nota bene (note well, please):

Public Masses – Phase 1
All Masses will be held at Holy Cross Academy.
The entrance will be at the back of the school via the courtyard/gymnasium.

Monday-Friday: 12pm
Saturday: 5pm
Sunday: 8am, 10am, 12pm, 2pm Bilingual

In order to attend Mass you MUST sign-up. Follow this link https://sign.com/go/XnhxTux

Live-Streaming Continues via Facebook ~ St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Fredericksburg, VA
9am Mass
3pm Divine Mercy Chaplet
6:30pm Rosary

Note for our Seniors
During this time of caution, we are taking extra care of our over 65 population. If you are in need of assistance (picking up items at the store, errands etc) please do not hesitate to call the office at 540-373-6491 or email edoyle@stmaryfred.org. We have parishioners standing by to assist you. God bless you and continued prayers for your safety and health.

Usher’s Needed at All Masses
Usher’s Needed at All Masses Many of our ushers are in the over 65 or “vulnerable” population and we want to protect and encourage them to stay home at this time. We need help from our younger folks who feel comfortable performing the tasks of safely guiding our parishioners. If you can help, please sign-up at tinyurl.com/stmaryushers
Dear Folks,

The Feast of Pentecost is one that should give us great hope and enthusiasm for the living of the faith in the face of difficulty. One of the titles for the Holy Spirit is the Consoler. What an inspiration to know that God has this nickname which describes He Himself granting us His consolation! This is why it is a work of mercy to console the grieving. This week I received a lovely note from the Frasher family expressing gratitude for how our parish family consoled them when they lost their son recently. It is included in the bulletin today, and how fitting that we console one another in the Holy Spirit.

Additionally this week, we are announcing a hire that has been in the work since before the Corona upended our lives: our new assistant youth minister, Ian Heisler! He is a recent graduate of Christendom College and we are overjoyed to bring him onto staff beginning next weekend. As youth ministry slowly starts to get up to speed, he will have a few more of those “as assigned by pastor” tasks, but we are excited to have him coming on board!

And bummer, next weekend was to have been our parish picnic…. God willing we will find creative ways to celebrate together once we are able to circulate more freely.

Finally, we have been waiting with bated breath (or masked faces) for instructions from the Gov/CDC on what Phase Two will entail. Please be aware that we are doing our best to communicate what changes will result as soon as we know what the parameters are for our being able to gather safely. I do expect that we will have more information before next weekend…. so be aware that it could cause us to pivot as pertains to Mass times and/or locations.

Pax et bonum,

Fr Mosimann

From the Pews at St. Mary

To Our Dear St. Mary Family,

Words just can’t express our deep gratitude for the overwhelming love and support showered upon us when our beloved David died January 21st. Our son/brother’s death was sudden and so unexpected; we will never walk the same. but know that your outpouring of generosity in the form of prayers, sacrifices, Mass offerings, meals, hugs, cards, messages, tears, donations, etc. continue to ease our burden as we carry on, embracing this cross. You are being Christ to us and we are forever thankful!

Know that you are in our prayers and that we have asked Father Mosimann to offer a Mass in thanksgiving for all of you and the entire parish, as well as friends and family outside of our parish. .we are so blessed by our priests at St. Mary! Again, words just can’t express the goodness and blessings we see and have in their witness and example, their love and support.

Praise God for His unending kindness and ever present Mercy!!

Love and blessings,
Rob and Barb Frasher Robert, Bryan, Mary Rose and John Paul

Alpine Europe Pilgrimage

Featuring the Passion Play of Oberammergau
11 Days in the Fall of 2022 (Dates TBD)

Hiedelberg - Rhine Valley - Lucerne
Innsbruck - Altötting - Salzburg - Munich
Rothenburg - Markt! Am Inn

Hosted by
Fr. John Mosimann

For more information, please contact
Elena Doyle at edoyle@stmaryfred.org

Don’t Wait for 2030! Sign up today!
Last Day of School
Our last day of the 2019-2020 school year was last Friday, May 22. To say that it has been an odd year is definitely an understatement but our preschoolers kept on learning all the way to the end of the year! This month, we released our butterflies, participated virtually in May crowning, Zoomed with our classmates, and got to pick up their memory books. Our four year old students also got a special promotion surprise...be sure to check out the Holy Cross Academy Facebook page for the videos! We are currently enrolling for the 2020-2021 school and we have spaces available in both our three and four year old classes. For more information please reach out to Mrs. Castellarin via email at preschool@holycrossweb.com.
**Magnifikid**

**Pentecost**

On the day of Pentecost, the Apostles received the Holy Spirit. He freed them from their fear, and they were able to speak about Jesus. Some three thousand people gathered around them that day and were baptized. This first assembly of believers became the Church. Today, Christians celebrate Pentecost as the birth of the Church.

