

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 23, 2022



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

announcements

The St. Mary Coffee & Donut Shop

Following **ALL Morning Masses**

Come and enjoy some fellowship!

New Parishioner Welcome

Welcome to St. Mary's! Sign-up TODAY for a visit and a chat with your pastor, Fr. Mosimann and members of our Welcoming Committee. Sunday, October 30th 9:30am-12:30pm. Sign-up using this link bit.ly/3PWnuDB for a special time set aside for just you (and your family). Meetings will take place in the Courtyard Meeting Room (Fr. Rooney Room) behind the church - the room with all the crucifix's on the wall! Questions, email

Elena at edoyle@stmaryfred.org

WELCOME!!!

contact us

stmaryfred.org

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday Vigil 5 & 7pm
Sunday 7, 8:30, 10:30am, 12:30,
2:30pm (Spanish), 5pm, 7pm
10:30am at Holy Cross Academy

DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday: 6:30am, 9am
M/W/F: 12 Noon
Saturday: 9am
First Friday 8pm
Holy Days of Obligation, as announced

DEVOTIONS

Adoration, Daily between 6:30am & 9am Mass,
Wednesday 12:30pm - Friday 9am
Miraculous Medal Novena, Monday, after 9am Mass
Divine Mercy, Wednesday, 3pm

CONFESSION

Wednesday 11:30am-12pm, 6:30 - 8:30pm;
Saturday, 8-8:30am & 3:30 - 4:30pm

PARISH OFFICE

540-373-6491 fax: 540-371-0251
stmary@stmaryfred.org
stmaryfred.org
Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 4:30pm;
Students staff office weekdays until 9pm,
Saturdays 9-5pm, Sundays 9:30am - 1:30pm

Fr. John Mosimann, Pastor
Fr. Sean Koehr, Parochial Vicar
Fr. Scott Sina, Parochial Vicar
Fr. Phillip Cozzi, Parochial Vicar
Fr. Robert Renner, Parochial Vicar
Deacon Alberto Bernaola
Deacon Dick Delio

Business Manager, Elaine Stanislawski
Director of Operations, Chris Lanzarone
Facilities, Late-Lawson Drackey
Custodial Services, Carmen Sanchez
Parish Secretary, Giovanni Camacho

MUSIC

Director of Music, David Uschold
Asst. Director of Music, Malinda Jones

HOLY CROSS ACADEMY

540-286-1600
250 Stafford Lakes Parkway
Fredericksburg, Virginia 22406-7234
Principal - Dr. Stephen Fry,
sfry@holycrossweb.com

HOLY CROSS PRESCHOOL

540-373-7553
Director, Sheri Castellarin

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Director, Aristides Lucas
Associate Director, Mary Buer
Administrative Asst, Lori Barlow

YOUTH MINISTRY

Director, Tatiana Beltran
Assistant Youth Minister, Catie Espiritu

OUTREACH

Director, Elena Doyle

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 the parish six months in advance to begin preparation.

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

Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception
1009 Stafford Avenue
Fredericksburg, VA 22401

from our pastor

pax et bonum

Dear Folks,

I have attached a picture of a rose blooming next to the statue of Our Lady in front of our parish school, Holy Cross Academy.

When I saw this bloom on a rosebush that had been planted this summer, I thought, “whoa!!!? Is that a miracle?!” So I prayed to Saint Google and discovered that no, it is not a miracle: “Newly planted roses will bloom in their first year, but the quantity and quality of the blooms will depend on whether the plant is grown in a container or grown bare-root.”

It may not be a miracle, but it was a nice little sign of hope! Because God holds all things in His loving hand, there are no coincidences. I’ll take an unexpected rose as a sign of God’s love.

pax,

Fr. Mosimann

Fr. Mosimann



education

holy cross academy



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Schedule Your Tour Today

If you have considered making an academic change for your student please join us at our Open House on Sunday, November 6 from 1-3pm. Please contact Mrs. Lanier by email (dlanier@holycrossweb.com) or call the school office (540-286-1600) for more information or to schedule a tour.

