

# MASS INTENTIONS

## Monday, October 12

### Weekday

- 6:30 Peg Long †  
 9:00 Anthony Abdallah †  
 8:00 Sienna Abdallah †

## Tuesday, October 13

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- 6:30 Angelina Abdallah †  
 9:00 Alessandro Galata †

## Wednesday, October 14

### St. Callistus I, Pope and Martyr

- 6:30 Veronique Sakr †  
 9:00 Dorie Hottinger

## Thursday, October 15

### St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

- 6:30 Leonard Fellin  
 9:00 Gwen Gomes †

## Friday, October 16

### St. Hedwig, Religious; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin

- 6:30 Brian Patterson  
 9:00 Collin and Leah Helein

## Saturday, October 17

### St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr

- 8:15 Sr. Mary Theresa Golding †  
 5:00 John C. McGarry †

## Sunday, October 18

### Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### World Mission Sunday

- 7:30 Walter and Helen O'Malley †  
 9:00 John Kopeck †  
 10:30 People of the Parish  
 12:00 Clare Bockhorn

## ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD

† ARLENE ZELEZNIKAR †

† RICHARD DECORPS †

† MARY VOYTKO †

## HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

### OCTOBER—THE LAITY'S MISSION IN THE CHURCH

We pray that by the virtue of baptism, the laity, especially women, may participate more in areas of responsibility in the Church.

## In Testimonium...

11 OCTOBER 2020  
 ON THE EVE OF COLUMBUS DAY

Tomorrow just might occasion some arguments in your home and in our streets. Permit me to recommend some bits of helpful reading, some of which is partisan, some of which is neutral.

“On the Columbus Quadricentennial”

by Pope Leo XIII

July 16, 1892

[http://www.vatican.va/content/leo-xiii/en/encyclicals/documents/hf\\_l-xiii\\_enc\\_16071892\\_quarto-abeunte-saeculo.html](http://www.vatican.va/content/leo-xiii/en/encyclicals/documents/hf_l-xiii_enc_16071892_quarto-abeunte-saeculo.html)

“Christopher Columbus”

by the Editors of History.com

September 1, 2020

<https://www.history.com/topics/exploration/christopher-columbus>

“Columbus Rediscovered”

by Felipe Fernández-Armesto

September 1, 2020

[https://www.kofc.org/en/news-room/columbia/2020/september/columbus-rediscovered.html?utm\\_source=Aristotle-Knightline&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=Aristotle-Knightline-2020-09-07](https://www.kofc.org/en/news-room/columbia/2020/september/columbus-rediscovered.html?utm_source=Aristotle-Knightline&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Aristotle-Knightline-2020-09-07)

“A Defense of Christopher Columbus on Columbus Day”

by John Hirschauer

October 14, 2019

<https://www.nationalreview.com/2019/10/columbus-day-a-defense-of-christopher-columbus/>

“The redemption of Bartolomé de Las Casas”

by Meg Hunter-Kilmer

June 25, 2020

<https://osvnews.com/2020/06/25/the-redemption-of-bartolome-de-las-casas/>

“Isabella I, Queen of Spain”

By J.R.L. Highfield

April 18, 2020

<https://www.britannica.com/biography/Isabella-I-queen-of-Spain>

Venerable Michael McGivney, pray for us!

Fr. Christopher J. Pollard

“A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; even as I have loved you, that you also love one another. By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.” John 13:34-35

## TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



# Saint John the Beloved

## ACADEMY

### OCTOBER CALENDAR UPDATES

October 12 NO SCHOOL Columbus Day  
 October 13-15 Parent/Teacher Meetings 3:15-4:30 PM  
 October 16 11:30 am DISMISSAL  
 October 16 7:00-10:00 pm *An October Party*  
 October 17 7:00-10:00 pm *An October Party*

### *The Indwelling of the Holy Trinity: How Faithful Catholics Can Change the World"*

A talk by Dominican friar,  
Rev. Gregory Maturi, O.P.

**Sunday, October 11**  
 4 p.m.: sung Vespers  
 4:30 p.m.: homily by Fr. Maturi

#### R.S.V.P.

by calling or texting  
 Fran at 703-862-6741 or [griffin@griffnews.com](mailto:griffin@griffnews.com)

Fr. Maturi, a native of Alexandria, is currently stationed at the Dominican Mission in Kisumu, Kenya, Africa.



