

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 24

St. Bartholomew, Apostle

6:30 Olivia McFadden †
9:00 Joseph Castellano †
8:00 Sergio Michali †

Tuesday, August 25

St. Louis; St. St. Joseph Calasan, Priest

6:30 Lucas Gallegos †
9:00 Charles Giuffra †

Wednesday, August 26

Weekday

6:30 Joan Ryabik †
9:00 Debbie and Tom Delare

Thursday, August 27

St. Monica

6:30 Spencer Lunde †
9:00 Suzanne Broyhill

Friday, August 28

St. Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

6:30 Joseph E. Schmitz
9:00 Kathryn Crnkovich †

Saturday, August 29

The Passion of St. John the Baptist

8:15 Kay Crnkovich †
5:00 Terry O'Connor †

Sunday, August 30

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 Robert Young †
9:00 Robert John Mazurkiewicz
10:30 People of the Parish
12:00 Robert James Whann †

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD

† LEROY HAUGH †

† ANDREW BENEDICT MILLS †

† HAZEN GALE †

† JACK HALPIN †

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

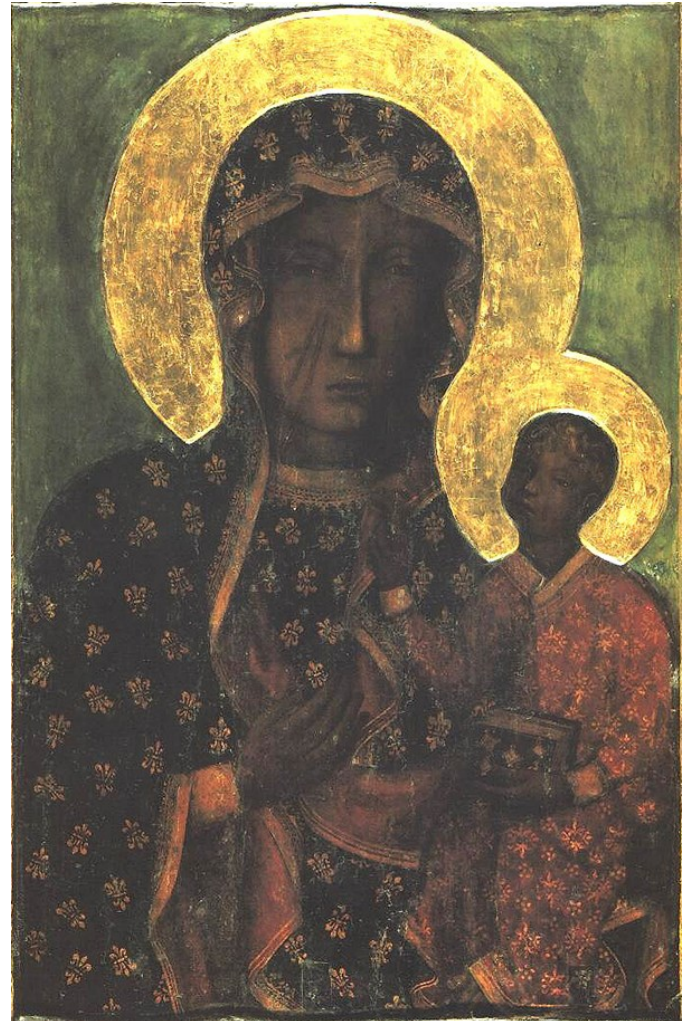
August—The Maritime World

We pray for all those who work and live from the sea,
among them sailors, fishermen and their families.

In Testimonium...

26 August 2020

Feast of Our Lady of Czestochowa



The origin of this miraculous image in Poland is unknown for absolute certainty, but according to tradition it was painted by St. John sometime after the Crucifixion of Our Lord and remained in the Holy Land until discovered by St. Helena of the Cross in the fourth century, at which it was taken to Constantinople. After the portrait became the possession of a Polish prince in the 15th century, it was installed in his castle which later came under attack by Tartar invaders. Determined to save the image from repeated invasions, St. Ladislaus went to his birthplace, Opala, stopping for rest in Czestochowa; the image was brought nearby to Jasna Gora ["bright hill"] and placed in a small wooden church named for the Assumption.

Our Lady of Czestochowa, pray for us.

Fr. Christopher J. Pollard

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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 **Sunday, September 13.**

Questions? Contact Ann Thunder 703-472-7151

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS: Sports & Scripture

Join us Wednesday afternoons this summer for outdoor sports followed by pizza and a reflection on Sunday's Gospel.

When: Wednesdays from 3:30-5:30pm

Who: Rising 7th-12th graders

Where: We'll play sports outdoors on the field, and sit in the covered area at the school entrance for pizza and discussion.

Covid Safety: We will be outside the entire time, and chairs will be spaced for physical distancing for dinner and discussion.

