

# THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 24, 2021



**Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church**  
1009 STAFFORD AVENUE - FREDERICKSBURG, VIRGINIA

# pulpit announcements

## nota bene (note well, please):

### Public Masses - Phase 3

#### St. Mary Church

Saturday 5pm, 7pm

Sunday 7am, 8:30am, 10:30am, 12:30pm,  
2:30pm in Spanish, 5pm & 7pm

#### Holy Cross Academy

Sunday 8:30am, 10:30am

#### Daily Mass Schedule

6:30am, 9am

12pm Mass on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays

#### St. Mary Streaming Schedule - St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Facebook Page

Daily Mass 9am Rosary 6:30pm

Sunday Mass 8:30am and 2:30pm (Spanish)

#### Confession Schedule (Confessions continue at the Parish Life Center ONLY)

Wednesdays 11:30am-12pm & 6:30-8:30pm

Saturdays 8-8:30am & 3:30-4:30pm

#### Adoration Schedule

Wednesday 12:30pm- Friday 9am

## contact us

<b>SUNDAY MASS</b>	Saturday Vigil 5 & 7pm Sunday 7, 8:30, 10:30am, 12:30, 2:30pm (Spanish), 5pm, 7pm 10:30am at Holy Cross Academy
<b>DAILY MASS</b>	Monday - Friday: 6:30am, 9am M/W/F: 12 Noon Saturday: 9am First Friday 8pm Holy Days of Obligation, as announced
<b>DEVOTIONS</b>	Adoration, Daily between 6:30am & 9am Mass, Wednesday 12:30pm - Friday 9am Miraculous Medal Novena, Mon., after 9am Mass, Divine Mercy, Wed., 3pm
<b>CONFESSION</b>	Wednesday 11:30am-12pm, 6:30- 8:30pm; Sat., 8-8:30am & 3:30-4:30pm
<b>PARISH OFFICE</b>	540-373-6491, fax 371-0251 stmary@stmaryfred.org Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 4:30pm; students staff office weekdays until 9pm, Saturdays 9-5pm, Sundays 9:30-1:30pm  Pastor, Fr. John Mosimann Fr. Sean Koehr Fr. Michael J.R. Kelly Fr. Michael Folmar Fr. Scott Sina, Parochial Vicar Deacon Alberto Bernaola Deacon Dick Delio  Business Manager, Elaine Stanislawski Parish Secretary, Jachebel Rios Director of Music, David Uschold

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<b>ST. MARY PRESCHOOL</b>	540-373-7553 Director, Sheri Castellarin
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<b>OUTREACH</b>	540-373-6491 Elena Doyle - edoyle@stmaryfred.org
<b>BAPTISMS</b>	Parish registration (90 days) and class required. Please contact the parish office to schedule the date at least four weeks in advance.
<b>MARRIAGE</b>	Parish registration required; contact parish six months in advance to begin preparation.
<b>JOIN US</b>	New Parishioner Welcome meetings held in the Parish Life Center on fourth Sun days, 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!

# from our pastor pax et bonum

Dear Folks,

Today is Inauguration Day, please keep praying for our country and all who lead. All authority to govern is only held in stewardship from God, and all who exercise this authority answer to Him for their stewardship. This is why we pray for all elected officials.

Our Bishop has made a statement that is encouraging and clear on Catholic teaching, and it is reprinted to the right.

Additionally, the President of the USCCB, Archbishop Gomez, also put out a statement that is worth reading. I have shortened the web address to this more easily typeable link: <https://tinyurl.com/yyvp5vpe>

Our Help is in the name of the Lord, who made Heaven and Earth (Ps 124:8). Blessed be the name of the Lord.

pax,

Fr Mosimann

## **Statement by Bishop Michael F. Burbidge, Catholic Diocese of Arlington, on the Inauguration of President Joe Biden**

Upon the inauguration of President Joe Biden and Vice President Kamala Harris, I ask Catholics and people of goodwill to pray for all elected leaders as they take on the task of carrying out the nation's work. We pray also for peace, civility and unity in our nation. The smooth transition of power is a hallmark of our extraordinary American experience and vital to the endurance of our thriving republic.

