

February 9 & 10, 2019

Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	8:00 a.m.
	10:00 a.m.
	12:00 noon

Monday-Friday	7:30 a.m.
Saturday	8:30 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday	6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Saturday	4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesday	6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
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HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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CLERGY:

Rev. Mark Smith, Pastor

Rev. Andrew Clyne, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Charles F. Smarsh

PARISH STAFF:

Mrs. Marie Winterson

Parish Secretary

Virtus Child Protection Coordinator

Mrs. Kathie Bernitt

Bookkeeper

Mrs. Bethany Berard

Director of Religious Education

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Mrs. Maria Balducci

Director of Music

Mr. James Brosnihan

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HOLY REDEEMER SCHOOL

301-474-3993

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Mrs. Maria C. Bovich, Principal

Pre-Kindergarten through 8th Grade

Beforecare & Aftercare Available

Tuition Assistance Available

MATRIMONY

Please call the Parish Office at least six months in advance to speak with a priest and to schedule Pre-Cana Formation and a wedding date.

BAPTISM

Baptisms are typically held the fourth Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m. Please call the parish office for information and to schedule Baptism Preparation Formation and a Baptism date.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



Do you have enough? Many of us come from a nation of material abundance. We have all the things we could possibly need not only to survive, but to thrive - food, shelter, mental ability, income, access to medical care. Most people in human history lived with far less than we. So why are we so dissatisfied? Some Christians can be drawn to the "prosperity Gospel." This is the idea that following God will bring us material abundance in this life.

That surely seems to be the story of today's Gospel! Peter and his friends chose - with some faith - to put out their nets a final time at Jesus' command. *"They caught a great number of fish and their nets were tearing. They signaled to their partners in the other boat to come to help them. They came and filled both boats so that they were in danger of sinking."* What gift! What abundance! What prosperity! Peter and his friends caught more fish than they'd ever seen. Yet what is their response to this material abundance, this gift from God? They leave it behind. *"When they brought their boats to the*

shore, they left everything and followed him."

Praying for God to meet our physical, material needs is not a bad thing! Jesus himself includes *"give us this day our daily bread"* in the prayer he teaches his disciples. The question is, how do we respond when our prayers are answered? Do we thank God briefly, or perhaps ignore Him completely and move on with our lives? Or do we respond as Peter did? *"God, You showed up in an area that has no bearing on my eternal salvation. You gave me a gift I didn't even really need. You love me! You really do love me."* Is our gratitude only surface level? Or do we allow ourselves, like Peter did, to respond with wonder, awe, and deeper discipleship?

FR. MARK'S TALK SERIES



This year, our pastor, Fr. Mark Smith has offered a talk series. Each of these Sunday afternoon sessions has focused on a current 'hot topic' facing the

Church today.

Fr. Mark's next talk will be held on **Sunday, February 10, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. on the Mezzanine.** The format will include a brief explanation of the topic, leaving the majority of time for discussion.

The topic is: ***Our Catholic Culture: A long history of transformation, a troubling present situation of confusion, and a future of uncertainty.*** How do we want our Catholic culture to impact and transform the future?

All are welcome! Hope to see you there!

THE BEATITUDES:
OUR DESIRE FOR HAPPINESS
presented by Fr. Andrew Clyne



This Monday, February 11th, all are invited to attend a talk given by Fr. Andrew Clyne on *The Beatitudes: Our Desire for*

Happiness. This session will take place in the **Goretti Room from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.**

If you are a cradle Catholic, a convert to the faith, or are not Catholic but are interested in learning more, please join us! This session coincides with our preparation for those preparing to become Catholic through our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) Program.

Every month, a session like this will be opened to the parish to attend. Come and learn more about the basic teachings of our faith and to welcome those who are on the journey of becoming Catholic.

