

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

1427 West Braddock Road ~ Alexandria, Virginia 22302

PARISH OFFICE: 703-998-6100

Hours: Mon-Fri, 9 am-5 pm (closed 12-1), 7-9 pm; Sun, 9 am -12 pm

SUNDAY MASSES: Main Worship Space

Vigil Mass on **Saturday:** 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00*, 11:00*, 12:30 pm, 5:00 pm

Sunday in Spanish: 2:00 pm

***NURSERY:** During 9 & 11 am Sunday Masses;
Walking to age 6. Early Childhood Center (ECC) of School

WEEKDAY MASSES: Main Worship Space

Monday - Friday, 6:30 & 8:30 am, (7:00 pm during Lent only)

Wednesday, 7:00 pm

Saturday, 8:30 am only

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Daily Chapel

Monday thru Friday, 7am - 8 am, (7:30 pm during Lent only)

Wednesday, 7:30 pm until the last penitent leaves

Saturday, 3:30 - 4:30 pm

In Spanish, Sundays, 1:15-1:45 pm

ROSARY: Main Worship Space ~ Monday - Saturday, 8:00 am

Main Worship Space ~ Fifth Sunday of the month, 10:30 am

PARISH WEB SITE: www.blessedsacramentcc.org

E-MAIL: parish_office@blessedsacramentcc.org

FACEBOOK: <https://www.facebook.com/Blessed-Sacrament-Catholic-Church-210791706782/>

TWITTER: <http://twitter.com/BlessedSacVA>

BLOG: <http://blessedsacramentva.blogspot.com>

ARLINGTON DIOCESE INFORMATION: www.arlingtondiocese.org

PARISH CLERGY: Rev. John D. Kelly, Pastor

Rev. Mark Carrier, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Kevin Dansereau, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Joseph Rampino, Parochial Vicar

PARISH STAFF:

John McCrary, Director of Music/Coordinator of Liturgy

Susan Doyle, Director of Religious Education

Garrick Suemith, Director of Youth Ministry

Marie Niemberger, Bulletin Editor/Liturgical Environment

BAPTISM OF CHILDREN: Celebrations are held on one Saturday per month and at certain Sunday Masses. A parent and godparent preparation program is required. Arrangements should be made at least 3 months prior to the baby's due date. Call the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: The preparation program must begin *not less than* six (6) months in advance. For weddings celebrated in this church, we cannot confirm a wedding date until after the first appointment with a priest. Call the parish office.

CHILDREN'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD): (September - May)

Grades K-8 classes on Sunday am or Wednesday evening;

Grades 1 & 2 on Monday afternoon. Preschool class Sunday am.

CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA): Questions?

Call parish office or email: sdoyle@blessedsacramentcc.org

Second Sunday of Lent February 25, 2018

First Reading — The sacrifice of Abraham, our father in faith

(Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18).

Psalm — I walk before the Lord, in the land of the living (Psalm 116).

Second Reading — God did not spare his own Son (Romans 8:31b-34).

Gospel — This is my beloved Son (Mark 9:2-10).

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PRAYERS AT MASS FOR THE SICK OR RECENTLY DECEASED:

Call the parish office for mention at Sunday Masses.

EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION AND ADORATION: Daily Chapel

Every **FRIDAY, 9:00 am - 6:30 pm**; Benediction begins at 6:30 pm.

Please, come and sit in prayer with our Lord for at least an hour.

ALTAR SERVERS: Any boy or girl, 4th grade through college age, who has received First Communion, is welcome to serve at the altar.

