

Worship the Lord

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 27

St. Gregory of Narek, Abbot & Doctor of the Church

- 6:30 John C. Cobb †
- 8:30 Jean Landrum †
- 8:00 The Williams Family

Tuesday, February 28

Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 Patricia Nagle †
- 8:30 Dominic Toscani †

Wednesday, March 1

Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 Robert Lawrence †
- 8:30 Helen L. Forti †

Thursday, March 2

Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 Helen Forti †
- 8:30 Helen Forti †

Friday, March 3

St. Katherine Drexel, Virgin

- 6:30 Peter Bridges †
- 8:30 Nancy Christiani

Saturday, March 4

St. Casimir

- 8:30 Pete Lofton †
- 5:00 Bishop Jeffrey Walsh †

Sunday, March 5

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

- 7:30 Monica & Kevin Crum
- 9:00 Sue Malone †
- 10:30 People of the Parish
- 12:00 Lawrence Maurice Violette

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

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| † JAN TORGENSEN †
<i>Mother of Denise Kissinger</i> | † LINDA MCMAHON † |
| † LARRY HOUNTZ SR. † | † JAMES SHORTLEY † |
| † NILDA BIANCHI CORMACK † | † FRANCES SAMMARCO † |
| † MATTHEW FREDERICK † | † JOHN WALDMAN † |
| † AMALIA MORRIS † | † JOSEPHINE JAKOB † |
| | † LINO CHARPENTIER † |

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

FEBRUARY: FOR PARISHES

We pray that parishes, placing communion at the center, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.

Learn the Faith

In Testimonium...

26 FEBRUARY 2023

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

<i>Ordinary Form</i>	<i>Extraordinary Form</i>
Genesis 2,7-9;3,1-7	2Corinthians 5,1-10
Psalms 51,3-4.5-6.12-13.14.17	Psalms 90,11.12
Romans 5,12-19	Psalms 90,1-7.11-16
Matthew 4,1-11	Matthew 4,1-11



Man of Sorrows"
William Dyce, 1860

„p.s. Remember to pray for our brother and sisters who are preparing for their Pentecost. Come, Holy Spirit!



Saint John the Beloved ACADEMY

Scan Your Box Tops for SJBA!

St. John's is now connected to Box Tops for Education! Box Tops is digital, making it easier to earn money for St. John the Beloved Academy while you do your regular grocery shopping.

It only takes a few easy steps:

1. Download the Box Tops app
2. Create an account linking it to St. John the Beloved Academy with the School ID of 123535.
3. Scan any physical receipts or email your digital receipts within 14 days of your purchase.

Anyone can participate so please pass the information on to all who might be interested in helping! For questions/more info, email Kristen Zacha at kristen.kennedy.87@gmail.com. Thank you!!!



St. John the Beloved HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

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@stjohncatholicclean.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@stjohncatholicclean.org

Be An Apostle



DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON NEWS

OFFICE OF DEVELOPMENT

2023 BISHOP'S LENTEN APPEAL (BLA) BEGINS!

The 2023 BLA is underway! The BLA theme this year is "My soul rejoices in the Lord," which is shared with the second preparatory year of the Diocesan Jubilee. After reflecting upon the blessings God has given you, please prayerfully consider a pledge. The BLA funds programs and ministries that serve thousands of people in our diocese. Through the inspiration of the BLA theme, let us joyfully make a pledge to support God's Kingdom in our diocese! You make a gift at: www.arlingtondiocese.org/BLA or scan the QR code



FROM THE OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

FEBRUARY 26, 2023—FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

Jesus was led by the Holy Spirit into the desert for forty days of prayer and fasting. Are you open to being led by the Holy Spirit into the state in life God has prepared for you? If you are considering a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life, contact Fr. Michael Isenberg, Vocations Director, at (703) 841-2514 or email: vocations@arlingtondiocese.org.

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.

PEACE AND JUSTICE COMMISSION

PRESERVING THE DIGNITY OF LIFE: COMBATING HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Human trafficking is increasing at an alarming rate around the world, and happening here in our diocese. Join Bishop Michael F. Burbidge and Bill Woolf, Founder, Anti-Trafficking International and the Just Ask Prevention Project, at Nativity Catholic Church on Saturday, March 11 to find out how you can recognize signs of human trafficking happening in our communities and help stop this assault on human dignity. This conference includes Mass at 5 p.m., dinner, the 7:15 p.m. presentation, followed by a question and answer period. Find more details and register here: <https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/events/2023/peace-and-justice-conference/>.



