

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 21, 2024



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

capital campaign taco celebration

Taco Celebration

We are truly grateful to everyone who contributed to our Taco Celebration on Saturday. The blessings were abundant, and we can not thank you enough for making the day so special and festive. We also want to express our deepest appreciation to the volunteers who gave so generously of their time and talents to make this event a success. It was also wonderful to see the students preparing for confirmation who came out with their parents to help us. Thank you all!!!

We extend our warmest thank you to Rocio Atkinson and her daughter Emma for their many contributions and for preparing the many special side dishes to complement all the tacos. Their help, support, and expertise are greatly appreciated and made the celebration a huge success!!

We also want to express our deepest gratitude to all the parish families that came to our parish-wide Campaign Celebration. It was so great to see you! We will have to do this again soon!!

You and your families are at the heart of our beautiful parish. Your love, prayers, and generosity in support of St. Mary's is a shining example of what can be accomplished when we come together and unite as a parish family. The Campaign Committee is truly humbled!!! We continue to dedicate the success of the Campaign and the work of the Building Committee to our Blessed Mother, Mary. We hope that you will join us in April at the Parish Picnic for the Ground Breaking Ceremony at Holy Cross Academy.



from our pastor

Dear folks,

I have encountered no pain greater than a parent losing a child. And when the child is lost during pregnancy, or at birth, it can be even more confusing and heartbreaking. Recently someone in my family walked the Calvary path of knowing by pre-natal diagnosis that their child would not live long after she was born. Her father was able to give her life, and also give her eternal life by baptizing her in her short life on earth.

Back in January of 2020, we offered Mass for parents and families who have lost children, and many folks said that it was such a moment of grace to be able to grieve for these children. So many relayed stories where folks didn't understand, or they had been told they aren't allowed to grieve. Grieving a child lost in pregnancy is a rebuke of our culture's blind and obstinate denial of the gift of life in the womb. This is why January seems an appropriate time to offer this Mass.

Thus, I invite you to a Candlelight Mass offered for The Unborn and Children Who Have Passed, the St. Gerard Majella Mass, this coming Tuesday, January 23 at 7pm. We have so much to do to build a culture of life. The political struggles for the respect of life mean we must build a culture where baby, mother, and father are all loved and supported.

So if you lost a child, in pregnancy, in school, in college, or adulthood this Mass will be offered both for your children and for you. All are invited to come and offer a prayer of support.

pax,



Pastor

ALL ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE
St. Gerard Majella Mass

**A candlelight Mass for the unborn and
children who have passed**

Tuesday, January 23 at 7pm

announcements



contact us

stmaryfred.org

SUNDAY MASS

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

DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday 6:30am, 9am, & 12pm
Saturday 9am
Holy Days of Obligation, as announced

DEVOTIONS

Adoration, Daily between 6:30am & 9am Mass,
Wednesday 12:30pm - Friday 9am
Divine Mercy, Wednesday, 3pm
First Friday 7pm Novus Ordo (Latin Mass)
First Saturday 8:00am – Fatima Prayers & Rosary
followed by 9am Mass

CONFESSION

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

PARISH OFFICE

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stmary@stmaryfred.org
stmaryfred.org
Monday - Friday 8:30am - 9pm;
Students staff office weekdays until 9pm,
Saturdays 9-5pm, Sundays (Closed)

Very Reverend John P. Mosimann, Vicar Forane, Pastor
Reverend Phillip Cozzi, Parochial Vicar
Reverend Robert Renner, Parochial Vicar
Reverend Tim Courtney, Parochial Vicar
Reverend Kevin Dansereau, Parochial Vicar
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Deacon Dick Delio

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sfry@holycrossweb.com

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Administrative Asst, Lori Barlow

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Assistant Youth Minister, Catie Espiritu

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (OCIA)

Director, Katherine Evans

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

education

holy cross academy

Holy Cross Academy



Open House

Sunday, January 28

Holy Cross Academy

250 Stafford Lakes Parkway
Fredericksburg, VA 22406
540-286-1600

1:00-3:00 pm

Holy Cross Preschool

1009 Stafford Avenue
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9:30-12:00 pm

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our parish religious education

Upcoming Events

Monday to Friday, Registration of Religious Education students at the Parish Office.

