

**Fourth Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

**29 January
2017**



Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church
FREDERICKSBURG, VIRGINIA

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Roman Catholic Church

HOLY CROSS ACADEMY

january

29 SUNDAY, FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Catholic Schools Week begins (January 29 - February 4)
Coffee Shop after morning Masses sponsored by Troop 1410
3pm, Quincenera Meeting, Parish Life Center

30 Monday, Weekday

31 Tuesday, Saint John Bosco, Priest

7pm, Teams of Our Lady Informational Meeting, Courtyard Meeting Room

february

01 Wednesday, Weekday

9:45-11:45am, "Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John", Courtyard Meeting Room

02 Thursday, The Presentation of the Lord

9:30am, Craft Group, Parish Life Center, Room 100
9:45-11:45am, "Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John", Courtyard Meeting Room
7pm, Baptism Class, Parish Life Center Room 204
7:15pm, Walking With Purpose Women's Bible Study, Parish Life Center

03 Friday, Weekday (Saint Blaise, Bishop & Martyr; Saint Ansgar, Bishop)

8am, Donuts with Dad, St. Mary Preschool
8pm, First Friday Mass, Followed by All Night Adoration

04 Saturday, Weekday

2pm, Spanish Baptism Class, Parish Life Center Room 204

05 SUNDAY, FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Coffee Shop after morning Masses sponsored by the Preschool

06 Monday, Saint Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs

07 Tuesday, Weekday

08 Wednesday, Weekday (Saint Jerome Emiliani; Saint Josephine Bakkita, Virgin)

9:45-11:45am, "Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John", Courtyard Meeting Room

09 Thursday, Weekday

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No Walking With Purpose Women's Bible Study Class

10 Friday, Saint Scholastica, Virgin

11 Saturday, Weekday (Our Lady of Lourdes)

nota bene (*note well, please*):

- ✂ It's time for **each and every** registered family to consider how they plan to support the work of the Catholic Church in the annual **Bishop's Lenten Appeal**: If we reflect on the mission that Jesus has given us, and the words of Pope Francis, the Church is uniquely placed by God to be his agent of mercy and change, to heal our world. Prayerfully think of how **you** will respond to this call. **Commitment Sunday will be February 25-26 at all Masses**. Your generosity is what makes our Church's response possible. **"Offering hands to serve and hearts to love"**
- ✂ Complete some of your holiday shopping by purchasing **SCRIP gift cards!** Set up an account today and earn rebates for HCA. Email **Torie Baldwin** at scripcoordinator@holycrossweb.com for the school enrollment code.
- ✂ **Subscribe to the Saint Mary website, stmaryfred.org** and receive important updates via email. The subscription box is on the homepage. Enter your email address, click **"subscribe."**
- ✂ **Saint Mary Calendars** are now available in both English and Spanish in the vestibule of the church. Please, one per family.