Please pray that our new President will uphold the truths revealed and proclaimed in the Catholic Faith he professes. May the Lord grant him the wisdom and compassion to protect the most vulnerable, especially the unborn; respect the dignity of all people; uphold the traditional family as the foundation of society; defend the principle of religious freedom upon which this nation was founded; and advocate for the rights of the poor.

May we take this moment to pray that, with God's grace, we can heal the discord and wounds that exist in our country, communities and even families. May we invoke the prayer attributed to St. Francis of Assisi in asking, "Lord, make me an instrument of your peace. Where there is hatred, let me sow love. Where there is injury, pardon. Where there is doubt, faith..." We call on all elected and public officials, regardless of party, to transcend political divides in service to the common good.

In the days ahead, I implore Catholics and people of goodwill to stay engaged in the public square and to be peaceful, yet courageous, in communicating and advocating the truth of our Faith. As always, may we remember that this is One Nation, Under God.

## **2021 BISHOP'S LENTEN APPEAL BEGINS!**

This month the mailing for the 2021 Bishop's Lenten Appeal (BLA) was sent to all registered diocesan households. The theme this year is "Encourage One Another by Word and Deed." After reflecting upon the blessings that God has given you, please prayerfully consider making a pledge to this important appeal that funds many programs and ministries that serve thousands of people in our diocese. Together, through the BLA, let us renew our personal commitment to furthering the Mission of our Lord Jesus throughout our diocese.

You may go online to make a donation at [arlingtondiocese.org](http://arlingtondiocese.org) or scan the QR code to the right. Simply open your camera and click on the link when it appears.



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# holy cross academy



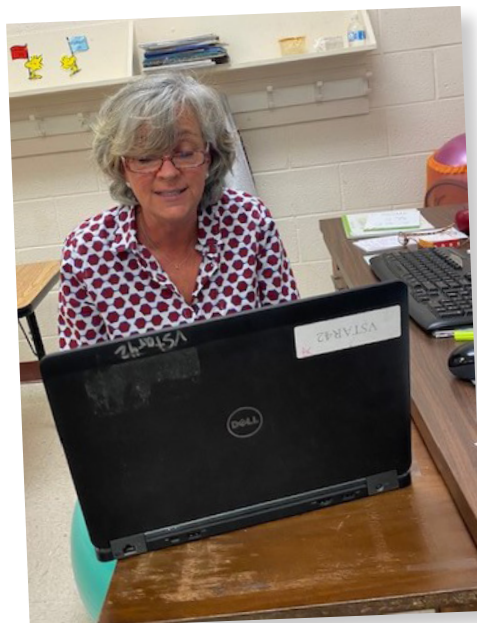
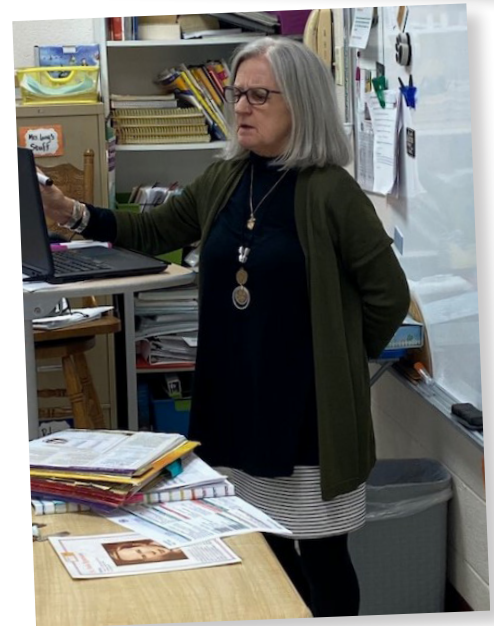
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## Happy New Year

We have ushered in a new year at HCA with the hope and prayer that 2021 will bring with it a return to normalcy. Unfortunately, due to rising infection rates in our community, that normalcy will have to wait a bit longer. After the Christmas break, we returned to all virtual learning for the first two weeks of January. As usual, our faculty rose to this newest challenge and pivoted to an all virtual teaching platform. We look forward to returning to in-person instruction on January 19. Our building is not the same without the joyful noise of our students. Please join us in praying for our community and for an end to this pandemic.