SAFE HAVEN AT HOLY REDEEMER



For many years Holy Redeemer has supported a multi-church program, known as Safe Haven, that provides night-time shelter and food for homeless men in the area who are registered in the program. Each participating church provides shelter and food for one week. Our turn this year is **March 3rd through March 17th** (We will host the men for two weeks). We expect to have about 12 to 15 homeless guests staying each night in **Fealy Hall**.

Many hands will make light work in this effort. There is a sign-up chart on the Mezzanine which will show what is needed, and when. We especially need volunteers aged 18 or over to spend the night in Fealy Hall with our guests. Please contact Bob & Mary Wassmann on 301-345-7098 for additional information or to volunteer.

SCHOOL OF RELIGION



School of Religion will be in session this Sunday, February 10th.

There will be no School of Religion next Sunday, February 17th due to Presidents' Day Weekend.

If you have any questions, please contact the parish office at parish@holyredeemer.org or 301-474-3920.

CONFIRMATION GATHERING



The next Confirmation Gathering will take place this Sunday, February 10th from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. in

the Four Seasons Room. All Confirmation candidates are expected to attend.

If this Gathering is cancelled due to inclement weather, a makeup date has been scheduled for Sunday, February 17th.

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Berard in the parish office or via e-mail at bberard@holyredeemer.org.

**50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ANNUAL APPEAL
— A TIME FOR REFLECTION**



The theme of the 2019 Appeal is *"Our Faith. Our Hope. Our Mission."* and is much different from a one-time special collection. It is a pledge campaign where you can make a gift, today, payable over ten months that will help support the ministries and mission of all our faith communities of the Church of Washington. Please find the Annual Appeal brochure and Frequently Asked Questions in this bulletin for your review.

A gift to the Annual Appeal will touch the lives of thousands of people in a very positive way. As you review the work enabled by your contribution, please reflect on God's gifts to you. Our combined gifts not only signify our gratitude to God, they glorify Him by enabling the work of our archdiocese and give Him thanks for all He has given us.

This year, you can support the Annual Appeal many different ways. Many of you may have received a mailing in January that you can respond to. You can also support the Appeal online at adw.org or text "Give" to (301) 231-1816. We will also be providing the opportunity to support the Appeal at Mass over the next couple of weekends.

As in every year, 100% of your contribution to the Annual Appeal will be designated to the ministries and programs supported by the Appeal.

Thank you for your prayerful consideration and generous response.

PRESIDENTS DAY



Morning Mass on Presidents Day, Monday, February 18th will be celebrated at 10:00 a.m. instead of 7:30 a.m.

The Holy Redeemer Parish Office and Holy Redeemer School will be closed on that day.

HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH, COLLEGE PARK, MD

ASH WEDNESDAY



Masses with distribution of ashes on Ash Wednesday, March 6th, will be celebrated at 7:30 a.m., 8:20 a.m. (School Mass), 12:10 p.m., 7:30 p.m. **Reminder Liturgical Ministers: Please volunteer to serve these Masses!*

BURNING OF PALMS

Please drop off last year's Palm Sunday palms so that we can burn them to make this year's Ash Wednesday ashes! Baskets are at the entrances of the church!

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

WORKSHOP FOR LECTORS

A workshop for lectors in English will be offered on two Saturdays during this winter: **February 16th at St. Catherine Laboure Church (Wheaton, MD) from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.;** and **Saturday, February 23rd at the Archdiocesan Pastoral Center (Hyattsville, MD) from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.** A \$5 registration fee can be paid at the door. Please RSVP by contacting the Office of Worship at liturgy@adw.org or 301-853-4594 and leaving your name, phone, email, and parish name.

**Holy Redeemer New Lectors
should attend one of these workshops.**

Veteran Lectors, please consider attending as well!

