

# MASS INTENTIONS

## Monday, May 21

*Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest,  
and Companions, Martyrs*

- 6:30 Mark Bayer †
- 9:00 Earnest Schroeder †
- 7:30 Anita and Randall Moots

## Tuesday, May 22

*Sr. Rita of Cascia, Religious*

- 6:30 Alexis Sarkisian
- 9:00 Mary Jane Ballard †

## Wednesday, May 23

*Weekday*

- 6:30 Sandy Leavy †
- 9:00 Capt. Thomas Francis †

## Thursday, May 24

*Weekday*

- 6:30 Donna Moraca †
- 9:00 Howard Meyer †

## Friday, May 25

*Saint Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the  
Church; Saint Gregory VII, Pope;*

*Saint Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi, Virgin*

- 6:30 Clara Klobe †
- 9:00 Kate O'Bierne †

## Saturday, May 26

*Saint Philip Neri, Priest*

- 8:15 Gordon Jarratt †
- 5:00 Ludmilla Druther Kukuvka †

## Sunday, May 27

**PENTECOST**

- 7:30 Frederick Baumgartner †
- 9:00 Estelle K. Danielson †
- 10:30 People of the Parish
- 12:00 Kathryn Halisky

# IN TESTIMONIUM...



*Pentecost by Jan Joest van Kalker  
(1505-1508)*

**THE SCHOOL MASS IS  
FRIDAY, MAY 25, 9:00AM**

## HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS MAY

Evangelization – The Mission of Laity. That the lay faithful may fulfill their specific mission, by responding with creativity to the challenges that face the world today.

**ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD**

† William Kotapish †

# SUMMER 2018 BIBLE STUDY

**June 25 - June 29**  
St. John Adult Ed Room

Monday through Friday

Each day will have a  
Morning Session 10:00-11:00 a.m.  
And an identical  
Evening Session 7:00-8:00 p.m.  
To choose from

led by Fr. Pollard and Fr. Sina.

Parishioners of all ages  
are welcome to attend.

## TODAY IS SHARE SUNDAY

Thank you for your generosity! Our monthly collection provides crises intervention for families in McLean and parts of Falls Church. In addition to food, monetary donations are greatly appreciated for emergency assistance with rent, utility and medical bills or car repairs - there is a bucket in the can outside to collect cash or checks payable to St. John with "Share" in the memo line. Share also accepts donations for basic items such as mattresses, tables, computers, monitors, keyboards, and clothing (new underwear for adults and children always needed.) To arrange furniture donations, please call 703-448-1054.

## CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH CELEBRATION

Please join the St. John the Beloved Parish Community in celebrating the Feast of Corpus Christi on Sunday, June 3, 2018. Mass will be celebrated at 4:00 p.m. followed by a solemn procession of the Holy Eucharist at 5:15 p.m. A dinner featuring Father Pollard's famous BBQ will follow at 6:00 p.m.

## EUCCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR

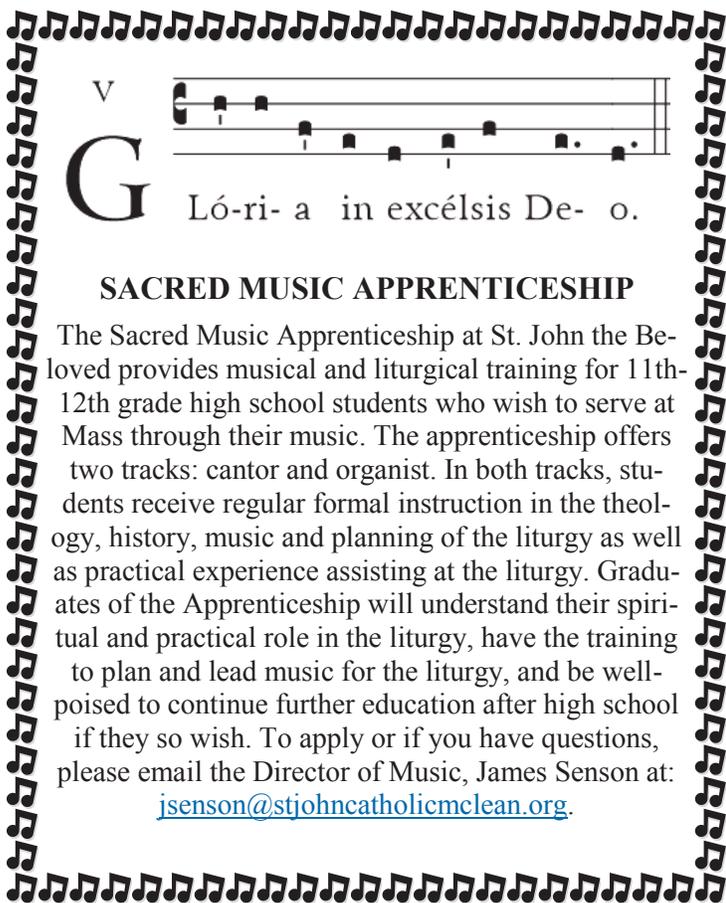
The Arlington Division of the World Apostolate of Fatima (the Blue Army) will sponsor a diocesan-wide Eucharistic Holy Hour on Sunday, May 27 from 3-4pm in the Perpetual Adoration Chapel at Our Lady of Angels Church, 13752 Mary's Way, Woodbridge. We hope you can join us to pray for world peace through the conversion of souls.

## COME CELEBRATE AND PRAY FOR OUR FUTURE PRIESTS

The ordination of men to the priesthood is a beautiful and inspiring event for our entire diocese, and all are welcome to witness it. The Mass of Ordination to the Priesthood for Deacons Michael Folmar, Nicholas Schierer and Christopher Tipton is Saturday June 9 at 11:00 a.m. at the Cathedral of St. Thomas More. There is also a Holy Hour Vigil with Bishop Burbidge and the seminarians on Friday June 8 at 7:00 p.m. at the Cathedral, followed by a light reception. Come and pray for our future priests!

## PRO-LIFE RECEPTION AND BABY SHOWER

Please come to an "open house" shower reception TODAY Sunday, May 20 from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. in the Adult Education Room. The pro-life committee invites all parishioners to stop in for an update on important pro-life activities and some refreshment. Collection of baby items such as diapers, wipes, crib sheets, umbrella strollers, and gift cards for new Moms will be accepted. Questions: please contact Andrea DelVecchio at [aldelvecchio75@gmail.com](mailto:aldelvecchio75@gmail.com)



## SACRED MUSIC APPRENTICESHIP

The Sacred Music Apprenticeship at St. John the Beloved provides musical and liturgical training for 11th-12th grade high school students who wish to serve at Mass through their music. The apprenticeship offers two tracks: cantor and organist. In both tracks, students receive regular formal instruction in the theology, history, music and planning of the liturgy as well as practical experience assisting at the liturgy. Graduates of the Apprenticeship will understand their spiritual and practical role in the liturgy, have the training to plan and lead music for the liturgy, and be well-poised to continue further education after high school if they so wish. To apply or if you have questions, please email the Director of Music, James Senson at: [jsenson@stjohncatholicmclean.org](mailto:jsenson@stjohncatholicmclean.org).