1009 Stafford Ave., Fredericksburg, VA 22401

SUNDAY MASS	Saturday Vigil 5 & 7pm Sunday 7, 8:30, 10:30am, 12:30, 2pm (Spanish), 5pm, 7:01pm 10:30am at Holy Cross Academy
DAILY MASS	Mon.-Fri.: 6:30am, 9am, Noon (M,W,F) Sat., 9am First Friday 8pm Holy Days of Obligation, as announced
DEVOTIONS	Adoration & Benediction, Wed., 7-9pm Novena with Exposition, Mon., 7-7:30pm All Night Adoration, First Friday Miraculous Medal Novena, Mon., after 9am Mass Divine Mercy, Wed., 3pm
CONFESSION	Wed., 7-9pm; Sat., 8am & 3:30pm, or by appt.
PARISH OFFICE	540-373-6491, fax 371-0251 stmary@stmaryfred.org Mon.-Fri., 8:30am - 4:30pm; <i>students staff office weekdays until 9pm, Saturdays 9-5pm, Sundays 9:30-1:30pm</i> Pastor, Fr. John Mosimann Fr. Keith Cummings Fr. Stephen Holmes Fr. Colin Davis Deacon Alberto Bernalola Deacon Dick Delio Jim Florio, Operations & Facilities Manager Business Manager, Elaine Stanislawski Director of Sacred Music, David Mathers Parish Secretary, Tatiana Beltran
HOLY CROSS ACADEMY	540-286-1600 250 Stafford Lakes Parkway Fredericksburg, Virginia 22406-7234 Principal, Sr. Susan Louise Eder, O.S.F.S.
ST. MARY PRESCHOOL	373-7553 Director, Nanci Scharf
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE	373-6491 Director, Aristides Lucas Associate Director, Karen Sturtevant
YOUTH MINISTRY	373-6491 Director, Leo Chavarria
HEALTH MINISTRY	845-3031 Lois Sullivan, RN, FCN
BAPTISMS	Parish registration (90 days) and class required. Please contact the parish office to schedule the date at least four weeks in advance.
MARRIAGE	Parish registration required; contact parish six months in advance to begin preparation.
JOIN US	New Family Registration meetings held in the church on fourth Sundays, following the 10:30 Mass. Please notify us of any contact changes.

Articles must be submitted two weeks prior to publication.
Send articles to bulletin@stmaryfred.org. Thanks!

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HOLY CROSS ACADEMY

Dear Folks,

Last week we were privileged to host our new Bishop for a meeting with priests of the deanery, dinner, Mass and a reception for those who wanted to meet and greet. (What is a deanery? Explained below). I was very much impressed by his joy and genuine desire to listen to his priests and the people of God. The bulletin this week has a number of pictures from the events!

And just for the curious: What is a dean and a deanery? The diocese of Arlington is divided into seven deaneries. This is done so that a Dean can be appointed to better promote pastoral care of each subsection of the diocese. Our deanery runs from Stafford down to Kilmarnock and comprises 7 parishes plus mission churches. St. Mary is the largest parish in the deanery by a wide margin. Fr. DeRosa (pastor of Our St. Anthony in Colonial Beach) is our Dean.

What does this mean? Well the Deans are often consulted by the Bishop on matters of clergy assignments/building projects... etc. I assure you that Fr. DeRosa has been another voice for the needs of this portion of the diocese, and even Fredericksburg in particular.

Thanks for you love and support!



Pax,

Fr. Mosimann



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of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Parish + Fredericksburg

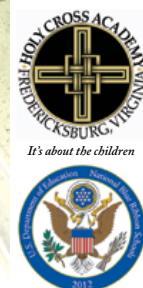


**COME
TO OUR
OPEN
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Sunday,
February 5th

Preschool
at St. Mary:
9:30-12:00

Holy Cross:
1-3pm



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Greetings Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

United with all dioceses across the country, we celebrate National Catholic Schools Week beginning on Sunday, January 29 and concluding on Saturday, February 5. This is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate the great gift of Catholic education here in the Diocese of Arlington. The theme this year from the National Catholic Education Association is once again: Catholic Schools: Communities of Faith, Knowledge and Service. Our diocese is blessed with 37 elementary schools, four high schools, four stand-alone preschools, and four independent Catholic schools that educate over 17,600 children from Winchester to Arlington and from Fredericksburg to Alexandria. Catholic Schools Week is a perfect time to learn more about our Catholic schools and I encourage you to attend one of the many Open Houses throughout the Diocese.

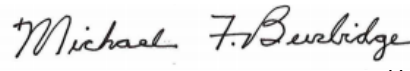
We have much to celebrate here in our Diocese regarding Catholic Education. Our elementary schools are innovative, faith-filled, and exciting places to learn. Over sixty percent (60%) of our schools are U.S. Department of Education Blue Ribbon Schools which honors schools with top academic programs. Our Catholic schools are guided by gifted pastors and principals and with the dedicated service of over 1,400 educators who provide a quality, Christ-filled education each and every day.