**Word of the Week: Faith**

“We no longer see Jesus with our physical eyes; we see and know him by faith.” What does the word faith mean? It is used over 400 times in the Bible. “And the Lord said, "If you had faith like a mustard seed (the smallest of all seeds), you would say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and be planted in the sea'; and it would obey you.” Luke 17:6

In scripture the basic meaning of faith is trust and commitment to God. It means that we trust (believe) God, his word in the Bible, and what the Church teaches. Abraham's faith in God made him leave the land of his ancestors to live in a land where he had no friends and relatives. Our faith makes us accept (believe) that the bread and wine the priest prays over during the consecration becomes the Body and Blood of Christ. When we have faith, we happily accept as true even when we do not completely understand, or others tell us that we have no proof, make fun of us, or persecute us.

Summary of Emails from Religious Education Families sent to religioused@stmaryfred.org.

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**Sacrament of Reconciliation Videos of the Week**

Forgiven Session 5: An Encounter with Mercy

Answering Common Questions about Confession

Why do we confess our sins to a priest? Is this sacrament some arbitrary requirement or does it have an inner logic? The answers to these and many more questions about Confession begins and ends with love.

**Daily Mass and Devotionals on Facebook**

Religious Education families are asked to regularly participate in the live streaming of Daily Mass and devotionals on Facebook at facebook.com/pg/stmaryfred/videos/

**Daily Mass**: 9am Every Day

**Sunday Mass**: 9am in English, 12pm in Spanish

**Divine Mercy Chaplet**: 3pm Every Day

**Rosary**: 6:30pm Every Day

This activity is beneficial for all students but particularly essential for students preparing for sacraments of Holy Eucharist and Confirmation.

**Students Preparing for Holy Eucharist Videos of the Week**

Welcome to the Presence on FORMED. These videos have been carefully designed to help participants discover the powerful way that God is present to us in the Eucharist, inviting us into an intimate union with himself. https://watch.formed.org/presence/season:1/videos/god-is-with-us

**Students Preparing for Confirmation Video of the Week**

The Holy Spirit is powerful—great miracles and mighty works have been done through the power of the Holy Spirit. So why is it that we do not see the same power of the Holy Spirit in the lives of so many Catholics today? Why do we not see the Church and the Gospel spread by the millions of Catholics who received the Sacrament of Confirmation?

**FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK**

**THE WILD GOOSE**

Father Dave Pivonka

The Wild Goose is a work of the Holy Spirit, which is awakening in the hearts of all those participating God’s love and transforming power. As you walk through this series, pray for the Spirit to breathe life into your heart.

SIGN UP FOR FREE AT FORMED.ORG/SIGNUP

CLICK REGISTER THEN ENTER PARISH CODE F6F228
IT’S TIME TO DONATE

JUNE 19 | 10AM–2PM
St Mary of the Immaculate Conception Parking Lot

St. Anthony, St. Elizabeth, St. Jude, St. Patrick, St. Paul Mission, and St. Mary are working together to fill Catholic Charities’ St. Lucy Project’s trailer with food for families in need! Join us!

FOOD ITEMS NEEDED
Canned Meat (tuna and chicken)
   Peanut Butter & Jelly
   Pasta & Pasta Sauce
   Canned Pasta (ravioli)
   Hearty Soups
   Cereal & oatmeal
   Canned veggies
   Canned fruit

DRIVE UP AND DROP OFF YOUR DONATIONS! VOLUNTEERS WILL ASSIST YOU!

HELP WANTED AT THE DROP-OFF STATION ON FRIDAY, JUNE 19th
IF INTERESTED EMAIL ELENA — edoyle@stmaryfred.org
La Parroquia St. Mary va a estar transmitiendo en vivo la misa y devociones diarias. Vaya a la siguiente dirección para que pueda ver las transmisiones en vivo o grabadas de la misa, el Rosario y la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia en facebook.com/stmaryfred/

No necesita tener una cuenta de Facebook para poder verlo. Sólo use el enlace.

**Itinerario:**

**Misa diaria** - 9am todos los días

**Misa dominical** - 9am en inglés y 12 mediodía en español

**Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia** - 3pm todos los días

**Rosario** - 6:30 pm todos los días

Las grabaciones estarán disponibles después de la transmission en vivo, por lo que puede verlas a la hora que le sea conveniente.

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**Adoración al Santísimo**

Nuestra parroquia está abierta todos los días desde las 6:30 de la mañana hasta las 10:00 de la noche. El Santísimo está expuesto.

