# Worship the Rord

# MASS INTENTIONS

# Monday, November 23

St. Clement I, Pope and Martyr; St. Columban, Abbot;

# Bl. Miguel Agustín Pro, Priest and Martyr

6:30 Spencer Declan Lunde †

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8:00 Amelia Robles

# Tuesday, November 24

St. Andrew Düng-Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs

6:30 Bestey Turner †

9:00 Ashlea Miyauchi †

# Wednesday, November 25

St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr

6:30 Rev. Jerome Amaechi

9:00 Sr. Elizabeth Bui-Thi-Nghia RSM

# Thursday, November 26

# **Thanksgiving**

6:30 Terry O'Connor †

9:00 Elmer and Estelle Danielson †

# Friday, November 27

# Weekday

6:30 Rev. Paul D. Scalia

9:00 Edgard Seville †

# Saturday, November 28

# Weekday

8:15 Rev. Franklyn M. McAffee

5:00 Dana Snyder †

# Sunday, November 29

# First Sunday of Advent

7:30 Souls in Purgatory

9:00 Edgard Seville †

10:30 People of the Parish

12:00 Charma Zuber

# REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Patricia Ahern Richard Meade Frank Bohan Diana Meisel Carmel Broadfoot Bonnie Moran

John Cartelli Veronica Nowakowski

Edward Ciesielski Anita Oliveira
Victoria Grace Czarniecki Emelinda Oliveira
Kerry Darby Sally O'Malley
Tara Flanagan-Koenig John Peterson

Alexa Frisbie Mary Pistorino Reilly Susan Glover Shelby Rogers

Francisca Grego Thomas Rosa
Arnold L. Harrington III Murielle Rozier-Francoville

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Colleen Hodgdon

David Johnson

Mark Johnson

Christopher Katz

Margaret Kemp

Dorothy Kottler

Sue Malone

Murielle Rozier-Fra

Avery Schaeffer

Merle Shannon

Gloribeth Smith

Glenn Snyder

Bill Sullivan

Brian Turner

Ana Vera

Carmella Manetti Mary Warchot
Cristina Marques Marie Wysolmerski

# ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD

† PHYLLIS THOMPSON †

† CAROLYN STEINHOFF †

† ARLENE ZELEZNIKAR †

# AND HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

### NOVEMBER—ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve humankind

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
November 22	November 23	November 24	November 25	November 26	November 27	November 28
9:00am Mass 10:30am Mass Noon TLM	6:30am Mass 9:00am Mass also on Livestream 8:00pm TLM	6:30am Mass 9:00am Mass also on Livestream	6:30am Mass 9:00am Mass also on Livestream Confessions Hourly 10:00am-7:00pm 7:30pm Holy	6:30am <b>Mass</b> 9:00am <b>Mass</b> also on Livestream	6:30am Mass 9:00am Mass also on Livestream	8:15am Mass 8:45am confessions 3:30pm confessions 5:00pm Mass

# Rearn the Saith

# In Testimonium...

The Book of Tobit
Chapter 13
"Tobit's Thanksgiving to God"

1 Then Tobit wrote a prayer of rejoicing, and said:

"Blessed is God who lives for ever, and blessed is his kingdom. 2 For he afflicts, and he shows mercy; he leads down to Hades, and brings up again, and there is no one who can escape his hand. 3 Acknowledge him before the nations, O sons of Israel; for he has scattered us among them. 4 Make his greatness known there, and exalt him in the presence of all the living; because he is our Lord and God, he is our Father for ever. 5 He will afflict us for our iniquities; and again he will show mercy, and will gather us from all the nations among whom you have been scattered. 6 If you turn to him with all your heart and with all your soul, to do what is true before him, then he will turn to you and will not hide his face from you. But see what he will do with you; give thanks to him with your full voice. Praise the Lord of righteousness, and exalt the King of the ages. I give him thanks in the land of my captivity, and I show his power and majesty to a nation of sinners. Turn back, you sinners, and do right before him; who knows if he will accept you and have mercy on you? 7 I exalt my God; my soul exalts the King of heaven, and will rejoice in his majesty. 8 Let all men speak, and give him thanks in Jerusalem. 9 O Jerusalem, the holy city, he will afflict you for the deeds of your sons, but again he will show mercy to the sons of the righteous. 10 Give thanks worthily to the Lord, and praise the King of the ages, that his tent may be raised for you again with joy. May he cheer those within you who are captives, and love those within you who are distressed, to all generations for ever. 11 Many nations will come from afar to the name of the Lord God, bearing gifts in their hands, gifts for the King of heaven. Generations of generations will give you joyful praise. 12 Cursed are all who hate you; blessed for ever will be all who love you. 13 Rejoice and be glad for the sons of the righteous; for they will be gathered together, and will praise the Lord of the righteous. 14 How blessed are those who love you! They will rejoice in your peace. Blessed are those who grieved over all your afflictions; for they will rejoice for you upon seeing all your glory, and they will be made glad for ever. 15 Let my soul praise God the great King. 16 For Jerusalem will be built with sapphires and emeralds, her walls with precious stones, and her towers and battlements with pure gold. 17 The streets of Jerusalem will be paved with beryl and ruby and stones of Ophir; 18 all her lanes will cry 'Hallelujah!' and will give praise, saying, 'Blessed is God, who has exalted you for ever. '"

