# **MASS INTENTIONS**

Indicating the day when the Mass Intentions were scheduled to take place. The proper days are being honored, although the time of day might change.

### Monday, April 20

### Easter Weekday

6:30 Kathryn Broadfoot †

9:00 Guy Caron

8:00 Kathryn Broadfoot †

### Tuesday, April 21

### St. Anselm, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

6:30 Francie Bremer †

9:00 Paul Caron

### Wednesday, April 22

### Easter Weekday

6:30 Ludmilla D. Kukuvka †

9:00 Zenzi Angerhofer †

### Thursday, April 23

### St. George, Martyr; St. Adalbert, Bishop & Martyr

6:30 Dr. Steven H. Lipsius †

9:00 Martha Puglia †

### Friday, April 24

### St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest & Martyr

6:30 Wanda Mocarski †

9:00 Wanda Mocarski †

## Saturday, April 25

### St. Mark, Evangelist

8:15 Pacita Gonzaga †

5:00 Arnold & Natasha Harrington & Family

### Sunday, April 26

### Third Sunday of Easter

7:30 Jim McGinn

9:00 Anthony Gatta †

10:30 People of the Parish

12:00 Timothy Halisky

# ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD

† DANIEL STADELMANN † † ANN ENGHAUSER † † GUY ROZIER †

# HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR APRIL 2020

### **Catholics in China**

We pray that those suffering from addiction may be helped and accompanied



### GOT SOME TIME ON YOUR HANDS?

If you can't make a visit to the church for adoration, consider the rosary. Our Lady is always ready to listen. She will bring us closer to her Son if only we ask. All that Mary asks of us is to:

- Amend our lives
- · Pray the Rosary every day

Offer sacrifices for the conversion of sinners

During these difficult times we all have much to offer up. So let us all join in the most beautiful and powerful prayer of the rosary. Mary, Queen of Heaven, Pray for Us!+

### MASS INTENTIONS WITHOUT THE WAIT

There are a number of priests at St. John and in the Diocese who are available to fulfill Mass Intentions privately and in a more timely manner than would be permitted if the Mass were to be added to the parish church calendar. Currently the wait for a Public Mass (how nice does that sound?) is about ten months.

If parishioners have Mass Intentions that they would like to have brought to the altar expeditiously, please contact the parish office.

### SEMINARIAN MAURICIO PORTILLO

St. John the Beloved Parish is going to send a gift for 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. Dios ti bendiga!



# St. John the Beloved Vacation Bible School



June 15-19, 2020

- 8:30am-12:00pm each day
- Rising Kindergarten—6th Grade
- Cost: \$80/child, family max of \$200

For more into or to register, visit:
www.stjohncatholicmclean.org/VBS
or email:

mjacobeen@stjohncathollemclean.org

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY	Easter Monday	Easter Tuesday	Easter Wednesday	Easter Thursday	Easter Friday	Easter Saturday
APRIL 19	APRIL 20	APRIL 21	APRIL 22	APRIL 23	APRIL 24	APRIL 25
8:00 am Sung TLM on Livestream 10:00 am Pro Populo Mass on Livestream  Adoration 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm	8:00 am <b>Low TLM</b> on Livestream 9:30 am <b>Mass</b> on Livestream  Adoration 7:00 am - 5:00 pm	8:00 am <b>Low TLM</b> on Livestream 9:30 am <b>Mass</b> on Livestream  Adoration 7:00 am - 5:00 pm	8:00 am Low TLM on Livestream 9:30 am Mass on Livestream Confessions Hourly during Adoration 10:00 am-7:00 pm	8:00 am <b>Low TLM</b> on Livestream 9:30 am <b>Mass</b> on Livestream  Adoration 7:00 am - 5:00 pm	8:00 am <b>Low TLM</b> on Livestream 9:30 am <b>Mass</b> on Livestream  Adoration 7:00 am - 5:00 pm	8:00 am <b>Low TLM</b> on Livestream  Adoration 7:00 am - 5:00 pm

# DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY April 19, 2020



### **DIVINE MERCY**

Jesus promised to St. Faustina, "Through the Chaplet you will obtain everything, if what you ask for is compatible with My will" (Diary of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska, 1731).

And Jesus said, "As often as you hear the clock strike the third hour, immerse yourself completely in My mercy, adoring and glorifying it; invoke its omnipotence for the whole world, and particularly for poor sinners; for at that moment mercy was opened wide for every soul. In this hour you can obtain everything for yourself and for others for the asking; it was the hour of grace for the whole world — mercy triumphed over justice" (*Diary*, 1572).

# **CONFESSIONS**

3:00 P.M.



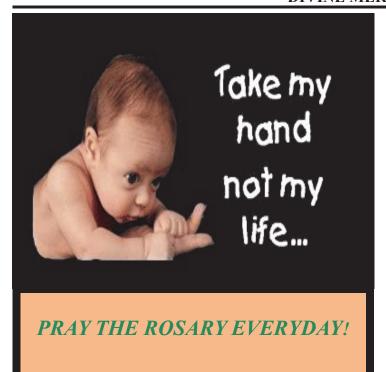


### **DAILY ADORATION**

Please sign up for an hour of adoration

Sunday Noon to 5 p.m. Monday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Thursday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Please bear in mind that occupancy in the church is restricted to 10 people at a time.