**INSTITUTE OF CATHOLIC CULTURE  
SPRING 2018 SCHEDULE**



**Answering Atheism:  
Aquinas' Five Ways for the Existence of God**

Karlo Broussard, Catholic Answers Apologist  
Tuesday, 22 @ 8:00 - 9:00 p.m.  
Live Webinar: [www.instituteofcatholicculture.org/events](http://www.instituteofcatholicculture.org/events)

“Our holy mother, the Church, holds and teaches that God, the first principle and last end of all things, can be known with certainty from the created world by the natural light of human reason.”  
- Vatican Council I, Dei Filius

**Christocentric:  
True Happiness & the Error of False Humanism**

Prof. Rafael A. Madan, J.D.  
Sunday, May 20 @ 7:00 p.m.  
*No RSVP required.*  
Basilica of St. Mary, 310 South Royal Street, Alexandria, VA 22314

“The glory of God is man fully alive, and the glory of man is the vision of God.” - St. Irenaeus

**Poetry in Medieval Prayer**

Prof. Joseph Pearce  
Tuesday, May 29 @ 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. ET  
Live Webinar: [www.instituteofcatholicculture.org/events](http://www.instituteofcatholicculture.org/events)

For millennia, mankind has been nurtured and comforted by the beautiful poetic prayers of the Liturgy and the Sacred Scriptures. Join us as we prayerfully study the great tradition of the Medieval prayer and receive the gift of inspiration from the holy men and women who have come before us.

**WELCOMING CATHOLICS HOME**

*WCH is a special ministry dedicated to Catholics who are considering returning to the Catholic faith (and for CCD parents.) Parishioners may attend if they would like to accompany a friend or family member who is struggling and would like to explore returning to practicing their faith.*

**May 22 - Finding Jesus on Vacation**

While we are planning our summer vacations, as Catholics we are to live our faith wherever we are and whatever we are doing, including relaxing or having adventures at a vacation destination. How do we find a Mass when out of town? How do we learn about religious sites or Shrines near our destinations? How can we weave the faith into our vacation experience?

**SENIORS' CLUB**

Please join us on Monday, 21 May, for our final event of the season. We are fortunate to have Fr. Scott Sina as our guest speaker. He will recount the life changing experiences that he and his fellow pilgrims had on their pilgrimage to the Holy Land last November. Please mark your calendars and bring a friend. Lunch will be served in the school auditorium following 11:30 am Mass. Please sign up on the sheet in the vestibule of the Church or call the parish office at 703.356.7916 by Friday, 18 May. Those who arrive without reservations are welcome but, unfortunately, we cannot offer them lunch. The suggested donation is \$15/person to be collected at the door. For further information or if you would like a ride to the luncheon please call Phil at 703.356.9788.

**HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE: NOV. 4-14, 2018**

Join Fr. George Schommer, O.P., Pastor of St. Dominic Parish, Washington, D.C. on an 11-Day Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, “Following in the Footsteps of Our Lord.” For additional information please contact: Fr. Schommer, O.P., Email: [pastor@st.dominicchurch.org](mailto:pastor@st.dominicchurch.org) or Elizabeth Grinder (301)740-9332, call 1-877-276-7279, Email: [catholic-travel@comcast.net](mailto:catholic-travel@comcast.net). Reservation Deadline: August 4, 2018.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
May 20	May 21	May 22	May 23	May 24	May 25	May 26
10:30am CCD  4:00pm Vespers  6:15pm Youth Night	4:30pm CCD 4:30pm Confiteor  7:00pm RCIA 7:00pm WCH 7:30pm Legion  7:30pm Latin Mass	      7:00pm CCD  8:00pm Hoops	ADORATION 9:30am-7:30pm    Confessions Hourly 10:00am-6:00pm  7:00pm Holy Hour		9:00am School Mass	8:45am Confessions     3:30pm Confessions

## ST. JOHN'S YOUTH MINISTRY

### SUNDAY YOUTH NIGHT (5/20)

Continues tonight, Sunday May 20th from 6:15 - 8:15 p.m. in the Parish Hall. We will have Catholic HQ Trivia again for the chance to win \$25! Faith topic will be Young Saints Part 2: Pier Giorgio Frassati, Therese of Lisieux, and Other Saints with a fun social to follow. Food and drinks provided. Meet in the Parish Hall. Consider coming at 6:00 p.m. for the Divine Mercy Chaplet!