Monday to Wednesday, January 22-24
Religious Education Classes, Semester Two begins

Monday to Wednesday, January 29-31
Religious Education Classes

Wednesday, January 31
Final deadline for any missing Confirmation paperwork or Works of Mercy logs

Monday to Saturday, February 1-29
Year 2 Confirmation Interviews

Saturday, February 3
SPRED classes in the PLC 10am-12noon

Saturday, February 3
Catechist Certification Classes: Topic CAT 102: Teaching the Creed (Part 1)

Monday to Wednesday, February 5-7
Religious Education Classes, Students bring St. Mary SOUPER BOWL 2024 donations to class

Saturday, February 10
Catechist Certification Classes in the PLC Topic CAT 102: Teaching the Creed (Part 2)

Monday to Wednesday, February 12-14
No Religious Education Classes

Wednesday, February 14
Ash Wednesday

Thursday, February 15
Confirmation Year 1 Formation Night #3 in the Church from 7-8:15pm

Thursday, February 15 at 4pm
First Penance #1: Holy Cross Academy

Thursday, February 15 at 5pm
First Penance #2: Religious Education students on Mondays at 6:30pm

Friday, February 16 at 4pm
First Penance #3: Religious Education students who attend class on Mondays, Tuesday and Wednesdays at 4:45pm.

Friday February 16 at 5pm
First Penance #4: Religious Education students who attend class on

Tuesdays at 6pm
at HCA, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 6:30pm and Home Taught students

First Penance students and parents are asked to arrive early so students can pray and prepare. vParents are also encouraged to go to confession

5 New Year's Resolutions to Help You Live Your Catholic Faith in 2024

- 1) Dedicate Time to Pray: The more you pray, the more Lord will continue to touch your heart, and soon enough, you'll find yourself wanting to spend more time with Him!
- 2) Listen to a Catholic Podcast: We become what we consume.
- 3) Learn About the Saints: The saints' lives are so diverse that they each glorified God in unique ways. The path to sainthood looks different for everyone, so what better way to be inspired?
- 4) Go to Confession and Mass Regularly: To prepare for Mass, we should make an effort to examine our consciences and receive confession regularly. We all fall short, but the Lord is ready and waiting to embrace us wherever we are.
- 5) Fellowship: Make time for Christ-centered friendships.

churchpop.com/5-new-years-resolutions-to-help-you-live-your-catholic-faith-in-2024/

our parish happenings

Super Bowl Scrip

Get ready for the big game now with Scrip! It's never too early to start stocking up for game day. Stop by the Scrip table today and exchange your cash or check for gift cards to use at Giant, Publix, Weis, Walmart, Target, or Buffalo Wild Wings. We also have a Visa debit card for all the other places you may need to pick up items for the big day. Then get ready to shop with your gift cards and pick up all your treats and decorations to make the game great!

To set up an account at raiserright.com, and use our school code so Holy Cross Academy gets credit for your purchase. If you have any questions about SCRIP or need the school code, please email the Scrip Coordinator at scripcoordinator@holycrossweb.com. Thanks for using SCRIP and supporting HCA!

Join Us to Say Public Rosary at St Mary

Join other parishioners at noon in front of St. Mary on Saturday, January 20 (3rd Saturday of the month) to pray the Rosary as requested at Fatima by our Lady for Peace. RSVP to michaelgkasey@verizon.net.

THIS WEEK ON FORMED Week of January 21, 2024



Saint Francis de Sales and the Character of a Christian: Devotion (Part 1 of 4)
In this four-part series, Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Christopher O. Blum sit down to discuss St. Francis de Sales, his best known work "The Introduction to the Devout Life", and the character of a Christian.



The Conversion of Saint Paul
Dr. Ben Akers sits down with Dr. James Prothro, Assistant Professor of Sacred Scripture at the Augustine Institute Graduate School, to discuss the conversion of one of the largest figures in Christianity, Saint Paul.



The Hour of Our Death | Eternal Rest | Episode 3
The Anointing of the Sick is one of the seven sacraments of the Church. This session, we discover the role of this sacramental anointing in the spiritual struggle during serious illness, the final stages of our temporal life, and the hour of our death.



