

Our Lady's Catholic Church

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Pastor

Rev. John T. Nguyen

Permanent Deacon

Deacon Thomas Spalding (Retired)

Parish Secretary and Bookkeeper

Mrs. Rebekah J. Guyther

Schedule of Masses

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

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

Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Holy days as announced

Parish Office Hours 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Tuesday - Friday

Closed on Monday

Sacrament of Reconciliation

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

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.



Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

REFLECTION

During November we remember and honor all those who have preceded us in death. We recall especially those who have passed away this past year. It is normal to struggle with one's faith when in the throes of grief. Death comes with trauma and questions that we can never answer satisfactorily. Why was she taken so soon? Why did he suffer so much? How will our family get through this? We come together today, and each Sunday, as a family of faith to be nourished at the table of the Word and the table of the Eucharist. May the resurrected Lord, whom we receive in the Eucharist, strengthen and comfort us as we pray for those we have lost.

Mass Intention Requests

Please call the Parish Office at 301-475-8403 to request a Mass Intention. The usual stipend is \$10 and Mass cards signed by Fr. John are available.

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.

LET'S TALK ABOUT IT SERIES

Ladies! Join the Encounter Grace team on **Wednesday, November 17, 2021** at Immaculate Conception Parish Hall, Mechanicsville MD, for a relaxed evening as we discuss the life of St. Andrew. Just in time to celebrate his feast day, November 30, 2021! This is a free event, but we do RSVP: <https://www.encountergrace.co/lets-talk-about-it-series> Email hello@encountergrace.co with any questions.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Hollywood VFD will be hosting an Annual Tree Lighting event featuring Santa Clause on November 28, 2021 at the Hollywood Fire House. Santa will visit everyone OUTSIDE and children will receive a goody bag with crafts, cookie and a drink!! Festivities start at 4 PM with Santa arriving about 5 PM.

Nightly Rosary: If you would welcome a time-out from your busy schedule, come join us in prayer. Since September 2018, the Council of Catholic Women (CCW) has been hosting a nightly Rosary call for the healing of the Church. We also pray for healing from the COVID pandemic and for callers' personal intentions. All (men, women, children, non-CCW members) are welcome to join us any night of the week or every night of the week. How often is up to you. How about once a month on your birthdate? Please join us at 8:00 p.m. as we read meditations on the Rosary's mysteries and pray together. Remember, in prayer we are never alone. Call 605-468-8016, code 357090# 8:00 p.m., 7 days a week.

Collection for Retired Priests: On November 13/14 the Archdiocesan collection is for the Retired Priests of the Archdiocese of Washington. Continuing Christ's mission, archdiocesan priests have selflessly served the faithful and the community for decades. Let's join together to help to provide care and housing for your retired priests so they can live in dignity.

WOMEN'S NIGHT OF REFLECTION – NOVEMBER 9TH, 7:00PM - ST. CECILIA

CHURCH: This month's talk is "The Hidden Power of Forgiveness." We invite all women to come and be set free. Evening includes Eucharistic Adoration, talk, Confession, and healing prayers. This will be a monthly event, on every 2nd Tuesday of the month. For questions about this, please call 240-925-2157 or email at damerons7@md.metrocast.net.

OPEN HOUSE CHESTERTON ACADEMY

Wednesday, November 17, 2021

6:30pm – 8:30pm

Come and discover Chesterton Academy of St. Mary's, an affordable high school in the Catholic tradition. Meet our faculty and students, and learn about our rigorous classical curriculum, Catholic identity, and environment of joyful comradery. Visit our website for more info and to RSVP: www.chestertonstmarys.org.

An Olde-Fashioned Christmas Bazaar

St. Francis Xavier Parish Hall, 21370 Newtowne Neck Rd
Saturday, November 20, 2021, from 10am – 3pm
Featuring traditional and unusual homemade arts and crafts, bake sale & "Cooler of Cheer" raffle.

Café style luncheon and carry-out.



Pick up a 2022 Calendar at the doors of the church, compliments of Mattingly Gardiner Funeral Home!

SUNDAY November 7, 2021 & ITS VIGIL

Mass Intentions

Sat Nov 6	4:00 pm	All Souls
Sun Nov 7	8:30 am	All Souls
	11:00 am	Our Lady's Parishioners
Tue Nov 9	8:00am	All Souls
Wed Nov 10	8:00am	All Souls
Thu Nov 11	8:00am	All Souls
Fri Nov 12	8:00am	All Souls
Sat Nov 13	4:00 pm	All Souls
Sun Nov 14	8:30 am	All Souls
	11:00 am	Our Lady's Parishioners