Holy Cross Academy and Holy Cross Preschool are wonderful places to learn and grow. New student registration for the 2021-22 school year will be opening in February. More details will follow in the next few weeks. To learn about our school, please visit our website, [holycrossweb.com](http://holycrossweb.com), or call us at 540-286-1600. We would love to share with you how HCA can be a blessing for your family.



# our parish happenings

## Prayers & Squares

We are praying for Joan who is undergoing knee replacement surgery. She is requesting prayers for God's healing and a successful surgery. (Lavender blue strip)

We are praying for Pierre who is in the final stages of ALS. He is requesting prayers for acceptance, strength and faith as his earthly life come to an end. (Beige burgundy)

We will have pocket squares available for you this week. The small squares come with a string attached to tie a knot while you say a prayer. You can slip the square into your pocket and when your fingers touch it be mindful of God's love and grace for you and say a prayer. If you prefer, you may say a prayer for someone else and pass it along in the form of a tiny gift. If you wish to request a prayer quilt please contact the office or Dian Epp ([dianepp2@msn.com](mailto:dianepp2@msn.com)).

## St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store is OPEN

The store is accepting donations on Mondays ONLY beginning at 10am until our storage facility is full (usually by noon). If you are coming from a distance, please call us at 540-898-9066.

Our store is OPEN for shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Wednesday 10am-4pm & Saturday 10am-4pm. Face masks are mandatory.

Thank you for your generous support while we have been closed! Because of YOU we have been able to help those in need during these hard times. Those in need call us Monday - Wednesday at 540-898-8065 to get a call back for a phone interview on Thursday.

We are located at 142 Olde Greenwich Drive Fredericksburg, VA 22408. We are 100% volunteer. All donations go directly to assist those in our community that are in need.



## SOUPER BOWL WEEKEND AT SAINT MARY'S

# FEBRUARY 6-7

HELP STOCK **CATHOLIC CHARITIES'**  
**ST. LUCY PROJECT PANTRY** AND SCORE  
A **TOUCHDOWN** FOR THE **HUNGRY** IN  
OUR COMMUNITY BY BRINGING **CANS OF**  
**HEARTY SOUP OR RAVIOLI** TO MASS



## Pilgrim Virgin Statue

Would you like the Blessed Mother to visit your family? A beautiful statue of Our Lady of Fatima is taken from family to family by the Legion of Mary. Please contact Mary Lou Felts, 571-723-3333 or [maryloufelts@gmail.com](mailto:maryloufelts@gmail.com) for more information.



# education

# religious education

## Lectio Divina on St. Mary Facebook with Deacon Alberto on Tuesday, January 26 at 7pm

During this pandemic, your prayer life — among other things — may have been disrupted. We've had to find different ways of praying without an in-person community to support our faith life. The traditional monastic practice of Lectio Divina is a good way to help us deal with stress and provide a way to enter into sacred Scripture as a living word for our time.

The focus of Lectio Divina is not a critical analysis of sacred text, but rather a more personal way of experiencing the word through contemplation and reflection. The constitution Dei Verbum of the Second Vatican Council recommended the practice of Lectio Divina for the faithful and was later affirmed by Pope Benedict XVI.

Although any scripture passage can be used, Lectio is an excellent way of preparing for the Sunday proclamation of the Gospel.

The traditional practice of Lectio Divina has 4 parts: Lectio (read), Meditatio (meditate), Oratio (pray) and Contemplatio (contemplate). As the scripture text is read multiple times, it allows us to go deeper and deeper into the text.