## ST. JOHN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### FAMILY EVENINGS OF PRAYER & CATECHESIS

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

- All families invited, the Tues & Thurs programs are the same, so pick the night that works best for you! The Tuesday program will be livestreamed.
- The evening will include music, prayer, and a short catechesis for the whole family given by our priests.

### YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

#### SPORTS & SCRIPTURE

- 7<sup>TH</sup>—12<sup>TH</sup> graders welcome!
- Wednesdays from 4-6pm
- Enjoy sports and pizza while getting to know Christ through the Gospels!

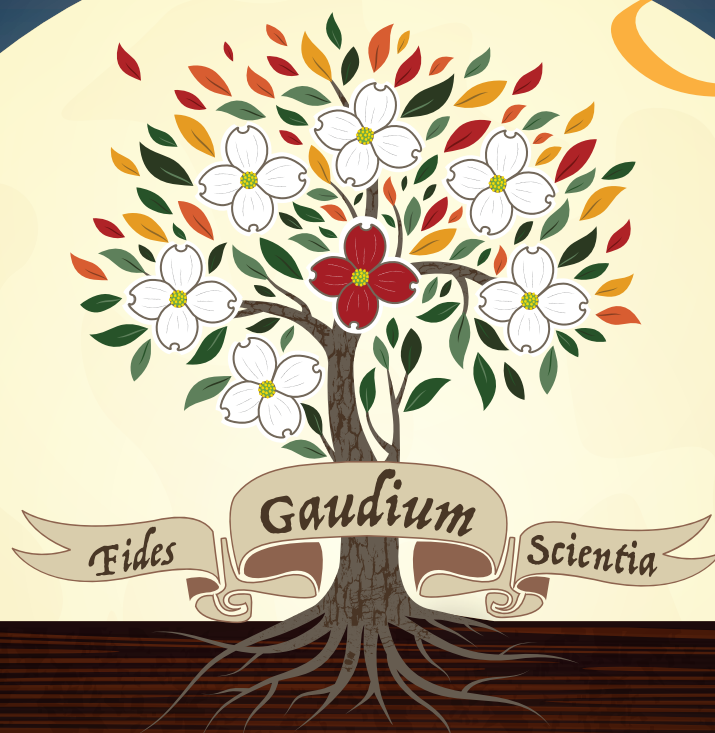
#### HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH NIGHTS

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

Contact Michael for more nfo:  
[mjacobeen@stjohncatholicmclean.org](mailto:mjacobeen@stjohncatholicmclean.org)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
OCTOBER 11	OCTOBER 12	OCTOBER 13	OCTOBER 14	OCTOBER 15	OCTOBER 16	OCTOBER 17
7:30am Mass 9:00am Mass 10:30am Mass Noon TLM  3:30pm Pro-Life Rosary	6:30am Mass 9:00am Mass also on Livestream    8:00pm TLM Mass	6:30am Mass 9:00am Mass also on Livestream	6:30am Mass 9:00am Mass also on Livestream  Confessions Hourly 10:00am-7:00pm	6:30am Mass 9:00am Mass also on Livestream	6:30am Mass 9:00am Mass also on Livestream	8:15am Mass 8:45am confessions    3:30pm confessions 5:00pm Mass

# an October Party



October 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>  
from 7-10pm

2 Nights  
Choose One!

- Live Music, Jazz, & Great Conversation
- BYOB Wine, Beer & Refreshments
- A Fun Night to Build & Support SJBA!



Saint John the Beloved  
ACADEMY





# DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON NEWS



## CATHOLIC CHARITIES

### *CHRIST HOUSE THRIFT SHOP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED*

Catholic Charities Christ House Thrift Shop volunteers are needed for regular shifts (three hours per week) on Thursdays and Fridays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. and 1 p.m.-4 p.m.. Volunteers will provide support and assistance to shoppers and also monitor the maximum number of customers allowed to come into the shop at one time. Contact [aniliza.juan@ccda.net](mailto:aniliza.juan@ccda.net)

## FROM THE OFFICE OF MARRIAGE, FAMILY & RESPECT LIFE

### *MASS IN THANKSGIVING FOR THE GIFT OF HUMAN LIFE*

Join us in thanking God for the gift of life and praying for its protection at all its stages. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Michael Burbidge on October 11, at 11 a.m. at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Gainesville. All are welcome.