**In the event of rain or lightning, this event will be cancelled.*

HELP A PARISHIONER

A young St. John parishioner born in 1997 is in need of a kidney donor. If you or someone you know is open to becoming a kidney donor, regardless of where the potential donor lives, please visit the website for the MedStar Georgetown Transplant Institute: <https://mgti.donorscreen.org/register/donate-kidney>

The young man's name and date of birth, which will be needed for registration, can be provided by Fr. Pollard (fr.pollard@stjohncatholicmclean.org). Donors can be reimbursed for lost wages and other expenses. Since the recipient is 23 years old the preferred donor age is between 21 and 49. However, doctors are allowing older candidates to be tested since the finding of such a qualifying living donor could make available the needed transplant through the Paired Kidney Exchange.

HELP SEMINARIAN MAURICIO PORTILLO

St. John the Beloved Parish is going to send a gift to Mauricio for the purchase of a new computer to aid him in his studies at the Pontifical North American College in Rome.



If you are interested in donating to this fund please send your donation in to the parish office. Any amount would be much appreciated. Dio ti benedica!

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT now 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)

We need more adorers to commit to spending one hour a week with Our Lord. If we had but 12 more people, every time slot would be full. Would you sign up to be one of those 12?

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.

“Could you not watch one hour with Me?”

Our Lord asks Peter, James and John.

He continues: “Watch and pray that you not enter into temptation. The spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak.”

Matthew 26:40-42

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| AUGUST 23 | AUGUST 24 | AUGUST 25 | AUGUST 26 | AUGUST 27 | AUGUST 28 | AUGUST 29 |
| 7:30 am Mass 9:00 am Mass 10:30 am Mass Noon TLM 3:30pm Pro-Life Rosary | 6:30 am Mass 9:00 am Mass also on Livestream 8:00 pm TLM Mass | 6:30 am Mass 9:00 am Mass also on Livestream | 6:30 am Mass 9:00 am Mass also on Livestream Confessions Hourly 10:00 am-7:00 pm | 6:30 am Mass 9:00 am Mass also on Livestream | 6:30 am Mass 9:00 am Mass also on Livestream | 8:15 am Mass 8:45 confessions 3:30 pm confessions 5:00 pm Mass |



7th Annual Scannell Cup

*supporting Retired Priests of the Diocese of Arlington
providing scholarships to Saint John the Beloved Academy*

Friday 18 September 2020

11:00 a.m. Registration & Box Lunch in Outdoor Pavilion
1:30 p.m. Shotgun Start / Complimentary Cigars / Beverage Cart
6:30 p.m. Gourmet Dinner & Prizes in Outdoor Pavilion

Covid precautions in effect on course and off.

- Fred Couples-Designed Golf Course
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| <i>before September 1</i> | <i>after August 31</i> |
| \$175 per Golfer | \$250 per Golfer |
| \$650 per Foursome | \$900 per Foursome |

Priests and Wounded Veterans play free.

Sign Up Online: bit.ly/2020ScannellCup

*St. John the Beloved is grateful to Tuttle Taylor & Heron
for its generous support of the Msgr. T.P. Scannell Cup.*

~ PROVIDE CURRENT OFFICIAL HANDICAP OR LAST THREE (3) SCORES.



"You are a child of God!"

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



For your convenience, please sign up for the Faith Direct Offertory program. www.faithdirect.net Our parish code is VA77.

ST. JOHN THE BELOVED PRAYER CHAIN

You are invited to join the *St. John the Beloved Prayer Chain*. We are an email group of several hundred souls dedicated to praying for the intentions of our St. John Community. Prayer requests are sent by the coordinator via email along with suggested prayers for each intention. All members of our parish and school family are welcome to join us in prayer. Join - bit.ly/PrayerChainSignUp
Questions- StJohnPrayerChain@StJohnCatholicMcClean.org

MOTHER OF MERCY FREE MEDICAL CLINIC VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Please help Catholic Charities serve the poor by volunteering--on site or remotely from home--with the Mother of Mercy Free Medical Clinics. Located in Manassas and Woodbridge, the clinics provide free, quality healthcare to low income individuals who are uninsured or under-insured. Demand for clinic services has skyrocketed, and we are in desperate need of medical and non- medical volunteers. Most of the volunteering can be done virtually, from the safety and convenience of home. On site opportunities exist as well. Volunteers must be willing to make a regular, ongoing commitment. Most positions are 3-4 hour shifts, affording great flexibility. To signup, please visit: <https://volunteer.cceda.net>.

NEW 'SEARCHING FOR MORE' PODCAST

'Searching for More' features interviews and discussions on a range of topics affecting Catholics in today's world. Guests include clergy, local Catholics, doctors, technology experts, Catholic news anchors, and even Hollywood actors starring in epic biblical dramas. In addition, some podcasts will emanate from inspiring talks, speeches, homilies, and lectures given throughout the Diocese. 'Searching for More' joins the 'Walk Humbly' and 'Catholic Herald' podcasts as diocesan audio offerings.