To pray Lectio Divina, you will need a copy of Scripture. A pen and a notebook are also helpful to write down your thoughts, reflections and prayers. Find a place that is free from distractions. This prayer usually takes about half an hour.

Begin by quieting yourself and becoming aware of your breathing. Let go of the concerns of the day and invite the Holy Spirit to guide your reflection. You may want to repeat the verse from Psalm 46:10 over and over again: "Be still and know I am God." [unleashthegospel.org/2020/07/a-guide-to-the-lectio-divina-prayer-style/](https://unleashthegospel.org/2020/07/a-guide-to-the-lectio-divina-prayer-style/)

## Religious Education Video Links on Parish Website

The video links for the "Week of January 25": "Christ Our Life" Chapter 15; "Year 2 First Communion (Grades 4-6)" First Communion Review; and "Year 2 First Communion (Grades 7-12)" Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Video Links from the "Week of September 28" to the "Week of January 25": are on the Parish Website [stmaryfred.org](https://stmaryfred.org) on the "Religious Ed Videos" tab by grade. Scroll down after clicking on the desired grade to see the links.

## Safe Environment Training for Religious Education Students

The Safe Environment Training presentation primarily consists of four discussions based on Church teachings.

- 1. Discussion on Freedom:** Freedom is the power to act or not to act, and so perform deliberate acts of one's own. Freedom attains perfection in its acts when directed toward God, the sovereign Good. (CCC 1744)
- 2. Discussion of Creation:** "God created us as male and female in His own image. ... We are created to live in relationship or friendship with each other, our environment and to make a gift of ourselves to others within a proper order as provided through Sacred Scripture and church teaching."
- 3. Discussion on Relationship:** "Name various relationships that you see and experience – what are the difference between the relationships? 1. Spouse vs. child 2. Sibling vs. cousins 3. Family vs. friends 4. Friends vs. coworkers"
- 4. Discussion on Modesty:** "This moral virtue, often also called "decency," moderates and controls the impulse of sexual display and responsiveness thereto by men and women." We prepare ourselves for relationships by fostering the virtue of modesty in dress, speech, thoughts, deeds, habits, entertainment and friends.

## FORMED®

PICK OF THE WEEK

January 24, 2021

WATCH

### THE BIBLE COLLECTION - PAUL THE APOSTLE

The story of Paul's life acts as an incredible witness to God's mercy and love as he went from persecuting the Church to proclaiming it to all the nations! This film brilliantly captures portrays this great missionary saint!



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# vida parroquial

# noticias en español



¿A PERDIDO SU TRABAJO? ¿NECESITA ASISTENCIA?

## LA ALACENA DE EMERGENCIA DE ST. MARY ESTÁ ABIERTA DE LUNES -VIERNES 9-4PM

Tenemos miembros de nuestra parroquia disponibles para ayudarles

**PARA MÁS INFORMACIÓN  
CONTACTE A ELENA DOYLE A  
EDOYLE@STMARYFRED.ORG  
HABLA ESPAÑOL**

**El Grupo de Oración Carismático Parroquial, "Confiados en Jesús y María" les invita a su streaming live por Facebook en su página @confiadosenjesus, todos los viernes, comenzando el 31 de julio.**

### Itinerario:

7pm Santo Rosario  
7:30pm Animación  
7:40pm Oración y Alabanza  
8pm Tema de formación

## Clases de Lectio Divina con el Diácono Alberto

Los martes a las 7:30pm, el Diácono Alberto ofrecerá sus clases de Lectio Divina en español por la página de Facebook de nuestra parroquia: [stmaryfred.org](https://www.facebook.com/stmaryfred.org). Haga click en el enlace de misas y devociones diarias.

## Convalidaciones

Si necesita casarse por la iglesia, por favor, contacte al Diácono Alberto llamando a la oficina parroquial ó a la Sra. Lizette Arce al 540-429-9291 y deje un mensaje si llama entre las horas de 8-6 pm.