Open Positions at Holy Cross Academy

Interested in joining our team? Holy Cross Academy has a current First Grade Teaching Assistant position available. Interested candidates should contact Mrs. Angie Tomayko (atomayko@holycrossweb.com) or Dr. Stephen Fry (sfry@holycrossweb.com).



HOLY CROSS ACADEMY

OPEN HOUSE
SUNDAY,
NOVEMBER 6
1:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.

SCHOOL HOURS
8:10AM-3:10PM

**AVIAT BEFORE
AND AFTER CARE**

**REQUEST A
TOUR TODAY**

It's All About the Children!

A National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence offering a strong academic program, daily religious instruction, character formation, numerous extracurricular opportunities, a variety of music and art programs, and much more. Come discover what a blessing Holy Cross Academy can be for your family!



CONTACT US:

250 Stafford Lakes Pkwy.
Fredericksburg, VA 22406
540-286-1600
Mrs. Deena Lanier
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To learn more, visit us
at www.HolyCrossWeb.com.

our parish ministry highlight

The Legion of Mary is seeking new members. Are you struggling to pray more or learn how to pray with intention? Do you have a heart for filling the void of loneliness in another? Are you willing to be the hands and feet of Christ?" This group of men and women are a gift to our parish community. Come and see....

"Loneliness and the feeling of being unwanted is the most terrible poverty. There is a terrible hunger for love."

— Mother Teresa

The Legion helps us grow in an appreciation of our Faith. We come to understand more of Christ's and Our Lady's Love and concern for souls. With this comes an awareness of the treasure we have been given in our faith and we want to share it with others. We are put in a position where we can truly help and encourage people. In the Legion we are allowed to give something of value ourselves back to God. The Legion helps to turn our "good intentions" into action. We have an opportunity to meet dedicated people. We are put on a path that leads to our own salvation. In the Legion we have an excellent, efficient and inspiring way to fulfill the Christian mission we have by Vatican II.

Perhaps the Legion of Mary could open a whole new life for you. It has for many people.

We need more **active** members, active membership requires

Attendance at a weekly group Praesidium meeting and giving a verbal report on the assigned work done. We meet Mondays at 9:45 am in room 100.

Daily recitation of the Legion Prayer, The Catena.

The weekly performance of a substantial apostolic or social work (2 hours minimum) assigned by the praesidium through the president. Most Legion work is done in pairs so lack of experience is not a handicap. Our works include

- Weekly Visits to Senior Living and Nursing Homes praying with residents.
- Visiting families in the parish to foster Catholic Devotions;
- Pilgrim Virgin Visits
- Home Enthronements

The obligation not to discuss with others matters learned about people at the meeting or in connection with the work.

Auxiliary Membership

If for some reason you can not become a full Active Member. As an Auxiliary Member you will support the work of the legion BY YOUR PRAYERS.

You will undertake to say daily prayers contained in the Legion Prayer Leaflet (the Tesserà). These include the Rosary. If you already say the rosary every day there will be no obligation to say a second rosary. You could help the Legion greatly by becoming an Auxiliary Member.

How do I get started?

By being a guest at a meeting. You are invited to come and see the Legion from the inside. And you can go as a guest if you wish on one of the work assignments with an experienced member. The Legion of Mary meets Mondays from 9:45 to 11:15 am in room 100 in the PLC. Contact Donna Haring at 540-316-1105 or by email at donnaharing2@gmail.com



education religious education

Religious Education Upcoming Events: Teaching Masses Held

Sunday, October 23

Diocese of Arlington High School Rally. Call 540-373-6491 for more information

Monday to Wednesday, October 24-26

Religious Education Classes,

Thursday, October 27

Multimedia presentation on "The Science and Significance of Eucharistic Miracles" by Steve Hemler and Tony Gibert at 7:30pm in the church

Monday, October 31

Procession of Saints at 4:45pm on the church compound for all RE students.