For information, please call the parish office or

Email: parish_office@blessedsacramentcc.org

**BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL
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1417 West Braddock Road, Alexandria, VA 22302

703-998-4170 www.bsava.org

Valerie Garcia, principal

ALTAR LINENS for February 19: Cecilia Kockler

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25 - SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

- 7:30 am ~ Janet Strup (Elaine & Peter Mulhern)
- 9:00 am ~ Pauline Hurd (Harrington Family)
- 11:00 am ~ Maria Alves (Family)
- 12:30 pm ~ David Stanislawczyk (Harrington Family)
- 2:00 pm ~ Erce Parada Ledesma (Claudia Kmide)
- 5:00 pm ~ Kevin Fitch (Andrea & John Fitch)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26 - Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 am ~ Patrick & Marie Walsh (Family)
- 8:30 am ~ Richard Puckett (Tanner Family)
- 7:00 pm ~ Catherine Zingale (Paul & Matt Powers)

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27 - Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 am ~ Joan Assetto (A Friend)
- 8:30 am ~ Anthony Giuseppe (Angie Giuseppe)
- 7:00 pm ~ For the Welfare & Intentions of Pope Francis

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28 - Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 am ~ Rev Gerry Creedon (Ann Murphy)
- 8:30 am ~ Rev Thomas Casey
- 7:00 pm ~ Joanne Nolin (Sr Laura Fidelis)

THURSDAY, MARCH 1 - Lenten Weekday

- 6:30 am ~ Julius Rossi (Laurie Lutz)
- 8:30 am ~ Francesco Petrucco (Tina Petrucco)
- 7:00 pm ~ Meri Berberet Bond (Maher-Berberet Family)

FRIDAY, MARCH 2 - Lenten Weekday (World Day of Prayer)

- 6:30 am ~ Spec Int of Clara (Irma Cosme)
- 8:30 am ~ Adela Balderrama (Fernandez Family)
- 7:00 pm ~ Kay Sullivan (Laurie Lutz)

SATURDAY, MARCH 3 - Lenten Weekday (St Katharine Drexel)

- 8:30 am ~ Allan Robbins (L Robbins)
- 5:00 pm ~ Rose Piccolo (Marc Piccolo)

SUNDAY, MARCH 4 - THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

- 7:30 am ~ Armand Capitanio (Louis Capitanio)
- 9:00 am ~ Mass for the People
- 11:00 am ~ Maria Alves (Family)
- 12:30 pm ~ Maria Kavanaugh (Stackhouse Family)
- 2:00 pm ~ Alejandro Quispe (Fortunata Quispe)
- 5:00 pm ~ Mary Gibbons (Henshaw Family)



Our **Offertory Collection** for **February 11th**, was \$36,004.18. This **DOES** include 439 participants in **FaithDirect**. We also collected \$406.00 - Poor Box, & \$388.00 - Arlington Catholic Herald.

Our **SHARING** recipient for **February 11th - HUNTERS FOR**



THE HUNGRY, Big Island, VA - Since 1991 H4H has provided over 2.2 million, 1/4 pound servings of quality, lean meat to food programs across the state. Hunters & processors are eager & willing to share their bounty. Funds are used to provide refrigeration storage units to food pantries. (h4hungry.org) \$1,980.23

2018 BISHOP'S LENTEN APPEAL

"Living in Faith ~ Giving in Gratitude"

The BLA is in full swing and we are asking every household in our parish to support this appeal to the extent that they are able. The BLA funds many programs, services and ministries that serve people in need and furthers the Gospel mission of Jesus Christ in our diocese. Let us join together to do the Lord's work — work that touches the lives and souls of thousands of people in our diocese. To make your donation online, visit:

www.arlingtondiocese.org

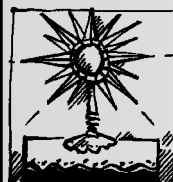
*God's presence is not discerned
 at the time when it is upon us,
 but afterwards, when we look back.*

—John Henry Newman

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday:** Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Lk 6:36-38
- Tuesday:** Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12
- Wednesday:** Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28
- Thursday:** Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31
- Friday:** Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
- Saturday:** Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
- Sunday:** Ex 20:1-17 [1-3, 7-8, 12-17]; Ps 19:8-11; 1 Cor 1:22-25; Jn 2:13-25
- Alternate readings (Year A):** Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]

