

Worship the Lord

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 23

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

- 6:30 Anne Black †
- 8:30 Paul Griffith †
- 8:00 The Williams Family

Tuesday, January 24

St. Francis de Sales, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

- 6:30 Ricardo Gonzalez †
- 8:30 Jessica Benna †

Wednesday, January 25

Conversion of St. Paul, Apostlr

- 6:30 Thomas Goodis †
- 8:30 Biz Blee & Family

Thursday, January 26

St. Timothy & St. Titus, Bishops

- 6:30 Timothy Seelbach †
- 8:30 Turner Family

Friday, January 27

St. Angela Merici, Virgin

- 6:30 Caroline Murray †
- 8:30 Courtney & Chris Burnham

Saturday, January 28

St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest & Doctor of the Church

- 8:30 Joseph & Bridget Blumenauer
- 5:00 Thomas Goodis †

Sunday, January 29

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

- 7:30 Margaret B. Kemp †
- 9:00 Intentions of Zeena & Sameer Patel
- 10:30 People of the Parish
- 12:00 Margaret Hogan Manning †

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

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...*

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

† RICH JULIANO †
† RORY LEE †

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...

22 JANUARY 2023

3RD SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY TIME

Ordinary Form

Isaiah 8,23-9,3

Psalms 27,1.4.13-14

1 Corinthians 1,10-13.17

Matthew 4,12-23

3RD SUNDAY

POST EPIPHANY

Extraordinary Form

Romans 12,16-21

Psalms 101,16-17

Psalms 96,1

Matthew 8,1-13

On January 22, 1973, the Supreme Court legalized abortion throughout the United States in its companion decisions *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton*. Since that time, millions of children have lost their lives, and millions of women and families have been wounded by abortion.

On June 24, 2022, the *Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization* decision overturned *Roe v. Wade*, and we praise God for the great opportunity state and federal legislators now have to protect pre-born children. While God, in His mercy, ended the nearly fifty-year nationwide regime of abortion on demand, right now state and federal laws, in many instances, are still hostile to pre-born children. So, great prayer and advocacy is very needed.

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM), no. 373, designates January 22 as a particular day of prayer and penance, called the "Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children":

In all the Dioceses of the United States of America, January 22 (or January 23, when January 22 falls on a Sunday) shall be observed as a particular day of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion. The liturgical celebrations for this day may be the "Mass for Giving Thanks to God for the Gift of Human Life", celebrated with white vestments, or the Mass "For the Preservation of Peace and Justice", celebrated with violet vestments.

If we spent one day in atonement for every one of the 63,459,731 abortions that have taken place in the US since 1973, it would require 173,862 years, 4 months and 29 days. If each baby killed in abortion were adopted by one of us offering up our lives as an oblation to God, in thanksgiving for life, dedicated to living God's will, worshipping Him constantly on earth as we hope to in heaven, it would take just about all of us. There are approximately 70 million Catholics in America. Live and love with twice the passion!

Rev. Christopher J. Pollard



Saint John the Beloved
ACADEMY

CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS:

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

Jan 29-Feb 4—Catholic Schools Week

Feb 7—Coffee w/ Headmaster 8:00 AM

Feb 17—11:30 AM DISMISSAL

Feb 20—NO SCHOOL- President's Day



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

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

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

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME- JANUARY 22, 2023

Repent! The kingdom of heaven is at hand.” Are you being called to proclaim the coming of the kingdom as a priest, deacon, religious sister or brother? Contact Fr. Michael Isenberg, Vocations Director, at (703) 841-2514 or email: vocations@arlingtondiocese.org.

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. 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 to sign up and learn more! #VADefendingLifeDay
Email amy.mcinerny@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.

ANNUAL MEN'S CONFERENCE

“My Soul Rejoices in the Lord” -- Saturday, March 4, 2023 from 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 750 Peachtree Street, Herndon. Join Catholic men from around the Diocese for a day of prayer, fellowship and reflection. Keynotes include: Fr. Thomas Petri, OP, President of the Pontifical Faculty of the Immaculate Conception and prolific writer; and Tim Staples, Convert Apologist at Catholic Answers and author of Behold Your Mother. Sign-in begins at 7:30 a.m. with confessions, coffee and pastries. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Michael Burbidge at 11:15 a.m. \$65 until February 1st; \$80 after. Register at familylife@arlingtondiocese.org/men.



ST. JOHN THE BELOVED PARISH NEWS

PARTY ANNUAL MARDI GRAS PARTY

Come join us for our annual St John Mardi Gras celebration on February 11, 2023 at 6pm. This is a potluck, so please make your favorite Louisiana dish, appetizer or dessert to share with others. We'll be serving BB's famous Gumbo alongside smoked Alligator and Father's BBQ! Entertainment from the Dixie Trio band and plenty of beads and masks to go around will be available!

This is a donation based event. Please consider donating in advance to offset the costs. NEW THIS YEAR: DONATE HERE: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e054ea8a62a1-stjohn13/53321884#/> Volunteers are needed for food prep with Brian (BB) Holoubek, set up, serving and clean up before, during and after the big party!

LATIN LITURGICAL LEARNING

On Wednesday, January 25 our biweekly class for beginners in Latin will meet at 8:00 pm. Alexis Fragosa leads the Latin lessons on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month in Room 10 at St. John the Beloved Academy.

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.

FOUND: HAND MISSAL

A traditional missal was left in the pews during the week of December 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 UPDATE

Until further notice, our meetings normally scheduled for Wednesday nights in Dodi Regan room, are suspended. We are in the process of gathering materials for the group. Please continue to access the holy name society website www.nahns.org/ or via the email at Earner669@gmail.com. The Holy Name Society is a confraternity of the laity under the care of the Dominican Order. It is open to all Catholic adults. The primary object of the society is to beget reverence for the Holy Name of God and Jesus Christ; and dedicated to making reparations for blasphemy, perjury and immorality.

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



**PRO ANIMIS SANCTIS IN PURGATORIO
(HOLY SOULS PURGATORIAL PRAYER SOCIETY)**

We are looking for all who can help Holy Souls! – “I come to tell you that they suffer in Purgatory, that they weep, and that they demand with urgent cries the help of your prayers and your good works. I seem to hear them crying from the depths of those fires which devour them” – St. John Vianney. We are beginning a new group at Saint John the Beloved to pray and offer for Holy Souls. We are planning to pray on the first Mondays of the month in the evening (time TBD) which should take about 45 minutes. We are taking input on meeting times depending on the availability of those interested in joining us. If you would like to join us or learn more, please see our informational page at the QR Code.



SCAN ME



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.

Day of Prayer & Healing

Post-Abortion Retreat for Women

Saturday, March 25, 2023

Saturday, September 30, 2023

Día de Oración Y Sanación

Retiro después del Aborto Provocado para Mujeres:

sábado 25 de marzo del 2023

sábado 30 de septiembre del 2023

For confidential help / Para ayuda confidencial:

703.841.2504



helpafterabortion.org
[instagram.com/afterabortioncare](https://www.instagram.com/afterabortioncare)
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
JANUARY 22	JANUARY 23	JANUARY 24	JANUARY 25	JANUARY 26	JANUARY 27	JANUARY 28
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