ST. JOHN THE BELOVED PARISH NEWS

ST. JOHN SENIORS' CLUB

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

WHEN: Monday, 20 March.

WHO: Father Stefan Starzynski, Catholic Chaplain at Inova Fairfax Hospital.

TOPIC: Father Stefan will speak about his full-time mission at Inova Fairfax Hospital where he brings comfort and spiritual nourishment to the sick and the dying, visiting patients and praying with them and administering the sacraments. Hospitals are a prime place for evangelization and bring people back to Christ and His Church. Hospitals truly are warehouses of Grace and Healing!! Fr Stefan will share stories of redemptive suffering, miracles, and healing.

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

DEADLINE: Thursday, 16 March. Reservations are required because seating will be limited to ensure the safety of all in attendance.

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

SERVER SHOES NEEDED

The server sacristy could use some brown or black boys' shoes for when the younger servers forget and arrive in light-toned sneakers. If you have any secondhand boys' shoes to spare, please drop them off with an usher or at the parish office. Thanks!

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

The Associates of St. John Bosco is pleased to offer three \$4,000 scholarships and one \$6,000 scholarship (the Vincent T. Vaccaro Education Scholarship) to undergraduate students who demonstrate an intense desire to live out their faith on their college campus and who seek to serve the Church in some capacity after graduation. Freshman scholarship funding may continue into the next three years if certain criteria are met and, if funding is available, for potentially \$14,000 to \$20,000 in total scholarship funding! Please apply by May 22 at asjb.org/scholarship-program.

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

*Reflect on Holy Souls and Purgatory for Lent
with Father Pinizzotto*

A perfect opportunity to reflect on Holy Souls in Purgatory this Lent. On Monday March 6 at 6 PM at the Saint John the Beloved Academy, Father Anthony J. Pinizzotto of St. Agnes Catholic Church, will speak about Saint Francis de Sales (Bishop and Doctor of the Church and author of the Doctrine of Purgatory). The meeting will be in the school hall will be followed by the monthly first Monday Pro Animis Sanctis in Purgatorio (Holy Souls Purgatorial Prayer Society) meeting at 7 PM to pray and offer for Holy Souls for those that can join!



STATE OF THE COMMONWEALTH

GOOD CATHOLIC MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

IPS Center for Psychological Services

<https://ipscenter.org/>

Alpha Omega Clinic

<https://aoclinic.org/>

Catholic Charities Counseling Services

<https://www.ccca.net/need-help/medical-and-counseling/counseling/>

The Institute for Marital Healing

<https://www.maritalhealing.com/>

Catholic Counselors

<https://catholiccounselors.com/>

Catholic Therapists.com

<https://www.catholictherapists.com/home>

Well Catholic

<https://wellcatholic.com/>



The largest non-profit children's consignment sale in Loudoun County takes place on Saturday, March 11, 2023. Admission is FREE. Little Flower Consignments offers

new and gently used baby and children's clothing, accessories, toys, books, videos, games, baby gear, furniture, maternity and much more. All proceeds are donated back to the community via our charity, Divine Mercy Outreach and we accept credit cards, checks, and cash. We invite teachers, military, first responders, healthcare workers, and first time parents to shop our pre-sale on Saturday starting at 8:00 am. Children are not allowed except for infants in carriers. The sale is open to the public from 9am – 12pm with a half price sale from 12:30 – 2pm at St. Theresa's Catholic School in Ashburn, VA. We always welcome new consignors and volunteers! Visit www.lfcsale.org for details

LIVE JESUS

Looking for a way to enhance your Lenten experience? Join us on March 18, 8:00 am - 12:30 pm, at St. Paul VI Catholic High School, in Chantilly, VA for Live Jesus, a morning of reflection, fellowship and prayer based upon the spirituality of the "Gentleman Saint," St. Francis de Sales. This year's theme is Be At Peace. Keynote Speaker: Brother Mickey McGrath, OSFS, Artist, Author, Storyteller & Retreat Director. Live Jesus is an opportunity in Lent to reflect on the many paths to peace. Don't miss the opportunity to gather in prayer and fellowship with other Catholics to reflect on God's gifts. Online registration is required: go to www.oblates.org and click on the Live Jesus icon.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
FEBRUARY 26	FEBRUARY 27	FEBRUARY 28	MARCH 1	MARCH 2	MARCH 3	MARCH 4
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	9:15am-Rosary	9:15am-Rosary 2:30pm Stations of the Cross (School) 6:00pm Soup Supper 7:30pm Stations of the Cross	9am Confessions 3:30pm-Confessions