

# *Our Lady's Catholic Church*

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## **Sacrament of Baptism**

By appointment, with enough time for Parents to meet with the Priest.

## **Sacrament of Marriage**

Arrangements should be made six months in advance.

## **Religious Education**

Classes for those attending Public School please call Parish Office.

## **Registration in the Parish**

Parishioners should be registered. We need you! Forms are available at the door to the church.



## **Pastor**

Rev. John T. Nguyen

## **Permanent Deacon**

Deacon Thomas Spalding (Retired)

## **Parish Secretary and Bookkeeper**

Mrs. Rebekah J. Guyther

## **Religious Education Coordinator**

Mrs. Christine H. Biglin

## **Schedule of Masses**

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Tuesday - Saturday: 8:00 a.m.

Holy days as announced

## **Parish Office Hours 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**

Weekdays

Closed on Monday

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Fourth Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Saturday: 3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.



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## Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### REFLECTION

Each week we are welcomed by our fellow sojourners as we gather together to celebrate the Eucharist. Today we hear of a woman and her husband who offer hospitality to the prophet Elisha whenever he comes to their city, going so far as furnishing him with a place to stay. Let us furnish a place in our hearts for our Lord to stay so that we may gain strength and nourishment on our journey to the kingdom.

Much is demanded of a disciple, but great are the rewards. Elisha's benefactors furnish a room for the itinerant prophet, and he goes on to make them an extraordinary promise. Saint Paul tells the Romans that those baptized in Christ are baptized into his death, but will also live with him in eternal life. Jesus tells his apostles that each must take up his cross, but they will be rewarded with everlasting life in the kingdom. Are we willing to be disciples as well?

### This Sunday's Readings

#### **First Reading**

*2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a:* Genuine hospitality is highly praised.

#### **Responsorial Psalm**

*Psalm 89:* "For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord."

#### **Second Reading**

*Romans 6:3-4, 8-11:* We must consider ourselves dead to sin.

#### **Gospel Reading**

*Matthew 10:37-42:* Whoever does not take up the cross is not worthy of Christ.

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### **OUR LADY'S CHURCH DAILY MASS SCHEDULE**

**OUR LADY'S CHURCH HAS REOPENED FOR DAILY MASS ON TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS AT 10:00AM, NO SIGN UP IS REQUIRED.**

**THIS IS AN EVOLVING SITUATION SO AS DAYS OR TIMES CHANGE WE WILL KEEP YOU POSTED BY EMAIL AND OUR WEBSITE.**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED PATIENCE AS WE WORK THROUGH PLANS TO SAFELY RETURN TO MASS.**

### Message from Fr. John:

We are happy to resume Mass at Our Lady's Church on Sundays at 11am. We are only able to celebrate one Sunday Mass at this time and attendance will be limited so please sign up online under "Parish News about Mass Attendance". While attendance is limited, please remember the dispensation from the Sunday and holy day obligation will remain in effect. As changes are made to the Mass schedule and the sign-up procedure, we will communicate that on our website and through email. If you are a registered parishioner, but not receiving an email, please let us know. If you would like to register as a parishioner, please register online or download a registration form and send it to our parish office.

Please keep in mind these important guidelines when visiting the church:

- A face mask is required.
- Sanitize your hands.
- Social distancing is required.
- Enter the church through the front door unless you require handicap access.
- Exit through all doors.
- Church seating will be limited - pews are marked so family/individuals will sit 3 pews apart.
- There will be no offertory collection, but we will have a donation receptacle as you enter the church.
- Missalettes and paper aids in the pews are removed.
- There will be no exchange of the sign of peace and no holy water in the fonts.
- Minimize the use of the restrooms if possible.

Thank you for your patience as we work through our plans for re-opening.



