

# MASS INTENTIONS

## Monday, July 16

### *Our Lady of Mount Carmel*

6:30 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Strada  
 9:00 Anthony Aulicino †  
 8:00 Ryan Zuber

## Tuesday, July 17

### *Weekday*

6:30 Joseph Orgill  
 9:00 Tim Sullivan †

## Wednesday, July 18

### *Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest*

6:30 Robert Rideout †  
 9:00 Marie Hathaway †

## Thursday, July 19

### *Weekday*

6:30 Barbara Wood  
 9:00 George Handler †

## Friday, July 20

### *Saint Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr*

6:30 Annabelle Perrottet  
 9:00 Mary Quetsch †

## Saturday, July 21

### *Saint Lawrence of Brindisi,*

### *Priest and Doctor of the Church*

8:15 Sandra and Edwin Reavey †  
 5:00 Philip Katz †

## Sunday, July 22

### *Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7:30 Joan Ryabik †  
 9:00 Leonard Brothers †  
 10:30 People of the Parish  
 12:00 Mark and Tonya Bailey and Family

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

**† JoAnn Murphy †**

Beloved mother of Brennan Murphy

## HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS JULY

### **Evangelization – Priests and their Pastoral Ministry**

That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.

## IN TESTIMONIUM...

Even though you might prefer a hiatus from matters sacramental, theological and moral in view of the All-Star break...



we know that the forces of evil do not take a break from sewing confusion and discouragement.

In commemoration of the 50th anniversary of *Humanae Vitae*, the Office of Family Life of the Diocese of Arlington invited Professor Chad Pecknold, Ph.D. to host a Twitter discussion entitled "**HV50: Ask the Question.**" The discussion started July 1<sup>st</sup> and will continue until the 24<sup>th</sup>, culminating in a Twitter symposium on July 25. At a time of great social and moral confusion, *Humanae Vitae* confirms the beauty of the Church's teaching on married love and the transmission of life.

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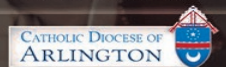
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**On July 25, 1968**

Pope Paul VI issued *Humanae Vitae* from St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. The answer he gave to the question John XXIII had asked stunned a world which had already decided on a different answer.

**Have you read the document?**

**HV50 | #AskTheQuestion**



All Star Saints of God pray for us!

God bless you.

Fr. Christopher J. Pollard



# SAINT BENEDICT CANTORUM

*All Young Men, grades 7 - 12*

To apply, to join or to ask a question  
About either program,  
please email the Director of Music,  
James Senson at  
[JSenson@StJohnCatholicMcLean.org](mailto:JSenson@StJohnCatholicMcLean.org)

For more information, please email Sir Charles at [CharlesWilton@StJohnCatholicMcLean.org](mailto:CharlesWilton@StJohnCatholicMcLean.org).

Please email Ann Thunder at [ThunderGroup@iCloud.com](mailto:ThunderGroup@iCloud.com) if you could keep watch with the Lord for just one (1) hour each Wednesday.

Please send all announcements that you would like to have publicized in the bulletin to the following email address: **[Bulletin@StJohnCatholicMcLean.org](mailto:Bulletin@StJohnCatholicMcLean.org)**. Please send the text in New Times Roman 11 pt, justified. **Our deadline is the Friday fourteen (14) days before the bulletin**

**ATTENTION CLASS OF 2018...**

The Associates of St. John Bosco invites rising college freshmen to attend a College Night at one of the following parishes:

- July 18th - Basilica of St. Mary in Alexandria  
(Location: St. Mary's Lyceum -- 313 Duke St.)
- July 25th - St. Mary's in Fredericksburg  
(Location: Parish Life Center)

College Nights are free to all students and provide resources and support for keeping your Catholic Faith when entering college this fall. Catholic student representatives from George Mason, UVA, The University of Mary Washington, William & Mary, Virginia Tech and other private and public schools will be on hand to share their experiences of being a Catholic college student. This is a great opportunity to network with other Catholic students and to receive resources for the transition to college only a few months away. The Nights begin at 7:00 PM, and students are encouraged to wear their college t-shirt to the event! To register for one of the College Nights and for additional information, visit our website at [www.asjb.org](http://www.asjb.org). Registration is limited to 50 students per night.

**PURITY IS POSSIBLE**

*"Purity is possible for everyone. Purity is a state of peace in which your sexual desires and actions are in full agreement with your ideals. Living according to our ideals always brings us joy, and everyone can learn how to bring their actions into accord with their ideals through well crafted practice."*

These words are from the website *Purity is Possible*. Do you know someone who struggles with an addiction to pornography? The beautiful website and apostolate [www.PurityIsPossible.com](http://www.PurityIsPossible.com) is the work of Dr. Kevin Majeres, Director of the Harvard Study Center.

