

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ July 31, 2022

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

1427 West Braddock Road ~ Alexandria, Virginia 22302



TAKE CARE
TO GUARD
AGAINST ALL
GREED.

LUKE 12:15

PARISH OFFICE: 703-998-6100

Hours: Mon. - Fri., 9:00 am - Noon, 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm,
7:00 - 9:00 pm; **Sunday**, 9:00 am - 12:30 pm

*The church BUILDING closes at 9:00 pm, Mon. - Fri.
& following 5:00 pm Masses on Sat. & Sun.*

PARISH WEB SITE:

www.blessedsacramentcc.org

PARISH E-MAIL: parish_office@bscva.org

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

INSTAGRAM: @blessed_sacrament_youth

DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON:

www.arlingtondiocese.org

SUNDAY MASSES: Church

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

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

**NURSERY: At ECC through main school entrance*

Sunday in Spanish: 2:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES: Church

Monday - Friday, 6:30 & 8:30 am

Saturday, 8:30 am only

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Chapel

Monday thru Friday, 7am - 8 am

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

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

ROSARY: Church, Monday - Saturday, 8:00 am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Chapel, Fridays, 9 am- 5 pm

PARISH CLERGY:

Rev. John D. Kelly, Pastor
 Rev. Mark Carrier, Parochial Vicar
 Rev. Peter St. George, Parochial Vicar
 Rev. Thomas Yehl, Y.A., Parochial Vicar

PARISH STAFF:

John McCrary, Director of Music/Coordinator of Liturgy
 Susan Doyle, Director of Religious Education
 Marie Niernberger, Bulletin Editor / Liturgical Environment

**YOUTH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD):** (September - May)**Grades Pre-K-8**

See the **FAITH FORMATION** page of the parish website for further information.

BAPTISM OF CHILDREN: Celebrations are held on one Saturday per month. 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.

CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA): Questions? Call parish office or email: sdoyle@bscva.org

PRAYERS AT MASS FOR THE SICK OR RECENTLY DECEASED: Call the parish office for mention at (2) Sunday Masses.

MASS CARDS: Available, in person, at the parish office during regular hours.

**BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL & EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER**

"To create an educated community to serve Christ and one another with integrity and respect."

Katherine Chelak, principal

1417 West Braddock Road, Alexandria, VA 22302

703-998-4170

www.bssva.org



www.FaithDirect.net ~ Our church code: **VA 12**.
 Your **ONLINE** gifts through **FaithDirect** will help
 our parish finances throughout the year.

Offertory Collection ~ Our Offertory Collection for **July 17th** was **\$14,584.00**.

This does **NOT** include **FaithDirect**. We also collected \$284.00 - **Poor Box**,
 \$664.00 - **Building Repairs Fund**, \$160.00 - **School Endowment Fund**, \$2,275.00 - **Mission
 Cooperative Appeal - Banica Mission**, and \$502.00 - **St. Lucy Project Food Drive**.



Blessed Sacrament School
PLAYGROUND FUND

You can help us reach our goal for our new, modern, sturdy, safe, and inclusive play-space and the accompanying landscaping! You can use the **QR code** found on the flyers in the Gathering Space or make a check payable to **Blessed Sacrament SCHOOL**, with **"Playground Fund"** VERY clearly marked on the memo line. **Thank you!**

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, JULY 31 - 18th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 am ~ **Mary Ann Fischer+** (Joe Fischer)
 9:00 am ~ **Mass for the People**
 11:00 am ~ **Pippa Isaja+** (Clelia & Benito Isaja)
 12:30 pm ~ **Jane Bruce+** (Sherry & Richard Chriss)
 2:00 pm ~ **Priest's Intention**
 5:00 pm ~ **Helen Ballantyne+** (Kevin Carroll)

MONDAY, AUGUST 1 - Saint Alphonsus Ligouri

6:30 am ~ **Pauline Zalewska+** (Zalewski Family)
 8:30 am ~ **Carmen De La Rama+** (Mary Lou Bradley)

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2 - Sts. Eusebius Vercelli; Peter Julian Eymard

6:30 am ~ **Robert Stavish+** (Jeanne Belmonte)
 8:30 am ~ **Angelina Caporaletti+** (Angie Giuseppe)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3 - Weekday

6:30 am ~ **Afra Fernandes+** (Family)
 8:30 am ~ **Fernando De La Rama+** (Mary Lou Bradley)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4 - Saint John Vianney

6:30 am ~ **Spec Int - McNeil Family** (Paolo Rosales)
 8:30 am ~ **Spec Int - Rev Mark Carrier** (Cheryl Speed)

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5 - Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major

6:30 am ~ **James Bracken+** (Chris & Cindy Hart)
 8:30 am ~ **William Malloy, Jr+** (Helen Malloy)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6 - THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