MARYLAND CATHOLIC CONFERENCE'S "CATHOLICS IN ANNAPOLIS"



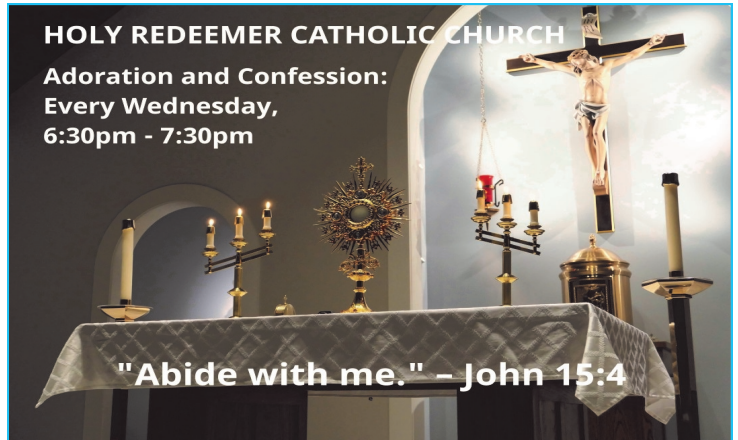
Catholics in Annapolis is your chance to get inspired and meet face-to-face with your legislators to share with them the Church's position on important issues. Your help is needed to stop a proposed abortion rights constitutional amendment, to help secure scholarships for low-income students, to stop the legalization of assisted suicide, and to protect human rights. We need your voice in 2019!

This year's event is on **Thursday February 21, 2019 from 3:00 to 8:00 p.m.** This year we will kick off the evening by praying the Rosary for our elected officials. We hope you can join us for this exciting event! If you're interested in attending, please register at <https://www.catholicsinannapolis.org> or contact Cathy Simmons at cathygill4@gmail.com. ***Free bus transportation will be provided to those that register online!***

Our Holy Redeemer leader is Nanette Mack. For more information or to RSVP for our head count, please contact her at 301-474-3692 or nanette.mack@gmail.com

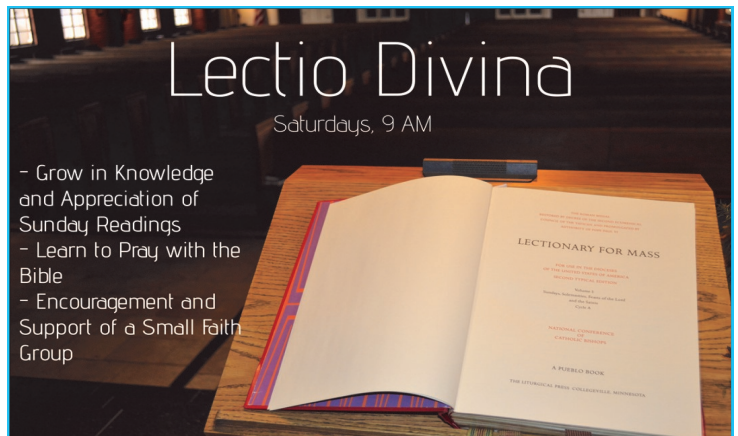
HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH

**Adoration and Confession:
Every Wednesday,
6:30pm - 7:30pm**



"Abide with me." – John 15:4

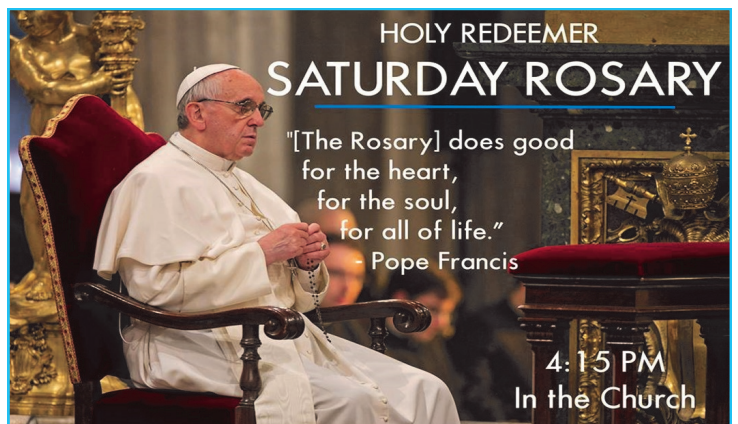
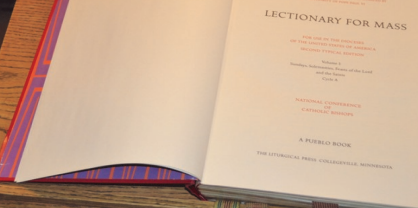
All are invited to join us **every Wednesday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.** for a Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration. We begin with the traditional Latin chant, *"O Salutaris Hostia"*, hear the Gospel for the upcoming weekend, spend time in silent prayer and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, and conclude with another traditional Latin chant, *"Tantum Ergo Sacramentum"*, and finally The Divine Praises.