### CONFITEOR CLASS (5/21)

The last Confiteor Class is this Monday May 21st from 4:30-5:30 p.m. Open to all 9th and 10th graders. Meet in the Adult Ed. Room.

### WORKCAMP CONTRACTOR NEEDED

We are in need of one volunteer contractor for WorkCamp June 23-29 in Fredericksburg, VA. Without a contractor our five high school teens cannot participate in WorkCamp. Contractors need not be licensed, just handy and knowledgeable in home projects like 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 are provided. If you are interested or have questions about this extraordinary opportunity, please contact James Clement as soon as possible. Thank you!

James Clement

703-356-7916 / [jclement@stjohncatholicmclean.org](mailto:jclement@stjohncatholicmclean.org)

## SJB YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Calling all adults ages 18 - 30, whether you're college or grad, married or nomad, St. John Beloved is starting up a young adult ministry and we want you to be part of it! Connect with other young adults and deepen your faith. We will be meeting weekly for a social gathering and spiritual book study/discussion. Additionally, we will engage in service opportunities. We look forward to seeing you at our next event!

For more information please contact

James Clement:

[jclement@stjohncatholicmclean.org](mailto:jclement@stjohncatholicmclean.org) or 703-356-7916

## THE THRIFT SHOP NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

Do you feel like you want to volunteer but are afraid it will require too much time? Consider the St. John Thrift Shop! All proceeds go directly to the church. Positions available requiring as little as 3 hours per month! You'll feel great giving back to the parish while working with great people, and you'll still have your free time. Open: Tuesday-Friday 11-2 p.m. Saturday 10-1 p.m.

## BISHOP'S LENTEN APPEAL (BLA) PLEDGES

Thank you to everyone who pledged to the BLA! This appeal funds diocesan Vocations, Youth Ministry, Catholic Schools, Catholic Charities, Religious Education programs as well as many others. If you made a pledge that is still being paid, you should be receiving monthly reminder statements. You also may go online to make a payment at [www.arlingtondiocese.org](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org). For questions, please call the BLA office at 703-841-2570.

## CHRIST HOUSE EVENING MEAL CO-COORDINATOR

On the 2nd Friday of every month at Christ House in Alexandria, a team of four volunteers prepares and serves a nutritious, well balanced evening meal for about 75 persons and families from the Alexandria community. One member of the team oversees and coordinates meal preparation. A lead co-coordinator for this ministry is *greatly* needed. Lead responsibilities will be shared with the other coordinator, so at most, you will be leading the evening meal 6 times per year. Training provided. If you are interested in helping with this important outreach ministry, please contact Michele Mrozek [mmrozek@frpark.com](mailto:mmrozek@frpark.com).

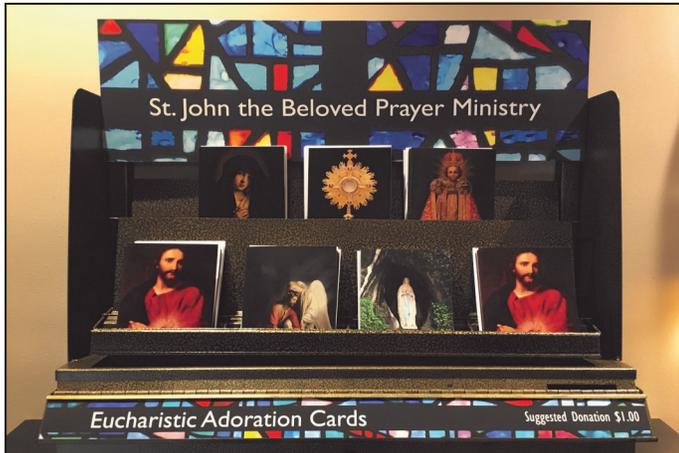
## WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." Learn how to bring the peace of Christ into your relationship. The next WWME weekends are: Sept. 21-23, 2018 in Herndon, VA and Aug 3-5, 2018 in Hanover, MD. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: [RenewMarriageVANorth.org](http://RenewMarriageVANorth.org) or contact us at [applications@renewmarriagevanorth.org](mailto:applications@renewmarriagevanorth.org) or 703-646-1521.

