



In Our Parish

FOOD AND CLOTHING DRIVE, WEEKEND OF JUNE 5TH AND 6TH: The last Food and Clothing Drive until October will take place this weekend. We will be accepting non-perishable food and Summer Clothing only this month. No household items!!! Merchandise Certificates are always gratefully accepted in lieu of food. Please place in the basket in Lewis Hall. Thank you for your continued support.

REMINDER: SUNDAY MASS IS NOW ON THE SUMMER SCHEDULE : 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 AM. Coffee and donuts will resume in the Fall.



THE FATHER'S DAY NOVENA IS STARTING SOON! If you would like to remember your Father, Godfather, Grandfather, Stepfather or other Fathers who are dear to you in the Novena of Masses beginning on Father's Day, please put the names on the novena intention envelopes available at the rear of the Church.

(You can put multiple Fathers' names on the back of the envelope.) Then return the envelopes to the rectory – you can put it in the collection, in the Poor Box or the Rectory mail slot. The names will be placed on the altar for the duration of the novena. Cards are also available for you to send to your Father notifying him that he is being remembered.

Children's Liturgy Of The Word: Adult volunteers are needed to help with the Children's Liturgy of the Word during the 9:00 AM Mass on Sunday mornings during the school year. If you are interested, please contact Margaret Farrell at mymomtris@hotmail.com. You will be asked to complete all Archdiocesan Child Protection Requirements.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Virginia Burch; John DeConcini; Michael Gouzoulis; Msgr. Hill; Anthony Paige; Bill Quinlan

RCIA 2010 – 2011: Want to learn more about your faith? Thinking about becoming a Catholic? This is the group for you. Weekly meetings begin in the fall. Interested? Call Jeanmarie at 301-942-8790. Faithful Catholics are also needed to serve as companions on the journey for our RCIA inquirers.

Catholic Book Group: We're taking the summer off, but we're reading *The Seven Storey Mountain*, the 1948 autobiography of Trappist monk, Thomas Merton, for our next meeting. We'll meet on Tuesday, September 7th to discuss this classic work. Why not read it this summer and join us then? All adults are welcome.

In Our Schools

THANK YOU! The School of Religion has completed another year. We wish to say "Thank you" to these volunteer faculty members who will be returning next year: Mr. George Tamerlani, Mr. Mike Mulcahy, Miss Theresa Lopez, Mrs. Elizabeth Troy, Mrs. Carol Hogan, Miss Maureen Tobin, Mrs. Margaret Norris, and Mrs. Michelle Raynes, as well as to our teen-aged classroom aides: Kelsey Hickey, Clare Hogan, Shannon Keating, and Genni Moore. We thank and wish Godspeed to our two departing faculty members: Mrs. Jeanne-Marie McElhaney and Dr. Jamie Spiering, who will begin teaching philosophy at Benedictine College in Kansas in the fall.

SOR 2010 – 2011: Does your child attend public school? Should he or she be in our School of Religion? The SOR offers religious education and sacramental preparation for students in **Kindergarten through grade 8** from September through May on Sunday mornings in the school. **Students entering grade 7 in the fall** who hope to be confirmed in the 8th grade, as well as **students entering grade 1 in the fall** who hope to receive First Holy Communion in the second grade, should already be enrolled for the 2010-2011 school year. SOR registration materials will be sent out in late August. To add your child's name to the enrollment list for next year's SOR, leave your contact information with Jeanmarie Keeney at keeney@hcrosschurch.org or 301-942-8790.

IS YOUR LITTLE ONE FIDGETY AT MASS? Mine is! Check out a subscription to MagnifiKid! "MagnifiKid! is for children between the ages of six and twelve. Subscribers receive the issues on a monthly basis. In each month's packet, children will find a booklet of sixteen color pages for each Sunday, and also special issues for all major feast days (Christmas, Ash Wednesday, Holy Week, Ascension, Assumption, All Saints Day)." <http://www.magnificat.net/magnifikid/index.asp>

In Our Archdiocese

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: Introductory class on the Billings Ovulation Method of Natural Family Planning will be offered on **Tuesday, June 8** at 8 PM at the Natural Family Planning Center, 8514 Bradmoor Drive, Bethesda, MD. Reservations are required. Phone 301-897-9323. Instruction is free, but a one-time donation of \$25 for materials and follow-up is requested, if possible.

CHRIST IN THE CITY – TRUE PEACE. TRUE PRESENCE. On June 10 at 7:00 PM, join young adults from across the Archdiocese of Washington for an evening of praise and worship, spiritual reflection, quiet adoration, confession, Benediction and for a special reception afterward at St. Patrick's! St. Patrick (619 Tenth St. NW) is accessible via Metro Center Metro Station. Free parking is available at the parking garage on Tenth St. between G and H. Bring your ticket to the sacristy for validation. For more information, email yam@adw.org.