Necesitamos que se registre para asistir utilizando el siguiente enlace:
https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/3234485/false#/invitation

**¿Por qué registrarse?**

**Para que se pueda cumplir con el mandato del gobernador de que no hayan más de 10 personas dentro del templo parroquial y para tener conocimiento de que nuestro Señor nunca estará solo.**

**Instrucciones:**

1. Puede registrarse para sólo 30 minutos de Adoración.
2. Se puede registrar para un día y hora diferente cada día.
3. No es un compromiso permanente.
4. Por la orden ejecutiva del gobernador, no pueden haber más de 10 personas en el templo parroquial y hay que mantenerse a una distancia de 6 pies con otras personas.
Reading 1

ACTS 2:1-11

When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled, they were all in one place together. And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were. Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven staying in Jerusalem. At this sound, they gathered in a large crowd, but they were confused because each one heard them speaking in his own language. They were astounded, and in amazement they asked, "Are not all these people who are speaking Galileans? Then how does each of us hear them in his native language? We are Parthians, Medes, and Elamites, inhabitants of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the districts of Libya near Cyrene, as well as travelers from Rome, both Jews and converts to Judaism, Cretans and Arabs, yet we hear them speaking in our own tongues of the mighty acts of God."

Responsorial Psalm

PS 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34

R. (cf. 30) Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.

Bless the LORD, O my soul! O LORD, my God, you are great indeed! How manifold are your works, O Lord! the earth is full of your creatures;

R. Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.

May the glory of the LORD endure forever; may the LORD be glad in his works! Pleading to him be my theme; I will be glad in the LORD.

R. Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.

If you take away their breath, they perish and return to their dust. When you send forth your spirit, they are created, and you renew the face of the earth.

R. Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.

Reading 2

1 COR 12:3B-7, 12-13

Brothers and sisters:

No one can say, “Jesus is Lord,” except by the Holy Spirit.

There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone. To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit.

As a body is one though it has many parts, and all the parts of the body, though many, are one body, so also Christ. For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, slaves or free persons, and we were all given to drink of one Spirit.

Sequence

Veni, Sancte Spiritus

Come, Holy Spirit, come! And from your celestial home Shed a ray of light divine! Come, Father of the poor! Come, source of all our store! Come, within our bosoms shine. You, of comforters the best; You, the soul’s most welcome guest; Sweet refreshment here below; In our labor, rest most sweet; Grateful coolness in the heat; Solace in the midst of woe. O most blessed Light divine, Shine within these hearts of yours, And our inmost being fill! Where you are not, we have naught, Nothing good in deed or thought, Nothing free from taint of ill. Heal our wounds, our strength renew; On our dryness pour your dew; Wash the stains of guilt away: Bend the stubborn heart and will; Melt the frozen, warm the chill; Guide the steps that go astray. On the faithful, who adore And confess you, evermore In your sevenfold gift descend; Give them virtue’s sure reward; Give them your salvation, Lord; Give them joys that never end. Amen.
Say Hello!
We are happy to announce that Ian Heisler will join the youth ministry team and serve as the Assistant Youth Minister here at St. Mary! Ian is a recent graduate of Christendom College where he earned a B.A. in History while playing soccer, basketball and baseball! He has yet to find a sport he doesn’t enjoy! Ian grew up in Nokesville, VA and attended Seton High School. He is one of six children and was raised Catholic. He is excited to share his deep love of his faith and our Lord with the youth and our community. Ian enjoys praying, playing sports, hiking and having meaningful conversations. His favorite sports team – all from Boston! This is an exciting year for Ian, as he will marry his finance, Annemarie Speer August 15th. We are all looking forward to welcoming Ian and Annemarie to our parish family!

St. Mary Emergency Food Pantry
We are open and distributing food Monday-Friday 9am-4pm. All are welcome! Come to the parish office and ring the bell. We are happy to help you!

Alleluia
R. Alleluia, alleluia.
Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.
R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel JN 20:19-23
On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, “Peace be with you.” When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained.”

Prayer to the Holy Spirit
by Saint Augustine
Breathe in me O Holy Spirit, that my thoughts may all be holy;

Act in me O Holy Spirit, that my work, too, may be holy;

Draw my heart O Holy Spirit, that I love but what is holy;

Strengthen me O Holy Spirit, to defend all that is holy;

Guard me, then, O Holy Spirit, that I always may be holy.
**Weekly Offertory**

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**Children’s Charity for June**

Our Children’s Offertory Contributions for the month of June will be donated to Hope House, which was established in 1987 to serve homeless women and their children from the City of Fredericksburg, and the counties of Stafford, Spotsylvania, Caroline, and King George. Hope House is a non-profit, 501(c)3, transitional facility where homeless women and their children can stay up to two years. Hope House provides safe housing and the opportunity of transition to successful, independent living. Hope House also provides a childcare program that demonstrates excellence in childcare and ensures academic success. For more information, visit their website at [hopehouseva.org](http://hopehouseva.org).