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CLICK REGISTER THEN ENTER PARISH CODE: **F6F228**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 3034

St. Valentine's Day Dinner/Social

You are warmly invited to join us and fellow parishioners on Saturday, February 10 in the Parish Life Center from 5:30-8:30pm for a Valentine's Day Dinner and Social Evening.

The evening's menu will include herb roasted chicken, roasted potatoes, asparagus, garden salad, and desserts.

The costs are as follows: Adults/teens \$15, Children (7-12) \$10, Children (under 7) Free, Seniors (60 & up) \$12, Please note: The maximum cost per family is \$40

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. All proceeds will go towards upgrading the PLC kitchen equipment.

our parish happenings

Presented by St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception, Fredericksburg

THEOLOGY ON TAP

Fredericksburg

MON. FEBRUARY 5



Strangeways Brewing

350 Lansdowne Rd. Fredericksburg, VA 22401

Doors open at 5pm
Presentation at 6:30pm



This Month

Were the medievals so backwards?

Fr. Rampino is a priest of the Diocese of Arlington, is currently studying Historical Theology at the Catholic University of America, and is a native of Annandale, VA. He will speak to us about the Medieval period which is subject to many misconceptions and negative stereotypes. Fr. Rampino will provide what is hopefully a more accurate portrait of the various cultures of Medieval Europe, highlighting their incredible vibrancy, wild creativity, their incredible insights into human nature, and their deep love for God. This is a night not to miss! Come join for good friends, good beer, and good conversation.



Fr. Joseph Rampino



Connect With Us

fredericksburgtot@gmail.com

**Open to all!
Young families welcome!**

our parish happenings

CONCERTS *at* SAINT MARY 2023-2024

Presents

ALLAN PALACIOS CHAN, tenor
with Frank Conlon, piano

Friday, January 26, 2024 ~ 8:00 p.m.

*“standout” performer “bring-
ing musicality plus an at-
tractive and flexible leggiero
sound to his assignment”*

Seen and Heard International

“clarion high tenor”

Opera News

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SOUPER BOWL WEEKEND AT SAINT MARY'S

FEBRUARY 10-11

SCORE A **TOUCHDOWN** FOR THE
HUNGRY IN OUR DIOCESE BY
BRINGING CANS OF **HEARTY**
SOUP OR RAVIOLI TO MASS.
ALL CANS WILL BE **DONATED**
TO THE ST. LUCY PROJECT!

St Mary Young Adults

Are you between the ages of 18 and 39 and looking to meet new friends in your community? Join the St. Mary's Catholic Young Adult Group! We strive to bring glory to God by serving the young adult population of our parish through faith building activities, opportunities to volunteer in the wider community and relationship building social events. To join us please contact Tyler at stmaryyava@gmail.com - we would love to have you!



Knights of Columbus
Free Throw
Championship
Faith in Action

Boys & Girls

AGES 9-14

at Holy Cross Academy
January 27 from 9-11am

Contact: Joe Cralle at
jacralle@gmail.com

**** Entrants may compete in only one
local competition ****

our parish happenings

Don't Miss This Life-Changing Retreat

Marian Consecration is a great weapon to fight the evils against the Church and in the world. Mary will obtain the grace for us to trust in God's Mercy, as she is the Mother of Mercy.

Experience this extraordinary 33-day journey to Marian Consecration with four giants of Marian spirituality: St. Louis de Montfort, St. Maximilian Kolbe, St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta and St. John Paul II. Fr. Gaitley masterfully summarizes their teaching, making it easy to grasp and simple enough to put into practice. He weaves their thought into a user-friendly retreat that will bless even the busiest of people. So if you have been thinking about entrusting yourself to Mary for the first time or if you are simply looking to deepen or renew your consecration to her, 33 Days to Morning Glory is the right book to read and the perfect retreat.

We will make our consecration together at the March 25th Mass.