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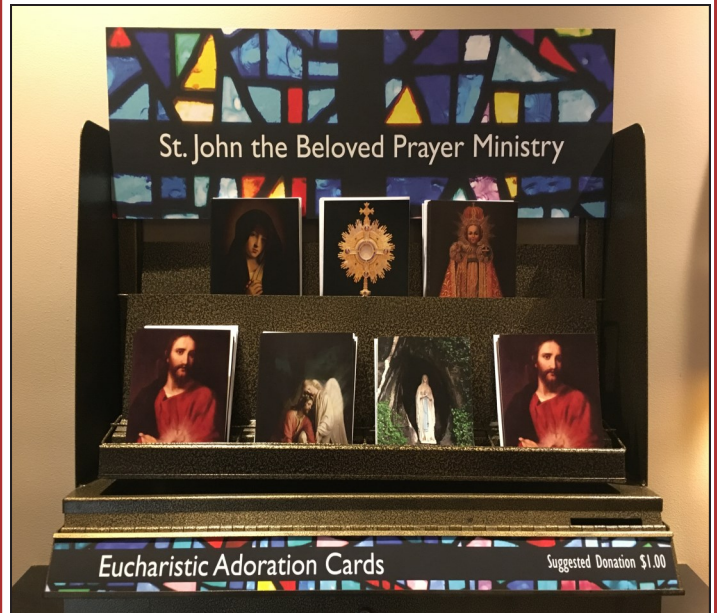
ADORATION

Our Lord would love to have your company for even just one hour. There are many slots open for adorers at Eucharistic Adoration. The church is never full during adoration so "social distancing" is not a concern. Jesus said to the apostles in the garden: "Could you not keep watch for one hour?" Our time is precious but God is more so!

Consider spending precious time with our Lord in prayer and offering that time for the need of 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.



THE WORD BOOKSTORE

The Word Bookstore is now closed for the summer, but will reopen after Sunday Masses after Labor Day. We can open during the summer by appointment only. We do have copies of the July and

August Magnificat if you need one. If you would like to shop please contact us at theword@stjohncatholicmcclean.org. Please indicate a convenient time for you to stop by and we will confirm the appointment with you.



DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON NEWS

FROM THE OFFICE OF VOCATIONS...

"Thou art Christ, the Son of the living God."

Is God calling you to serve His Son in the priesthood?

Contact Fr. Michael Isenberg (703)841-2514, or michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org.

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

RESPECT LIFE CONFERENCE

What do respect life outreach and advocacy look like in the "New Dominion" now that the laws passed in the Virginia General Assembly 2020 session have taken effect? Join us on September 12 at Holy Spirit Catholic Church in Annandale for an assessment of current and potential threats to human life and dignity and suggestions for effective practical grassroots response. Mass will be offered at 8a.m. The program will be held in the gymnasium from 8:45a.m.-12:30p.m. Bishop Burbidge will offer opening prayer and comments. Keynote speaker is Victoria Cobb, President, Family Foundation. For more information and to register go to arlingtondiocese.org/RLC. Cost is \$10.

MASS FOR MARRIAGE JUBILARIANS

A Mass for those celebrating 25 and 50 years of marriage will be held at the Cathedral of St. Thomas More in Arlington on October 4 at 2:30 p.m. Bishop Burbidge will be the principal celebrant and homilist. A light reception with an opportunity for a photograph with Bishop Burbidge will follow in Burke Hall. Please register through your parish no later than September 18 and if you cannot attend, the Office of Marriage, Family and Respect Life will send you a certificate commemorating your marriage. If you have questions, please contact us at 703-841-2550.

ATTENTION: INCOMING COLLEGE FRESHMEN!

College Campus Ministries depend upon summer orientation to learn the names of the incoming freshmen. Without those orientations this summer, CCMs do not have the ability to reach out to your students in the Fall. Please complete this survey so the Office of College Campus Ministry can get your graduate connected at their school! <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Z9PXMQD>

CATHOLIC CHARITIES NEEDS VOLUNTEERS: FARM GLEANING

Please help feed the hungry by volunteering to glean crops in northern Virginia. "Gleaning" is the traditional biblical practice of gathering crops that would otherwise be left to rot or plowed under after harvest. The freshly gleaned produce will be transported back to St. Lucy Project Food Warehouse and given to those in need. Mission trips will be the first Saturday of each month through November and are a great service project for church groups, families and confirmation students (with parental supervision). To sign up for a trip, visit <https://tinyurl.com/farmgleaning2020>.

STATE OF THE COMMON HEALTH



Please check the Virginia Department of Health website at www.vdh.virginia.gov/coronavirus/ for daily COVID-19 updates for the most current information on the virus in our area. Stay informed.



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

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

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