Tuesday & Wednesday, November 1 & 2

No Religious Education Classes

Thursday, November 3

First Penance & First Communion meeting, 7:00 pm in church

Saturday, November 5

SPRED class in the Main Hall of the PLC from 10am to 12 noon

Monday to Wednesday, November 7-9

Religious Education Classes

Monday, November 7

Eucharistic Adoration in Spanish at 7pm in the church

Thursday, November 10

Year 2 Confirmation Formation Night

Saturday, November 12

Catechist Certification Classes in the PLC; Topic CAT 101: Catholic Education: What Every Needs to Know

Monday to Wednesday, November 14-16

Religious Education Classes

On Tuesday, October 11 our pastor, Fr. Mosimann, held two Teaching Masses for Religious Education students and their parents. They both began and ended with Father answering the children and parents many questions. After the introductory questions the vestments were displayed and explained and a boy was dressed up. The dressed up boy, guided by Fr. Mosimann, went through the various parts of the Mass while Father explained each part and answered questions. After the concluding questions several families stayed behind for further discussions with Father.

Procession for the Feast of All Saints on October 31

There are no Religious Education on Monday, October 31st. We are inviting students to participate in our 1st Annual All Saints Day Parade. Students will come to the Parish Life Center dressed as a saint or simply make up a sign or poster about a Saint. We will meet in the PLC at 4:45pm, share about our Saints, then parade around the campus and get the first treat for Halloween. We anticipate this to last 45 minutes to an hour.

Attendance will be taken for October 31st. Attendance for November 1st will be marked for students who dress as a saint or have a sign or poster. These are extra attendance days.



our parish

happenings



ST. MARY'S

COAT DRIVE

We are collecting **NEW & GENTLY USED** coats and
NEW hats & gloves/mittens

Sizes: Infant to Adult
Sunday, October 16 – Monday, October 31

Please leave your donations in the donations boxes
located in the Parish Life Center & Holy Cross Academy



Families and individuals in need of coats are welcome
to pick them up Sunday, November 6 following all
Masses until 4pm

Questions? Call the Parish Office at 540-373-6491

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
at St. Mary's **EVERY** Wednesday
following the 12 noon Mass **ALL**
DAY – ALL NIGHT Wednesday &
Thursday Concluding on Friday
Mornings at the 9am Mass.

*"To be alone with Jesus in adoration and
intimate union with Him is the
GREATEST GIFT OF LOVE – the tender
love of Our Father in Heaven"*
- St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Contact: Serena Nguyen, Coordinator
Adoration@stmaryfred.org

our parish happenings

October - The Month of the Holy Rosary

By Apostolic Brief at the Eucharistic Congress of Bologna, in September 1927, a Plenary Indulgence is granted to all the faithful who recite the Holy Rosary in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament, either exposed for veneration or reserved in the Tabernacle.

All Souls Invite

Our parish family of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception will be remembering all of our brothers & sisters who passed away this year

All families are invited to attend a **CANDLELIT MASS OF REMEMBRANCE** for your loved one

THE FEAST OF ALL SOULS

Wednesday, November 2, 2022 at 7pm

St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Church

Reception to follow in the Parish Life Center

Please RSVP by calling 540-373-6491 or via email stmary@stmaryfred.org

"Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace."

Can you Sew?

St. Mary's is seeking help with our sweet baptismal ministry that provides the white garment/bib type cloth for our babies receiving the Sacrament of Baptism. A simple template is provided, along with fabric, materials and training. If you are interested in sharing your gift with your parish family, please reach out to Kristen Baroody at tkbaroody@stmaryfred.org or call the parish office 540-373-6491.

Knights of Columbus – Christmas Tree Sales Fundraiser

The Knights of Columbus St. Mary Council 4034 is kicking off our Christmas Tree sales fundraiser. Sales are in the lot behind St. Mary and will start on Saturday after Thanksgiving - November 26th and continue through December 23rd or until we sell out.

These are Virginia grown (Mt. Rogers), freshly cut premium Firs with beautiful long-lasting soft needles and that great evergreen smell.

The best selection and freshest trees of course are when the trees arrive. The trees will be sold on weekends from 8am-8pm and weekdays (Wednesday through Friday, but not Monday or Tuesday) from 3-8pm

We also will be glad to work with anyone interested in volunteering to help with fulfilling your individual or group's community service requirements.

Questions about the Tree Sales can be directed to Tim Fleming – through email at timgflemings@gmail.com.

Please help us support the church and the community through helping the Knights of Columbus with your live Christmas Tree purchase.

