

# Worship the Lord

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, January 9

#### *The Baptism of the Lord*

- 6:30 Modesto Robles, Sr.
- 8:30 Redmann Family
- 8:00 Sr. Margaret Driscoll †

### Tuesday, January 10

#### *Weekday (First Week in Ordinary Time)*

- 6:30 William J. McNamara †
- 8:30 Margaret Kemp †

### Wednesday, January 11

#### *Weekday*

- 6:30 Maria Mushonga †
- 8:30 The Mullins Family

### Thursday, January 12

#### *St. Marguerite Bourgeoys (OBL)*

- 6:30 Elizabeth Mazzurco Lamberti †
- 8:30 Shannon Rowan

### Friday, January 13

#### *St. Hilary, Bishop & Doctor of the Church*

- 6:30 Helen Bowens
- 8:30 Kathleen Burgess

### Saturday, January 14

#### *Weekday*

- 8:30 Helen & Frank Bohan
- 5:00 Carol Auran †

### Sunday, January 15

#### **SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

- 7:30 Harrington Family
- 9:00 John F. & Marilyn Shank †
- 10:30 People of the Parish
- 12:00 Sue Malone †

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

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|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| Patricia Ahern      | Diana Meisel                |
| Bill Broadfoot      | Bonnie Moran                |
| Carmel Broadfoot    | Veronica Nowakowski         |
| John Cartelli       | Anita Oliveira              |
| Edward Cieselski    | Emelinda Oliveira           |
| Kerry Darby         | Mary Pistorino Reilly       |
| Maria Esteves       | Shelby Rogers               |
| Alexa Frisbie       | Thomas Rosa                 |
| Inés Garcia Robles  | Murielle Rozier-Francoville |
| Peter Gemma III     | Avery Schaeffer             |
| Francisca Grego     | Merle Shannon               |
| Mark Johnson        | Maiselle Shortley           |
| Christopher Katz    | Gloribeth Smith             |
| Dorothy Kottler     | Glenn Snyder                |
| Jose Martelino, Jr. | Bill Sullivan               |
| Cristina Marques    | Bette Violette              |
| Kathleen Meade      | Mary Warchot                |
| Richard Meade       | Marie Wysolmerski           |

*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       | Robert Paul Nugent, Jr. |
| Ryan Burke         | Michael Shipley         |
| Jonathan Choo      | Kimberley Templer       |
| Nicholas Galvan    | Michael Templer         |
| Harry Griffith     | Jesus Toledanes         |
| Bill Jones         | Justin White            |
| Elisabeth Maddrell |                         |

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

- † RORY LEE †
- † OLGA BUFILL †

## HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

**JANUARY: FOR EDUCATORS**

We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.

# Learn the Faith

In Testimonium...

*The Priests of St. John the Beloved  
wish you and your loved ones*

*Happy Epiphany!*



*Rev. Ryan Alemão  
Rev. John Melmer  
Rev. Christopher Pollard*



**Saint John the Beloved**  
ACADEMY

**CALENDAR UPDATES:**

**WELCOME BACK STUDENTS!**

**Jan 9**—Classes Resume

**Jan 9-23**—Re-registration for the 2023-2024 academic year for currently enrolled students in Preschool-7th Grade

**Jan 13**—Admissions application deadline for NEW students applying for Preschool-8th Grade for the 2023-2024 academic year



**St. John the Beloved  
HIGH SCHOOL  
YOUTH MINISTRY**

**WORKCAMP 2023**

We are now accepting applications for summer WorkCamp 2023! WorkCamp is a week of direct service to those in need, completing significant home-improvement projects for them, helping people live warmer, safer, and drier.

- June 17-23, 2023

- Open to current 9th-12th graders

- Cost: \$300 deposit due at application (refundable) and additional fundraising commitment

- See the Youth Ministry page on our website to submit an application or contact Michael: [mjacobeen@stjohncatholicmclean.org](mailto:mjacobeen@stjohncatholicmclean.org)

**HIGH SCHOOL SWING DANCING!**

All high schoolers are invited to join us for swing dancing on 1st and 3rd Fridays beginning in February.

- 6:30 - 9:45pm

- Each night includes lessons by professional swing dance instructors: beginner and advanced lessons offered.

- Cost is \$50 for the whole semester

- Spring dates: Feb 3, 17; Mar 3, 17, 31; Apr 21; May 5, 19

Visit the youth ministry page on the website to sign up or email [mjacobeen@stjohncatholicmclean.org](mailto:mjacobeen@stjohncatholicmclean.org)

**Swing Dance Leadership Team**

Are you a junior or senior who likes to dance, or would like to learn how to dance? For more details contact Michael.