We are blessed, too, with vibrant, Catholic high schools that truly live the theme of communities of faith, knowledge and service. We graduate 100 percent of students from our high schools and 98 percent are accepted into colleges and universities. Last year, our students received \$83.2 million in scholarships and provided over 350,000 hours of service both at home and abroad. Our students truly embrace the Gospel message as reflected in their generous service on behalf of others and our communities and by the fact that over 130 vocations to Priesthood and Consecrated Life have come from graduates of our high schools.

I am grateful to all those in our Catholic schools who assist parents in the education and formation of their children and to the many

people throughout our diocese who give of their financial resources and time to support our schools. Your generosity is deeply appreciated. May Our Lord Jesus continue to shower his blessings upon our Catholic schools so that they may remain Communities of Faith, Knowledge and Service.

Sincerely in Christ,



Bishop of Arlington



At Holy Cross Academy, we are guided by the spirit of Saint Francis de Sales as we dedicate ourselves to create an atmosphere of prayer and reliance on our heavenly Father; Spread the message of Jesus in our families and our community by treating all persons with respect and showing reverence for the gift of God in each one; Build up our Spirit-filled faith community within Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception Parish; Serve the needy in our local community and in the Missions through an awareness of our global responsibility to all humanity; Develop the whole child: spiritually, emotionally, academically and physically; Promote academic excellence by challenging all our students to recognize their gifts and fulfill their God-given potential.

This weekend, our students will hand out cards to thank our St. Mary parishioners for your support all year long. Thank you for making Catholic education possible for the children in our parish.

We will be hosting an Open House on Feb. 5 and invite you to come visit us. St. Mary Preschool will be open from 9:30 to noon. We have several programs for three- and four-year-olds and would love to have you stop by and learn all about them. Holy Cross Academy will be providing tours for interested families from 1-3pm that afternoon. We promise that you will have lots of time to make it home for the Super Bowl.

It is a true joy for us to share information about our school with you. We are proud of our students and our graduates. We invite you to visit our school website, holycrossweb.com. If you would like to see what we can do for your child, please call our HCA office at 540-286-1600 or St. Mary Preschool at 540-373-7553 to arrange for a tour or to let us tell you all about Holy Cross Academy, our parish school.



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Catechists Training

In our second class on the history of our church our presenter, Master Catechist Mr. Chris Kaila, did an excellent job of guiding us on the second part of our journey, from about 700 AD to about 1550 AD. This was from the reign of Holy Roman Emperor Charlemagne to the Martyrdom St. Thomas More by King Henry VIII. From the time the Muslims attacked Spain 711 until they were finally expelled by King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella around 1491.

One observation is that throughout its history the Catholic Church, despite the many attempts to change or destroy it has remained faithful to the true teachings of Jesus Christ.



Strengthen Your Relationship with God and Others – Discerning Hearts

God Himself is relationship, an eternal exchange of love within the Blessed Trinity. And, we were created in the image and likeness of this eternal exchange of love!!! Thus, we were created for relationship!

Because we are created for relationship, communication

is the most important skill in life. We have spent years developing our communication skills by learning how to speak, read and write. But how much training have we had in listening? In other words, how skillful are we at deeply understanding another person by listening attentively with our ears, our eyes, our hearts, and our intuition? Are we seeking first to understand or to be understood? Truth be told, most difficulties we experience in our relationships with others are often rooted in a failure of seeking first to understand through attentive listening.

The same can be said about our relationship with God. If we truly do desire to grow in our relationship with God, we have to grow in our ability to attentively listen in prayer. But how do we attentively listen to God when He does not audibly speak to us? The answer is ... discernment! Discerning Hearts by Fr. Timothy Gallagher is a new audio series offered on FORMED. Fr. Gallagher helps us understand St. Ignatius's Rules of Discernment by integrating them in the experiences of contemporary people. In doing so, he demonstrates how essential the Rules are for our prayer and daily living. In other words, discernment is key to becoming the person God desires us to be.