- Grow in Knowledge and Appreciation of Sunday Readings
- Learn to Pray with the Bible
- Encouragement and Support of a Small Faith Group

Lectio Divina

Saturdays, 9 AM



HOLY REDEEMER SATURDAY ROSARY

*"[The Rosary] does good
for the heart,
for the soul,
for all of life."*
Pope Francis

**4:15 PM
In the Church**

Please join us for community rosary and devotional prayers, **every Saturday at Holy Redeemer at 4:15 p.m.** as we offer prayers for Pro-Life Intentions and for the conversion of the hearts of abortion practitioners. All are welcome, please bring family and friends. Please contact Katherine Hunter for any help at (240) 444-3390 or safl.bh.md@gmail.com.



Holy Redeemer School Happenings

Upcoming Events

- Wednesday, February 6: 8:20am School Mass— All are welcome!
- Wednesday, February 13: 8:20am Pre-K and Grade 4 Buddy Class Mass— All are welcome!
- Monday, February 18: No School
- Wednesday, February 20: 8:20am School Mass— All are welcome!
- Wednesday, February 20: 5-9pm Restaurant Night @ Hard Times Café in College Park.
- Wednesday, February 27: 8:20am School Mass
- Thursday, February 28: 7:45-8:10am Muffins for Moms
- February 28-March 6: Book Fair in the HRS Library
- Friday, March 1: 7-11pm Silent Auction & Mardi Gras in the FSR

Registration for 2019-2020

Registration for Holy Redeemer School is open! The registration application is available via TADS, and can be accessed on our school website under *Admissions*.



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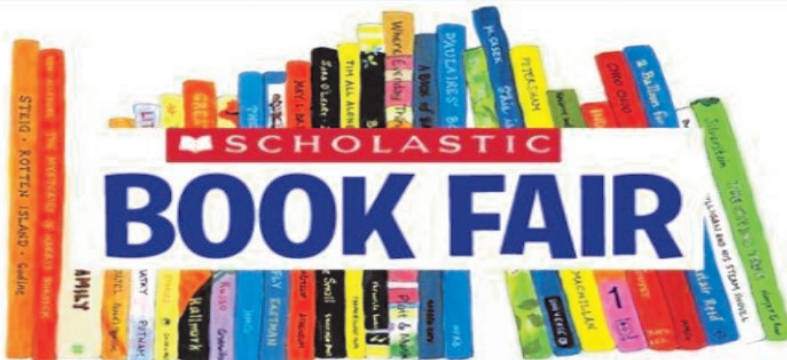
Thursday, February 21 9:00-11:00am
& 3:30-6:00pm

Every Tuesday in March 8:30-11:00am

Tuesday, March 12 7:00-8:30pm

Tours available any time by appointment

"Excellence in Education with the Power of Faith"



February 28-March 6

HOLY REDEEMER HSA PRESENTS



**VEGAS NIGHT
AND SILENT AUCTION**

Friday, March 1
7pm to 11pm

JOIN US FOR A FUN NIGHT
FEATURING VEGAS-STYLE TABLE GAMES,
A CATERED DINNER, LIVE MUSIC, AND
MANY FABULOUS AUCTION ITEMS!
CASH BAR FOR BEER, WINE, AND SODA
FREE BABYSITTING PROVIDED AS WELL!