On all Fridays in Lent, Benediction and Reposition will begin at 6:30 pm.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Add a visit with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament on **Fridays**. Come to pray any time, but **mid-day & afternoon hours visitors are most needed.**

The Daily Chapel is open from Exposition at **9:00 am** until Benediction & Reposition at **6:30 pm.**

Please let someone in the parish office know if there is no one else in the chapel and you have to leave. Thank you.
 Would you like to sign up for a time to adore? Have you have committed to a time & cannot attend? **PLEASE** - call or email Jenny at (202)669-7214 or jdrivera7@aol.com



The norms, according to the USCCB:

Everyone, age 14 and over, is bound to obey the law of abstinence from eating meat. Abstinence is to be observed on **all Fridays** within the season of Lent.

Please join us in prayer as we ask for God's guidance & protection of troops, law enforcement, firefighters or anyone serving in harm's way.

Cole Barry, Joshua Bates, Ryan Barnett, Michael Bouffard, Richard W. Brown, Timothy Byrnes, Nicholas Cale, Kim Colloton, Adam Conlan, Robert Corso, Analee Cuellar, Nathalia Cuellar, Bradley Cundari, Matthew Cundari, Richard Demarais, George C. Fletcher, Tommy Gadell, Victor Gaetan, Cheryl Hess, Joshua Hindenburg, David Jordan, Jonathan Jordan, Matthew Kitzerow, Peter Laboy, Allison Landsman, Christopher LeFon, Christopher Love, Patrick McGee, Mateo McGrath, Sam Mills, Timothy Mills, Matthew Mourning, Lisa Mullaney, Hanna Porterfield, Gray Posey, Thomas Rands, Jamie Reynolds, Mary Severs, David M. Steele, Travis A. Stoffer, Kyle Thomas, Josh Truman, Michael Voigt, Christopher Wallace, Thomas Warring.
(If you have a name to be added to this list, please call the parish office)

THE OBEDIENCE OF ABRAHAM AND JESUS



I will make your descendants as countless as the stars of the sky

God tested Abraham by asking not for an ordinary sacrifice, which would have been a partial burning with the meat divided between God and the people and eaten by those who sacrificed, but for a holocaust, a total burning of the sacrificial animal. This type of sacrifice consecrated the entire offering to God alone. This is what God was asking of Abraham in offering his only son, Isaac. When Abraham demonstrated his obedience, that was enough. This story from today's scriptures foretells the

completion of the blood sacrifices of the old covenant in the new covenant: the blood of God's own Son, offered to us on the cross and in the Eucharist. Abraham's obedience foreshadows the obedience of Jesus to God's promise of salvation. The obedience of Abraham is rewarded in the birth to him, through Isaac, of many nations. The obedience of Jesus is rewarded in the salvation of all people for all time.

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"40Days40Ways"

"40Days40Ways with Francis" offers all of us the opportunity to seek a more intimate experience of God's Love by exploring the love we share with our families & those who are dearest to us. Simply text "ways" to 84576 to receive these daily reflections & a "way" a day to keep our hearts & minds focused on the joy of Easter.

To sign up online, go to: arlingtondiocese.org/40Days40Ways

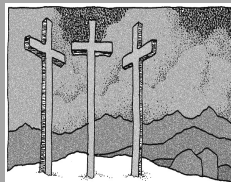
LENTEN SCHEDULE

DAILY MASS (beginning February 15th)

Monday – Friday ~ 6:30 & 8:30 am, 7:00 pm **Saturday** ~ 8:30 am

CONFESSION

Monday - Friday ~ 7:00 - 8:00 am, 7:30 pm
Saturdays ~ 3:30 - 4:30 pm



Lenten Penance Service

Monday ~ March 19th ~ 7:30 pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Fridays ~ 9:00 am - 6:30 pm (Benediction & Reposition)

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays through March 16th ~ 7:30 pm (Spanish ~ 8:30 pm)

"Via Crucis"