### PAPAL BLESSING PARCHMENTS

The gift of an Apostolic Blessing, formally inscribed on parchment and sent from Rome, is a traditional means of marking milestone events such as wedding anniversaries, baptisms, first communions, confirmations and significant birthdays. These parchments are produced by the Holy See's Office of Papal Charities, or *Elemosineria Apostolica*, which is charged with exercising charity to the poor in the name of the Holy Father. Since the time of Pope Leo XIII, the production of these parchments has served as an important means of funding charitable works. Papal Blessing Parchments may now be ordered online directly from the Elemosineria Apostolica using their website, <a href="www.elemosineria.va">www.elemosineria.va</a> (click on "Papal Blessing Parchments"). A number of beautiful formats are available for each type of event.

### 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.

### FAITH DIRECT

Jesus taught in the Gospels that God desires us to make financial offerings to Him. Giving is one way we recognize that God is Lord of our lives. We know that every good and perfect gift comes from God. Giving a portion of our income back to the Church shows gratitude for these blessings.

The parish still needs your support in order to pay its usual monthly bills and provide for its operations. Our primary source of income is the Sunday Collection. You can either mail in your contribution or contribute online through Faith Direct.

Obviously, if you are not being paid right now and have financial woes of your own you are not expected to give as you normally would. Perhaps those of us who are able to maintain our fiscal situation can step up and contribute a little extra during this very trying time.

One way to contribute more easily is to sign up with the online giving service Faith Direct. You can sign up directly with them at faithdirect.net. Click on the words Give Now in the center of the page. Enter the church code VA77 and click Give Now again. This will take you to the page where you may click on Enroll in Recurring eGiving where you will be able to enter your information.

# ELECTRONIC CONTRIBUTIONS TO ST. JOHN THE BELOVED

For your convenience, please sign up for the Faith Direct Offertory program.

www.faithdirect.net VA77 is our parish code.

### NEED SOME GOOD BOOKS TO READ?

Although The Word Book and Gift Shop is closed as long as our Masses are suspended due to COVID-19, we are available to assist with your purchases!



Please contact us at <a href="mailto:theword@stjohncatholicmclean.org">theword@stjohncatholicmclean.org</a> with your inquiries to coordinate a pickup or to make an appointment to meet at the store between 10 am and 4 pm Monday thru Saturday. We are stocked with some newly released books including

A Pope and a President (Paul Kengor), Can a Catholic be a Socialist? (Trent Horn), Consecration to St. Joseph (Fr. Calloway), From the Depths of Our Hearts (Cardinal Sarah), & others, in addition to the April & May Magnificat, prayer books, cards, rosaries, crosses & statues. We also have a large Clearance section priced at 50% off.We look forward to serving you. Cash/Checks/Credit Card are accepted. Follow us on Facebook at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/689310165145213/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/689310165145213/</a>

## IN THE DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON

### **APRIL 19 STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION**

"Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you." JOHN 20:19

Are you good at making people feel welcome? When you meet someone new, like a new neighbor, a new work colleague or a new parishioner, do you make them feel at home? Many of us can probably do a much better job at this. When we make people feel welcome, we make them feel like they are included instead of being excluded. We are made for relationships - with God and each other. A simple "hello" and a smile goes a long way.

### **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**

"Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." Do you have an interest to share the Lord's saving mission as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Call Father Michael Isenberg (703) 841-2514, or write: michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org.

### **CATHOLIC CHARITIES CAR MINISTRY**

Thinking of replacing or getting rid of your old car? We have now three locations Arlington, Fredericksburg and Leesburg. Please consider donating it to Catholic Charities. We take used vehicles and transfer them directly to qualifying families in desperate need of transportation. We also accept non-working cars, which helps to fund our volunteer ministries. Donating is EASY! We handle all the paperwork; you receive an IRS donation receipt. Avoid the hassle of selling your car, simplify your life, or reclaim that space in your garage. Please email <a href="mailto:cars@ccda.net">cars@ccda.net</a> or call (703) 841-3898. Non- working 1-844-527-2232

### **DIOCESAN RESOURCE PAGE**

The Catholic Diocese of Arlington website includes a resource page where parishioners can access information regarding the recent events affecting the Church. Read the policies on child protection and responses to the crisis from Bishop Burbidge at <a href="www.arlingtondiocese.org/childprotection">www.arlingtondiocese.org/childprotection</a>

### WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die." Do you believe that Jesus is the Lord of your marriage? Bring God into your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter on Sep 18-20, 2020 in Fairfax, VA and Sep 11-13, 2020 in College Park, MD. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: RenewMarriage-VANorth.org or contact us at <a href="mailto:applications@renewmarriage-vanorth.org">applications@renewmarriage-vanorth.org</a> or 703-646-1521.

### STATE OF THE COMMON HEALTH



Please remember to donate blood if you are able.

Right now, American Red Cross faces a severe blood shortage due to an unprecedented number of blood drive cancellations during this coronavirus outbreak. Healthy individuals are needed to schedule an appointment to give in the days and weeks ahead to help patients counting on lifesaving blood, platelets or AB Elite plasma throughout this pandemic.

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

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

> 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
Nicholas Galvan
Harry Griffith
Bill Jones
Elisabeth Maddrell
Brendan Murphy

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