

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.



Baptism of the Lord

REFLECTION

When Jesus was baptized, the Holy Spirit descended upon him like a dove and a voice from the heavens rang out, "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased." No such dove was seen or voice was heard when we were baptized, yet the Holy Spirit did descend upon us in baptism and we were welcomed into this holy family, initiated into the body of Christ. Let us give thanks today for the blessings we received in baptism, blessings we note in the baptism we celebrate today.

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.

First Annual Pro-Life Art Contest

The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Washington will be hosting the first annual pro-life art contest! Submissions are due on January 21, 2022 and will include protest art, visual art, and video art. For more information, contact prolife@adw.org or visit youthrallyandmassforlife.org.

Virtual Spiritual Retreats, with Spiritual

Direction: During this time of physical separation, Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center is providing virtual retreats so that you can connect with others and feed your soul. Currently, these programs are being offered at no cost, and a suggested donation of only \$75 per person is greatly appreciated. For more info: <https://ourladyofbethesda.org/programs/retreats/what-are-spiritual-exercises/virtual-spiritual-exercises-promo>

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.

Mother Teresa Vocation Society—18th Annual Day of Recollection

Saturday, January 22, 2022, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., at Annunciation Catholic Church, 3810 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. Fr. Mark Ivany, Director of Priest Vocations for The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Washington, will lead this event. Mr. Alvaro de Vicente, Headmaster at The Heights School, will be the keynote speaker. The day will include Adoration, Confession, Mass, and lunch. All are welcome to attend this free event. Please register at <https://dcpriest.org/day-of-recollection>. For more information, please email vocations@adw.org.

Our Lady's Church Altar Society is looking for new members. The Altar Society is made up of volunteers who help clean the church. If you are looking for a way to be involved in a behind-the-scenes manner, this is a great way to be a helper in a quiet and humble way. Training will be provided. This is a ministry that an entire family can be involved with and is a terrific way to lend your talents to the parish. For further details about how you can become part of the Altar Society, please contact the Office (301-475-8403).

The Leonardtown Volunteer Rescue Squad Auxiliary is holding the *Queen of Hearts LVRSA Fundraiser*

Place: Action Lounge and Billiards, 25470 Point Lookout Road, Leonardtown, MD 20650

Time: Ticket Sales Start at 4pm, last sale at 7:45pm, drawing at 8pm.

Dates: Every Thursday.

Please join us to take a chance to pick a card and find the Queen of Hearts to win. Each Thursday there will be a chance to win until she's found. There is also a nightly 50/50 raffle. Thank you for your support.

SUNDAY January 9, 2022 & ITS VIGIL

Mass Intentions

Sat Jan 8	4:00 pm	Tommy Goldsborough
Sun Jan 9	8:30 am	Paul Beavers
	11:00 am	Our Lady's Parishioners
Tue Jan 11	8:00am	John Williams, Sr.
Wed Jan 12	8:00am	John Williams, Sr.
Thu Jan 13	8:00am	John Williams, Sr.
Fri Jan 14	8:00am	John Williams, Sr.
Sat Jan 15	4:00 pm	Bernadette Kammerer
Sun Jan 16	8:30 am	Isabelle W. Raley
	11:00 am	Our Lady's Parishioners

Please, Pray for the Intentions of Our Sick

James W. Norris, Sr., Robert Myers, 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, 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., 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.

Father Andrew White School Crusader Connections:

Dinner: Father Andrew White School will be having a Drive-Thru Italian Dinner in the evening on Saturday, February 5th from 4-7pm. All are invited! The cost is \$10 for adults, \$5 for kids 4-12, and free for 3 and under. This includes delicious spaghetti, homemade meatballs, garlic bread, bottled water, and dessert.

Job Opportunity: FAW is seeking aftercare staff for the remainder of the school year. Applicants must be over 18 years of age and be available 3-5 days per week from 2:45-5:30pm. The position pay is \$20/hour. For more information, or to submit a resume, please email: fawslibrary@fatherandrewwhite.org.

Our Lady's Church is happy to offer online giving for families to easily give one-time and recurring gifts! Simply make a secure donation via electronic check, debit or credit card by visiting <https://ourladyschurch.org/>. Click on the "Donate" button and in the "comment" section designate how you want your donation allocated, i.e. *Offertory, Education, Utilities, etc.*

Interested in learning more about Catholic school admissions, enrollment, and tuition assistance?

The Catholic Schools Office will host virtual information sessions on Wednesday, January 12 and Thursday, January 13, 2022 at 7:00PM. Register at www.adwcatholicschools.org

Enjoy the Knights of Columbus Council 1470 Bingo on Friday nights at the Father Andrew White School Gym Friday nights. Doors open at 5:00pm - start time is 6:30pm. The Knights use proceeds from Bingo to support local charities.

Camp Maria Retreat Center is pleased to offer a Luminous Mystery Rosary Program

You are invited to explore the Mysteries of Light in the Life of Christ. Visit the Holy Land! Connect the New Testament to the Old Testament! Consider what the "Mysteries of Light" mean for your life!

When: On Saturday, February 12, 2022

Time: 8:30am - 4:30pm

Where: 41290 Camp Maria Rd, Leonardtown MD 20650 - Spiritual Center <http://campmaria.org>

Cost: \$50.00, Includes continental breakfast and lunch (Scholarships available)

Register: Submit your name, address, and phone number to normayearick80@gmail.com

Deadline: February 8, 2022

WOMEN'S NIGHT OF REFLECTION with Fr. Larry Swink on Tuesday, January 11th at St. Cecilia's in St. Mary's City. 7PM. "Living the Message - What's Your Plan?" How can 2022 be the year you resolve to live more like the daughter of God He created you to be? When the 3 shepherd children of Fatima saw what was at stake, their daily habits were never the same. It's time to establish good spiritual habits. Evening includes Eucharistic Adoration, talk, Confession, and healing prayers.

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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