We can be certain of this – God is laboring at every moment to be in intimate relationship with us. Discerning Hearts helps to us to become more aware of the ways that God is drawing us to Himself as well as the ways the devil is trying to pull us away. If you desire to give greater priority to your relationship with God and others, you'll love this series.

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February Family Dinner

The February Family Dinner, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, will be held on Saturday, February 4 from 6-8:30pm in the Parish Life Center. The menu includes baked spiral ham, sweet potato casserole with melted marshmallow, green beans, watergate salad, and ice cream sundae. The proceeds from this dinner supports our service program. A portion of these funds will support Mary's Shelter.

The dinner is open to the public and pay-at-the-door. Take outs are available. The cost is Adults: \$7, Seniors(60&up): \$6, Teens: \$6, Children (7-12): \$5, Children (under 7): Free. THE MAX COST PER FAMILY is \$25

Council 4034 Wants You

Interested in transforming your life? As a Knight, you have the opportunity to support your parish, give back to your community, grow in your faith and gain exclusive access to our top-rated insurance program to protect your family. Learn more about becoming part of the fraternal brotherhood at kofc4034.org.

2017 Bishop's Lenten Appeal Begins!

This month many of us will receive a mailing from Bishop Burbidge regarding the **2017 Bishop's Lenten Appeal (BLA)**. The theme for the 2017 BLA is **"Offering hands to serve and hearts to love."** After reflecting upon the many blessings that God has given you, please prayerfully consider making a pledge of support to this important appeal that funds many programs and ministries that serve the people in our diocese. **Every pledge is an expression of God's love and mercy!**

Blood Pressure Check-In

The Health Ministry provided its first Blood Pressure Check-In this past November with many parishioners stopping by after Mass to have their blood pressure checked. An easy and quick way to keep up with a possible or current medical condition that now affects approximately 1 in every 3 adults in the US. And it can be treated and controlled through medical care.

So, we are providing this Check-In quarterly and our next workshop is on Sunday, February 12 from 8:30am-12 Noon in the Parish Life Center. Stop into the Sunday Coffee Shop and get your BP checked before your coffee and donut!

You will be given a written record of the findings and resource materials will be available. Come and join the Health Ministry in taking positive steps to better health and well-being as we start our 2017 Wellness Journey!

Teams of Our Lady Information Session

"The couple that prays together, stays together" - The Teams of Our Lady (teamssofarlady.org) are a fantastic way for couples to grow closer together and closer to the Lord. Couples take time to pray and prepare spiritual material together, and then meet monthly with the other couples over dinner. Come meet us on Tuesday, January 31 at 7pm for more information, in Saint Mary's Courtyard Meeting Room! Helene (540 361 5662) and Gonzague (540 361 5673) de Bonfils, or hdebonfils@gmail.com.

Marriage Day of Enrichment and Celebration

Sponsored by Teams of Our Lady, will be held at St. Michael Catholic Church, 7401 St. Michael's Lane, Annandale, VA, on Saturday, February 18 in the All Purpose Room of the Junior School. The event will be from 9:30am-3pm and lunch is included. This day is for married couples seeking to live the sacrament in today's world. Cost is \$15 per couple to be paid at the door on February 18. To participate, please contact Carol and Dave McCaffrey (themccaffreys22003@gmail.com) to reserve your place and facilitate our planning. To learn about Teams of Our Lady, you can go to teamssofarlady.org.

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Lenten Small Groups: The Doctor's In: Pathways to a Healthy Mind, Body and Spirit

Host Registration is now OPEN! We are welcoming prior and new hosts who would like to gather a small group of colleagues, friends or family members to meet, discuss and share the reflections on this year's Lenten Small Group Program, "The Doctor's In: Pathways to a Healthy Mind, Body and Spirit". There will be three ways to sign up: Host Signup cards will be available in the information area in the vestibule, signup on the Parish Website, or go to lentenfriends.org and select St. Mary Church from the Host a Group Icon. We will invite people to become involved as hosts and gather their own groups through the end of January. We will begin inviting individuals to sign up beginning February 6 for those who are interested but have not connected with a group. There is a \$10 participation fee for each participant.