**ALTAR SERVER PICNIC  
WITH BISHOP BURBIDGE**

Bishop Burbidge invites all altar servers to join him for the annual picnic on Thursday, July 26, from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Our seminarian Sir Charles will be leading a merry band from St. John. There will be a cookout, sports, games and prizes. Contact the parish office for details.

**MARYMOUNT UNIVERSITY  
BASKETBALL CAMPS**

Boy's Camps (rising 2nd – 10th grade)

Session I: July 30 – August 3

Session II: August 6 – 10

Questions? Contact Coach Rogers – [hrogers@marymount.edu](mailto:hrogers@marymount.edu)

**PAUL VI CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL...**

...is currently accepting registrations for summer camps for all ages and interests from fine arts to athletics. Please visit <https://pvisports.net/main/campsclinics/>

**DIOCESE LAUNCHES NEW 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 to interviews, some podcasts will emanate from inspiring talks, speeches, homilies, and lectures given throughout the Diocese. The podcast is dedicated to the patronage of our diocesan saint, St. Thomas More. 'Searching for More' joins the 'Walk Humbly' and 'Catholic Herald' podcasts as diocesan audio offerings.





Look for this monthly newsletter in the Bulletin Box by the exit doors. Become more active in your faith!

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
July 15	July 16	July 17	July 18	July 19	July 20	July 21
3-4pm Inquiry Class 4:00pm Vespers	7:30pm Legion 8:00pm Latin Mass	8:00pm Hoops	ADORATION 9:30am-7:30pm  Confessions Hourly 10:00am-6:00pm 7:00pm Holy Hour			8:45am Confessions  3:30pm Confessions



## FROM THE SEMINARIAN...

This week I wish to expound on the topic of the afterlife, to encourage meditating on Hell, and to discuss various ways we can avoid going there. St. Leonard of Port Maurice preached that most people do not go to Hell because they necessarily deserved Hell, rather they go to Hell because they do not deserve to go to Heaven. [https://www.olrl.org/snt\\_docs/fewness.shtml](https://www.olrl.org/snt_docs/fewness.shtml) St. Frances de Sales meditation on Hell is here for our reflection, <http://www.cfpeople.org/books/DeSales/MEDITATEp7.htm> In addition, a talk on St. Ignatius' meditation on Hell here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ibZwxRr1uew>



Like I mentioned last week, prayer is vitally important on our faith journey. Our Lord never promised an easy road for those who choose to follow Him and every day we must guard ourselves against sin and reject our culture's celebration of all that is evil. Consider the Rosary, which is a very powerful tool to help us get to Heaven, our Blessed Mother made 15 promises to those who prayed it every day found at this link.

<http://themostholyyrosary.com/15promises.htm>

Prayer is transformative, but there are also other methods available to us, to make us holy people and worthy of heaven.

One example is Louis de Montfort's total consecration to Jesus through Mary. <https://www.catholiccompany.com/content/total-consecration-jesus-through-mary.cfm> Find a date, for example July 20th, the Feast of the Queenship of Mary, and begin the consecration. This will dramatically improve your prayer life and from then on you will receive many graces. St. Joseph, is also someone to whom we as Catholics can turn to for help on our journey. <https://www.catholic.org/prayers/prayer.php?p=855>

St. Teresa of Avila said that anything she asked of St. Joseph, he granted her, so I ask him every day to increase my faith and to help me become a better Catholic. Once you have made prayer an essential part of your life you'll experience a renewed joy and zeal for the Lord, and grace to persevere in holiness.

Our fallen nature makes sin very attractive to us and it's only through prayer and the sacraments that we remain in Christ, resist sin and witness to Christ in this fallen world. Hell is a truth we ignore at our peril and meditating on it is important for our salvation as it keeps our focus on Jesus. We need to stay close to Jesus and consecrating ourselves, as mentioned earlier, is one way we can do this. We can also help each other by correcting sinful behavior, always mindful of doing it with compassion and kindness (James 5: 19-20), for what we fail to correct in others when we had the chance, we will answer for.

Charles C. Wilton

## ST. JOHN'S YOUTH MINISTRY

### KING'S DOMINION (7/27)

Mark your calendars for a day of fun! All rising 7th - 12th grade students, graduated seniors, and families are invited to join us for Diocesan King's Dominion Day, Friday July 27th. We will be attending 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception in Fredericksburg. Tickets are \$40.

### SWING DANCE PARTY (7/20)

Calling all rising 7th graders to graduated seniors and their families! *It don't mean a thing, if it ain't got that swing.* Come swing on over to the Parish Hall this Friday July 20 for a Youth Ministry Swing Dance Party! Doors open at 6:30 p.m. There will be short lessons and demonstrations for everyone before hitting the floor. Dress code is "Dressy Casual". Please bring a snack or dessert to share! RSVP on our Sign Up Genius: [www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0E4BACAE23A7FC1-youth](http://www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0E4BACAE23A7FC1-youth)

### DISCIPLESHIP NIGHT(8/2)

Mark your calendar for Thursday, August 2nd from 6:15 to 8:00 p.m. for this all new Youth Ministry event called *Discipleship Night*! Each Discipleship Night is geared to help teens focus on one key aspect of what it truly means to be a disciple and follower of Christ. The night will include a short 5 - 8 minute reflection talk and small group discussion. The remaining time will be spent playing the role playing game called Pharisees vs. Disciples. Delicious snacks and drinks provided! We are hoping to make this a regular monthly event on Thursdays. For more information or to sign up, please contact James Clement.