Retreat Sessions to be held

February 15th, 22nd, 29th March 7th, 14th, 21st (HCA Library)
Thursday 7pm - 8:30pm

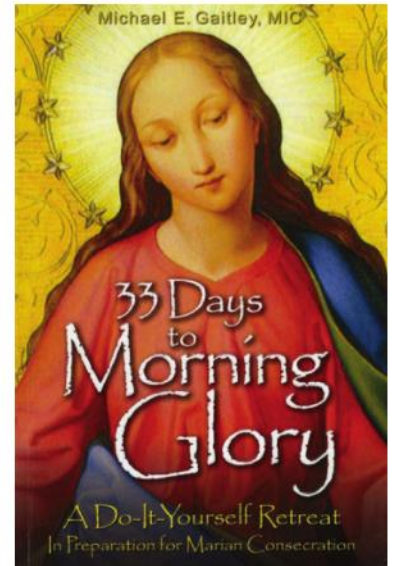
MUST REGISTER NO LATER THAN February 6

Cost: \$13 for the Book

Name _____ Email _____

Phone _____

For more information, call **Donna Harring at 540 316-1105 or donnaharring2@gmail.com**. Bring this registration and drop off a \$13 payment for the book at the parish office. *Please make the check payable to Donna Harring.*



Is the Lord Calling you to Serve Your Community?

The School Dressing Days (SDD) Program which has served the greater Fredericksburg Area for over 15 years in providing over 1,050 children with back-to-school clothing and supplies, is seeking new co-chairs to continue the vital work of SDD. If you are interested or would like more information, please reach out to Carleen Delio at 540-412-9608.

Adult Confirmation

We will begin Adult Confirmation classes for all those who have been Baptized and received First Communion, but have not had the opportunity to be Confirmed. The first class will be Tuesday, January 23 at 7pm in the Parish Office library. If you would like to sign up for the classes, please call the Parish Office to register, leaving your name, phone and email address. Thank you.

Micah Cold Weather Shelter

The Micah Cold Weather Shelter opened for the winter season on November 15 and will remain in operation until mid- to late-March. Teams of Saint Mary volunteers assist on Tuesday evenings by greeting and checking in clients, setting up sleeping areas, and providing hospitality for the 30+ individuals that utilize the facility. Each participating church is asked to bring 3 dozen items (e.g. white socks, thermal underwear, men's boxer briefs, women's underwear and t-shirts). Please consider how you might be able to support this need—all donations are gratefully accepted at our Parish Office. Although it is a good thing that the temporary shelter is available during the harsh winter months, it highlights the continuing need for sustainable housing and support mechanisms in our community. For more information about community efforts to help the homeless, please visit Micah Ecumenical Ministries, dolovewalk.net or Thurman-Brisben Homeless Shelter, thurmanbrisbencenterv.org.

our parish happenings

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



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FIGHT CLUB
Young Men 7-12 Grade

Thy Kingdom Come

Claim Your Royal Dignity and Inheritance

Get Inspired
to **LIVE** a
HEROIC LIFE

Schedule for each week:

6:00 am—Hot Breakfast (PLC)
6:50 am—Presentation (Church)

Use this QR code to register.
Questions, contact Peter Paquette
paquettepeter@yahoo.com



Spring Semester

Session 14	Jan 20	Resilience and Perseverance
Session 15	Jan 27	Son of Man, Do You See?
Session 16	Feb 3	A Time for Purification
Session 17	Feb 10	The Kingdom is Like A Dragnet
Session 18	Feb 17	Just a Guy in the Pew
Session 19	Feb 24	The Narrow Gate
Session 20	Mar 2	A Tale of Two Cities
Session 21	Mar 9	The Darkness of Modern Culture
	Mar 16	Unbound Retreat NOTMIY
Session 22	Mar 23	A Civilization of Love
	Mar 30	Easter Weekend NOTMIY
Session 23	Apr 6	A Life of Dissipation
Session 24	Apr 13	Working in Redemption
Session 25	Apr 20	Kingdom is Like a Great Banquet
Session 26	Apr 27	A Royal People

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our parish
happenings

UNBOUND
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HEART OF THE FATHER

**Freedom in Christ
Conference**

Based on the 5 Keys to Freedom by Neal Lozano

- Are you anxious or fearful?
- Holding on to past hurts?
- Stuck in a cycle of sin?
- Feel that you are “no good”?

**Receive the freedom and love
that Christ intends for you!**



For more
information:
stmaryfred.org
540-373-6491

March 15-16, 2024

Friday, March 15—6:30pm-9pm

Saturday, March 16—8:30am-8pm

Holy Cross Academy

250 Stafford Lakes Parkway
Fredericksburg, VA 22406

\$80
per person

Includes food & materials
Financial aid available

Register



vida parroquial

noticias en español

Centro Católico de Formación JSV

Retiro Tetelestai



contemplaremos

La gloria de Jesús en su pasión. Veremos los personajes y el escenario de la Última Cena, Pasión, Muerte y Resurrección de Jesús que manifiestan su gloria.