Praying in Color

Have you ever found yourself intending to pray about something or for someone and instead find your thoughts wandering? It happens to all of us and is normal! But new methods of expressing our prayers continue to evolve and Praying In Color is one that is spiritual, relaxing and very meaningful.

Last year we presented our first very successful Praying In Color workshop and are planning to present it again soon. Health Ministry member Peg Larose will be our presenter again and we want to invite you to join us for a most enjoyable one hour here with us. Show up with an open, prayerful heart and experience this hands-on "Praying in Color" for yourself.

We need to plan for space and request that you let us know if you are interested. Please call 540-845-3031 or email at lsullivan@stmaryfred.org to let us know of your interest. You will become a fan of this great

new way to open your heart to prayer and pray and share with others this rewarding experience.

Strength and Balance Workshop

The Health Ministry invites you and/or your loved ones to an educational presentation on Falls Prevention which will include opportunities for balance screening performed by Courtney Sanner, a parishioner and Doctor of Physical Therapy. The presentation and screenings will be held here at St. Mary's and will last for one hour on a Saturday.

We successfully presented this workshop last year and want to make it available to our parishioners again this year. "Falls" is a major medical risk today for many people and educating ourselves on how to prevent them and our own personal risk is a good way to prevent such falls.

With a busy planning schedule,

we are requesting input into those who are interested in attending such a program. Please call 540-845-3031 or email at lsullivan@stmaryfred.org to let us know of your interest.

Prevention starts with awareness — let's get started so that future accidents and disabilities can be avoided.

Help us to support the Bishops' Initiative on marriage!

Couples who attend Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekends not only rediscover the joy, intimacy and romance in their relationships, but also become more active in their parish. Together, we are making marriages, families and our Church stronger and healthier. **The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend is March 31 - April 2 in Herndon, VA.** Early sign up is recommended. For more info visit RenewMarriage-VANorth.org or contact us at applications@renewmarriage-vanorth.org or 703-646-1521.

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Come together for Virginia.

Virginia Vespers: Evening Prayer for the Commonwealth

Virginia's Catholic bishops and the Virginia Catholic Conference invite legislators and other officials of all faiths, educators, social service practitioners, parishioners and all to join them at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart in Richmond to pray for the Commonwealth.

Join Bishop Michael Burbidge and Bishop Francis DiLorenzo for Vespers at 5pm, Thursday, February 9. Reception follows.

800 S. Cathedral Place, Richmond Free shuttle service is available at the Virginia Capitol Visitors' entrance at 10th and Bank Sts., and parking is available at the garage at North Laurel and West Main Sts., one block away.

Visit the VCC website to learn more about issue before the State Assembly. Here are a few of the issues the Virginia Catholic Conference is following:

- Regulating Abortion Clinics
- Recognizing Jan. 22 as the "Day of Tears" in Virginia
- Adoption Tax Credits
- Protecting Religious Liberty
- Preserving Scholarship Tax Credits
- Immigration Enforcement
- Raising the Minimum Wage
- Protecting Consumers from Predatory Lending
- Driver's Licenses for Immigrants
- Virginia Executes Ricky Javon Gray



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Weekly Offertory

Offertory Collection 1/15 \$34,325

Offertory Collection 1/22 \$29,260

Parish Building Fund (add'l) \$4,235

Church in Latin America \$5,525

St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box (2 weeks)
\$589

First Offering Contributions (add'l)
\$886

Faith Direct Deposit for January

Offertory \$54,275

Parish Building Fund \$3,899

Church in Latin America \$1,721

Solemnity of Mary \$1,898

First Friday, All Night Adoration, February 3

Our First Friday evening Mass at 8pm will be followed by All Night Adoration. On the Feast of Corpus Christi, Pope Francis exclaimed: "Jesus speaks in the silence of the mystery of the Eucharist and reminds us each time that following him means going out of ourselves and making our lives not something we 'possess,' but a gift to him and to others." At least two people must be present with Our Lord at all times during Adoration. Please sign up today and enrich your soul with the gift of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