8:30 am ~ **Joe Braddock+** (Bertha Braddock)
 5:00 pm ~ **Laurie Zager+** (John & Ellen Farnham)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7 - 19th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 am ~ **Spec Int - Christine** (Lorraine)
 9:00 am ~ **Lucio Calungcagin+** (Marilyn Calungcagin)
 11:00 am ~ **Mass for the People**
 12:30 pm ~ **Spec Int - Rev Rowland Nwochoka** (Rosalie Gilroy)
 2:00 pm ~ **Priest's Intention**
 5:00 pm ~ **Sebastien Waruzi+** (Bukeni Waruzi)

Readings for the Week

Sunday, July 31, 18th Ordinary: Ecc 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

Monday: Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102; Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23; Mt 14:22-36

Wednesday: Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41; Mt 16:24-28

Saturday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36

Sunday, August 7, 19th Ordinary: Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or Heb 11:1-2, 8-12; Lk 12:32-48 or Lk 12:35-40



Saint Joseph, Pray for Us and Pray for Our Priests

Pray for the defense,
advocacy and protection of priests.

Let us pray each day
for a priest of the diocese
(listed in alphabetical order):

Sunday, 07/31 - Rev. Nicholas J. Schierer
Monday, 08/01 - Rev. William B. Schierer
Tuesday, 08/02 - Rev. Steven J. Schults
Wednesday, 08/03 - Rev. James R. Searby
Thursday, 08/04 - Rev. Eric L. Shafer
Friday, 08/05 - Rev. Scott Sina
Saturday, 08/06 - Rev. Charles C. Smith



FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Visit with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament on **Fridays**. Come to pray any time, but mid-day & afternoon visits are most needed. The **Daily Chapel** is open from **Exposition at 9:00 am** until **Benediction & Reposition at 5:00 pm**.

(Please let someone in the parish office know if there is no one else in the chapel and you have to leave.)

Please prayerfully consider scheduling an hour in prayer at Adoration on Fridays. We would like to maintain a list & schedule to assure that there is always someone at prayer with our Lord.

Please contact Jenny Grover ~ Email or Call: jdriver7@aol.com / (202)669-7214

CHILDREN'S HOLY HOUR Weekly ~ 2:00 - 3:00 pm **Parents are welcome to bring young children to adore our Lord.**

(Please know that the Chapel may be noisier than usual during this time.) Children's prayer ideas? Contact Susan Doyle in the parish office.

(Please call the parish office with additions & deletions)



MALCOLM ALLS
MIKE ANDERSON
DON ARNOLD
MARIA JUAREZ ASCENCIO
IAN BALLUTIS
MIKE BANSCHER
FR. MICHAEL J. BAZAN
J. COLLINS
CATHY CRAFT
ELIZABETH GECZEK
MICHAEL HART
FRANCES HOLLAND

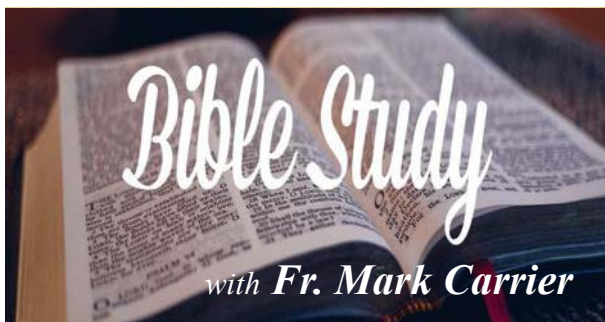
PATSY LAYER
FRANK McDERMOTT
JAMES McTAGUE
BRUCE MILLER
MARY MILLER
LAURA OGDEN
LYNN POOLE
NORMA RAFFAELE
KATHERINE SENIA
TIMOTHY TOBIN
MAUREEN WAHL
VINCE WHITMORE



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

(Please call the parish office to include or delete a name on this list.)

Ryan Barnett, Michael Bouffard, Jason Brooks, Macine Browning, Joseph R. Byrnes, Cady Byrnes, Tim Byrnes, Nicholas Cale, Adam Conlan, Robert Corso, Analee Cuellar, Nathalia Cuellar, Bradley Cundari, Matthew Cundari, Nuno Cunha, Richard Demarais, Dennis Donley, Maddy Dooley, George C. Fletcher, Nicholas Fletcher, Tommy Gadell, Victor Gaetan, Joshua Hindenburg, Faith Holman, David Jordan, Jonathan Jordan, Matthew Kitzerow, Steven Kitzerow, James Kunder, Allison Landsman, Christopher Love, Grace McCaffery, Mateo McGrath, Sam Mills, Timothy Mills, Lisa Mullaney, Hanna Porterfield, Gray Posey, Thomas Rands, Jamie Reynolds, Erik Rogers, Mary Severs, Ryan Stancik, Jared Steen, Travis A. Stoffer, Kyle Thomas, Josh Truman, Michael Voigt, Christopher Wallace, Abby Warden, Thomas Warring.