Catholic Scouts

Catholic Scouts who are interested in the following awards, please contact Mr. Dan Pare at dan.pare.us@gmail.com. Cub awards and Ad Altare Dei will be offered beginning in November, and Pope Pius will be offered starting in 2023. Please visit the Arlington Diocese page at arlingtondiocese.org/youth-ministry/catholic-scouting/ or the National Committee's page at nccs-bsa.org/index.php/religious-emblems for more information.

Light of Christ: Designed for 6-7 years old Cub Scouts.

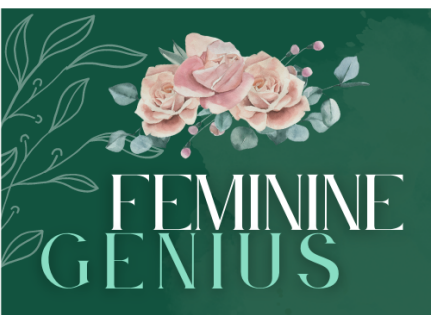
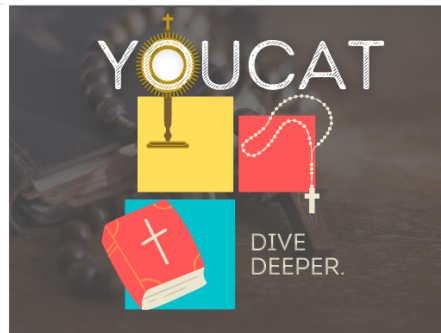
Parvuli Dei: Designed for 8-10 years old Cub Scouts.

Ad Altare Dei: Designed for any youth of the Roman Catholic Faith who is registered in a BSA Troop or Crew.

Pope Pius XII: Designed for Venturing Crew Members and Scouts 15 years old and older.

our parish

youth ministry



HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP (9th-12th)

Every Sunday, 6:00 - 8:30pm

Dinner, friends, and faith formation for high school!

YOUCAT (9th-12th)

Every Wednesday, 6:30 - 8:00pm

Dive deeper into your Catholic faith!

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP (6th-8th)

1st and 3rd Fridays, 6:30 - 8:00pm

Dinner, friends, and faith formation for middle school!

FIGHT CLUB (7th-12th BOYS)

Every Saturday, 6:30-8:00am

Explore what it means to be a Man of God!

SENIOR MINISTRY (12th)

Monthly meetings TBD

Prepare to live out your faith beyond high school!

FEMININE GENIUS (6th-12th GIRLS)

2nd and 4th Thursdays, 6:30 - 8:00pm

Explore what it means to be a Woman of God!

Tatiana Beltran
tbeltran@stmaryfred.org

  @stmarycym

Catie Espiritu
cespiritu@stmaryfred.org

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CRAFT BAZAAR & BAKE SALE

DONATE

Your handcrafted items:
needlework, woodworks,
paintings, autumn decor,
Christmas ornaments — at
room 100, or at the Parish
Office October 24-28. Mark
suggested price, please!

Homemade baked goods:
candy, jams, jellies, pickles,
relishes — Drop off at the Fr.
Rooney Room, Friday,
October 28 from 9am-7pm.
Label items that contain nuts,
please, and suggested price.

SHOP

Originality, creativity,
bargains, surprises!

Tell your neighbors and bring
a friend!

**SATURDAY
OCTOBER 29**

8AM - 2PM

**ST. MARY PARISH
LIFE CENTER**

**LUNCH SERVED
BY AMERICAN
HERITAGE GIRLS**

SHOP & ENJOY!

**PROCEEDS
SUPPORT OUR
CHURCH &
LOCAL CHARITIES**

**ST. MARY COUNCIL OF
CATHOLIC WOMEN**

**Monthly meetings on
3rd Tuesdays
September - May
Fr. Rooney Room**

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 4034

PRESENTS

FALL HARVEST DINNER

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2022

Immediately following the 5:00 PM Mass until 8:30PM

All proceeds will be used to upgrade the PLC kitchen equipment

Price: Adults/Teens: \$12 Seniors (60+): \$10 Children (7 to 12): \$8

Maximum COST PER FAMILY: \$35.00.

