

# 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

**PARISH WEB SITE:** [www.blessedsacramentcc.org](http://www.blessedsacramentcc.org)

**E-MAIL:** [parish\\_office@blessedsacramentcc.org](mailto:parish_office@blessedsacramentcc.org)

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

**DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON:** [www.arlingtondiocese.org](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org)

**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

Wednesday, 7:00 pm

Saturday, 8:30 am only

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:** Daily Chapel

Monday thru Friday, 7am - 8 am

Wednesday, 7:30 pm until the last penitent leaves

Saturday, 3:30 - 4:30 pm (except Holy Saturday)

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

**ROSARY:** Monday - Saturday, 8:00 am ~ Main Worship Space  
Fifth Sunday of the month, 10:30 am ~ Daily Chapel

**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

Marie Niernberger, 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](mailto:sdoyle@blessedsacramentcc.org)

**PRAYERS AT MASS FOR THE SICK OR RECENTLY DECEASED:**

Call the parish office for mention at Sunday Masses.

## The Ascension of the Lord June 2, 2019

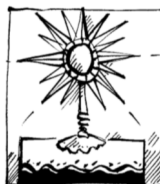
**First Reading** — Jesus tells the disciples that they will be witnesses to the ends of the earth (Acts 1:1-11).

**Psalm** — God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord (Psalm 47).

**Second Reading** — God seated Jesus at his right hand in the heavens (Ephesians 1:17-23)

**Gospel** — As Jesus blessed his disciples he parted from them and was taken up to heaven (Luke 24:46-53).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from *Lectionary for Mass* © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.



*"Be present to the One who is present."*

### **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

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

**The Daily Chapel is open from Exposition at 9:00 am until Benediction & Reposition at 8:30 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.*

*Honored as the **ONLY** school in 2018 in the Diocese of Arlington to be named a United States Department of Education*

**BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL** (also awarded in 2008)

**BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL  
and EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER**

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and one another with integrity and respect."*

1417 West Braddock Road, Alexandria, VA 22302

703-998-4170

[www.bssva.org](http://www.bssva.org)

Valerie Garcia, principal

**ALTAR LINENS** for June 3: Jenny Grover

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**SUNDAY, JUNE 2 - THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD**

- 7:30 am ~ Joseph Fentress (Leo Lewis)
- 9:00 am ~ Dean Conley (Harrington Family)
- 11:00 am ~ Betsy Engelken (Harrington Family)
- 12:30 pm ~ Aida Figueroa (Aida Stark)
- 2:00 pm ~ Priest's Intention
- 5:00 pm ~ Jean Stanhagen (Nancy Maksomski & Beth Greczek)

**MONDAY, JUNE 3 - Saint Charles Lwanga & Companions, martyrs**

- 6:30 am ~ Frank Haddock (Frank Haddock, Jr & Lisa Gallimore)
- 7-8 am ~ CONFESSION
- 8:00 am ~ ROSARY (Church)
- 8:30 am ~ Spec Int of Mike Ragno (Marcella & Mike Hadeed)
- 10:00 am ~ GOODWIN HOUSE
- 7:00 pm ~ SCHOOL GRADUATION (Church)

**TUESDAY, JUNE 4 - Easter Weekday**

- 6:30 am ~ Souls in Purgatory (Lana Sarrantonio)
- 7-8 am ~ CONFESSION (Daily Chapel)
- 8:00 am ~ ROSARY (Church)
- 8:30 am ~ Joan Roque (Sarah Tressler)
- 7:00 pm ~ BIBLE STUDY w/ FR CARRIER (Parish Center)

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5 - Saint Boniface**

- 6:30 am ~ Spec Ints of Blessed Sacrament Priests (Janet Maalouf)
- 7-8 am ~ CONFESSION (Daily Chapel)
- 8:00 am ~ ROSARY (Church)
- 8:30 am ~ Patricia Hayes (Al & Mary Ann Pierce)
- 9:15 am ~ BIBLE STUDY w/ FR CARRIER (Parish Center)
- 10:30 am ~ HERMITAGE HOUSE
- 7:00 pm ~ Daniel Nugent (Theresa Nugent)
- 7:30 pm ~ CONFESSION (Daily Chapel)

**THURSDAY, JUNE 6 - Saint Norbert**

- 6:30 am ~ Eugene Butler (Lilia Butler)
- 7-8 am ~ CONFESSION (Daily Chapel)
- 8:00 am ~ ROSARY (Church)
- 8:30 am ~ Michael Mills (Ana Beck)
- 10:00 am ~ WASHINGTON HOUSE