Please, Pray for the Intentions of Our Sick

Cheri Eckardt, Melissa Higgs Trossbach, Paul Woodburn, Jr., Stephen Skundrich, Eleanor Fenwick Ripple, Jacqueline Muir Westlein, Mike Russell, Patty Van Ryswick, John Allum-Poon, Evelyn Ryce, Dennis Gatley, Teresa Fenwick, Keith Harless, Claudia Fenwick, Cathy Norris, Ricky Burroughs, Anna Daugherty, Ben DeWeese, Dona Hamlet, Bob Russell, Rene Chicoine, Jessica Higgs, Margaret Breakfield, Irene Dixon, Pat Bateman, Ann & Jim Sheasley, Marlene Norris, Sarah Milburn, Agnes Higgs, James N. Trossbach, Edith McFadden, Pat Goin, Beth Higgs, Peter Van Ryswick, David Wood, Charles Mills, Alice Holly, Gary Rogers, Wayne Norris, John A. Abell, Jessica Coss, 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, Timothy Sauler, Jacob Johnson, Shane Copsey

CHARITABLE OUTREACH COMMITTEE

Our Lady's Church is collecting donations of food for St. Aloysius' food pantry. Please bring non-perishable healthy and nutritious foods to the church and place your contributions by the Sacred Heart statue. For more information on how you can help and what types of food they prefer, please visit,

<https://saintaloyiuschurch.org/food-pantry>. With your support they are able to sponsor a **Food Give Away Day** on the third Saturday of the month. The next **Food Give Away Day** is **November 20** from 9-11am.

Share the Warmth Clothing Drive: The Charitable Outreach Committee will be collecting coats, sweaters, jackets, gloves, hats, scarves, socks, etc. to provide for those who are in need of warmth on a cold day. Please leave items next to the Sacred Heart statue, in the rear of the church. Feel free to contact John @ [240-528-0966](tel:240-528-0966) for additional information. Thank you!

Assisting Afghan Refugees: The United States Catholic Conference of Bishops is providing support to Afghan refugees at a military base in Quantico. USCCB is in need of donations of school supplies, coloring books, crayons, sidewalk chalk, and balls for hundreds of Afghan children at the military base. They also need donations of winter clothes and backpacks for women and men. The Charitable Outreach Committee is asking for donations to assist Afghan refuge. Please drop your donation off at the Sacred Heart Statue and contact Leonard Kohl 301-247-2000 or leonard.kohl17@gmail.com with questions. Please have all your donations in by December 5, 2021.

**THE SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON SHRINE IN
EMMITSBURG, MARYLAND HAS A PRAYER LINE
OPEN MONDAY THRU FRIDAY FROM 10-5.
CALL 1-866-202-4934.**

Father Andrew White School Crusader Connections:

The Virtue of Stewardship: Our parish school continues to participate in the Virtues in Practice program this year. Each month, the whole school focuses on the same virtue as they hope to grow closer to Jesus by imitating His life and virtues. They also learn more about the saints who exemplify these good habits. This month students and their families are learning about the virtue of stewardship. Please join them by modeling how you return to God the first fruits of your time, talent, and treasure during the month of November.

The holidays are coming so get ready to deck your halls, house and office! Bring beauty and cheer to the Christmas season with fresh LOCALLY grown poinsettias and wreaths. Red and white poinsettias are available in various sizes and gorgeous handmade 20-inch wreaths will include a mixture of traditional greenery, berries and pinecones. Quantities are limited so be sure to purchase early! Proceeds benefit FAW School. Place your online order by November 12th: onlinefundraiser.events/poinsettiaandwreath

White House Christmas Ornament: FAW's HSA is selling the White House Christmas Ornament again this year. The ornaments are \$24.95 each, or for orders of 12 or more, \$22.95. Please see the flyer for more information: <https://fatherandrewwhite.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/10/FAW-White-House-Ornament-2021.pdf> Please note: orders should be placed no later than November 11th. Contact Sue Hensley Robusto at suehensley@hotmail.com with any questions.

Butter Braid Fundraiser: FAW students are now selling Butter Braids! If you'd like to try this delicious treat, please contact the school office to place an order. 301-475-9795

Fishing Tournament: Father Andrew White School is excited to announce the dates for the 2nd Annual Fishin' for Tuition Rockfish Tournament - November 20 & 21, 2021. Cash prizes will be awarded! We hope to see you on the water in November! To view the flyer and how to sign up, please visit the website: <https://fatherandrewwhite.org/fishing-tournament/>

THE
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THE WHITE HOUSE HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION'S 2021 OFFICIAL WHITE HOUSE CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT COMMEMORATES THE PRESIDENCY OF LYNDON BAINES JOHNSON. ONE SIDE OF THE ORNAMENT FEATURES A PAINTING OF THE 1967 BLUE ROOM CHRISTMAS TREE. ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE ORNAMENT, THERE IS A QUOTE FROM PRESIDENT JOHNSON: "OUR MISSION IS AT ONCE THE OLDEST AND THE MOST BASIC OF THIS COUNTRY: TO RIGHT WRONG, TO DO JUSTICE, TO SERVE MAN."

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