Join us ~

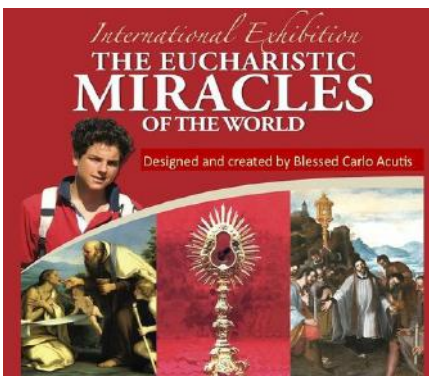
Throughout the summer, our Bible study will continue to exploring **The History of the Bible**. We will look at what the Bible is (and isn't), how the books were written and by whom, what it means that the books of the Bible are divinely inspired, how certain ancient books chosen for the canon of the Scriptures and why others were left out, and many other topics.

We will also learn how the books of the Bible were transmitted in written form: on papyrus scrolls, parchment manuscripts, and paper pages.

Tuesday evenings, 7:00 p.m. or Wednesday mornings, 9:15 a.m. ~ MEETING ROOM ~ Bring your Bibles!

(Drop-in: No registration necessary) Questions? email: mfcaime@cs.com

ALSO: Visit Fr. Carrier's blog ~ sanctiscriptores.blogspot.com



Eucharistic Miracles

Keep an eye out in the Gathering Space for the next several weeks for poster displays on extraordinary Eucharistic miracles. The posters are based on the internet presentation created by Blessed Carlo Acutis, who wished to promote devotion to the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist by spreading information about these miracles. May our devotion increase in learning about these incredible events!

FORMED
THE CATHOLIC FAITH.
ON DEMAND.

Take advantage of the rich resources of FORMED.ORG

You can enjoy all the offerings available without creating an account.

Formed is now accessible to every parishioner by simply using our custom URL: <https://blessedsacramentcc.formed.org> (code: nr1029)



Knights Council 11947 invites you to celebrate our
25th Anniversary with us!
Saturday, August 13th ... following the 5:00 p.m. Mass.
 Join us in **Quinn Hall** ...
We'll provide the BBQ...
 We ask that folks bring a favorite...
 (Last name A-L) **Side Dish** ~~~ (Last name M-Z) **Fruit or Dessert**
And... Please RSVP: (703) 998-6100



Online Seminar: Making the Case for Christ August 8th - 29th

To help Catholics develop objective & persuasive reasons for belief that are valuable for sharing with those who may doubt historical reality, divinity, or the resurrection of Jesus.

Course instructor, **Steven R. Hemler**, is president of the Catholics Apologetics Institute of North America (CAINA) and a published author.

Catholic Distance University partners with The Diocese of Arlington to provide reduced cost online continuing education courses to deepen your knowledge of the faith.

Learn more and enroll for just \$65 at <https://www.pathlms.com/cdu/courses/42287>
 Use access code: **CDU15ARLINGTON** when signing up to receive the reduced tuition.



Expectant moms (and dads): How can we help you?

We are forming a **Visitation Ministry** to serve mothers for the first 40 days after birth by bringing meals, running errands, babysitting older children, etc.

Contact Maureen Tovey at (734) 395-0862 or tovey.maureen@gmail.com

OR...are you someone who would like to serve in our **Visitation Ministry**? Contact us!



Catechists needed! Did you know that the Church's name for those who teach the Faith, "catechist," comes from a Greek word meaning "echo?"

Pope Francis instituted the work of catechists as a lay ministry this year.

Perhaps you are called to echo the Eternal Word in our religious education program.

For more information, contact **Susan Doyle** in the parish office or email: sdoyle@bscva.org

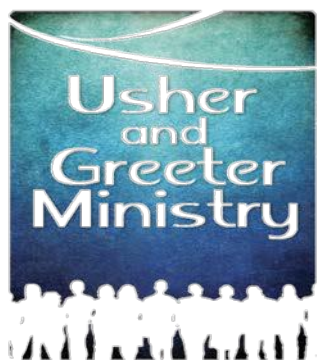
Assistants and Monitors also needed!

Heaven is endless...but summer is not!

Religious Education Registration for the coming year is open.

Please see the website to register!

www.blessedsacramentcc.org



Are you willing to serve?

We are seeking men & women (16 yrs+) to assist with usher & greeter duties at all our masses on a regular basis.

We will train you.

Please contact: Logan O'Shea

Lgnoshea@gmail.com | 937-409-0679

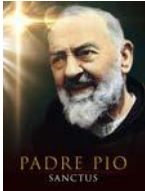


Blessed Sacrament Prayer Shawl Knitting & Crochet Ministry

MEETING: THURSDAY, AUGUST 4th ~ 7:00 pm ~ MEETING ROOM / PARISH LIBRARY (weather/storms permitting!)