Cash Bar (beer and wine). Must be 21 years of age or older to purchase or consume alcohol. All alcohol must be consumed on premises.

Location: St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Church,
Parish Life Center (PLC)
1009 Stafford Ave., Fredericksburg, VA

MENU:

Baked Ham, Stuffing, Candied Yams, Green Beans
Almondine, Pumpkin and Apple Pie



Knights of Columbus

Charity • Unity • Fraternity • Patriotism

To join, please contact Jimmy Burns, Membership Director

www.kofc4034.org

vida parroquial

noticias en español

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN
"CONFIADOS EN JESÚS Y MARÍA"
TE INVITA A SU
NOCHE DE
ORACIÓN
DE SANACIÓN Y ALABANZA

**ROMPIENDO
CADENAS**

ASIMISMO YO LES DIGO: SI EN LA TIERRA DOS DE USTEDES SE PONEN DE ACUERDO PARA PEDIR ALGUNA COSA, MI PADRE CELESTIAL SE LO CONCEDERÁ.
MATEO 18:19

7:00 PM
VIERNES, OCTUBRE 28 DE 2022
LUGAR: CASA JUAN PABLO II

NO TEMERÉ, AUNQUE LA PRUEBA SEA DIFÍCIL NO TEMERÉ... AUNQUE LA PRUEBA ME ASUSTE NO RETROCEDERÉ... SI TÚ ESTÁS CONMIGO SEÑOR..!

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Requisitos para recibir los Sacramentos

BAUTISMO

- Debe ser miembro de la Parroquia 90 días antes de solicitar el Bautismo
- Tomar las clases previo al bautizo
- Las clases son el primer sábado del mes a las 12 del mediodía

Llame a Gio a la oficina parroquial al (540) 373-6491, para programar la fecha del Bautismo al menos cuatro semanas por adelantado.

MATRIMONIO

- Debe ser miembro de la Parroquia
- Contactar a la Parroquia seis meses antes para iniciar la preparación

PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

- Niños de 1ro y 2do grado
- Preparación de 2 años

Inscripciones abiertas julio 2022
llamar a la oficina parroquial

CONFIRMACIÓN

- Jóvenes de 6to -8vo grado
- y Secundaria (High School)
- Preparación de 3 años

Inscripciones en la oficina julio 2022

RECONCILIACIÓN

- Miércoles 11:30 am - 12:00 pm, 6:30 - 8:30 pm
- Sábados 8:00 - 8:30 am y 3:30 - 4:30 pm

QUINCEAÑERA

- La quinceañera necesita tener el Sacramento de la Confirmación
- No hay misas privadas
- Sólo hacemos una Misa de quinceañera al mes

Para más información comunicarse con la oficina parroquial al (540) 373-6491

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MUJER

Te invitamos a que seas parte de un momento de encuentro de

Mujeres de Fe



*Para mostrar en los tiempos
venideros la incomparable riqueza
de su gracia, que por su bondad
derramó sobre nosotros en Cristo
Jesús. Efesios, 2:7*

Todos los jueves en la casa Juan Pablo II

Hora: 10:00-11:30am



Te esperamos!



**Si tú o tu familia
necesitan abrigos y/o
guantes, ven el domingo
6 de noviembre después
de cada misa
hasta las 4pm.**

**Tendremos abrigos nuevos
y de segunda mano al igual
que gorros para invierno y
guantes nuevos para toda
la familia.**

RETREAT
FOR "BUSY"
WOMEN!

Finding Jesus as Mary & Martha

NOV 11-13
FRIDAY - SUNDAY

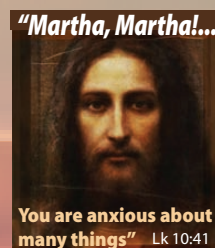


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Fr. John Riley will serve the Ladies of St Mary's who gather together
at Jesus' feet to find PEACE, JOY, and BALANCE,
as they LIVE, LOVE, AND PRAY in the world!