Children's Offertory Envelopes for January

The children's charity that will benefit from the offering in January is the local Hospice Camp Rainbow. Camp Rainbow is an overnight, weekend bereavement camp for children ages 5 to 12 who have experienced a loss or are currently living with a loved one with a terminal illness. The

Camp is organized by Hospice Support Care, a non-profit, non-medical volunteer hospice support organization providing spiritual, practical, and emotional support to patients and their families. The primary goal of Camp Rainbow is to teach children how to grieve in a healthy manner, while building fond remembrances. Like Kids Helping Kids, Camp Rainbow also strives to normalize grief, understand death and dying, and improve social skills. For more information, go to hospicesupportcare.org.

Choose Life Reflection

God does not make mistakes. When a human being is alive, it is because God wants him or her to be alive. People do not have to measure up to our standards or expectations in order to have dignity and deserve protection. "Lord, I pray for all those who are disabled, frail, and ill. Give them Your strength and peace, and give us the eyes to see their dignity and value." (Pro Life Reflections for Every Day)

TV Mass for the Homebound

The Diocese of Arlington, in partnership with the Archdiocese of Washington, produces a weekly Sunday TV Mass filmed in the Crypt Church of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Viewers can watch the TV Mass every Sunday from 10:30-11am on the DCW50 network. It is a wonderful ministry for those members of our Catholic family who are unable to be physically present with a local worshipping

community for the Sunday Eucharistic Liturgy. For more information, visit: arlingtondiocese.org/tv-mass.

Nar-Anon Support Now Offered

Are you or your family affected by a loved one's drug addiction? Nar-Anon is a twelve-step program that offers support, strength and hope to family members and friends of loved ones struggling with substance abuse. Meetings are held every (1st, 2nd, and 4th) Thursday evening from 7-8 pm in the Fr. Don Rooney Community Room and every 3rd Thursday evening from 7-8 pm in the John Paul II House (downstairs). Our Nar-Anon meetings are open to both St. Mary parishioners and the community at large. Confidentiality honored and strictly maintained.

Al Anon Surviving the Weekend Group

Al Anon is for those who have been affected by someone else's drinking, and members come together to learn a better way of life and how to find happiness. Especially at this time of year, it's important to know that you are not alone and there is help. There is an Al Anon meeting every Saturday at 10am in Room 204 of St. Mary's Parish Life Center.

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Join Us Monday at
8:15pm



**Monday
February 13, 8:15pm**

You are invited to a monthly gathering of prayer in the ecumenical tradition of the Taizé community in France.

It is our hope that this monthly prayer gathering brings together Christians of all churches as we realize a bit more each day that we must rely upon God's power to bring about unity among all who follow Jesus, "as he and the Father are one."

This Unity, which embraces all people, stands at the very heart of Christ's mission. Let us provide a place where his Spirit can come and accomplish this plan for us.

Praying with one voice, let us ask God to bring healing to our world and end the divisions that separate peoples.