We continue our work on lap blankets, baby blankets, prayer shawls, hats & scarves. Thanks to our anonymous crafters! We have yarn if you need it. Drop-off your hand-made donations at the parish office any time.

Questions? Call Lana at 703-299-8389 (or email Marie at mniernberger@bscva.org)



The SAINT PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP of Northern Virginia

Meets at 2:30 p.m. on the 4th Sunday of every month in the Daily Chapel.

Please call the Parish Office for more information. (703) 998-6100



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!** Greg Golubin 202-437-1274



Have you ever thought that you would like to do a little more for God?

You, with God's Holy Spirit, may help Jesus, Mary, and yourself with Spiritual Works of Mercy!

THE LEGION OF MARY

Meeting day & time: Wednesdays at 7:30 pm in the Meeting Room / Parish Library

Questions? Call or email the parish office with your contact information. (703) 998-6100 parish_office@bscva.org



Fun for Seniors

◆ **BRIDGE is BACK on TUESDAYS at the PARISH CENTER!** ~ 12 Noon to 3 pm

Contact Ann Corro for more information (703) 370-3664

◆ **SAINT MARTIN de PORRES SENIOR CENTER** ~ 4650 Taney Avenue, Alexandria 22304

All Alexandria residents, 60+ years old are welcome! Daily activities & lunch. Transportation will be provided, but you must RSVP ~ **Call 703-751-2766**

◆ **SENIOR SERVICES of ALEXANDRIA (SSA)** ~ Join "SSA Connection" to get a weekly email with the latest videos, information on activities & services, TED Talks, recipes & much, much more for Seniors in Alexandria! Email to: communications@seniorservicesalex.org

Blessed Sacrament 39+ Singles Contact: Tom Palumbo - tomtal1@verizon.net 703-313-8388

PRIME TIME SINGLE CATHOLICS (PTSC) serves diocesan single Catholics 40 and over.

Meet us for: Thursday lunches and Much more!

Details, visit: bit.ly/ptsc Questions or RSVP: Tom ptscnva@gmail.com.



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

E-membership in the Knights of Columbus for eligible Catholic men (age 18+) is available.

Visit <https://www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-the-knights.html> to learn more. Potential members also can send an email to gk11947@vakofc.org or call the Parish Office and leave a message. A Knight will return your call. **Vivat Jesus!**

MEN'S GROUP ~ All men of the parish are welcome!

Saturdays ~ 7:00 - 8:30 am ~ QUINN HALL

Questions? bsmensgroup@gmail.com

Join us whenever you can to grow in faith, fraternity & fellowship!





COMMISSIONED BY CHRIST

www.commissionedbychrist.org CBC is a ministry within the Catholic Diocese of Arlington that organizes LOCAL & OVERSEAS mission trips for families and adults.

VIRTUAL EVENTS NOW! Visit the website for info.

FARM GLEANING with the St. Lucy Food Project

Commissioned by Christ is joining Catholic Charities St. Lucy Food Project to glean crops at Parker Farms on the northern neck of Virginia through a series of **One Day Mission trips**. These are great family events and provide an opportunity to help feed the hungry. They are also a great service project for church groups, bible studies, book clubs and confirmation students. 2022 mission trips are scheduled for Sat., Aug. 13, Sat., Oct. 15, and Sat., Nov. 5. For more information or to sign up for any of the four mission trips visit: www.cbc-missions.org and click on **Local Service Project**. You may also contact the CBC Farm Gleaning Volunteer Coordinator, **Tom Pedagno**, at tcp167@verizon.net



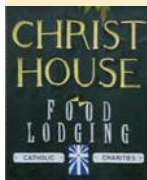
ALIVE!, Inc. NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS!

www.alive-inc.org

703-837-9300

Monetary donations are greatly needed & gratefully accepted. Please visit the website for more information on how to help.

Interested in **volunteering**? Contact Liz Feiler at lfeiler@alive-inc.org



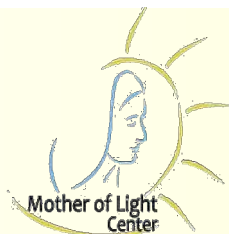
CHRIST HOUSE ~ 131 S. West Street, Old Town

You can help serve the vulnerable from this Alexandria-based facility.

Contact: Sister Annie Juan - aniliza.juan@ccda.net

Blessed Sacrament parish provides dinner casseroles & serving help (Covid-Safe!) to **Christ House Alexandria** on the first Wednesday of every month! Volunteer casserole preparers &/or helpers are needed—discover the best way you can help.