(The Way of the Cross) by Franz Liszt ~ The 14 Stations of the Cross are sung by the Blessed Sacrament Adult Choir, accompanied by organist, Quinn Moss

Friday ~ March 23rd ~ 7:30 pm

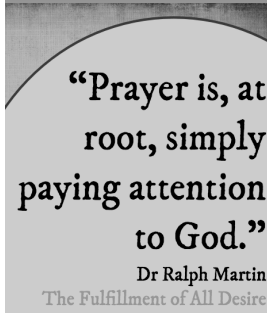
In Lent it is suggested to observe ~

All **Fridays** are Days of Eucharistic Adoration; of fast; of good works; and of celebration of The Way of the Cross

All **Saturdays** are Days of the Rosary
8:00 am ~ Main Worship Space

Lenten Study Series

The Fourth Pillar of Our Faith ~ PRAYER



Dr Ralph Martin
The Fulfillment of All Desire

Join us as we welcome

Dr. Ralph Martin

Theologian, Author & Speaker ~

Wednesday ~ February 28th

7:30 pm (following Mass)
Quinn Hall

Diocesan E-Newsletter!

Receive special video messages from our bishop, learn about unique opportunities to get involved, & be the first to know the news in our Diocese - right in your inbox! Sign up at ~ <http://bit.ly/CDAsignup>

PRIZES!

Pizza ~ Snacks ~ Sodas for Sale
FUN for ALL !



WHERE? ~ Quinn Hall

WHAT DAY? ~ Sat., March 10

WHAT TIME? ~ 7:00 - 9:00 pm

WHO? ~ Everybody Welcome ~ Family Friendly!

WHY? ~ We got rained out at the Parish Festival!

HOW MUCH? ~ Bingo Cards are 50¢ each or 3 for \$1

RUN BY? ~ BS SCHOOL 8th Grade Class

WHO BENEFITS? ~ BS SCHOOL 8th Grade Class Gift

St. Patrick's Day

Seniors & Retirees Luncheon

Tuesday ~ March 13th

Mass - 11 am *Daily Chapel* ~ Lunch following in Quinn Hall

Bring a friend!

To help out or to donate a side dish or dessert, call Marie at 703-998-6100 x104



4 More Fridays in Lent ~

March 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd

5:30 – 7:30 pm ~ Quinn Hall

Bring the family for Gourmet Fish (fried, baked, 'taco-ed', fish sticks, etc!) Coleslaw, French Fries, Mac-n-Cheese & More!

Adults \$10 / Families \$30

Credit / PayPal Accepted!

(Proceeds benefit scholarships & parish projects)





SUNDAY NURSERY

... at the 9:00 am & 11:00 am Masses on *most* Sundays, we sponsor a NURSERY for children, walking age to age 6 in the Blessed Sacrament School Early Childhood Center! Fully staffed by loving, caring people, it's a calm, safe place for your children to enjoy while you attend Mass. Come by & see us - very small fee, very great peace of mind!

Do you want to become a CITIZEN? Apply Now!

Come to a citizenship application workshop hosted by Catholic Charities **Hogar Immigration Services**

WHEN: Saturday, March 3rd

TIME: Doors open at 10:00 am, close at 1:00 pm

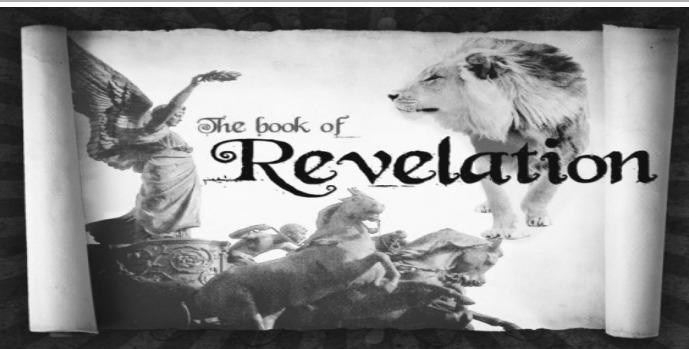
WHERE: St. Anthony Catholic School, 3301 Glen Carlyn Rd, Falls Church

COST: \$110.00 cash or credit

CONTACT: (to pre-register) 571-208-1572 or

www.hogarimmigrantservices.org/workshop

(VOLUNTEERS also welcome. Contact above if you'd like to help)



Terrible beasts, fearsome dragons, mysterious numbers, and gleaming cities fill the pages of the Book of Revelation. But what does it all mean?