**FRIDAY, JUNE 7 - Easter Weekday**

- 6:30 am ~ Lucille Catena (Mary Rose Catena)
- 7-8 am ~ CONFESSION (Daily Chapel)
- 8:00 am ~ ROSARY (Church)
- 8:30 am ~ For the Welfare & Intentions of Pope Francis
- 9 am - 8:30 pm ~ EUCHARISTIC ADORATION (Daily Chapel)
- MINISTER HOME VISITS & PRIEST HOSPITAL VISITS

**SATURDAY, JUNE 8 - Easter Weekday**

- 8:00 am ~ ROSARY (Church)
- 8:30 am ~ Hone Family Deceased (Natoli Family)
- 10:00 am ~ PRIEST ORDINATION (Cathedral of St Thomas More)
- 5:00 pm ~ Bill Paige (Sandy Paige)

**SUNDAY, JUNE 9 - PENTECOST SUNDAY**

- 7:30 am ~ Mass for the People
- 9:00 am ~ Kathryn Bernadette Keegan (Giglio Family)
- 11:00 am ~ Marietta Wenderoth (John Wenderoth)
- 12:30 pm ~ Adam Kasold (Kasold Family)
- 2:00 pm ~ Priest's Intention
- 5:00 pm ~ John H Farnham, Jr (John & Ellen Farnham)



Our **Offertory Collection** for **May 19th**, was \$32,960.87. This includes 460 donations from *FaithDirect*. We also received \$254.00 - Poor Box, \$1,246.00 - Building Fund, \$100.00 - Quinn School Endowment, \$175.00 - Parish Special Needs (Sidewalk & curbing repairs), \$8,393.00 - Diocesan Retired Priests.



Our **SHARING** recipient for May 19th was ~ **WELCOME HOME RE-ENTRY PROGRAM** (Catholic Charities, Arlington Diocese) - This CCDa program helps former inmates and families navigate the transition from correctional institution to society. Financial assistance is available, as well as mentors, counselors, and service providers to provide for immediate basic needs, as well as on-going follow-up support. \$1,812.85



**SPECIAL OFFERING**

**Porto Charities Annual Collection**  
**"SPECIAL NEEDS, SPECIAL KIDS" —**  
**Next weekend - June 8 & 9**

Bishop Burbidge & Father Kelly have enthusiastically endorsed this collection on behalf of intellectually & developmentally challenged youth within our diocese. This collection assists special needs programs at Paul VI, Pope John Paul the Great & St. Mark School's "Options" programs, Geo. Mason Univ. "Life" program, Gabriel Home, Special Olympics, & the "Keyboards for Kids" program which provides audio/visual communications capability to special needs students within the diocese.

*Please be generous in your support of this worthwhile endeavor.*

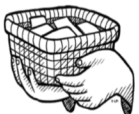
**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33  
**Tuesday:** Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a  
**Wednesday:** Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19  
**Thursday:** Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26  
**Friday:** Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19  
**Saturday:** Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25  
**Sunday:** Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39  
**Day:** Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

**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, Ryan Barnett, Michael Bouffard, Jason Brooks, Richard W. Brown, Cady Byrnes, Timothy Byrnes, Andrew Berrigan, Nicholas Cale, Adam Conlan, Robert Corso, Analee Cuellar, Nathalia Cuellar, Bradley Cundari, Matthew Cundari, Nuno Cunha, Richard Demarais, Dennis Donley, George C. Fletcher, Nicholas Fletcher, Tommy Gadell, Victor Gaetan, Joshua Hindenburg, Faith Holman,

David Jordan, Jonathan Jordan, Matthew Kitzerow, Steven Kitzerow, Allison Landsman, Christopher Love, Grace McCaffery, Patrick McGee, Mateo McGrath, Sam Mills, Timothy Mills, Matthew Mourning, Lisa Mullaney, Hanna Porterfield, Gray Posey, Thomas Rands, Jamie Reynolds, Erik Rogers, Mary Severs, Ryan Stancik, Travis A. Stoffer, Kyle Thomas, Josh Truman, Michael Voigt, Christopher Wallace, Thomas Warring.



Today, our second collection is for the **Catholic Communication Campaign**. This campaign connects people with Christ in the United States and in developing countries around the world through the Internet, television, radio, and print media. Fully 50% of funds collected remain here in the Diocese of Arlington to fund local communications efforts.