Families, & teens needing service hours are especially welcome! Contact: Mary Kilkeny 571-296-6969 mary.kilkenny@yahoo.com



Mother of Light Center

www.motheroflightcenter.com

421 Clifford Ave., Alexandria, Monday-Saturday, 10 am-2 pm. (703) 850-6701

Volunteers greatly accepted!

Email: motheroflightcenter@gmail.com



The CARPENTER'S SHELTER BAG LUNCH PROGRAM ~ We need lunches!

Next Distribution: Sunday, AUGUST 14th

Individuals & families are invited to make & donate bag lunches for distribution on the 2nd Sunday of each month to the residents of **The Carpenter's Shelter** in Alexandria. We need a dedicated, monthly crew to insure we have enough to supply the clients lunches for the following week. Items are dropped off on the 2nd Sunday by 10 am to a cart outside Quinn Hall. Each bagged lunch 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.

Please call to sign up or with questions - Lana at 703-299-8389 Thank you!



Want to know some of the best ways to help in Ukraine?

Direct giving through these organization(s) will provide much needed assistance.

*CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES ~ <https://www.crs.org>

*CARITAS INTERNATIONAL ~ <https://www.caritas.org>

*CATHOLIC NEWS SERVICE ~ <https://www.catholicnews.com/update-where-to-give-to-help-ukraine/>



How You Can Help Recently Arrived Afghan SIV Holders

As events in Afghanistan continue to unfold, Catholic Charities Migration and Refugee Services welcomes Afghan SIV holders (*individuals who assisted US operations in Afghanistan*) to Northern Virginia. If you are interested in assisting, please email: lourdes.iglesias@ccda.net or visit:

www.ccda.net/give-help/donate-goods-and-transportation/help-immigrants-and-refugees/



Our Fruitful Love

NEW Resource for Couples struggling with Infertility. The Diocese of Arlington, through the Office of Marriage, Family and Respect Life, has developed a website called Our Fruitful Love to better accompany those suffering infertility and infant loss. To learn more about on-line resources and mentors, or if you would like to share your story, visit www.ourfruitfullove.com

Find Heaven in Your Home

Did you know that putting your Catholic faith at the heart of family life makes everything else you're worried about come together?

So don't wait any longer! Check out Trinity House Community's free workshop, letters, & other tools for living out your Catholic faith in a well-run & joyful home! Co-Directors Soren & Ever Johnson invite you to learn more by visiting trinityhousecommunity.org.



Victim Assistance Program for Those Sexually Abused as a Minor ~ The Catholic Diocese of Arlington provides comprehensive assistance to anyone who as a minor was sexually abused by a priest, deacon, teacher, employee or representative of the diocese. Parents, guardians, children and survivors of sexual abuse are invited and encouraged to contact the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator, who will provide support, consultation, referrals. The Catholic Diocese of Arlington is committed to assisting victims/survivors throughout the healing process.

For further information, call (703) 841-2530 Or visit: www.arlingtondiocese.org/Child-Protection/

2 BUSY 2 PRAY?

Try 2 minutes 2 virtue ~ Sign up NOW! www.arlingtondiocese.org/2minutes2virtue



Sign Up For the Diocesan E-Newsletter!

Receive special video messages from our bishop, learn about unique opportunities to get involved, and be the first to know the news about our Diocese - straight to your inbox. Sign up at: arlingtondiocese.org/email



Gifts for Seminarian Education Endowment Fund (SEEF)

Please support our seminarians and SEEF, a permanent endowment fund established in 2011. SEEF's income provides funding for annual seminarian expenses such as room, board, tuition, health insurance and books, which total almost \$45,000 per seminarian. Please give generously!

To donate, make checks payable to: "Foundation for the CDA - SEEF." Mail to: The Foundation, 200 N. Glebe Road, Suite 811, Arlington, VA 22203. Contact John French at john.french@arlingtondiocese.org or (703) 841-3819 with questions.



Weekly Diocesan TV Mass

10:30 & 11:00 am Sundays on Channel 50 (WDCW)

Other Masses on Cable & Satellite stations:

6:30 am on UPTV (Passionist Fathers)

& 8:00 am, Noon & 7:00 pm on EWTN

Listen to **CATHOLIC RADIO** **WMET 1160 AM**

and via the (free) Ave Maria Radio APP!

Visit: ww.grnonline.com





RESPECT LIFE

Helpful Resources: www.arlingtondiocese.org
www.usccb.org (~search~) "religious liberty"
www.vacatholic.org (Virginia Catholic Conference)
#WhyWeMarch **MarchForLife.org**

40 DAYS FOR LIFE ~ 40DaysForLife.com www.PrayForLife.org

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: Share the good news of God's merciful love post abortion. *Project Rachel* can make a confidential referral to a priest and/or counselor: (888) 456-HOPE (4673) or www.helpafterabortion.org

'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. For inquiries, contact Amy McNerny at (703) 841-3817 or respectlife@arlingtondiocese.org

ROSARY for LIFE

Every Saturday ~ around 9-9:15 am ~ women's clinic at 2839 Duke St (near Bishop Ireton H.S.)
 ~ Our "turn" to lead is 2nd Saturday of the month.