**Bimonthly Envelope Change for Building Fund**

Starting with your May/June contribution envelopes, you will notice a change. The building fund envelope was changed to "Debt Reduction" rather than "Building Fund", since all contributions are used to help pay the $2,000,000 mortgage remaining from capital improvements to the Church, Parish Office and Rectory ten years ago, as well as other capital expenditures through June of 2016. We hope that this change will help to clarify that all contributions are used to pay down this debt, rather than saving for future capital improvements.

**Attention All Parish Organizations**

Your calendar for the use of parish facilities from September 2020 to August 2021 should be submitted to Elaine in the Parish Office no later than July 31. Please make sure you submit your request to Elaine, in writing, as soon as possible, either by regular mail, or by email to estanislawski@stmaryfred.org. In setting up your schedule, please note that evening activities cannot be scheduled before 8pm Monday through Wednesday from September through May, due to Religious Education classes in the Parish Life Center and the John Paul II House. Thank you.

**Helpful Hints & Reminders**

- Did you know that when you write a check, you should use only black or blue ink? All other colors may look very nice, but they don’t show up on bank scanners and the check will be returned to us by bank. So please use only black or blue ink when writing a check.

- From time to time we receive contributions in envelopes from other parishes in the Diocese. If there is no notation, it is our policy to send these contributions to the parish indicated on the envelope. If your contribution is actually meant for St. Mary, please be sure to use St. Mary envelopes, or a plain envelope with your name and address indicated, or cross out the name of the parish on the envelope and clearly write St. Mary on the envelope so that we can process your contribution properly.
Saint Mary Prayer List


Please pray also for those who have died, especially:
- Theresa Kovalefsky
- Amber Moser
- Erin Krieg
- Matthew Meyer
- Brittany Meyer
- Sara Meyer
- Douglas & Dorothy Meyer
- Karla Dorsey
- Mary Jean & Don Williams
- Linda & Franklin Walter
- Cathleen Mihalaki, Re Macarthur
- Jordan Tacket
- Nikolai & Bridget Sherba
- Randy McNulty
- Riley Ilperstick
- David A.
- Marty T.
- Janet Yerkie
- Brittany Yerkie
- Elizabeth Stoehr
- David Semeglo
- Robert L. Gomer
- Carla J. Gomer
- Thomas Moeller
- Lorraine Becker
- Gerald Gardiner
- Larry Delaney
- James Keddle
- Lorena Hernandez
- Miguel Hernandez
- Edgar Giovanni

Nar Anon Support Available

Nar Anon is a program that offers support to family members and friends of loved ones struggling with substance abuse. All information and discussion is non-judgemental, informative and strictly confidential. Our meetings are in Room 100 in the Parish Life Center on Thursday from 7-8pm and are open to the community at large. Contact Cathy at 703-201-8821, burgh757@gmail.com or Wayne at 540-840-5230.

Daily Mass Intentions and Readings

**June**

1 **MONDAY**
6:30am Alfonso Arellano+
9:00am Fr. Koehr
Acts 1:12-14/Jn 19:25-34

2 **TUESDAY**
6:30am Joe O’Connor+
9:00am Fr. Polmar
2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/Mk 12:13-17

3 **WEDNESDAY**
6:30am Roberto Canizares
9:00am Jeffrey Alexander+
2 Tm 11:3-12/Mk 12:18-27

4 **THURSDAY**
6:30am Lee and Matilda Baker+
9:00am Charles White+
2 Tm 2:8-15/Mk 12:28-34

5 **FRIDAY**
6:30am Imelda Toigo+
9:00am Fr. Kelly
2 Tm 3:10-17/Mk 12:35-37

6 **SATURDAY**
9:00am Matthew Muggeridge
5:00pm Mr. & Mrs. Walter & Mary Werr+
7:00pm Soledad Lazaro Patuga+
2 Tm 4:1-8/Mk 12:38-44

7 **SUNDAY**
7:00am John and Ana Wroble
8:30am Leonard Krieger+
10:30am For Our Parish
10:30am* William Scharf+
12:30pm Thomas Roscigno
2:30pm Jose Rafael Guta Reynoso
5:00pm David Frasher+
7:00pm Bich Dao Le
Ex 34:4-6, 8-9/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

* Indicates Mass at Holy Cross Academy

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.

"daily bread"

Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception www.stmaryfred.org