Saint Mary Catholic Church

Saint Mary prayer list

Please pray for those who are sick or in need,

especially: Robert Yednock, Daniel Burke, Prudy Tarpe, Mary Ellen Kearney, Veronica Johnson, John Storm, Joshua Oltman, Gladys Bowen, Frances Schwab, Martha Clemens, Lynn Dennis, Anne Shelton, Barbara Gillette, John Gannon, Maureen Mizzles, Miles Wood, Smoot Major, Marian Wolinski, Holly Smith, Mike Harwich, Larry Dillman, Jerome Murphy, Jim Evans, Keith Kovalesky, Patrick Clarke, Cody Harrell, Janie Sherry, Michael Tallarita, Chris Szynal, Judith Cantell, Delores Renninger, Phil Kronsberg, Tamlyn Leaf, Paul Godwin, Patricia Phillips, The Valconi Family, Tim Murphy & family, Matt Dombro, Regina "Gina" Wood, Amber Hedegty, Darlene Guinn, Lillian Held, Duska Green, Mary Jean and Don Williams, O'Neta Shorter, Melvyn Schreckinger, Mary Ulmer, Mary Branham, Jessica Dowling, Kelly Keiser, Lauren McKeever, Janese Morris, Mary Keaton, Montgomery Wood, Harold Gardiner, Gerald Gardiner, Betty Ann & Bill Dateno, Jennifer Smith, Patricia Von Nieda, Corrine Gardine, David Arnold, Matt, Elsie and Riley Seidlinger, Jeanette Ann Williams, Maureen Flanagan, Fannie Manning, April Gray, Tim Conway, Andy Costa, Ellen Cupka, Cheryl Kellett, Jim Matarese, Hugh Fleming, Thomas Moeller, Marianne Ford, Ortiz Family, Diane Beverly, Jaiden Scelzo, Elisea Opeka, Adrian Foshay, Claire Matthews, Matt Traugh, Jonathan Nogueira, Jim Mann, Ted Major, Maggie Lampman, Chuck Boyert, Adrienne Foshay, Stephanie Downing, Ray Heath, Anna Marie Johnson, Emma Gilbert, Tracey Hansen, Bill Herr, Richard Fadden, Michelle Williams, Diana and Mike Pabrinkis, Zachary Payne, David Nimmer, Linda Kaila, Adrienne Foshay, Maggie Lampman, Mark Burton, Odette Anderson, Gene Wingert, Jackie Colson, Robert Yednock, Pete Bartlinski, Daisy and Russell McGuiney, Jackie Colson, Bob Rekowski

Please pray for all the men and women in our military and civilian support services overseas, especially:

Glenn Dickinson, Paul Fischer, John Moring, Dominick Joseph Petro, Jamal Williams, Lance Schulte, Brian Hellman, Sean Plunkett, Roy Selvidge, Patrick Fenton, David James, Shawn Tupta, Vincent Petillo, Christopher Johnson III, Patrick Desmond, Andrew M. Smith, Nelly Garcia, Mindy Hakenson, Xavier Alas, Gary Rotsch, Anthony Howell, John Anthonor, Andrew Dowdy, Sean McCullum, Josue Bermudez

Please pray also for those who have died, especially the benefactors of Saint Mary Church.

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Daily Mass intentions and readings

January

30 MONDAY

6:30am Cissie Lidy+

9:00am Providence Moeller+

Heb 11:32-40; Mk 5:1-20

31 TUESDAY

6:30am Marie Shofi+

9:00am Stamley Kozyra+

Heb 12:1-4; Mk 5:21-43

01 WEDNESDAY

6:30am Sue Bain

9:00am Charlie White+

Heb 12:4-7; Mk 6:1-6

02 THURSDAY

6:30am Nicholas Knutson+

9:00am Father Holmes

Mal 3:1-4; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40

03 FRIDAY

6:30am Ann & Samuel Calabro, Sr.

8:15am* Holy Cross Academy

9:00am Evelyn Derouin+

8:00pm Cindy Deuell

Heb 13:1-8; Mk 6:14-29

04 SATURDAY

9:00am Frederick Pechin+

5:00pm Fred Pechin+

7:00pm John Wood+

Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Mk 6:30-34

05 SUNDAY

7:00am Phyllis Stibitz

8:30am Charlie White+

10:30am All Who Died in January

10:30am* Brother Brian Paquette

12:30pm Mark and Julie Zaepfel

2:00pm For the Parish

5:00pm Providence Moeller+

7:01pm Michelle Kapopoulos-

Tuszynski+

Is 58:7-10; 1 Cor 2:1-5; Mk 5:13-16

Please remember that Mass intentions may be requested at the parish office for any remaining Masses of the year. If dates are no longer available for the date you desire, you are welcome to request an intention that is "unscheduled," and one of the priests will gladly celebrate Mass for your intention at an extra Mass during the week or as a concelebrant.

* Indicates Mass at Holy Cross Academy