Your support helps spread the Gospel message!

To learn more, visit [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc)





Blessed Sacrament School  
Class of 2019  
will graduate at a 7:00 pm Mass  
on Monday, June 3rd.

*We wish them all many blessings & much success  
in their high school endeavors.*

Ella Campbell	Samantha Johnson	Aida Rhilinger
William Conaton	Alexander Kruska	Nora Roche
Anna	Sophia Ledonio	Lorelei Skowronek
Connelly Lisle	Julia Lungren	Jude Sparrow
Elizabeth Crockett	Talia McCarthy	Sophia Stremple
Samantha	Hillary McKay	Daniel Suits
Gearghy	Sarah McKenna	Lucy Voelker
Owen Hull	Finn O'Brien	Riely Weaver
Nicholas Ierardi	Mia Passantino	Helena Williams

All are welcome to a **Potluck Cookout**  
to bid a fond farewell to

**Father Rampino**

Saturday ~ **June 22nd** ~ 6 pm

Quinn Hall & Courtyard

Bring a side dish to share ~  
we'll provide the hotdogs,  
burgers & beverages!

*(Want to help? Contact Marie in the parish office...)*

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an account. **Formed** is now accessible to each  
parishioner by simply using our custom URL:  
**<https://blessedsacramentcc.formed.org>**



*The ordination of men to the  
priesthood is a beautiful and  
inspiring event for our entire diocese,  
and all are welcome to witness.*

The Mass of Ordination to the Priesthood for Deacons  
Nicholas Blank, Edouard Guilloux, Sean Koehr and Will Nyce  
is **Saturday June 8th, 11 a.m.**, Cathedral of St. Thomas More

There is also a **Holy Hour Vigil with Bishop Burbidge** and the  
seminarians on Friday, June 7th at 7:30 p.m. at the Cathedral,  
followed by a light reception.

**Come and pray for our future priests!**

Pick up your blue bags **TODAY** for the **St. Lucy Project**

**SUMMER /**

**Food Drive**

**HUNGRY CHILDREN**

*It's the time of year when at-risk  
children lose access to their  
school breakfast & lunch!*



**We need donations of ~ (No GLASS, please!)**

Single-serve shelf-stable Milk (Reg. or Chocolate) ~

Peanut Butter & Jelly ~ Vacuum sealed Tuna packs ~

Single serve cans - Chicken & Vienna Sausage ~

Single serve Pasta cups ~ Cereal & Oatmeal ~ Individual Fruit

Cups ~ Nutrition Bars ~ Single-serve Cheese Cracker &

Peanut Butter Cracker packs ~ Green Beans & Corn ~ Tuna ~

Canned Pasta ('Spaghetti-O's', etc.) ~ Bottled Water

**Monetary donations also welcome!**

**(\$1 feeds 3 people!)**

Make checks payable to Blessed Sacrament w/ "Food Drive" on memo line.

**Gift Cards to Walmart, Giant & Aldi also greatly appreciated.**

Bring to parish office or put in the Sunday offertory basket.

The truck will pick up our donations on

**June 8th & 9th - Next Weekend! Thank you!**

May Perpetual Light  
Shine Upon Them ~

**Libbey Campbell** (+May 24, 2019)

Memorial Mass ~ Saturday, June 22 ~ 11:00 am

Reception follows in Quinn Hall

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**Vicky Santoro** (+September 17, 2018)

Reception ~ Quinn Hall ~ Tuesday, June 25 ~ 10:00 am

Burial at Arlington National Cemetery ~ 1:00 pm

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**Barney Cochran** (+April 23, 2019)

Funeral Mass ~ Saturday, June 29 ~ 11:00 am

**ATTN: Parents of young children**  
**We invite you to visit our ~**  
**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

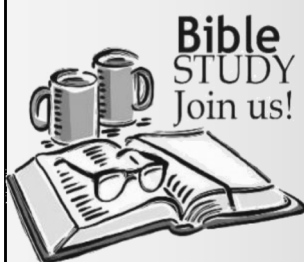
Early Childhood Center!

Fully staffed by loving, caring people,

it's a calm, safe place for your children to play

& enjoy while **you** attend Mass.

Come by & see us - very small fee, very great peace of mind!