# Be An Apostle



## DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON NEWS

### FROM THE OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

*SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD - JANUARY 8, 2023*

“And after they came into the house, they saw the Child with His mother Mary; and they fell down and worshiped Him.” God has chosen each person in Christ for a particular vocation. If He may be calling you to be holy and worship Him through a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life, contact Fr. Michael Isenberg, Vocations Director, at (703) 841-2514 or email: [vocations@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:vocations@arlingtondiocese.org).

### *FIAT DAY OF RECOLLECTION FOR HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS*

Can prayer be a joy? Join the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy for some prayer tips and tricks along with fellowship and fun. This event will be held Saturday, January 28, 2023, at the St. John Paul II National Shrine and will also include Mass and adoration. For girls currently in high school. Deadline to register is January 20. Sponsored by the Office of Vocations. For more information visit [ArlingtonDiocese.org/FIAT](http://ArlingtonDiocese.org/FIAT).

### OFFICE OF MARRIAGE, FAMILY, AND RESPECT LIFE

#### *DEFENDING LIFE DAY*

February 1, 2023 is Virginia Pro-Life Day and we invite you to meet with your lawmakers in the morning and March for Life in the afternoon. On this day, Virginians will come together in Richmond while the General Assembly is in session to meet with their legislators to urge them to defend life. Our goal is to assemble advocates from every district in the Commonwealth -- and your presence is vital. Please register today and learn more at [VaProLifeDay.org](http://VaProLifeDay.org). Talking points, legislative updates and tips for effective advocacy will be provided to make your morning constituent meetings easy and successful. After meeting with our lawmakers we will gather on the Capitol grounds at noon for the Virginia March for Life. Visit [VAProLifeDay.org](http://VAProLifeDay.org) to sign up and learn more! #VADefendingLifeDay

Email [amy.mcinerney@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:amy.mcinerney@arlingtondiocese.org) if you need assistance coordinating your group. The schedule for the day is as follows: 7:30 a.m. Doors Open at Greater Richmond Convention Center; 8:30 a.m. Gather in constituent groups; 9:15 a.m. short walk to General Assembly Offices (Shuttle available with prior registration for those unable to walk.); 10 a.m. Senate Meetings; 10:30 a.m. Delegate Meetings; 12 p.m. March for Life Rally.



## ST. JOHN THE BELOVED PARISH NEWS

### ST. JOHN SENIORS' CLUB

WHAT: Mass at 11:30 am, followed by Luncheon & Presentation at 12:00 in the school auditorium.

WHEN: Monday, 16 January

WHO: Mr. Barry Royden

TOPIC: Barry will offer us an overview of what CIA's role and functions are. This will be followed by an open session for questions and discussion.

RSVP: Please sign up on the sheet in the Parish Office or call the Office at 703.356.7916.

DEADLINE: Thursday, 12 January. Reservations are required because seating will be limited.

SUGGESTED DONATION: \$15.00 at the door. For further information, please call Phil at 703.356.9788.

### LATIN LITURGICAL LEARNING

On Wednesday, January 11 a biweekly class will debut for beginners in Latin. Alexis Fragosa will lead the Latin lessons at 8:00 p.m. on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month in Room 10 at SJBA.

### FOUND: HAND MISSAL

A traditional missal was left in the pews during the week of Dec 5th-9th. If you are missing yours, please let the front office or sacristan know, and give a detailed description. If you haven't lost yours, it is a good idea to put your name and/or number inside the front cover.

### HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The Society of the Holy Name is one of several confraternities of the laity under the care of the Dominican Order. The primary object of the society is to beget reverence for the Holy Name of God and Jesus Christ; it is also dedicated to making reparations, in particular, for blasphemy, perjury and immorality. Please join us for our first meeting Jan. 11, 2023 in the Dodi Regan Room at 7:00pm. For questions, email [Earner669@gmail.com](mailto:Earner669@gmail.com) or check out [www.nahns.org/](http://www.nahns.org/)

### SACRED LINENS TEAM

One or two more volunteers are needed for the Sacred Linens Team, whose job is to prayerfully purify, and then launder/iron the sacristy linens. Each member does their work alone at home, about once every 6-8 weeks on a rotating schedule. Easy access to earth outside is required. Training is provided. Contact the sacristan via the front office if interested.