### *BISHOP TO LEAD PRAISE & WORSHIP HOLY HOUR!*

Join us for a very special evening of prayer, praise and worship on Tuesday, October 20 at St. Leo the Great Catholic Church in Fairfax from 7:30-8:30 p.m. We are honored to welcome Bishop Michael F. Burbidge as presider and homilist. Musical artist will be Michelle Jacobeen. Our special intention will be for the conversion and healing in families. Confession will be available. All are welcome so please bring a friend. To learn more visit [www.arlingtondiocese.org/healingandconversion/](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/healingandconversion/) or email [info@helpafterabortion.org](mailto:info@helpafterabortion.org). To join us virtually, please visit the following links. <https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/healingandconversion/> or the Facebook Live Event <https://www.facebook.com/events/836340473499484>.

### *WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER*

WWME is a weekend to rediscover the spark from your wedding day. Join millions of couples worldwide and sign up today to attend one of the upcoming WWME Experiences on Oct 5-26 in VIRTUAL 3RE, MD and Nov 6-8 in COLLEGE PARK, MD. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: [RenewMarriage-VANorth.org](http://RenewMarriage-VANorth.org) or contact us at [applications@renewmarriage-vanorth.org](mailto:applications@renewmarriage-vanorth.org) or 703-646-1521.

## PROJECT RACHEL

### *POST-ABORTION HEALING RETREATS FOR WOMEN*

An Entering Canaan Day of Prayer & Healing for women who have experienced abortion will be held on Oct 17, 9-5 p.m. in English and Spanish. Begin your healing journey, and experience God's hope and mercy. You are not alone. There is hope and healing. For more info and confidential registration, please contact Project Rachel Ministry at 888-456-HOPE (4673) or [info@helpafterabortion.org](mailto:info@helpafterabortion.org)

## FROM THE OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

*"Many are called, but few are chosen."*

Are you considering a vocation to proclaim the word of God as a priest or consecrated religious? Call Father Michael Isenberg (703) 841-2514, or write [michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org).

### *FIAT DAY WITH THE FRANCISCAN SISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST*

(For high school girls) What do sisters do all day? Sometimes they garden! In the spirit of St. Francis, spend a day working in God's creation with the Franciscan Sisters of the Eucharist. Hang out with the sisters, pray together and get your hands a little dirty helping in their garden. It is Saturday, October 17, from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at their convent in Falls Church. Day will include Mass, talk and gardening (and social distancing). Bring gardening gloves and tools if you have them, and your own picnic lunch. For more information and to register visit [ArlingtonDiocese.org/FIAT](http://ArlingtonDiocese.org/FIAT), or contact [vocations@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:vocations@arlingtondiocese.org). Deadline to register and submit permission form is Friday, October 9.

### *QUO VADIS BIKE RETREAT WITH PRIESTS*

High school boys are invited to join some Arlington priests and seminarians for a bike retreat on Saturday October 24, from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. The group will meet at St. Rita Church in Alexandria for Mass then ride to Hains Point for some races, a talk, hanging out and picnic lunch before returning to St. Rita. Bring your own bike and lunch. For more information and to register, visit [ArlingtonDiocese.org/QuoVadis](http://ArlingtonDiocese.org/QuoVadis), or contact [vocations@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:vocations@arlingtondiocese.org). Deadline to submit permission form is Friday, October 16.

### *RUN, WALK, BIKE, SWIM, EVEN KAYAK & SUPPORT SEMINARIANS*

Looking for a motivation for your workouts, or a fun way to make a difference? Now there are even more ways to support our future priests during these times of COVID restrictions through our Race for Seminarians campaign. Pick your sport: Walk, run, bike, hike, swim, kayak -- the sky's the limit! Pick your route: Join an existing race, map your own, or do a virtual one. Pick your sponsors: Get them on board to help you support our future priests. Build your team: Encourage each other. Not an athlete? You can still join the cause by supporting our team (and future priests) with funds and prayers. Visit [ArlingtonDiocese.org/RACE](http://ArlingtonDiocese.org/RACE) to learn about all these options and start building your team today!

