

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 21

Saint Pius X, Pope

6:30 Kathleen Blanchard
9:00 Rev. Paul D. Scalia
7:30 Don Bartels †

Tuesday, August 22

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30 Fred Richard Wall †
9:00 Elizabeth Warchot †

Wednesday, August 23

Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin

6:30 Kate Walsh O'Beirne †
9:00 Lucille Calderazzo †

Thursday, August 24

Saint Bartholomew, Apostle

6:30 Theresa Coulter †
9:00 Rev. Gary Selin

Friday, August 25

Saint Louis; Saint Joseph Calasanz, Priest

6:30 Dave and Ellie Clem
9:00 Milly Lally †

Saturday, August 26

Weekday

8:15 Dr. Michael White †
5:00 Catherine Sorrentino †

Sunday, August 20

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 Antonio Antunes †
9:00 Joaquina Magarinhos †
10:30 People of the Parish
12:00 Don Bartels †

**THE SCHOOL MASSES HAVE ENDED FOR THE
SUMMER. THEY WILL RESUME IN SEPTEMBER**

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

AUGUST 2017

Artists: That artists of our time, through their ingenuity, may help everyone discover the beauty of creation.

IN TESTIMONIUM...

Welcome, Father Janusz!

Janusz Mocarski was born in 1977 in Białystok, Poland and grew up in Knyszyn, a small town in northeastern Poland, the fourth of five children of Stanisław and Wanda. His father was the organist for his Catholic parish, so the Church was always part of his life. He became an altar server when he was seven. During high school he was active in the youth program, helping to organize prayer groups and foot pilgrimages to local Marian shrines.

"I grew up with devotion to the Blessed Mother," he said. "Maybe I wasn't conscious of it growing up. As a kid you don't understand, but we prayed daily. Each evening we would kneel down together as a family. Part of that prayer would be a decade of the rosary. That was part of my family life which I now treasure very much and I now realize was one of the small factors that contributed to my vocation."

It wasn't until he was about 24, nearing the end of his studies at the Catholic University of Lublin (where Pope John Paul II taught for nearly 25 years) that he began seriously thinking of priesthood.

Two of his siblings live in Chicago and he had visited there a number of times. After his graduation in 2002, he returned to Chicago, working in construction and as a waiter. A friend introduced him to a priest from their hometown who was serving in America: Father Andrejz Zglejszewski, director of worship for the Rockville Centre Diocese. Janusz began to correspond with Father Zglejszewski and Father Thomas Coogan, then vocations director for Rockville Centre. In 2009 he was ordained a priest for the Diocese of Rockville Centre. Since then he has served as Associate Pastor of Our Lady of the Assumption in Copiague, NY and Associate Pastor of St. Mary's in East Islip, NY. Father even serves on the Advisory Board of the theological and pastoral journal *Seat of Wisdom*, which is published by the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington, NY.

He now comes to Virginia for full-time graduate studies at Divine Mercy University, which is home to the Institute for Psychological Sciences. Father, we hope St. John the Beloved will become *your* home.

God bless you.

Fr. Christopher J. Pollard

p.s. You can read more from the article about Father Janusz in the *Long Island Catholic* by following this link:
bit.ly/FrJanuszMissionarySpirit

TODAY IS SHARE SUNDAY

A vehicle is available after all Sunday Masses to receive your donated goods. Cash or checks payable to St. John with Share in the memo line are greatly appreciated for emergency assistance with rent, medical bills, and utility bills. To arrange pick up of furniture donations, please call the furniture hotline at 703-448-1054. If you have any questions about Share please call Ellen Greenwood at 703-501-6315.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18

Mark your calendars and save the date for The St. John the Beloved Christmas Bazaar which will be held on Saturday, November 18th. We are in search of independent CRAFT and FOOD vendors for this event. Please email womenscouncilofsjb@gmail.com if you would like to participate. If you know of other vendors, please forward this information to them. Thank you!

HOW TO FIND A CATHOLIC CHURCH WHILE YOU ARE ON VACATION

The information for Masses in the area where you are on vacation can be found on the Internet by visiting the website: www.masstimes.org.



**SAVE THE DATE
FOR OUR ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL
SEPTEMBER 22 & SEPTEMBER 23**

St. John the Beloved's annual Fall Festival will be the weekend of September 22 & 23 with the same food and fun as always. Please mark your calendars and email jeff.davis8309@gmail.com if you would like to get involved with planning or volunteer at this family fun awesome St. John tradition.