Come and join Fr. Mark Carrier in a multipart reading and thorough exploration of this ancient text. Each session is about an hour and handouts will be provided.

Tuesday evenings, 7 pm, or Wednesday mornings, 9:15 am

Bring your Bible to the Parish Center Holy Trinity Room! Drop-in: No registration necessary. Questions? Fr. Carrier: mfcaime@cs.com



Visit Fr. Carrier's blog on the **First Letter of St. John**. Come to the web and explore this careful and devout examination of the Word of God.

sanctiscriptores.blogspot.com

WorkCamp 2018 NAIL SALE !!



Visit us Gathering Space & support our youth working this summer as they assist people in our diocese to be warmer & safer & dryer in their own homes. Please help us raise the \$15,000.00 needed to fund building supplies & our campers!

RESPECT LIFE

RespectLifeBSCC@gmail.com

Helpful Resources:

<http://www.arlingdiocese.org/religiousliberty/>

www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/religious-liberty/

www.vacatholic.org (Virginia Catholic Conference)

www.nchla.org (National Committee for a Human Life Amendment)

<http://womenspeakforthemselves.com>

#WhyWeMarch MarchForLife.org



Rosary for Life: Each Saturday ~ 9 am *

Meet in the Gathering Space ~ Pray in the Daily Chapel

*2nd Saturday of the month ~ following 8:30 am Mass -

Meet at clinic - 2839 Duke St near Ireton H.S. (approx. 9:15 a.m.)



Gabriel Project: Gabriel Project (GP) provides

financial & spiritual assistance to pregnant women in need.

If you know someone who can benefit from GP services, or

if you would like to volunteer, please contact us at

(703) 841-3810 or go online at:

www.arlingtondiocese.org/gpavolunteer



Project Rachel:

Do you know someone who is carrying the grief & sorrow of past abortion? Share the good news of God's merciful love. **Project Rachel** can make a confidential referral to a priest and/or counselor:

(888) 456-HOPE (4673) or www.helpafterabortion.org

40 DAYS for LIFE is ongoing!

Witness for Life at 2839 Duke Street, 7 am - 7 pm

40daysforlife.org for info & to sign up



GET THE LATEST:

blessedsacramentcc.org/youth

OR ask Garrick:

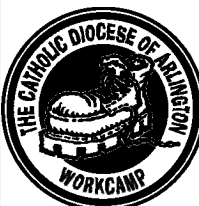
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@blessedsacramentcc.org

(703)998-6100 x110

SUNDAY OPEN GYM

Most Sundays after 5:00 pm Mass @ the Blessed Sacrament School Gym. Come by and play a pick-up game or two.



WorkCamp 2018

Registration is **OPEN!**

See the application @

blessedsacramentcc.org/youth



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FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Saturday ~ MARCH 31st

8:30-11:00 am

Church of the Resurrection - 2280 N. Beauregard Street



Pack grocery bags, assist clients, carry groceries to cars, etc. Teens, adults, accompanied children & families are welcome to help!

FURNITURE DISTRIBUTION



Able-bodied volunteers needed to help pick up & deliver furniture to families in need. Meet on SATURDAYS at 8:00 am at **ALIVE!** trucks at First Christian Church, 2723 King Street.