PRAISE and WORSHIP HOLY HOUR

Join us for prayer, praise and worship on the **2nd Tuesday of each month**, at St. Leo the Great Catholic Church in Fairfax from 7:30-8:30 p.m. Prayer along with music. Special intention will be for the conversion & healing in families. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available. All are welcome. Watch livestream at: arlingtondiocese.org/healingandconversion

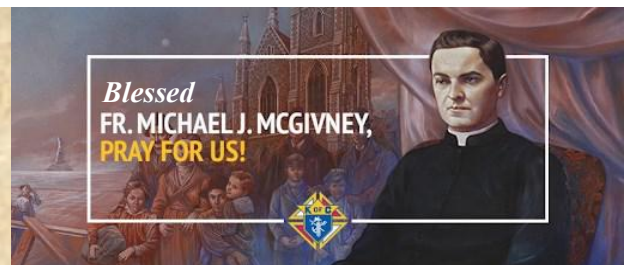
FREE Ultrasound Exam COUPON

Pregnant (or think you might be) and considering abortion? Please call or text 703-946-3077 to schedule your free ultrasound today with **ABC Women's Health and Ultrasound Center**. If you need a ride we can help with transportation. *Se habla espanol*. Visit abcwomenshealth.com. This coupon is valid for one free ultrasound. Limit one per client.

Join the Father McGivney Guild

Fr. Michael J. McGivney, founder of the Knights of Columbus was beatified in October 2020. The Knights of Columbus invite all Catholics and followers of Christ to join the **Fr. McGivney Guild**. The Guild prays and assists advocates in furthering the Vatican path to sainthood. Free membership includes a quarterly newsletter containing uplifting spiritual stories and updates on efforts to raise Fr. McGivney to full sainthood. Pick up a hard copy brochure outside the parish office or **Visit:** <https://fathermcgivney.org>

Father McGivney, protector of the poor and widowed, Pray for us.



PARISH MEMBERSHIP & REGISTRATION:

It is important that you are *registered* in our parish so that we may respond appropriately to your various needs.

All parishes within the Diocese of Arlington have set, geographical boundaries. These boundaries are used to calculate an accurate census of the faithful in our diocese, to establish the most equitable eligibility for school enrollment, and to assure that our clergy are able to respond to your pastoral needs in a timely manner.

Registration is also necessary for you to receive offertory envelopes and for certifications of eligibility. For example, to be **married in the church**, to be a **godparent**, or to be a **sponsor for confirmation**. You must also be registered if you require a reference, or wish to enroll in our school or in our CCD program. *Registration Forms are available at the Parish Office, or on the parish website.*

Adult children over 21 years old should register on their own if they still reside within our boundaries.

Please also notify the parish office of family status changes or if you move.

ARLINGTON PODIATRY CENTER
 Medical & Surgical Care of the Foot
DR. EDWARD POZARNY
 Board Certified in Foot & Ankle Surgery
703.820.1472

611 S. Carlin Springs Rd.
 Suite 512
 Adjacent to VA Hospital
 Urgent Care

www.ArlingtonPodiatryCenter.com

The Laughter of a Child is the Light of the Home
Saint Anthony's Day School
All Day Education and Quality Childcare
703-836-9123
 321 First Street, Alexandria, VA 22314
 Accredited by the NAEYC • Infants to 5 Years Old

M.E. FLOW, Inc.
 Heating • Cooling • Plumbing
 Since 1951
SCAN FOR SPECIAL OFFERS
WE ARE HIRING
Call or Text Us! 703-493-1708

New Patients Welcome
RenovaSmiles
 FAMILY & COSMETIC DENTISTRY
 Skyline Plaza - N. Professional Bldg.
 3701 S. George Mason Dr.
 Suite C7N
 Falls Church, VA 22041
Contact us now!
info@renovasmiles.com
(703) 998-8826 www.RenovaSmiles.com

New Patient Special \$99
 Exam + Xrays + Cleaning + ZOOM Home Whitening Kit

MAIN SEWER & WATER LINE
 Repairs & Replacements
 WE DO IT ALL
 Old • New • Repair • Replace
ALL PLUMBING, INC.
 PARTS & SERVICE
 703-525-7973
www.allplumbing.com
service@allplumbing.com
 Trenchless & Hydro Jetting
 Technology Available
703-525-7973

St. Anne's
 Retirement Community
 A Catholic-Centered Community...
 Sponsored by the Adorers of the Blood of Christ

St. Anne's Retirement Community is a CCRC (Continuing Care Retirement Community) located in West Hempfield Township (Lancaster County), PA!