2010 Quo Vadis Days – Camp for High School Young Men: Where are you going? What are you doing with your life? Come join other high school young men at the 2nd Annual Quo Vadis Camp, from July 18-21. Father Rob Walsh, assistant director of priest vocations, will lead the retreat at the Msgr. O'Dwyer Retreat Center in Sparks, Maryland. This four-day camp includes prayer, talks, sports and much more. For more information, visit www.dcvocations.org or contact Fr. Walsh at 301-853-4580. Cost: \$100, scholarships available.

ANNUAL ARCHDIOCESAN SOCIAL MINISTRY CONFERENCE: The annual Archdiocesan Social Ministry Conference will be held on Saturday, June 12, at Trinity Washington University – O'Connor Auditorium (125 Michigan Ave., NE), from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM, featuring keynote address, discussion and workshops. Grow in your ability to implement the Church's social teaching through works of charity and justice. For more information and online registration, visit www.adw.org/service/conference.asp, or contact Kena González at 301-853-5337.

<u>WEEKLY SCHEDULE</u>	
6 SUNDAY	Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
7 MONDAY	7:00 PM -- 8:30 PM: St. John Bible Study (<i>School Library</i>)
8 TUESDAY	9:00 AM -- 11:00 PM: Eucharistic Adoration (<i>Quinn Hall</i>)
9 WEDNESDAY	St. Ephrem 9:00 AM -- 11:00 PM: Eucharistic Adoration (<i>Quinn Hall</i>)
10 THURSDAY	9:00 AM -- 11:00 PM: Eucharistic Adoration (<i>Quinn Hall</i>)
11 FRIDAY	Sacred Heart of Jesus
12 SATURDAY	Immaculate Heart of Mary 9:00 AM: Confessions
13 SUNDAY	<i>11th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>

Finding a Mass When Traveling: Traveling soon? Don't miss Mass! Visit www.masstimes.org to search for Mass schedules around the world.

<u>MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK</u>			
<u>Monday, June 7, 2010</u>			
6:45 AM	Genevieve Ann Deikel	8:30 AM	Rose Halpin (Living)
<u>Tuesday, June 8, 2010</u>			
6:45 AM	<i>Intention Available</i>	8:30 AM	Frances Ruppert
<u>Wednesday, June 9, 2010</u>			
6:45 AM	<i>Intention Available</i>	8:30 AM	Margaret Mulvey
<u>Thursday, June 10, 2010</u>			
6:45 AM	John Finn	8:30 AM	Cecilia Lima & Helio Souza (Living)
<u>Friday, June 11, 2010</u>			
6:45 AM	Henry Kleinhenz	8:30 AM	<i>Intention Available</i>
<u>Saturday, June 12, 2010</u>			
8:30 AM	<i>Intention Available</i>		
5:00 PM	Nick DeRita		Fr. Yaga
<u>Sunday, June 13, 2010</u>			
7:30 AM	Mario Z. Zelaya-Quesada (Living)		Fr. Yaga
9:30 AM	People of Holy Cross		Fr. Perkins
11:30 AM	Marianne Joly		Msgr. Hill

COLLECTIONS:	
Offertory 5th Sunday of May 2010	\$6,416.44
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POOR BOX Respect for Life Committee	\$ 139.76
6/6 Social Concerns Committee;	
6/13 Anchor Mental Health Association	

Where you see "*Intention Available*" in the "MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK" section, those Masses are available as of this writing. Many are available in upcoming weeks. Simply call the rectory at 301-942-1020 x10 or speak to one of the priests.

Schedule for Extraordinary Ministers of Communion to serve 2nd Weekend of 6/13/10	
5:00 PM	John DePalma and/or Jan St John
7:30 AM	Mario Zelaya; Myrna Zelaya
9:30 AM	Paul Whelan, Ellen or Rob Kennedy, William Hamant
11:30 AM	Brian Madigan; Elizabeth Reilly

Congratulations!

The time has come when we wish our 8th graders farewell. With graduation Friday evening, our 8th graders marked the end of one educational journey and prepare for their next – high school.

We wish the Class of 2010 the best of luck in their endeavors and pray that God will watch over them as they begin this new journey.

Kevin Anthony Connell
Russell Frank Corio
Thomas Blayney Del Priore
Mariah Joy Edelin
Cierra Lynn Harris
Claire Marie Kelly
Shannon Clare Kennedy
David Joslin Francis Killian
Rachael Nicole Kirkpatrick
Kouassi Prince William Kpetemey
Benedetta Marra
Kristen J. M. Redd
Willem C. Roud
Michelle A. Shipley
Caitlin M. Stavish
Thomas Tran
Gabrielle Elena Walton
Joslynn Abrielle Watkins
Cassidy Irene Williams