## Blessing Your Home with Epiphany Chalk

Leader: *Peace be to this house.*

All: *And to all who dwell herein.*

### Antiphon

Leader: *From the east came the Magi to Bethlehem to adore the Lord; and opening their treasures they offered precious gifts: gold for the great King, incense for the true God, and myrrh in symbol of His burial.*

All pray “Magnificat” (Luke 1,46b-55) and repeat Antiphon.

All pray “The Lord’s Prayer”.

All: *But deliver us from evil.*

Leader: *All they from Saba shall come*

All: *Bringing gold and frankincense.*

Leader: *O Lord, hear my prayer.*

All: *And let my cry come unto Thee.*

Leader: *Let us pray. O God, who by the guidance of a star didst on this day manifest Thine only-begotten Son to the Gentiles, mercifully grant that we who know Thee by faith may also attain the vision of Thy glorious majesty. Through Christ our Lord.*

All: *Amen.*

Leader: *Be enlightened, be enlightened, O Jerusalem, for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee— Jesus Christ born of the Virgin Mary.*

All: *And the Gentiles shall walk in thy light and kings in the splendor of thy rising, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon thee.*

Leader: *Let us pray. Bless, O Lord God almighty, this home, that in it there may be health, purity, the strength of victory, humility, goodness and mercy, the fulfillment of Thy law, the thanksgiving to God the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. And may this blessing remain upon this home and upon all who dwell herein. Through Christ our Lord.*

All: *Amen.*

Take the blessed chalk and first write the initials of the three Wise Men, connected with crosses, over the inside of your front door (on the lintel, if possible). Then write the year, breaking up the numbers and the year so that they fall on both sides of the initials. It should look like this, for example

**20 C+M+B 23**

with the “20” being the millennium and century, the “C” standing for the first Wise Man, Caspar, the “M” standing for Melchior, the “B” standing for Balthasar, and the “23” standing for the decade and year. It is also popularly believed that the Kings’ initials stand for “Christus mansionem benedicat” (“Christ bless this house”).

Men all over the world  
are about to take on  
2023 together.



Exodus 90 starts January 9th:  
[StartMyExodus.com](http://StartMyExodus.com)



STATE OF THE COMMONWEALTH

The [St. Lucy Project](#) operates a food pantry in Alexandria at Christ House. The pantry provides perishable and non-perishable foods. Those needing food may visit the pantry Wednesday and Thursday from 9 a.m. till 1 p.m.. Clients are eligible to receive food once per month. This beautiful ministry depends on volunteers to operate. Please consider volunteering with other St. John the Beloved parishioners. Contact the parish office with questions.

**Exodus 90...**

...is a ninety-day spiritual exercise for men based on three pillars: prayer, asceticism, and fraternity. All three of these pillars are essential aspects of the Christian life.

**Prayer.** During Exodus 90 you will build up a habit of daily prayer both speaking to and actively listening to the Lord.

**Asceticism.** The ascetic disciplines laid out in Exodus 90 help each man to detach from the things of the world to God—from that which will never truly satisfy, to the only one who does.

**Fraternity.** During Exodus 90 you will practice fraternity with other men. This is an authentic fraternity where men step out of their comfort zone and into the light. A fraternity where accountability brings forth authentic masculinity.

The road to the life you want to live doesn't end after these 90 days; it is just the beginning. We will begin with a coordination meeting after Christmas but prior to the official start the week of January 9th. For up-to-date information look up our Fraternity at the QR Code or locate us through the Exodus 90 App:



**WORLD Marriage SUNDAY**

Sunday February 25, 2023  
5:00 pm Vigil Mass followed by Dinner

St. Mary of Sorrows Catholic Church, Fairfax, VA  
The Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge  
Bishop of Arlington | Principal Celebrant and Homilist

RSVP at [ArlingtonDiocese.org/wms](http://ArlingtonDiocese.org/wms)

Catholic Diocese of Arlington  
Office of Marriage, Family and Respect Life  
(703) 841-2550 | [familylife@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:familylife@arlingtondiocese.org)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
JANUARY 8	JANUARY 9	JANUARY 10	JANUARY 11	JANUARY 12	JANUARY 13	JANUARY 14
2pm-Exposition 4:00-Vespers	9:15am-Rosary  4pm-Confiteor 6:30pm-RCIA	9:15am-Rosary	9:15am-Rosary  Confessions Hourly 10:00am-7:00pm  7:00pm Holy Hour 8:00pm Latin Liturgical Learning	9:15am-Rosary	9:15am-Rosary	9am Confessions  3:30pm-Confessions