## ¡COMIENZA LA PETICIÓN CUARESMA DEL OBISPO DE 2021!

Este mes se envió la correspondencia sobre la Petición Cuaresma del Obispo de 2021 a todas las familias inscritas en la Diócesis. El tema de este año es "Animémonos unos a otros de palabra y obra". Después de reflexionar sobre las bendiciones que Dios les ha dado, en espíritu de oración, consideren la posibilidad de hacer una promesa de contribución a esta importante petición que financia muchos programas y ministerios al servicio de miles de personas en nuestra Diócesis. Juntos, por medio de la Petición Cuaresma del Obispo, renovemos nuestro compromiso personal de fomentar la Misión de Nuestro Señor Jesús en toda nuestra Diócesis. Pueden hacer una donación en línea en [www.arlingtondiocese.org](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org) o al escanear el código de respuesta rápida (QR) que aparece a continuación:



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# operations given in love

## Weekly Offertory

The next financial report will be published January 31

Thank you for your generosity.

## Children's Charity for January

Camp Rainbow is held every Spring for children who are coping with the loss of a loved one. Camp Rainbow provides a path for child campers along their journey through grief and toward healing. Little Buddies (child participants) are paired with trained Big Buddies (adult volunteers) to explore their feelings through age-appropriate crafts, activities, discussions and one-on-one time. Expressive therapies such as art, music and dance are used to assist children with their grief and are balanced with traditional camp activities, like arts and crafts, kayaking, and singing by the fire. For more information, go to [griefsupport@mwhc.com](mailto:griefsupport@mwhc.com).

## Pro-Life Reflection

Dr. Alveda King, niece of Martin Luther King, Jr., while marching at the annual March for Life, was asked, "Does this remind you of the civil rights movement and the marches with your uncle?" Her response was, "This is the civil rights movement." The message of Martin Luther King was not just about the equality of our black brothers and sisters; it was about the equality of all our brothers and sisters. Civil rights begin with the right to life. *Defend Your people, O God, and protect the rights You have given to them all. (Pro-life Reflections for Every Day)*



Thank you for being a part of our St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception family. As we begin a New Year, we hope you will consider enrolling in eGiving through Faith Direct so that your gift can reach us even when you cannot. Visit [faithdirect.net](http://faithdirect.net) and use our church code: VA635. Thank you for your continued support of 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!

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday 12:30pm to Friday 9am

"It is not to remain in a golden ciborium that He comes down each day from Heaven, but to find another Heaven, the Heaven of our soul in which He takes delight." – St. Thérèse of Lisieux, Feast Day October 1.

Come and adore Our Lord in the most beautiful Blessed Sacrament of the Altar and honor His Holy Mother by saying the Rosary in His Divine Presence. October is the Month of the Holy Rosary and October 7 is the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. We have continuous Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every Wednesday after the 12 Noon Mass until Friday morning before the 9am Mass. We also have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 7am to 9am Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

## Saint Michael the Archangel Catholic High School

Open House Sunday January 31 1-4pm

We know that this past year has been difficult for everyone, including making sure your child continues to receive the best possible education.

At St. Michael Catholic, we understand and we are committed to ensuring that excellence. Let us show you how.

Here's what St. Michael Catholic can offer your family:

- College prep Catholic education for grades 9-12.
- Fully accredited and Diocesan recognized.
- A culture of life school dedicated to building smart faithful Catholic men and women.
- Weekly mass and daily faith formation.
- Safe in person learning 5 days a week. Small class sizes.
- AP/Honors and Dual enrollment classes.
- Extracurriculars, 14 sports teams, and acceptance to over 300 colleges and universities.