We offer:

- Resident Priest • Daily Mass
- Weekly Confession
- Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet
- Weekly Spiritual Programs

Located close to major cities by train or car:

- Philadelphia, PA 85 Miles
- Baltimore, MD 68 Miles
- Washington, D.C. 109 Miles
- New York City, NY 169 Miles

717.285.6197 • www.StAnnesRC.org
 3952 Columbia Ave., West Hempfield Twp., PA 17512

HUNTINGTON
 BETTER GRADES
 CENTER
TUTORING PROGRAMS
 K-12
 IN-CENTER AND ONLINE
 TUTORING
Huntington
 LEARNING CENTER
 ACT • SAT • PSAT • NMSQT
703-541-2211

Mallory's Army
 Foundation
 United Together In The Fight
 Against Bullying...
 Don't Just Teach Kindness...
BE KINDNESS!
www.MallorysArmy.com
 (973) 440-8657
info@mallorysarmy.org
 It's easy to join our mailing list! Just send
 your email address by text message:
 Text MALLORYSARMY to
 22828 to get started.
 Message and data rates may apply.

"Serving Your Community Since 1980"
R&B Inc.
 Heating and Air Conditioning
 Air Conditioning • Heating
 Geothermal • Maintenance Contracts
 Parts • Water Heaters
 UNICO • Duct Systems
 1710 Mount Vernon Avenue • Alexandria, VA 22301
www.rbincorporated.com | 703-683-1996

Welcome
 to Our Church!

American Red Cross
 Make a Difference in Your Community
VOLUNTEER
 with the American Red Cross
 Join today at redcross.org/Volunteer

catholicmatch®
 Virginia
CatholicMatch.com/dateVA

WOODBINE
 Rehabilitation & Healthcare Center
ALEXANDRIA'S
 CHOICE FOR
REHABILITATION
 Subacute Rehab | Ventilator & Respiratory Rehab
 Dementia Care | Long Term Care
 2729 King Street
 Alexandria, VA 22302
 P. (703) 836-8838
www.WoodbineRehab.com
 A PROUD MEMBER OF MARQUIS HEALTH SERVICES

St. Joseph's Roofing, Inc.
703-716-7663 Roofing • Windows • Gutters • Siding www.SJRoof.com



In "Del Ray"

FREE ESTIMATES

Hardwood, Install & Refinish
Carpet • Tile • LVT
Area Rugs & Runners

703-548-4848

www.ArlandriaFloors.com

1606 Mount Vernon Ave.
Alexandria, VA 22301

BRETT RICE

703-929-3040



RE/MAX
Executives In "Del Ray"

www.HomesCafe.com

2704 Jefferson Davis Hwy.
Alexandria, VA 22301

WOODLAWN TREE SERVICE



Owned & Operated
by Jim Nelson
Professional Arborist

703-780-8040

www.woodlawntree.com

Pruning • Dead Wooding
Shrubbery Care • Shaping Crown
Reduction • Trimming • Firewood
Tree & Stump Removals
Serving NOVA since 1977

**Spring Special
Discount 15%**
(Exp. 6/30/21)

Rosemont
LANDSCAPING & LAWN CARE

Residential • Commercial
Landscape Design & Installation
Hardscaping • Fencing • Irrigation
Offering Full Maintenance Contracts
571-215-1275
www.Rosemontlfc.com

Family Owned and Operated
Serving Northern Virginia for Over 20 Years!



Electric Drain & Sewer Service
Water Heaters
General Repairs
Garbage Disposals
All Work Guaranteed

**KRAMER
& SONS**
PLUMBING • HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING

\$10 OFF w/ad

(does not apply to dispatch fee)

703-360-6400

www.KramerAndSonsPlumbing.com



Success Grows Here

Houseplants • Succulents
Seasonal Plants • Birding
Firewood • Sand & Stone
Gifts & Decor • Events
Landscaping • Plus More!

1721 W Braddock Road
Alexandria

5905 Richmond Highway
Alexandria

www.GreenstreetGardens.com

703-998-3030

Do you have a favorite
bulletin sponsor or
sponsors?

Flash Deal!

Did you know your
favorite sponsor could
add a flash deal at any time to be
found only on the *Finding FABER* app?



Be sure to FOLLOW your favorite businesses
& never miss a flash deal again!



Our
advertisers
make us
look good!

*thank
you*

Thank an advertiser!

Let them know you saw their ad
in the weekly church bulletin!

ROOFING
GUTTERS & SIDING

FREE
HAIL & WIND DAMAGE
INSPECTIONS • WILL WORK
WITH YOUR INSURANCE

MidAtlantic
CONTRACTING INC.