24 y 25 de febrero
Sábado 8am-6:30pm • Domingo 8am-4pm

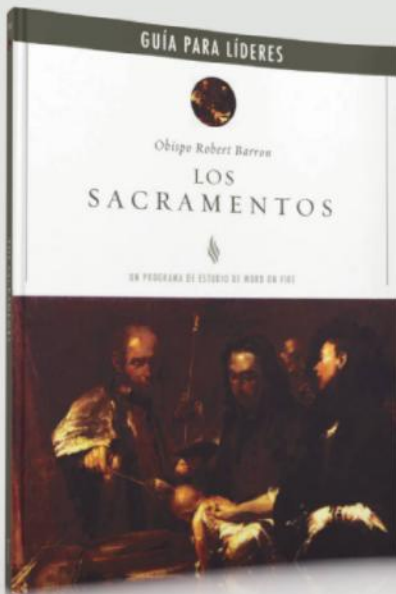
Centro de Vida Parroquial
St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception
1009 Stafford Avenue
Fredericksburg, VA 22401

Regístrate



\$60

O en persona en la oficina con Giovanni
540-373-6491 o gcamacho@stmaryfred.org



LOS SACRAMENTOS

- Jesús nos dio los siete Sacramentos; no los podemos rechazar
- Los Sacramentos nos ayudan a obtener la Gracia de Dios
- A través de los Sacramentos podemos obtener nuestra salvación
- Ven a crecer espiritualmente junto a tus hijos y prepárate para darles a ellos lo mejor de Dios
- No te quedes ni en tu carro ni en tu casa
- Las clases comienzan el 22, 23 y 24 de febrero todos los lunes, martes y miércoles a las 4:45 y 6:30 pm



our parish youth ministry

January 2024

Youth Ministry Calendar



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
31	1	2	3 YOUCAT	4	5 MS YOUTH GROUP	6
7 HS YOUTH GROUP	8 SENIOR MINISTRY	9	10 YOUCAT	11 FEMININE GENIUS	12	13
14 HS YOUTH GROUP	15	16	17 YOUCAT	18	19 MS YOUTH GROUP	20 FIGHT CLUB
21 HS YOUTH GROUP	22	23	24 YOUCAT	25 FEMININE GENIUS	26	27 FIGHT CLUB
28 HS YOUTH GROUP	29	30	31 YOUCAT	1	2	3

Month of the Holy Name of Jesus

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP (9th-12th)

Every Sunday, 6:00 - 8:30pm
Parish Life Center
Dinner, friends, and faith formation for high school!

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP (6th-8th)

1st and 3rd Fridays, 6:30 - 8:00pm
Parish Life Center
Dinner, friends, and faith formation for middle school!

YOUCAT (9th-12th)

Every Wednesday, 6:30 - 8:00pm
John Paul II House
Dive deeper into your Catholic faith!

FIGHT CLUB (7th-12th BOYS)

Every Saturday, 6:30-8:00am
Parish Life Center
Explore what it means to be a Man of God!

FEMININE GENIUS (6th-12th GIRLS)

2nd and 4th Thursdays, 6:30 - 8:00pm
John Paul II House
Explore what it means to be a Woman of God!

SENIOR MINISTRY (12th)

January 8th, 5:00-6:30pm
Parish Office Conference Room
Join us for a potluck dinner and deeper discussion!



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High School Retreat!

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH - SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18TH
TOANO, VIRGINIA

PERMISSION SLIPS DUE FEB. 4TH

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Donations Received January 4 - 9

Sunday Offertory	\$42,872.00
Christmas Offertory	\$5,065.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$1,291.00
First Offering for Envelopes	\$1,485.00
Arlington Catholic Herald	\$1,280.00
Parish Debt Reduction	\$533.00
Immaculate Conception	\$170.00
Parish Christmas Charities	\$177.00
St Vincent de Paul Poor Box	\$323.00

Faith Direct Donations January 4

Sunday Offertory	\$81,367.78
Parish Debt Reduction Fund	\$5,316.50
Church in Latin America	\$2,280.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$3,340.00

Masses were offered in December for the following unscheduled intentions: For All Animals, Beth Kirk (3), Corrinne Morgan, +Maureen Bunn, +Jack Glennon, and Barbara Felson.