Discover what the Warrior Way is all about! Learn more at [saintmichaelhs.org/open-house](http://saintmichaelhs.org/open-house)

## St. Patrick's Gift Shop is Open

We have many new items in the shop. Our hours are Sundays from 8am to 1:30pm or by appointment. For an appointment please call Mary at 540-972-9392. St. Patrick's Catholic Church is located at 9151 Elys Ford Rd., Fredericksburg, VA



# liturgy daily bread

## Saint Mary Prayer List

**Please pray for those who are sick or in need, especially:** Betty McKee, Arturo Mendoza Sanchez, Vickie Coburn, Susana Rios-Villagrana, Jeff Shinrock, Mary Ulmer, John Michaelides, Thomas Bidulph, Fernando Guadarrama, Margaret Dougherty, Betty Gil, Adrienne Menjivar, Deanna White, David Mares, Chuck Boyer, Daniel Bustamonte, Hector Rios-Villagrana & Family, Miguel Correa & Family, Tamlyn Leaf, Gordon Leffel, Graciela Chavez, Nico Luigi, Vickie Coburn, Ana B. Rojas, Maria Mangini, Melanie and Chris Koumentakos, Maryanne Schram, Jackie Davia Johnson, Jenna Cappello, Matt Seidlinger, Benjamin Grillo, Gavin Menteer, Jim Seidlinger, Mary Ellen Kearney, Kurt Gutzmann, Lois Michell, Frank Pollack, Leslie and Charlotte Heagney, Joseph Daley, Carolyn Shebora, Jordan Tackett, Melvin Schreckinger, Stephen Inguanti, Rhonda Wolfe, Delia Flores, Bruce Berry, Glen Gress, Bobby Blankenship & family, Buddy & Vincent Yerkie & Family, Carolyn Allen, Mitchell Wood, Isaac, Nikolai & Bridget Sherba, Felicity Peletier, Leah Sanford, Jason Stoker, Makenna Anne Koetzle, Peggy Silverman, Jack Ryan, Amy Peretta, Janet Fisher, Paul Scott, Wendy Vann, Michael Vann, Michelle Thomas, Jerry Hall, Zelda Meyer, Jack Ryan, Robert Boggio, Ryan McNichol, Bianca Sanchez, Jackeline Sanchez & Family, Mary Hope Burkett, Dick Geary, Sean Duarte, Dave & Joy Zerby, David Silberman, Mrs. Joann A. Formeller, Jim Matarese & Son, Paula Hass, Leony Scott, Catherine Laski, Winifred Herrin, Brenda Leffel, Deborah Nunez, Larry Hays, Alma Keyes, Mary Carr-John, Phil Fuller, Jean Guinn, Sylvia Littlepaige, Alma Keyes, Andy Johnston, Jacoby Smith, Andrew Prybys, Richard Epp, Barbara Sisbarro, Maria Atkins. Santo Domingo Hernandez Gomez & family, Otilia Dogmoc, Linda Rager, Samantha Stumpf, Lonnie Dalton, Gail Erickson, Brenda Dudley, Debbie Beebe, Blanca Garcia, Rildo Ribelino Soto, Giles Morgan, Kim Matkovsky, Frances Conn, Christine Frescas, James Murphy, Daniel Burke, Joan Baker, Stephen O'Byrne, Marian Wilinski, Martha Clements, Bernard Cruz, Margaret Krebbel, Floyd Carver, Jr., Michael Sharkey, Jerry Werline, Patricia Johnston, Claire Matthews, Zachary Payne, Ernalina Kyle, Betty Curtis, Patrick Sherba, Sr., Dennis Farmer, Ernalina Kyle, Maria Wood, Margie Hougasian, Maria Wood, Robert Gibson, Mary Brussell, Bruce Mattern, Miles Wood, Roseanne Nash, Jeanne Burke, Prudy Tarpey, Danielle McCarty, Scott Robey, Kellan Moran, Mary Bostain, Dilma Magalhaes Da Silva, Carol Mauro, Michael Robertson, Michol Durham, Maureen Mizzles, Michael Wood, Paul Remick, James Hogan, Brenda Skinner, Lourdes Jeane De Toledo Moura, Kristen Burns, Erin McMakin, Margaret Nault, Daniel Foster and the Foster Family, Teresa Triplett, Greg Carneal, Annie Duffy, Jimmy Duncan, Deirdre McQuade, Schauobe Johnson, Paul Lysher, Doug Johnson, Anne Graf, Deirdre McQuade, Linda Wolf, Sharon Bender, Greg Marfori, Patrick Sevbros, Rhett Loveless, Emma Bang, Rhoda Stackhouse, Karen Short, Amber Short, Adam Rousson, Marybeth Moss, Mary Jean Williams, Linda & Frank Walter, Kay Simmons, Randy Gardiner, Heather Issues, Kristy Fairbanks, Glen Sharlun, Rhoda Stackhouse, Robert Derouin, Thomas Moeller, Julianne Kelsey, Cesar Smith, Leo Conwell, Cloyd Anthony Arce, Matt and Brittney Meyer, Pam Shapiro, Doug and Dede Meyer, Sara Meyer, Matt Busby, Zelda Meyer, Royal Schmidt Jr., Kelly Keiser, William J. Chavez, Emily Clemente, Lieutenant Ashton Briganti, 2nd Lieutenant Tazman Briganti, Tom Burke, Claire Dougherty, Shanon Berry, Mary Ullmer, Jeanie Conwell, Gary Rolla, Grace Sherry, William F. & Anna Mary Perez Dealderett, Faith Hinkle