*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](mailto: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](http://sanctiscriptores.blogspot.com)**

**B S School Summer Camps** (\*9 am to 3 pm ~ rising K thru rising 6th gr)

**June 17-21: SUPERHERO'S CAMP (\$375)**

**June 24-28: OCEAN ADVENTURE (\$375)**

**[www.bssva.org/school](http://www.bssva.org/school)**



Send with \$100 per week, per child, non-refundable  
deposit to school office. (labeled "Summer Camp")

\*EXTENDED CARE - 8 am-9 am & 3 pm-4 pm. \$10 for each hour or part of that hour.

Questions? Miss Conques- [bss.summercamps@gmail.com](mailto:bss.summercamps@gmail.com)



2019 Summer Camps  
**Saint John Paul the Great  
Catholic High School**  
Dumfries, VA

**Join us for:** Music, Art, Finance, Irish Dance,  
Photography & Video, 'Camp Quintessential.'

**Sports Camps include:** Boys Lacrosse, Football, Soccer, Basketball.  
Girls Basketball, and COED 'Intro to Sports.'

Questions? [camps@jpthegreat.org](mailto:camps@jpthegreat.org) or 703-445-0300

Register at: [www.jpthegreat.org/apps/pages/summeractivities](http://www.jpthegreat.org/apps/pages/summeractivities)

#### **Volunteer Opportunities at the**

#### **Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception**

We invite you to a special volunteer ministry at the National Shrine in  
Northeast DC. We are looking for Docents to give tours, and Tour Desk  
Receptionists to welcome visitors. Hours and days are flexible.  
Interested? Please contact Dee Steel (Director of Visitor Services)  
at (202) 526-8300, ext. 111 or email ([dsteel@bnsic.org](mailto:dsteel@bnsic.org)).

#### **RECOVERING ORIGINS WEEKEND RETREAT**

**Recovering Origins** is a unique healing retreat for adult children of divorce.  
Retreatants will discover their identity as children of God. The retreat will be held  
Friday, August 30 through Sunday, September 1, and include presentations,  
adoration, confession, small group sharing, and daily Mass. Receive insight into  
dealing with the earthly realities of a parents' divorce. Whether you have struggled  
with this issue for a long time or have tried not to think about it, we invite you to  
join us this summer. Registration opens June 1. Cost is \$350 before July 31.  
After July 31 the cost is \$400. Held at San Damiano Spiritual Life Center in  
White Post, VA. Information? Call Monica Darnell at (703) 841-2550.



#### **CARPENTER'S SHELTER LUNCHES NEXT SUNDAY ~ JUNE 9th ~**

Please deliver them to Quinn Hall by **10:00 am**

**Our parish provides lunches for The Carpenter's Shelter on the  
2nd Sunday of each month.** Bag lunches to include - a sandwich  
(preferably meat and/or cheese with **NO** dressing), a dessert & a  
piece of fruit. Donations of bulk items are also welcomed.

Info? call Lana at (703) 299-8389. **Thank you!**

## **RESPECT LIFE**

### **Helpful Resources:**

<http://www.arlingdiocese.org/religiousliberty/>  
[www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/religious-liberty/](http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/religious-liberty/)  
[www.vacatholic.org](http://www.vacatholic.org) (Virginia Catholic Conference)  
**#WhyWeMarch** **MarchForLife.org**

### **Rosary for Life: Each Saturday ~ 9 am \***

Meet in the Gathering Space ~ Pray in the Daily Chapel

**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](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/gpavolunteer)

**Project Rachel:** 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](http://www.helpafterabortion.org)

### **Join the 'First Saturday' Rosary Team**

**Did you know that the 'no-show' rate can go up by 70%  
when there are people peacefully praying  
outside an abortion facility?**

Please join the prayer team every First Saturday to pray the rosary at  
10:30 am at the Falls Church facility located at 900 S. Washington  
Street, Falls Church, VA. **(The next First Saturday is JULY 6th)**

For inquiries, contact Amy McInerney at (703) 841-3817  
or [respectlife@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:respectlife@arlingtondiocese.org)



### **ALIVE!, Inc.**

**(AL)exandrians InVolved Ecumenically!)**

Visit: [www.alive-inc.org](http://www.alive-inc.org) 703-837-9300

**NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS!**



### **FOOD DISTRIBUTION**

**Saturday ~ JUNE 29th**

7-9 am & 8:30-11:30 am shifts

**JOHN ADAMS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

**5651 Rayburn Ave** (off Beauregard, West of Seminary Rd)

*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*

**SATURDAY** at 8 am at **ALIVE!** trucks at  
First Christian Church, 2723 King St.

Contact Nick at [nick.slabinski@gmail.com](mailto:nick.slabinski@gmail.com) for details



**Blessed Sacrament Prayer Shawl  
Knitting & Crochet Ministry**

... **thank you to everyone** ~ In the past year we have crafted, prayed over & given 100+ items to individuals & charities in our parish, diocese & Northern Virginia!