May yours be a Blessed and Happy Thanksgiving! Fr. CJP



# Annual Christmas Tree Sale Beginning on December 3

Go to www.stjohnacademy.org for more information!

# CALENDAR UPDATES

November 24-30—Thanksgiving Break!



# FAMILY EVENINGS OF PRAYER & CATECHETICS

Every Tuesday and Thursday 7:00-7:45pm

All families are invited, the Tues & Thurs programs are the same so pick the night that works best for you! Both are livestreamed.

The evening includes music, prayer and a short catechesis by our priests.

This week we will be answering your questions for the priests. .

# YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

## SPORTS & SCRIPTURE

- 7TH—12TH graders welcome!
- Wednesdays from 4-6pm
- Enjoy sports and pizza while getting to know Christ!

# **HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH NIGHTS**

- 1st and 3rd Sundays of every month, 7:00-8:30pm
- Encounter Christ while having fun with other Catholic youth

Contact Michael for more information:mjacobeen@stjohncatholicmclean.org

# Be an Apostle



### **DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON NEWS**

# FROM THE OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING -- NOVEMBER 22, 2020 "I was hungry and you gave me to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me to drink."

Is Christ calling you to serve Him in others as a sister, brother, deacon or priest? Call Father Michael Isenberg (703)841-2514,or write:michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org.

Days of Recollection for Men and Women Discerners Could Christ be calling you to the priesthood or religious life? Take a step to find out. The Office of Vocations will hold a day retreat for men on Saturday, December 12, and a day retreat for women on Sunday, December 13. They are open to those 18 years and older. Religious sisters will be present for the women, and seminarians, priests and men religious will be at the men's. For more information and to register contact the Office of Vocations, 703-841-2514 or vocations@arlingtondiocese.org. Deadline to sign up is Friday, December 4.

# FROM THE OFFICE OF MARRIAGE, FAMILY & RESPECT LIFE

PRAISE AND WORSHIP HOLY HOUR

Join us for prayer, praise and worship on Tuesday, December 15, at St. Leo the Great Catholic Church in Fairfax from 7:30-8:30 p.m. Fr. Stephen Vaccaro will lead us in prayer along with musicians Valerie and Rocco Repetski. Our special intention will be for the conversion and healing in families. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available. All are welcome. Please bring a friend. To join us live from home, please visit https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/healingandconversion/ Please email info@helpafterabortion.org if you need assistance.

# CATHOLIC CHARITIES

#SHOUTYOURADOPTION

November is National Adoption Month. We invite you to #ShoutYourAdoption!!!! Send in a 200-400 word blog, a photo with a few sentences for social media post or a 1-3 minute video. Questions to Consider: Were you called to adopt? Were you called to place your child? How did you hear that call and what led you to answer? Why did YOU choose to work with a faith based agency? How has your faith played a role in your adoption journey? How is your faith connected to your identity as a person or family? How does your faith shape how you view adoption? How has the agency's faith practices or approach impacted your journey, if at all?

Please send all submissions to Meaghan.lane@ccda.net by November 15th so we can share them on our various platforms throughout Virginia.