**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, Patrick Fenton, David James, Shawn Tupta, Vincent Petillo, Christopher Johnson III, Patrick Desmond, Andrew M. Smith, Nelly Garcia, Mindy Hakenson, Xavier Alas, Anthony Howell, John Anthenor, Andrew Dowdy, Sean McCullum, Josue Bermudez, Monica Hannan, Julio A. Alarcon, Gabe Gonzalez, David Oechslein, Shawn Herr, Logan Mullins, Greg Feroldi, Tyler Wood, Jason Cullinan, Frank Spatt Jr., Thomas Wickham, Hunter Keiser, Sean Jobs, Michael Scott, Samuel Hoffman, Andrew Qualls, Matt Gioia, Jennifer Brothers, Jack Merker, Daniel Algert, Jason King

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

## AI / Nar Anon Support Available

AI 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 AI Anon meeting every Saturday at 10am in Room 204 of St. Mary's Parish Life Center.

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 Wayne at [cushingwr@gmail.com](mailto:cushingwr@gmail.com) / 540-840-5230 or Wanda at [wandasj823@gmail.com](mailto:wandasj823@gmail.com) / 540-538-6978**

## Daily Mass Intentions and Readings

### January

#### 25 MONDAY

6:30am Fr. Folmar  
9:00am The Barrett Family  
Acts 22:3-16/Mk 16:15-18

#### 26 TUESDAY

6:30am Janet DePolo+  
9:00am Joan Doherty  
2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5

#### 27 WEDNESDAY

6:30am Alan Cascio+  
8:15am\* Holy Cross Academy  
9:00am Ruth Stellino+  
Heb 10:11-18/Mk 4:1-20

#### 28 THURSDAY

6:30am Keith and Suzanne Caruso  
9:00am Christopher Lanzacone  
Heb 10:19-25/Mk 4:21-25

#### 29 FRIDAY

6:30am Alan Cascio+  
9:00am Elizabeth Popick  
Heb 10:32-39/Mk 4:26-34

#### 30 SATURDAY

9:00am Ken and Debbie Stenger  
5:00pm Robert O'Brien+  
7:00pm Nancy Ronckovitz+  
Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Mk 4:35-41

#### 31 SUNDAY

7:00am Nancy Sims+  
8:30am For Our Parish  
10:30am Paul and Joan Caruso  
10:30am\* Ryley McNichol+  
12:30pm Andy and Aida Tkac  
2:30pm Escolástica Bermudez de Rodriguez  
5:00pm Porche Family  
7:00pm Correa Velez Family  
Dt 18:15-20/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28

*\* Indicates Mass at Holy Cross Academy  
Please remember, Mass intentions may be requested at the parish office for any remaining Masses of the year. If a desired date is no longer available, 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.*