Thank you for your generosity!

First Offering Contributions to Help Offset Cost of Collection Envelopes

Each year in January the envelope packet always includes an envelope marked "First Offering" with a suggested donation of \$15.00. This is not a regular collection, but merely a request for a free-will offering to help offset the cost of the printing and bimonthly mailing of collection envelopes to more than 5,000 parish families. From July 2022 to June 2023, the parish's cost for the offering envelopes was \$23,339.48. First Offering donations received for the same period totaled \$5,374.51. Your generosity and support in helping to offset the cost of the envelopes is greatly appreciated.

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).

Children's Charity - 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 marywashingtonhealthcare.com/ourservices/hospice.



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liturgy daily bread

Saint Mary Prayer List - January

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

Barbara Drummond, Carlos Enrique, Chris Breth, Clifford Snipe, Connor Blaisdell, David Smetek, Donna Roehrich, Drew LoRusso, Hazel Tiller, Janet Weddell, Jason Stoker, Joanne O'Brien, Jorge A. Lecea, Karl Eugene, Lexie Haglund, Lisa Dunkin, Louise Ravert, Mary Beth Dobbins, Michael Fedowitz III, Migdalia Ortega, Patricia Wallace, Paula Snellings, Sal Castro, Shirley Bozicevic, Ted Jung, Tom O'Brien, David Smetek

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, Elijah Hornback, Dominic Marsillo

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.

Is Your Heart Broken by a Loved One's Addiction to Drugs?

If so, please be aware that there is a program at St. Mary that offers support to family members and friends of loved ones struggling with a drug addiction problem. The program is called NAR-ANON.

At NAR-ANON meetings, you will have the opportunity to share your story, hear stories from other members, and develop positive coping mechanisms in dealing with your addict.

Compassion and understanding are ever present at the meetings. You are not alone in this struggle! Please take the first step and come to a meeting. Just listen if you want. There is no pressure to share.

The meetings are held at St. Mary Catholic Church in Room 100 in the Parish Life Center on Thursday from 7-8pm and are open to the public at large. For more information call or text Wayne (540)840-5230 or Wanda (540)538-6978

Daily Mass Intentions

January

22 MONDAY

6:30am Aristides Lucas
9:00am Ross Retterer
12:00pm Stephen Inquanti, Jr.+
2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/Mk 3:22-30

23 TUESDAY

6:30am Kaylee Engbert
9:00am Karen Sturtevant
2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19/Mk 3:31-35

24 WEDNESDAY

6:30am Peter Olenick+
8:15am* Luca Speckter
9:00am Alfredo Sr. and Corazon Catolico+
2 Sm 7:4-17/Mk 4:1-20

25 THURSDAY

6:30am Katherine Guzman
9:00am Lee Fleming+
Acts 22:3-16/Mk 16:15-18

26 FRIDAY

6:30am Alejandra Quiroz
9:00am George Johnson, Jr.+
2 Tm 1:1-8/Mk 4:26-34

27 SATURDAY

9:00am MaryGrace Tucker
5:00pm Fr. Joseph Morgan
7:00pm Khang V. And On Nguyen
2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Mk 4:35-41

28 SUNDAY

7:00am Peter Arokiasamy+
8:30am Christopher Lanzarone
8:30am* Angie and Tony Recupero
10:30am For Our Parish
10:30am* Anthony D'Ostillo+
12:30pm Dorothy Beach+
2:30pm All Souls in Purgatory
5:00pm Our Military Living and Deceased
7:00pm Joseph Ngon Vu+
Dt 18:15-20/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28

** Indicates Mass at Holy Cross Academy.
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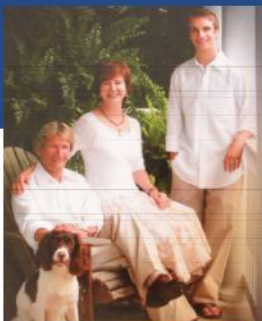
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