Family Owned & Operated
Financing Available

703-492-HOME (4663)

or **571-408-4349**

www.MAContracting.com

\$250 OFF
any complete roof
installed

of \$5,000 or more.
Mid Atlantic Contracting Inc.
703-492-HOME(4663) • 571-408-4349
With this coupon. Not valid with any
other offer or previous installations.

\$50 OFF
any roofing repair
of \$500 or more.

Mid Atlantic Contracting Inc.
703-492-HOME(4663) • 571-408-4349
With this coupon. Not valid with any
other offer or previous installations.



Fairfax
MEMORIAL PARK

9900 Braddock Road • Fairfax
www.fmpark.com

Fairfax
MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME
& CREMATORY

9902 Braddock Road • Fairfax
www.fmfh.com

Family Focused
Since 1957

Contact Us For All
Your Cemetery
and Funeral Needs

703-323-5202





CUNNINGHAM TURCH
A Life Celebration FUNERAL HOME

811 Cameron St.
Alexandria, VA 22314
(703) 549-1800
Michael Turch, Owner/General Mgr.
- Family Owned -
www.cunninghamfuneralhome.net






Jayne Delaney, DDS
Rory Smith, DDS
PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY

50 S. Pickett St., #120, Alexandria
703-370-5437 | www.baby2th.com



MERINO'S MAIDS, LLC
House Cleaning • Maid Service

The Best Cleaning Choice!
Excellent References
25 Continuous Years of Experience
Weekly • Bi-Weekly • Monthly
Moving IN-OUT Cleaning Specialist
Lowest Prices in Town
703-867-2145 sandramerino2145@gmail.com





The Irish Plumber, inc.
Family Owned & Operated
703.924.3100
Parishioners receive
\$25 off any service
call with this ad
www.TheIrishPlumber.com

"Gs-42 Green Certified"



EBM
Executive Building
Maintenance, Inc.
COMMERCIAL
JANITORIAL SVCS.
301-657-4211



Podiatrist in Motion
House-Call Podiatry Service
GREG CARDINAL, DPM

INGROWN TOENAIL? Ouch! Call me today, relief is on the way!
HEEL PAIN? FUNGAL OR THICK TOENAILS?
NEED ORTHOTICS? Stay home, the Doctor comes to you!



703-879-5155 www.podiatristinmotion.com

OVER 125 YEARS OF SERVICE



Thomas J.
FANNON
& Sons
Heating
Air Conditioning
Water Heaters
703-549-5700
1200 Duke St., Alexandria
www.TJFannon.com



LOGAN'S
SAUSAGE COMPANY
DC's Finest Sausage
703-212-6677
4300 Wheeler Ave.
Alexandria



Anne Welsh Salon
703-683-2400
2100 Mt. Vernon Ave.
Alexandria

Neighbors Caring for Neighbors



EVERLY-WHEATLEY
Funeral Home & Crematory

1500 West Braddock Road • Alexandria, VA 22302
(703) 998-9200
www.EverlyWheatley.com
Serving the needs and traditions of Catholic families since 1849



SUMMIT ROOFING Diocese Member
CONTRACTORS INC. for 40 Years
Northern Virginia Roofing Specialists • Free Estimates • Family Owned & Operated
ROOFING • GUTTERS • SIDING
info@summitroofing.com **703.368.7483**
Visit our website for information: www.summitroofing.com



Family Owned -
Jefferson
Funeral Chapel

Devoted to the Needs of the Families We Serve

5755 Castlewellan Drive
Alexandria, VA 22315
(703) 971-7400
www.JeffersonFuneralChapel.com
Pre-Planning, Out of Town & International Burials



ROSSI
PEST SERVICES
GENERAL PEST CONTROL
TERMITE INSPECTIONS
Family Owned & Operated
571-214-7874



Caffi SERVICES, INC
PLUMBING HEATING HVAC REMODELING

1313 POWHATAN STREET
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314-1342
(703) 836-6775
www.caffiservices.com
service@caffiservices.com
Serving the DC Metropolitan area since 1967



More Than Just A Smile
Donald F. Larson, D.M.D.
LARSON
ORTHODONTICS **703-838-8998**
814 N. St. Asaph St. 2Fl | Alexandria



RETHINK
REBUILD
REJOICE
community can overcome anything

NON-PROFITS BUSINESS INDIVIDUALS



Renner
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS
Accounting
Audit | Tax
Advisory Services

John J. Renner, II CPA, CFF, CGMA, President
703.535.1200
www.RennerCPA.com
700 North Fairfax St., Ste. 400
Alexandria

GET YOUR FINANCIAL LIFE SQUARED AWAY

GARY SJURSET, FINANCIAL ADVISOR
gasjurset@firstcommand.com
703.658.2943



©2021 First Command Financial Services, Inc. is the parent company of First Command Brokerage Services, Inc. (Member SIPC, FINRA).

FREE DOWNLOAD!



Finding FABER