## LANDING PARTY

Are you a new parishioner at St. John the Beloved? Fr. Pollard and Fr. Sina invite you to a landing party for new parishioners on Saturday, June 16 @ 7:00 pm. Fr. Pollard, Fr. Sina and the Welcoming Committee look forward to the opportunity to personally meet and greet you and your families. Children are welcome to attend. Please RSVP to Bev Hoernig at: 571-326-6530.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION CARDS**



Have you noticed the Eucharistic adoration cards in the new prayer ministry stand located in the vestibule, just outside The Word Bookstore? Consider spending precious time with our Lord in prayer and offering that time for the need of a family member or friend. You can then let them know that you were holding them up in prayer by sending a Eucharistic Adoration Card which includes the following notation:

*I have made a private Holy Hour before the Blessed Sacrament for you and for all the intentions which are dear to your heart.*

Each card is designed with a beautiful image and meaningful prayer to accompany them in their time of suffering and sorrow as well as in times of peace and rejoicing.

- **Sickness and Suffering:** Sacred Heart of Jesus, Our Lady of Lourdes, Christ in Gethsemane
- **Requiem (Loss of loved one):** Sorrowful Mother
- **General (birthdays, graduations, ordinations, birth):** Eucharist in the Monstrance, Infant of Prague, Madonna and Child

Suggested donation of \$1 to cover printing costs.

**RETREAT FOR MARRIED COUPLES**

A Retreat Day for Married Couples will be led by Fr. Paul Scalia, Episcopal Vicar for Clergy, on Saturday, July 7 at Holy Trinity, Gainesville, VA, from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Experience a profound and reflective retreat including talks, Adoration, Confession, and spiritual time with your spouse; the retreat will conclude with Mass.

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

San Damiano Spiritual Life Center in White Post, VA is seeking a part-time Food Service Assistant for immediate hire. Visit [arlingtondiocese.org](http://arlingtondiocese.org) Employment Page for more details.

**THE STATE OF THE COMMONWEALTH**



*"Catholic schools carry out a great mission, to serve God by building knowledge and character... By teaching the word of God, you prepare your students to follow a path of virtue."*

- George W. Bush

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

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| Carmel Broadfoot         | Christopher Katz      |
| Mary Elizabeth Bergen    | Dorothy Kottler       |
| Salvatore Calabro        | Sharon LeMaster       |
| John Cartelli            | Sue Malone            |
| John Paul Charles Carver | Carmella Manetti      |
| Virginia Connelly        | Cristina Marques      |
| Sheila Corallo           | Diana Meisel          |
| Elke D'Amico             | Bonnie Moran          |
| Richard DeCorps          | Veronica Nowakowski   |
| William Dunne            | Anita Oliveira        |
| Joe Elias                | Briner Orillo         |
| Tara Flanagan-Koenig     | Mary Pistorino Reilly |
| Susan Glover             | Patricia Richer       |
| Francesca Greco          | Shelby Rogers         |
| Paul Griffith            | Thomas Rosa           |
| Edward M. Hallinan III   | Avery Schaeffer       |
| Jack Halpin              | Merle Shannon         |
| Arnold L. Harrington III | Gloribeth Smith       |
| Emily Hazlett            | Carolyn Steinhoff     |
| 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...*

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| Robert Ayala    | Robert B Smolar   |
| Jonathan Choo   | Michael Shipley   |
| Nicholas Galvan | Kimberley Templer |
| Harry Griffith  | Michael Templer   |
| Bill Jones      | Jesus Toledanes   |
| Brendan Murphy  | Alex Trujillo     |
| Lynn Partik     | Justin White      |