Retreat Cost: \$285 (financial aid may be available)
Contact Fr. Riley: Padre@HeartofCatechesis.org



GATHER AT SAN DAMIANO RETREAT CENTER IN WHITE POST, VA



THE SCIENCE AND SIGNIFICANCE OF EUCHARISTIC MIRACLES

Join us for a Golden Jubilee Talks presentation

This multimedia presentation highlights the importance of the Holy Eucharist. Hosted by Steve Hemler and Lee Granger of the Catholic Apologetics Institute of North America (CAINA), you will discover amazing findings of scientific studies of Eucharistic miracles. This presentation discusses over one hundred Eucharistic miracles that have occurred worldwide over many centuries, especially five that have been scientifically studied.



Steve Hemler

President of the Catholic Apologetics
Institute of North America (CAINA)



Tony Gibert

Presenter of the Catholic Apologetics
Institute of North America (CAINA)

**St. Mary of the
Immaculate Conception**
1009 Stafford Ave
Fredericksburg, VA 22401

**7:30 p.m.
Thursday, October 27, 2022**

All are welcome!

Questions?

analisa.pinon@arlingtondiocese.org



Office of Faith Formation



operations given in love

Weekly Offertory

Donations Received October 12 - 17

Sunday Offertory	\$24,127.00
Hurricane Ian Relief	\$11,135.00
Parish Debt Reduction	\$460.00
St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box	\$826.00

Thank you for your generosity.

Masses were offered in September for the following unscheduled intentions: Trang Than, Bob & Marge Derouin, +Lewis P.J. Noel, Gail Domaleski, +Dorothy Tomaszewski, +Stanley Tomaszewski, +Timothy J. Holler, Jr., Father Mosimann (2), All Souls (2), Karen Sturtevant, +Bernard Mahoney, Leanne Gold, Linda Anne Prohaska, +Mollie McCuedy, Mrs. Sanger, and Mrs. Stevens

Pro-Life Reflection

"I would now like to say a special word to women who have had an abortion. The Church is aware of the many factors which may have influenced your decision, and she does not doubt that in many cases it was a painful and even shattering decision. The wound in your heart may not yet have healed. ...But do not give in to discouragement and do not lose hope. ...The Father of mercies is ready to give you his forgiveness and his peace in the Sacrament of Reconciliation." (Pope Saint John Paul II, Evangelium vitae, no. 99. © 1995, Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission. All rights reserved.)

We pray for women and men suffering after abortion: May the Church's abortion healing ministry, Project Rachel, help them find forgiveness and peace through Christ's endless mercy.

Children's Offertory Envelopes for October

The children's charity that will benefit from Children's Offertory Envelopes in October is Safe Harbor Child Advocacy Center in Spotsylvania. This organization strives to strengthen the coordinated community response to situations of child maltreatment, including sexual abuse, severe physical abuse, severe neglect and fatalities, by integrating the existing resources of law enforcement, child protection, prosecution, medical and therapeutic agencies so that perpetrators are held accountable for their actions and children are not further traumatized by the investigative process. Children's Offertory Envelopes are available through Religious Education. All proceeds from these envelopes go to a different children's charity each month.

All Souls Novena

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is the best way to remember your deceased loved ones. Our All Souls Novena will begin on Tuesday, November 2, All Souls Day. An intention envelope is included with your bimonthly envelope packet; additional envelopes are available in the vestibule of the Church. **There is no collection on All Souls Day. Envelopes should be turned in early and will be placed near the altar during the Novena.**

Praying with the Saints

Saint Anthony Mary Claret, October 24

"Christian perfection consists in three things: praying heroically, working heroically, and suffering heroically."

Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles, October 28

O God, we thank you for the glorious company of the apostles, and especially on this day for Simon and Jude; and we pray that, as they were faithful and zealous in their mission, so we may with ardent devotion make known the love and mercy of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Help After Abortion (Project Rachel)

Project Rachel is a diocesan post-abortion ministry that offers an integrated approach to healing for anyone affected by abortion with the compassionate support of trained staff, priests and licensed mental health professionals who understand this experience of unresolved sorrow, trauma and grief with the utmost care, compassion and sensitivity. For confidential help, please contact us:

Helpline Info: (703) 841-2504
(888-456-HOPE)

For Men: (703) 841-3833

Email: info@helpafterabortion.org
or info@ayudadespuesdelaborto.org

Other Resources:
helpafterabortion.org | [facebook.com/HelpAfterAbortion](https://www.facebook.com/HelpAfterAbortion)

liturgy daily bread

Saint Mary Prayer List - October

Please pray for those who are sick or in need, especially:

Amy Christofferson, Anthony D'Ostilio, Carlos Enrique, Heather Clemens, Jason Stoker, Josie & Tony Aragon, Josep Krieg, Keith & Theresa Kovalefsky, Larry Dillman, Linda Dillman, Michael Fedowitz, Minundys Alba, Ted Jung, Vera Pompa, Gary Rolla, Mark and David Smetek, Stefanie Fell, Patrick Fell

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

Joseph Gardner, Glenn Dickinson, Paul Fischer, John Moring, Jamal Williams, Lance Schulte, Brian Hellman, Patrick Fenton, David James, Shawn Tupta, Vincent Petillo, Christopher Johnson III, Patrick Desmond, Andrew M. Smith, Mindy Hakenson, Xavier Alas, Anthony Howell, John Anthenor, Andrew Dowdy, Sean McCullum, Josue Bermudez, Julio A. Alarcon, Gabe Gonzalez, David Oechslein, Shawn Herr, Logan Mullins, Greg Feroldi, Tyler Wood, Frank Spatt Jr., Thomas Wickham, Hunter Keiser, Sean Jobes, Michael Scott, Samuel Hoffman, Andrew Qualls, Matt Gioia, Jennifer Brothers, Jack Merker, Lieutenant Ashton Briganti, 2nd Lieutenant Tazman Briganti, Davon Bare, John Fartro, Michael Fedowitz Jr., Eric Menser, Sean Penczak, Will Atkins, LT Scott C. Boyd

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

St. Mary Prayer List

As a reminder, we will update our prayer list in the bulletin as a monthly listing. If you would like to include a person on the prayer list, please email stmary@stmaryfred.org or call the office at 540-373-6491.

Your intention will be included for the month. If you would like your intention to remain, please reach back out and we will happily include it for an additional month.

Thank you.

Are You Affected By A Loved Ones' Addiction to Drugs?

If you are, please be aware that there is a program at St Mary that offers support to family members and friends of loved ones struggling with this problem. The program is called Nar-Anon.

One of the best benefits of Nar-Anon is that you will find compassion and support from others who are experiencing similar problems and struggles as well as people who have made it through these struggles. You will have the opportunity to hear stories from other members who have addicts in their families as well and see what coping mechanisms worked for them.

All information and discussion at the meetings are non-judgmental, informative, and strictly confidential. The meetings are in Room 100 in the Parish Life Center on Thursday from 7-8 pm and are open to the community at large. For more information, contact Wayne at cushingwr@gmail.com/540-840-5230 or Wanda at wandasj823@gmail.com/540-538-6978.

Daily Mass Intentions

October

24 MONDAY

6:30am Marilyn Marlow+
9:00am Luke Engbert
Eph 4:32—5:8/Lk 13:10-17

25 TUESDAY

6:30am Providence Moeller+
9:00am Lee and Frank Mikalcus+
12:00pm Sharon Girth+
Eph 5:21-33/Lk 13:18-21

26 WEDNESDAY

6:30am Kyle Harring
9:00am Natalie Smith
12:00pm Jim Mosimann
Eph 6:1-9/Lk 13:22-30

27 THURSDAY

6:30am Michael Harring
9:00am Consuelo Villagrana Rivera
12:00pm Bobby Mee
Eph 6:10-20/Lk 13:31-35

28 FRIDAY

6:30am Kiery Beltran
9:00am Newton Dent+
Eph 2:19-22/Lk 6:12-16

29 SATURDAY

9:00am Reymundo Rivera
5:00pm Mary Darlak
7:00pm Francis Maciejczyk+
Phil 1:18b-26/Lk 14:1, 7-11

30 SUNDAY

7:00am For Our Parish
8:30am Barb and Rick Kauffman
10:30am Rev. Scott Sina
10:30am* Albert Heier
12:30pm Our Military Living & Deceased
2:30pm Maria Garcia Silva+
5:00pm Carol & Hugh Fleming & Family
7:00pm Christopher Grey+
Wis 11:22—12:2/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10

** 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.*