For more information or to sign up *or to make a donation*, please contact James Clement:

**JClement@StJohnCatholicMcLean.org**  
**703-356-7916**

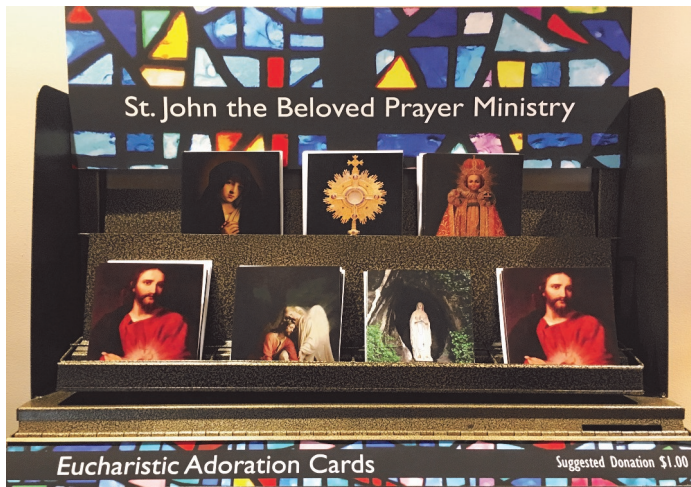
### SJB SOCCER CLUB

Calling all rising 4th graders to graduated seniors. St. John the Beloved's Soccer Club is running a summer soccer session starting July 19th. We will be meeting on Thursdays 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. on the SJB playground for the following dates Jul 19, 26; Aug 2, 9, 16. Join Coach Fr. Pollard (who holds a USSF National "E" Coaching License ), Coach Clement, Coach Glover, and our summer seminarian Mr. Charles Wilton for some skill drills and fun small sided soccer games! Whether you're new to the sport, want to improve your skills, or just want to have fun, this club is for you. Youth will be divided into appropriate age/skill levels. Cost is \$25 for new members and includes performance t-shirt. Previous members are free. Bring your water bottle. Water and Gatorade will be provided. Permission form is required. Please contact James Clement.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION CARDS**

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.

Suggested donation of \$1 to cover printing costs.

**HAVEN of Northern Virginia**

Haven is committed to offering support, compassion, information, and resources to the bereaved and seriously ill. Volunteers provide individual and group support to those suffering from a loss by helping them cope with feelings of fear, loneliness, and a host of other emotions associated with grief.

**Summer Workshop "Journey through Grief"**

Saturday, July 28, 2018; 2-4 p.m.

Registration requested: email [havenofnova@verizon.net](mailto:havenofnova@verizon.net) or call 703-941-7000

**Volunteer Opportunities**

For information and to register: call 703-941-7000 or email [havenofnova@verizon.net](mailto:havenofnova@verizon.net)

**THE STATE OF THE COMMONWEALTH****REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

Carmel Broadfoot	Andrew Katson
Mary Elizabeth Bergen	Christopher Katz
Salvatore Calabro	Dorothy Kottler
John Cartelli	Sharon LeMaster
John Paul Charles Carver	Sue Malone
Virginia Connelly	Carmella Manetti
Sheila Corallo	Cristina Marques
Elke D'Amico	Diana Meisel
Richard DeCorps	Bonnie Moran
William Dunne	Veronica Nowakowski
Joe Elias	Anita Oliveira
Tara Flanagan-Koenig	Briner Orillo
Susan Glover	Mary Pistorino Reilly
Francesca Greco	Patricia Richer
Paul Griffith	Shelby Rogers
Edward M. Hallinan III	Thomas Rosa
Jack Halpin	Avery Schaeffer
Arnold L. Harrington III	Merle Shannon
Emily Hazlett	Gloribeth Smith
Colleen Hodgdon	Carolyn Steinhoff
Agnes Henley	Bill Sullivan
David Johnson	Mary Warchot
Mark Johnson	Marie Wysolmerski



*God bless and protect all our family members and parishioners who are serving in the military and civil service for our defense, especially...*

Robert Ayala	Robert B Smolar
Jonathan Choo	Michael Shipley
Nicholas Galvan	Kimberley Templer
Harry Griffith	Michael Templer
Bill Jones	Jesus Toledanes
Brendan Murphy	Alex Trujillo
Lynn Partik	Justin White