Contact: furniture@alive-inc.org



◆ Questions?
Visit the parish website or
◆ Our **VIMEO** page:
<https://vimeo.com/user5847138>
or search "Men's Group of Blessed Sacrament"



Loyola on the Potomac

A Jesuit Retreat House in Faulkner, MD offering a variety of retreats, days of prayer, & spiritual exercises. Visit: www.loyolaonthepotomac.com or call Lisa White (301)392-0800

Coed "Come, Follow Me" Retreat ~ April 20-22 ~ Register Soon!



Visit www.FaithDirect.net and use our church code: **VA 12**. Your gifts through **FaithDirect** will help our parish finances throughout the year.
Thank you for your continued support of our parish family with your time, talents and treasure!

SENIORS ~ LINE DANCING ~ All are Welcome!

Low impact - we'll teach you the steps! Join us on Mondays, 1:30-2:30 pm, Quinn Hall. Call parish office for info.

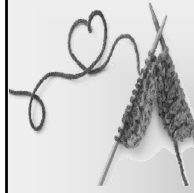
At the Parish Center ~ TUESDAYS

CANASTA 10 am -12:30 pm **BRIDGE** 12 - 3 pm

Contact: Stella Perry (703)751-8429 or Ann Corro (703)370-3664



Mark your calendars! Senior Lunches on **March 13 & May 8!**



Blessed Sacrament Prayer Shawl Knitting & Crochet Ministry

... thank you to everyone who continues to knit, crochet ... and pray over the items we craft & distribute. Other questions about our work? Call Lana at 703-299-8389.

MEETING: Thursday, March 1, 7-8 pm, Parish Center (WEATHER PERMITTING)

NEW PROJECT: Help us keep our neighbors warm this winter. We are working on **HATS & SCARVES**, adult & children's sizes and we also have yarn if you need it. Drop-off your hand-made donations at the parish office any time.



Want to go deeper in your marriage & your faith?

'Teams of Our Lady'

What is 'Teams'? Marriage is a challenge!

Whether a couple is newly wed, raising a family, or "empty nesting," the call to grow together in love is ever present.

To support each other in this call, A 'Team' is a group of couples who meet monthly to find support in their efforts to live out Gospel lives through the vocation of marriage. **Questions?** Contact Andrew & Maria Bremberg at 703-216-1207 or mariabremberg@gmail.com



For more information about our Knights of Columbus Council, email gk11947@vakofc.org or call the parish office, 703-998-6100, leave contact information & a Knight will return your call.



ALL Moms* (& Kids) are welcome!

*new, "old" (experienced!) or soon-to-be!!

◆ **Weekly Faith Sharing** - Contact Val Trask for more info! (505)280-5573 or trask.val@gmail.com



The Legion of Mary ~ Prayer and Spiritual Works of Mercy

The Legion of Mary is serves the parish through men & women who desire to grow closer to Jesus. Come & see how your gifts & works, in union with Mary, Mother of God, can be used to serve Christ & the wider world.

New members always welcome!

Thursdays ~ 7:15 pm ~ Meeting Room (Parish Library)

MULCH SALE

The Bishop Ireton High School Crew Team has your ground covered! BIG 3 cubic ft bags of Norfleet premium, shredded, hardwood mulch.

Order by March 2nd for free delivery on 10 bags or more on March 18th.

Email ~ BICAorders@gmail.com for an order form. All proceed benefit Bishop Ireton Rowing program.

Thank you for supporting Catholic athletes!

GO CARDINALS!





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CBC offers local one-day & weeklong international mission trips for adults & families who are called to partake in the Church's mission life. Serve others in the corporal & spiritual works of mercy!




DIOCESAN CONFERENCE

WOMEN'S - March 10th - www.arlingtondiocese.org/women
St. Joseph Parish, Herndon. **Register soon!**



Weekly Diocesan TV Mass to the Homebound
At 10:30 am every Sunday on Channel 50 (WDCW), this Mass airs for members of our Catholic family unable to be physically present for Sunday Eucharistic Liturgy.