## SUNDAY June 28, 2020 & ITS VIGIL

### Mass Intentions

Sat Jun 27	Loyd Stancil
Sun Jun 28	Clarence Goddard, Jr.
Tue Jun 30	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Wed Jul 1	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thu Jul 2	Rebekah Jarboe
Fri Jul 3	Joseph Merton Jarboe
Sat Jul 4	Doug Woodburn
Sun Jul 5	Anna Marie Quade

### Please, Pray for the Intentions of Our Sick

Barbara Dudzic, Ginny Ulett, John Allum-Poon, Evelyn Ryce, Dennis Gatley, Teresa Fenwick, James "Boogie" Howe, Keith Harless, Claudia Fenwick, Cathy Norris, Ricky Burroughs, Anna Daugherty, Ben DeWeese, Dona Hamlet, Bob Russell, Rene Chicoine, Jessica Higgs, Margaret Breakfield, Irene Dixon, Katie Gatley, Pat Bateman, Ann & Jim Sheasley, Claudia Geroni, Marlene Norris, Sarah Milburn, Agnes Higgs, James N. Trossbach, Edith McFadden, Ann Duchesne, Pat Goin, Beth Higgs, Peter Van Ryswick, Philip Woodburn, David Wood, Charles Mills, Alice Holly, Jackson Morgan, Gary Rogers, Wayne Norris, John A. Abell, Jessica Coss, John Fenwick, Cecelia Knott, Jimmy Ludwig, David Cook, Angel Spalding, Ray Harding, Jr., Kim Sariego, Caroline Sadler, Ellie Vance, Deacon Tom & Rose Spalding, Trish (McWilliams) Guy, Christina Howe, Ethan Swayze, Jean Bowles Wathen, Jody Van Ryswick, Jimmy Morrisette, Joyce Thompson, Timothy Sauler, Jacob Johnson, Shane Copsey

### CHARITABLE OUTREACH COMMITTEE

The Charitable Outreach Committee is continuing to collect food for St. Cecilia's food pantry and for Helping Hands food pantry. *Please answer Christ's call to "Feed the hungry" by regularly donating food items.* Food can be left in the back of the church by the Sacred Heart statue.

### First Communion/Confirmation Gifts

Heavenly Presents provides many affordable gift ideas to meet your First Communion and Confirmation needs! We are located at: 22697 Washington Street, (on the Square) in Leonardtown, Maryland. Operated by volunteers are store hours are: Tuesday and Thursday, 10 am until 5pm; Wednesday and Friday, 10am until 6pm and Saturday 10am to 3pm. Patron Saint medals should be ordered in advance! Communion Catalogs are available upon request! For more info call us: (301) 475-9770.

### **Father Andrew White School Crusader Connections: Now Enrolling:**

Our award winning parish school, Father Andrew White, is now enrolling students for the 2020-2021 school year. For more information, check out their website at [www.fatherandrewwhite.org](http://www.fatherandrewwhite.org) or email our principal, Ms. Francisco at [principal@fatherandrewwhite.org](mailto:principal@fatherandrewwhite.org). She is happy to answer your questions during this time of extended school closure. Once the school building is open again, we look forward to giving you a personalized tour so you can meet the dedicated and caring staff and find out how the students are "Learning Today, Leading Tomorrow, Living our Faith."

**CEMETERY NEWS:** Please keep in mind that Archdiocesan Cemetery regulations prohibit artificial flowers in the grass during the cutting season. In addition, please refrain from placing loose objects on or around the headstones as they are a hazard to the groundskeepers and volunteers who clean and maintain the cemetery. Thank you.

**ANNUAL JUBILIARIAN CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE:** The annual Jubilarian Mass honoring couples celebrating milestone-wedding anniversaries will take place on Sunday, November 22 at 2:00pm at the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception. To register, please contact our parish office by September 30. For more information, call the Office for Family Life at 301-853-4546 or send an email to: [visiblesign@adw.org](mailto:visiblesign@adw.org)

*During this Covid-19 Pandemic the parish office is closed, but Father and the staff are available remotely. When visiting the church please remember social distancing and safe hygiene practices. If you would like to access the church for private prayer and reflection please email [olcmedleysneck@gmail.com](mailto:olcmedleysneck@gmail.com) or call the Parish Office and we will call return your call.*

### Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Mass Intentions: Fr. John honors all Mass Intentions when he says Mass in the Rectory. If you would like to post-pone your intention, please call us 301-475-8403.

**Call the Rectory:** Please keep Fr. John or the Parish Office informed if someone is sick or hospitalized. We can add their name to the prayer list. They can also have a visit from Fr. John.

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