### *GIFTS FOR 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. Questions or to donate, Contact Gretchen Koch at [g.koch@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:g.koch@arlingtondiocese.org) or (703) 841-3819 with questions.

**PUBLIC OUTDOOR ROSARIES**

Come out and pray for the Peace of Christ, the conversion of sinners, and the triumph of the Immaculate Heart! Our nation is in need of your prayers and witness.

Every month from May to October, on the days of the Fatima apparitions, there are public rosaries and hymns prayed in the front parking lot of St John the Beloved. Start times are **10am, 12pm, 2pm, and 4pm.**

Next date is **Tuesday, October 13.**

Questions? Contact Ann Thunder 703-472-7151

**STATE OF THE COMMONWEALTH**

You may vote early and in-person at the Fairfax County Government Center. You will be able to vote early and in-person in McLean as of October 14. A Voter Guide for the Presidential Election has been prepared by the Virginia Catholic Conference and is online: [bit.ly/2020Election\\_VCC](http://bit.ly/2020Election_VCC)

October 13 is the deadline for registering to vote.

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT  
DAILY at ST. JOHN!**

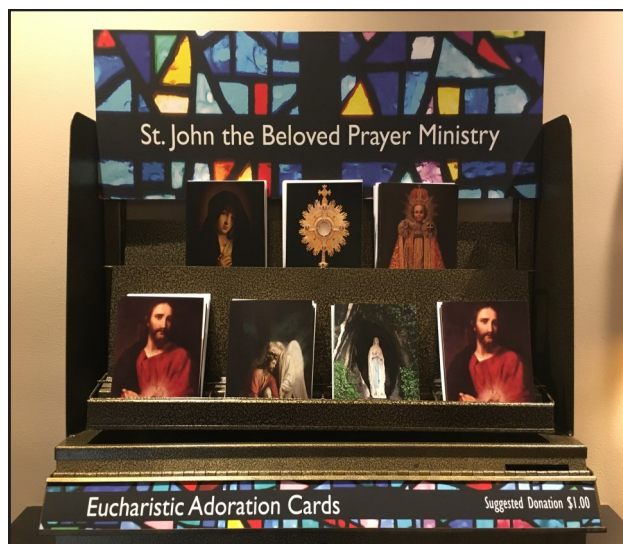
**Sundays 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.**  
**Wednesdays 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.**  
**All Other Days 7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**  
**(Saturday Adoration suspended)**

Our Lord would love to have your company for even just one hour. There are many slots open for adorers at Adoration. The church is never full during adoration so "social distancing" is not an issue. Email [griffin@griffinnews.com](mailto:griffin@griffinnews.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.

Consider offering your time in prayer for a family member or friend. Let them know you were holding them up in prayer by sending a Eucharistic Adoration Card with 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, appropriate to occasions of suffering and sorrow, as well as peace and rejoicing.

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

Patricia Ahern	Bonnie Moran
Frank Bohan	Veronica Nowakowski
Carmel Broadfoot	Anita Oliveira
John Cartelli	Emelinda Oliveira
Victoria Grace Czarniecki	Sally O'Malley
Kerry Darby	John Peterson
Tara Flanagan-Koenig	Mary Pistorino Reilly
Alexa Frisbie	Shelby Rogers
Susan Glover	Thomas Rosa
Francisca Grego	Murielle Rozier-Francoville
Arnold L. Harrington III	Avery Schaeffer
Colleen Hodgdon	Merle Shannon
David Johnson	Gloribeth Smith
Mark Johnson	Glenn Snyder
Christopher Katz	Carolyn Steinhoff
Dorothy Kottler	Bill Sullivan
Sue Malone	Brian Turner
Carmella Manetti	Ana Vera
Cristina Marques	Mary Warchot
Richard Meade	Marie Wysolmerski
Diana Meisel	

*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	Lynn Partik
Jonathan Choo	Michael Shipley
Nicholas Galvan	Kimberley Templer
Harry Griffith	Michael Templer
Bill Jones	Jesus Toledanes
Elisabeth Maddrell	Justin White
Brendan Murphy	Donald Yamamoto