag Sale began on Saturday, May 27th and will run for three weeks. Come in and take advantage of our end of year clearance. We provide the bag, you select regular priced clothing for \$12 per bag plus tax. The Thrift Shop hours of operation are: Tuesday- Friday 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. For additional information call: 703-356-7420 during business hours.

ST. JOHN'S YOUTH MINISTRY

NO SUNDAY YOUTH NIGHT (5/28)

No Youth Night tonight May 28th due to the Memorial Day holiday. Enjoy the time with your family and friends!

WORKCAMP CONTRACTORS NEEDED

We are still in need of one volunteer contractor for WorkCamp June 24th - 30th in Fredericksburg, VA. Without contractors our high school teens cannot participate in WorkCamp. Contractors are responsible for leading work on a project. One does not need to be a licensed contractor but must be handy and knowledgeable in home projects such as building decks/ramps, painting walls, repairing windows, etc. Special effort is made to match contractors with projects they are comfortable doing. Instructions on how to complete the project is provided. If you or someone you know is interested or have questions about this exciting opportunity, please contact James Clement as soon as possible. Thank you.

CONTACT INFORMATION

James Clement
703-356-7916

jclement@stjohncatholicclean.org



SPRING BAND AND CHOIR CONCERT

St. John Academy's annual *Spring Band and Choir Concert* is on Friday, June 2 at 7:00 p.m. Mark your calendars to save the date for this musical event!

THIRD GRADE READING AUCTION

On Thursday May 11, the third grade held its annual Reading Auction. Students earn "money" all year by reading books and keeping a log of what they have read. At the Reading Auction Students are able to bid on treats and donated items, using their reading money that they have earned.

BATTLE OF THE BOOKS 2017 TEAM

Congratulations to the 2017 Battle of the Books Team: Mary Claire Mea (Captain), Ava Hayre (Secretary), Lauren Martino (Scribe), Lila Cox, Bertille Mason, Owen Caputo (Alternate), Henry Peacock (Alternate) and Makana Walsh (Alternate). Rodrigo Borjas and Emma Workmaster, past Battle of the Books team members, have been the team counselors. The students read fifteen books above and beyond their normal school workload. The competition will take place on Tuesday, May 23rd, 2017. The team will be competing with 22 other diocesan schools.

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ST. JOHN ACADEMY

PRESCHOOL PROGRAM

"UNDER THE SEA" SUMMER CAMP

JUNE 5TH - 9TH



Morning Option: 8am-12pm - \$300

All Day Option: 8am-3pm - \$400
(price includes registration and material fees)





Extended Day is available 3pm-6pm
at the SJA normal fees.

Please contact Mary Aquino to register:

maquino@stjohnacademy.org

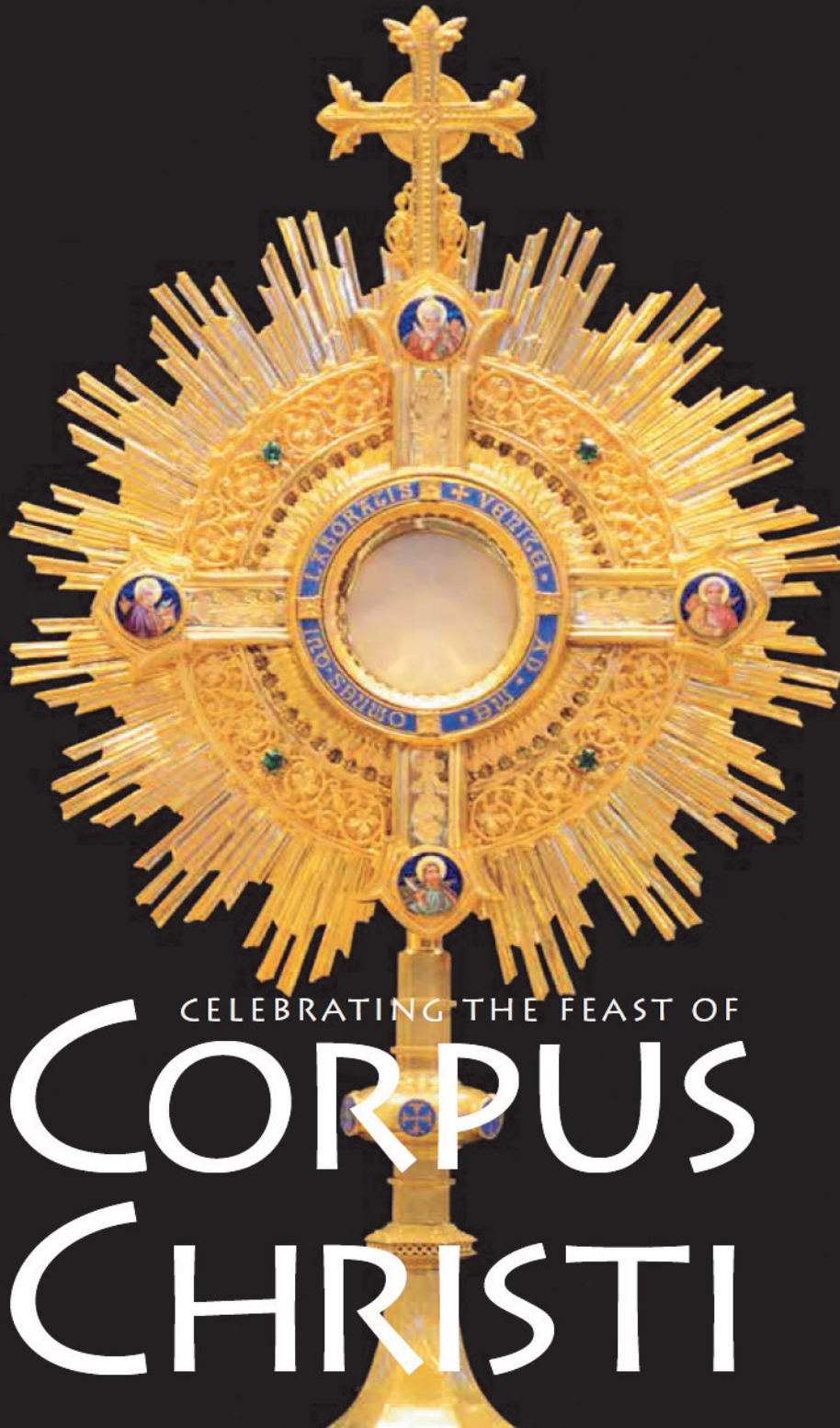
or contact Deb Balint with questions :