### ST. JOHN THE BELOVED PARISH NEWS

# Music by Parishioners, for Parishioners!



Although we will not have our recital inperson, our music program would like to continue the musical tradition of a parish recital. Parishioners are invited to record

and submit original musical performances by November 24, which will then be compiled to make one video which will be posted on the parish YouTube page later this month! Musical genres from classical to jazz appreciated! If you wish to contribute your talents and submit a video, please email our Director of Music, James Senson: JSenson@StJohnCatholicMclean.org.

### **DAILY ADORATION**

Sundays 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Wednesdays 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. All Other Days 7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (Saturday Adoration suspended)

Please prayerfully consider this incredible opportunity to spend an hour with Our Lord each week. Email griffin@griffnews.com or call the office at 703-356-7916 to sign up to be a weekly adorer and/or as a substitute adorer to fill in when needed.

### THE WORD BOOKSTORE



The Word Bookstore is open after the 9:00, 10:30 and 12:00 masses. The store will be closed on November 29 due to the Thanksgiving holiday. Please enter through the main church entrance. We ask that you respectfully **not** enter the vesti-

bule until after the Communion service is finished. Visit us for your Advent candles and Christmas gifts. Cash/Credit/Checks accepted. We are also open by appointment. Email us at theword@stjohncatholicmclean.org with your inquiry. We look forward to serving you. Thank you!

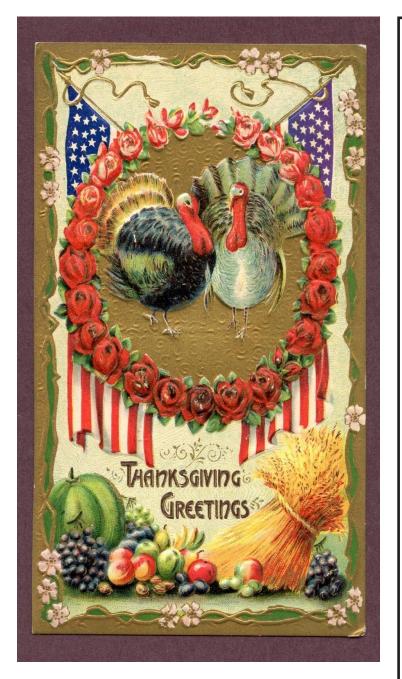


# STATE OF THE COMMONWEALTH



Article II, Section 1, Clause 2 of the Constitution empowers each state legislature to determine the manner by which the state's electors are chosen. The electors of each state meet in their respective state capitals on the first Monday after the second Wednesday of December to cast their votes.

# JESUS CHRIST KING OF THE UNIVERSE



May God bless and protect our loved ones in the military and civil service who are serving these United States in dangerous places, especially...

Robert Ayala
Jonathan Choo
Edward Cieselski
Nicholas Galvan
Harry Griffith
Bill Jones
Elisabeth Maddrell
Brendan Murphy

Lynn Partik
Michael Shipley
Kimberley Templer
Michael Templer
Jesus Toledanes
Justin White
Donald Yamamoto



8th Grade Testing Required for Placement in Catholic High Schools in the Diocese of Arlington

#### **TEST DATE**

Saturday, December 5, 2020 (Snow Date - December 12, 2020)

### **TEST SITES:**

Bishop Ireton High School, Alexandria Bishop O'Connell High School, Arlington St. Paul VI High School, Chantilly Saint John Paul the Great High School, Dumfries

## **TEST TIME:**

8:30 A.M. - 12 Noon

FEE:

\$35.00

# **REQUIREMENTS:**

Students must fill out a High School Placement Test Registration Form (available under Schools/High School Placement Test Information at <a href="http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/">http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/</a>). The registration form must be submitted to the test site no later than Friday, December 4, 2020. The \$35.00 fee should accompany the form.

For students who are prevented from taking the test on December 5, 2020, there will be one additional testing date as noted below:

### **TEST DATE:**

Saturday, January 9, 2021 Winter HSPT at BI, DJO, PVI and JPG

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Saturday, January 16, 2021 Snow Date, at BI, DJO, PVI and JPG

#### TEST TIME:

8:30 A.M. - 12 Noon

**FEE:** \$35.00

This test is required for placement in these four high schools:

Bishop Ireton High School
Bishop O'Connell High School
St. Paul VI High School
Saint John Paul the Great High School