ST. JOHN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES RESUME IN MID-SEPTEMBER

Religious Education for the 2017-2018 school year resumes in mid-September. If you have not registered for the new school year, please do so by September 2nd. Sunday morning classes for Pre-K & Kindergarten begin on September 10th; Monday afternoon classes for grades 1-3 begin on September 11th. There is an open house for parents of students attending Tuesday evening classes on September 12th. Father Pollard will be speaking to parents in the cafeteria/Parish Hall; after which they may go to their children's classrooms to pick up books and schedules from CCD teachers. CCD begins for Tuesday evening students on September 19th. For additional information, please contact the CCD registrar, Kathleen Johnson by email at: kmj@stjohncatholicmclean.org, or call the Religious Education Office at 703-356-5275.

SAVE THE DATE: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH GUEST SPEAKER: DANIEL MATTSON TOPIC: CATHOLIC CHURCH'S TEACHINGS ON SAME SEX ATTRACTION

On Friday, September 8th nationally recognized speaker and writer Daniel Mattson will be speaking at St. John the Beloved Parish to explain the Catholic Church's teaching on same-sex attraction. His talk will be at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Dan Mattson offers a positive message on a topic that many Catholics find difficult to understand or explain. He is masterful at sharing the "good news" about the Church's teaching on human sexuality and the gift of being made in the image & likeness of God.

A convert to Catholicism and a professional musician, Daniel Mattson is a representative of Courage, an international apostolate of the Catholic Church dedicated to ministering to persons with same-sex attractions. His writings have appeared in periodicals such as "First Things" and "Crisis" magazine, and he is a regular guest on Catholic radio and EWTN television.

ST. JOHN THE BELOVED PRAYER CHAIN

You are invited to become a member of the St. John Prayer Chain. It is an e-mail group of several hundred souls dedicated to praying for the intentions of parish and school families and their loved ones. Prayer requests are sent by the coordinator via email, sometimes several times a day, as they are received along with suggested prayers for each intention. If you would like to pray with us for the intentions of others, please send your email address to StJohnPrayerChain@StJohnCatholicMcLean.org.

THE SPECIAL COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND IS FOR THE SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH SCHOOL, ST. JOHN ACADEMY



The special collection next weekend, August 26/27 is for the support of St. John Academy. Your monetary gifts enable the Academy to subsidize tuition to those families of students who are financially challenged during these tumultuous economic times. We are dedicated to the teachings of the Church and provide a loving and joyful environment for a complete education of our children. The Academy would like to thank you for your generosity and commitment to our students.

THEOLOGY COURSES AT CHRISTENDOM GRADUATE SCHOOL

Registration is now open for fall theology courses at the Christendom Graduate School. Earn your MA in theology or take courses casually in your area of interest! The fall lineup at our convenient Alexandria campus includes Ecclesiology, Patristics, Theological Anthropology, Old Testament, Catechetical Program Administration. This semester only, we are also offering our Introduction to Theology course on campus Wednesday nights. Additionally, we have several online courses including real-time, interactive courses on the Psalms and the New Testament, taught by Fr. Sebastian Carnazzo. The semester runs from Sept. 5 until Dec. 16, and there is a special discounted rate for professional catechists, seniors, and religious who wish to audit courses. For more information, please visit <http://graduate.christendom.edu/>, email us at graduate.school@christendom.edu, or 703-658-4304.

THE NEXT HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION ALL SAINTS WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2017

THE CHOIR OF OUR LADY OF EPHESUS

All 7-12th grade girls of the parish are cordially invited to audition for the Choir of Our Lady of Ephesus. The Choir of Our Lady of Ephesus is a schola for 7th-12th grade girls that rehearses every Sunday morning 9:15-10:20 a.m. and sings twice a month for the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Prior musical experience is encouraged and an audition is required. If you are interested, please contact Miss Elizabeth Black at: elizabethblack3@yahoo.com.



"The musical tradition of the universal Church is a treasure of inestimable value, greater even than that of any other art."
-Sacrosanctum Concilium

ST. JOHN'S YOUTH MINISTRY

ADULT VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers are essential to the life, mission, and success of youth ministry. Come and be part of our highly dynamic and fruitful ministry! There are a variety of capacities in which you can help: Bible Study leader, food prep, food donations, administrative support, fundraisers, Workcamp, prayer warrior, Ski Trip coordinator, etc. If you or someone you know is interested in helping out the St. John Beloved's Youth Ministry, please contact James Clement. Additionally, please join our prayer warriors in praying for our youth and all the volunteers who will be helping out this coming year. Thank you in advance and thank you to all who have helped out in the past!