Questions? Call Lana at 703-299-8389.

**MEETING: Thursday, JULY 11th, 7-8 pm, Parish Center**

**PROJECTS:** Now working on lap blankets, baby blankets & prayer shawls. We also have yarn if you need it. Drop-off your hand-made donations at the parish office any time. **Thanks!**



**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.**



**Have you thought at times that you would like to do a little more for God?**

Please come to our meeting to find out about how, with the help of the Holy Spirit, you can help Jesus and Mary!

**The Legion of Mary**

**Thursdays ~ 7:15 pm ~ Meeting Room**

(Parish Library)

Information? email: [LegionofMaryBlessedSacrament@gmail.com](mailto:LegionofMaryBlessedSacrament@gmail.com)



**MEN of the parish,  
you are welcome to join the  
Blessed Sacrament Men's Group.**

Our speakers are from the ordained and lay life, & talks include Faith & Science, Catholic Martyrs, & current Church topics.

**Saturday mornings ~ 7 - 8:30 am in Quinn Hall.**

Breakfast - open at 6:30 am.

Website: <https://blessedsacramentcc.org/groups/mens-group>  
Facebook: [https://facebook.com/Blessed-Sacrament-Mens-Group-219824565081413/?ref=br\\_rs](https://facebook.com/Blessed-Sacrament-Mens-Group-219824565081413/?ref=br_rs)

Questions? [timothygoobic@gmail.com](mailto:timothygoobic@gmail.com)

**Email us now to get the Summer 2019 Schedule!**

**SENIORS & RETIREES!**

**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** 9:30 am -12:30 pm

**BRIDGE** 12 - 3 pm

Contact: Stella Perry (703)751-8429

Or Ann Corro (703)370-3664



**KNIGHTS  
OF COLUMBUS**  
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

Have questions about our Knights of Columbus Council?

Email [gk11947@vakofo.org](mailto:gk11947@vakofo.org) or call the parish office, 703-998-6100, leave contact information & a Knight will return your call. For more information about the Knights of Columbus visit [KofC.org](http://KofC.org)

**Blessed Sacrament 39+ Singles**

Contact: Tom Palumbo - [tomtal1@verizon.net](mailto:tomtal1@verizon.net) 703-313-8388



**PRIME-TIME SINGLE CATHOLICS**

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](mailto:pava1319@gmail.com)

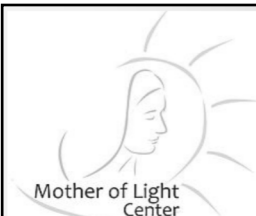
or John McBride 703-820-9196 or email: [jfmcbride\\_526@hotmail.com](mailto:jfmcbride_526@hotmail.com)



**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](mailto:trask.val@gmail.com)



**Flexible Volunteer Opportunities ~  
MOTHER OF LIGHT CENTER**

**Help Center ~ Del Ray-Alexandria**

For as little as 2 hours per month, you can help us at the Center with prayer, sorting & packaging food, clothing, comfort items & spiritual items. You can

also go out with trained volunteers to visit & reach out to the poor & homeless individuals as a link to the Center. We also arrange activities for holidays & fundraising events. Get in touch today!

[motheroflightcenter@gmail.com](mailto:motheroflightcenter@gmail.com)

**BAZAAR**

1st Annual **MOTHER of LIGHT CENTER**

**BAZAAR**

**Saturday ~ June 8th ~ 9 am - 3pm**

**Saint Anthony Catholic Church**

3305 Glen Carlyn Rd, Falls Church



Join us! Find great bargains on household goods, white elephants, vintage items, kids clothing, as well as & vendors selling great products! Gift Basket raffles & a '50/50' Split Raffle! Lots of great food, beverages & baked goods also available to power you up for more shopping!

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### Thinking of getting a new car?

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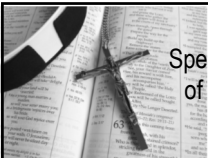
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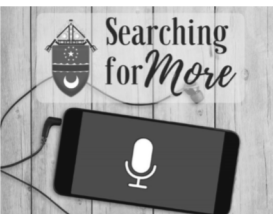
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