dbalint@stjohnacademy.org

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
May 28	May 29	May 30	May 31	June 1	June 2	June 3
	Parish Office Closed  MEMORIAL DAY 7:30pm Latin Mass 7:30pm Legion 8:30pm Futsal	8:00pm Hoops	ADORATION 9:30am-7:30pm  Confessions Hourly 10:00am - 6:00pm 7:00pm Holy Hour		FIRST FRIDAY 	FIRST SATURDAY  8:45am Confessions 3:30pm Confessions

FEAST OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

COME BEAR WITNESS TO THE TRUTH



Sunday, June 18, 2017

4:00 p.m.

Mass & Procession

Reception &

Barbeque

All are welcome!

CELEBRATING THE FEAST OF
**CORPUS
CHRISTI**

Saint John the Beloved
Catholic Church

6420 Linway Terrace

McLean, Virginia

DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON**GIFTS FOR THE SEMINARIAN
EDUCATION ENDOWMENT FUND (SEEF)**

Please support our seminarians and **SEEF**, a permanent endowment fund established in 2011. **SEEF's** income provides funding for annual seminarian expenses such as room, board, tuition, health insurance, and books; which total almost \$40,000 per seminarian. Please give generously! To donate, make checks to: **Foundation for the CDA – SEEF**. Mail to: The Foundation, 200 N. Glebe Road, Suite 811, Arlington, VA 22203. For information contact Bob Mueller at 703-841-2545

BISHOP BURBIDGE'S HOMILIES ONLINE

Want to hear relevant, pastoral inspiration from our Shepherd? He records homilies posted weekly on our YouTube page. Look at : [youtube.com/arlingtondiocese](https://www.youtube.com/arlingtondiocese).

CATHOLIC ADVANCE MEDICAL DIRECTIVE

Do you have a Catholic Advance Medical Directive (AMD)? The Diocese of Arlington has a simple 2-part document which allows you legally to declare your medical healthcare advocate or agent and includes an optional organ donation authorization, which can be used by all adults. Avoid being caught unprepared for you and your loved ones to make those tough medical decisions. To obtain a copy of the Catholic Advance Medical Directive please contact the Arlington Respect Life Office at 703-841-3817 or visit website respectlife@arlingtondiocese.org . Copies may also be filled out on-line and downloaded at: www.arlingtondiocese.org/Family-Life/End-of-Life-Medical-Directives/

PRIME TIME SINGLE CATHOLICS (PTSC)

Prime Time Single Catholics (PTSC) is a Washington-area social group of single Catholics 40 and over. Delight in Christian fellowship with us! For additional information please contact John McBride by email at jfmcbride_526@hotmail.com or at 703-820-9196.

HELP AFTER ABORTION

It can be difficult for women who have lost children to abortion. Share the good news of God's merciful love and encourage those who may be suffering to begin their journey to find healing and freedom. There is help. There is hope. For additional information, contact Project Rachel at 888-456-HOPE (4673) or info@helpafterabortion.org.

FREE PRAYER CARDS TO PRAY FOR PRIESTS

Prayer cards are now available with the name of each of our Diocesan priests, one priest per card. To request FREE cards, call the Office for Family Life at 703-841-2550.

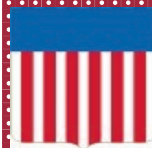
THE STATE OF THE COMMONWEALTH

"Christianity is worthless as a leaven in society unless people actually believe in Jesus Christ, follow the Gospel, love the Church, and act like real disciples. If they don't, then religion is just another form of self-medication."

Archbishop Charles J. Chaput
Strangers in a Strange Land, p. 5

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...

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
Michael Shipley	