Listen to **Catholic Radio**
WMET 1160 AM
and via the (free) Ave Maria Radio App!
Visit: www.grnonline.com




Pray for Our Priests: Free Prayer Cards
Special prayer cards are now available with the name of each of our Diocesan priests, one priest per card. To request free cards, just contact the Office for Family Life, (703) 841-2550 or familylife@arlingtondiocese.org

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Every 3rd Sunday, comments by
Bishop Michael Burbidge



Bishop Burbidge's Homilies Online
Want to hear relevant, pastoral inspiration from our Shepherd? Homilies are posted weekly on the diocesan YouTube page.
Youtube.com/arlingtondiocese



THE WALK HUMBLY PODCAST
WITH BISHOP BURBIDGE


In this first-ever **Walk Humbly Podcast**, Bishop Burbidge looks back on his first year in the Diocese of Arlington and reflects on some of the moments that stand out the most. He also discusses his love for Catholic education and how the Diocese's proximity to Washington, DC impacts his role as a shepherd. Lastly, he offers some practical advice for dealing with anxiety. www.arlingtondiocese.org



PRIME-TIME SINGLE CATHOLICS (PTSC)
PTSC is a club organized to serve the needs of single Catholics, age 40 & over, who are free to marry by Catholic standards. Share in Christian fellowship through our fun & Interesting religious, social & recreational activities!
For more information, please contact
Patricia Hutteman (703)527-3455 or email: pava1319@gmail.com
or John McBride 703-820-9196 or email: jfmcbride_526@hotmail.com

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**Blessed Sacrament 39+ Singles**  
Contact: Mary Terlep 703-820-4058 [maryterlep@aol.com](mailto:maryterlep@aol.com)



**The Victim Assistance Ministry** is a program of outreach to victims/survivors of childhood sexual abuse by clergy, religious or lay employees of the Catholic Church, as well as those abused through incest, by acquaintances, or through violent attack. Visit our website: [www.arlingtondiocese.org](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org) **All Calls are confidential**

You may also contact the Victim Assistance Coordinators:  
~ Rosa Colello, MA, 703-841-2530 [r.colello@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:r.colello@arlingtondiocese.org)  
~ Analiz Sipe, LPC, 703-841-2530 [a.sipe@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:a.sipe@arlingtondiocese.org)  
**CONFIDENTIAL INTAKE LINE: 703-841-2530**

**Events for the victim/survivor and one support person:**


~ **SUPPORT GROUP EVENING with BISHOP BURBIDGE** ~  
Monday, April 9, 2018 @ 5:45 pm ~ St. Ann Church, Arlington

~ **MASS TO PRAY FOR HEALING with BISHOP BURBIDGE**  
Monday, February 26, 2018 @ 7 pm ~ St. Charles Borromeo, Arlington

RSVP required 4 days prior to event. RSVP at intake number above.



**The ST. PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP of Northern Virginia** ~ Meets at 2:30 p.m. on the 4th Sunday of every month in the Daily Chapel. Need more info? Contact: Art 703-931-0497 or [sanpio@comcast.net](mailto:sanpio@comcast.net)



**St. Monica, diamond of unwavering faith, pray for us!**  
It is estimated that 20 million Americans consider themselves to be lapsed Catholics. More than likely, we all know someone within each of our own families who simply no longer practices the faith or has not yet come to know Jesus. St. Monica is patroness & powerful intercessor.

~ **Join us today, & everyday, along with 130+ petitioners as we pray for the return of fallen-away Catholics; ~ Unite your loved ones into our daily prayers through our prayer list found in the Sacred Heart Chapel (specify 'St. Monica prayers'); ~ Pray!**  
Info? Greg Golubin 202-437-1274 or Nancy Pease 757-846-7104.



**“If God is with us, who can be against us?”**

Is the Lord strengthening you to consider the grace of a vocation to the priesthood or in the consecrated life?

Call Fr. J.D. Jaffe at (703) 841-2514 or write: [j.jaffe@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:j.jaffe@arlingtondiocese.org)