FEBRUARY 9 & 10, 2019



Job Fair

Elementary Schools of the Archdiocese of Washington

Great teachers and school faculty members make a difference in the lives of their students, as well as their communities. The Archdiocese of Washington Catholic Schools offers a rich and rewarding career. Teachers, teaching assistants, counselors, office staff, and nurses, please join us on

SATURDAY, MARCH 9, 2019

9:00AM - 12:00PM

DeMatha Catholic High School
4313 Madison Street, Hyattsville, MD

DISCOVER THE DIFFERENCE!

Meet principals and representatives from Catholic elementary and middle schools in Prince George's County.
Please bring copies of your resume.

STEWARDSHIP

COLLECTIONS

February 3, 2019

**Poor Box \$35.08*

Offertory Collected: \$10,145.50

Budget Goal: \$9,450.00

Surplus / Deficit: \$695.50

THANK YOU!

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS FOR 2018

Please stop by the Altar Server Vesting area at the front of the church to pick up your family's 2018 Contribution Statement and help us to be good fiscal stewards by saving us the cost of postage. *(Those who contribute through Faith Direct should expect for Faith Direct to mail your statement.)*

IN YOUR PRAYERS

PRAYERS FOR THE ILL & INFIRM

Flore Gooch

Roy Nelson

Marian LeRoux, sister of Dorothy Wathen

PRAYERS FOR OUR BELOVED DEAD

Mary Hudak

Margaret Ann Moss, aunt of Carole Wilkinson

**Kathleen Rose, mother of Brendan Rose and
grandmother of Alice Rose & Leo Rose**

MASS INTENTIONS

FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 3, 2019

Saturday, February 9, 2019

8:30 a.m. Harvey, Jr. & Nellie Cooper, RIP
Requested by Jennee Chin

5:00 p.m. All Parishioners

Sunday, February 10, 2019

8:00 a.m. Janet E. Day, RIP
Requested by the Day Family

10:00 a.m. Paul Vinansky, RIP
Requested by the Lattanzi Family

12:00 noon Leon Klosky & Nancy Shaw, RIP
Requested by the Garner Family

Monday, February 11, 2019

7:30 a.m. John F. Bardi, RIP
Requested by the Cardosi Family

Tuesday, February 12, 2019

**7:30 a.m. Mrs. Bonnie Kennealy, RIP,
mother of Fr. Jack Kennealy**
Requested by the Winterson Family

Wednesday, February 13, 2019

7:30 a.m. Kenneth Huang, RIP
Requested by Vincent & Fern Huang

Thursday, February 14, 2019

7:30 a.m. Kent Winterson, RIP
Requested by Joe & Mary Katherine Theis

Friday, February 15, 2019

7:30 a.m. Adrien Forbes, RIP
Requested by Ray Smith

Saturday, February 16, 2019

8:30 a.m. George Berard, RIP
Requested by Joe & Mary Katherine Theis

5:00 p.m. Philip E. Krug, Jr. RIP
Requested by Pat Krug

Sunday, February 17, 2019

8:00 a.m. Vera LaGue, RIP
Requested by Tom & Carol Fox

10:00 a.m. All Parishioners

12:00 noon Shirley DeVaughn, RIP
Requested by the DeVaughn Family

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 10, 2019

Sunday: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8/1 Cor 15:1-11
or 15:3-8, 11/Lk 5:1-11

Monday: Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 and 12, 24 and 35c/Mk
6:53-56

Tuesday: Gn 1:20—2:4a/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30/Mk
7:14-23

Thursday: Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Mk 7:24-30

Friday: Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/Mk 7:31-37

Saturday: Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13/Mk 8:1-10

Next Sunday: Jer 17:5-8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6/1 Cor 15:12, 16-20/Lk 6:17,
20-26