James Clement

703-356-7916 / jclement@stjohncatholicmclean.org

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
August 20	August 21	August 22	August 23	August 24	August 25	August 26
	7:30pm Latin Mass 7:30pm Legion 8:30pm Futsol	8:00pm Hoops	ADORATION 9:30am-7:30pm  Confessions Hourly 10:00am-6:00pm 7:00pm Holy Hour			8:45am Confessions 3:30pm Confessions

4TH ANNUAL Msgr. T.P. Scannell Cup GOLF TOURNAMENT

supporting St. John the Beloved & Retired Priests of the Diocese of Arlington



New Date!

Friday 1 September 2017

1 p.m. Shotgun Start

Complimentary Cigars

Beverage Cart

Prizes

Dinner

New Location!

Westfields Golf Club

13940 Balmoral Greens Ave

Clifton, VA 20124

www.westfieldsgolf.com

Westfields Golf Club offers a world-class layout situated amongst some of the most picturesque landscape offered in our area. The Fred Couples-designed golf course provides an unsurpassed golfing experience for casual and accomplished players alike.

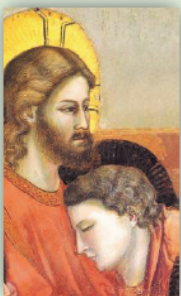
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The course is characterized by dense tree-lined fairways, undulating greens and well-placed hazards, yet is more open and playable than might initially appear.



EARLY REGISTRATION before August 1

\$175 per Golfer

\$650 per Foursome

REGISTRATION after July 31

\$250 per Golfer

\$900 per Foursome

Priests and Wounded Veterans play free

Sign Up Online: bit.ly/2017ScannellCup

*St. John the Beloved is grateful to Tuttle Taylor & Heron
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"You are a child of God!"

ST. JOHN THE BELOVED SENIORS' CLUB

The Seniors' Club (age 50 and over) is an informal gathering of St. John's parishioners, neighbors, friends and guests that is dedicated to the improvement of the lives of those in attendance through friendship, knowledge, inspiration and the sharing of unforgettable times together.

If you are looking for an opportunity to meet new friends or get together with old friends and enjoy good company, great entertainment and highly informative presentations while savoring a delicious meal, you should join us.

The Club meets the third Monday of every month from September through May at St. John's. The program includes Mass at 11:30 a.m. for those who wish to attend. This is followed by a catered lunch in the Parish Hall. After lunch, all are treated to an informative presentation by a guest speaker or musical entertainment.

Guest speakers have included noted author Russell Shaw, former Congressman Frank Wolf, renowned bioethicist Father Kevin T. FitzGerald, S.J., and widely acclaimed Yale film studies Professor Marc Lapadula. Entertainment has been provided by the Chorale of the McLean Women's Club and St. John's Children's Choir among others.

All of you of youthful spirit are encouraged to join us and bring your friends. Our events are advertised in the parish bulletin. To RSVP, sign up on the sheet in the vestibule of the Church or call the parish office at 703-356-7916. The suggested donation is \$15.00 per person to be collected at the door.

Please mark your calendar and save the date for our first gathering of the season on **Monday, September 18. Our pastor Father Pollard will be our principal speaker.** You won't want to miss this special occasion.

For additional information about St. John's Seniors' Club, contact Phil Wehle at 703-356-9788. If you need a ride to the luncheon, arrangements can also be made through Phil.

MOTHER DAUGHTER RETREAT SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

The Women's Apostolate to Youth invites you to a Mother-Daughter retreat (for girls in grades 7-9) entitled *"God's Plan for My Life: The Vocation of Woman"* with a special emphasis on St. Gabriel the Archangel and St. Gianna Molla. The retreat will be held on Saturday, September 23rd, 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. at St. Raymond of Penafort Church, 8750 Pohick Rd. Springfield, VA. The \$50 fee includes materials, breakfast and lunch for both mother and daughter. For more details please visit our website <http://www.womensapostolatetoyouth.blogspot.com> or contact Angela Smith at daystarretreat@gmail.com or call 703-266-6756. Please register by September 9th. Sorry, we cannot accept registrations at the door.

THE STATE OF THE COMMONWEALTH



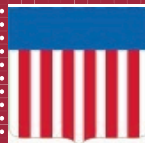
We love our retired priests!

Please register for the parish golf tournament
or make a donation online at
bit.ly/2017ScannellCup

The 4th Annual T.P. Scannell Cup
will be played on September 1st.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

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



*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	Michael Shipley
Nicholas Galvan	Kimberly Templer
Harry Griffith	Michael Templer
Bill Jones	Jesus Toledanes
Brendan Murphy	Alex Trujillo
Lynn Partik	Justin White
Greg Redmann	Dr. Paul White