

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

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.



Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

REFLECTION

Today we acknowledge that while leaders of nations in this world come and go, Jesus Christ, the Son of God, is ruler over all people both now and forever. The idea to celebrate this feast was born out of a growing nationalism and secularism one hundred years ago. The world had just lived through the horrors of four years of war unprecedented in its spread over the whole world. This led to Pope Pius XI instituting this feast in 1925. Today we recognize Christ's preeminence and pray for the day when peace and goodwill forever overcome war and aggression.

In the first reading we hear of the moment when David, supported by all the tribes of Israel, was anointed king. Paul praises Jesus as head of the church and firstborn of the dead, ruler over the heavenly kingdom. Luke tells us that as Jesus hung on the cross he promised a place in heaven to the penitent thief. As we listen to God's word, let us pray that Jesus remembers us as well in his heavenly kingdom.

LECTOR SCHEDULE

November 26	4:00pm	Eddie Abell
November 27	8:30am	Cress Family
	11:00am	R Stancil

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. ***We are currently accepting Mass intentions for 2023.***

FALL CRAFT SHOW sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Hollywood Volunteer Fire Dept on November 20 from 10am - 3pm.

The Ladies Auxiliary will be serving refreshments (including stuffed ham sandwiches). There will be a Bake Sale table and Stuffed Ham will be sold by the pound. Donations of non-perishable food items gladly accepted for St. Mary's Helping Hands.

St. Ann's Center for Children, Youth and Families - Open House December 4th, 1-3pm

His Eminence Wilton Cardinal Gregory, Sister Mary Bader and St. Ann's Center's Board of Directors welcome you to the annual Christmas Open House - taking place Sunday, December 4 from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at our Hyattsville home (4901 Eastern Avenue, Hyattsville, MD 20782). We hope you can join us for an afternoon of Christmas cheer! <https://www.stanns.org/>

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.

New Parishioners: Our Lady's Church extends a warm welcome to you! If you are new to the area or just returning home to Our Lady's, we invite you to register and make Our Lady's your parish. Registration forms can be found at the doors of our church, at the Rectory or you can register online at www.ourladyschurch.org.

In celebration of Black Catholic History Month, His Eminence Wilton Cardinal Gregory will be celebrating Mass at St. Peter Claver-St. Inigoes, MD on Saturday, November 26, 2022 at 10:30am. Following Mass, he will bless the Enslaved Memorial Plaque in the cemetery and a reception will be held in honor of the occasion. As always, all are invited and encouraged to attend. An RSVP is requested by contacting 301-872-5460 or st.peterclaver@verizon.net. (Please note that the regular 8:00am Saturday Mass will not be held.)

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.

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.*

SUNDAY November 20, 2022 & ITS VIGIL

Mass Intentions

Sat	Nov 19	4:00pm	All Souls
Sun	Nov 20	8:30am	All Souls
		11:00am	Our Lady's Parishioners
Tue	Nov 22	8:00am	All Souls
Wed	Nov 23	8:00am	All Souls
Thu	Nov 24	8:00am	All Souls
Fri	Nov 25	8:00am	All Souls
Sat	Nov 26	4:00pm	All Souls
Sun	Nov 27	8:30am	All Souls
		11:00am	Our Lady's Parishioners

Please, Pray for the Intentions of Our Sick

John Thiel, Mary Anne Groat, Judy Roa, Charles Fenwick, Ann Johnson, Judi Leppo, Bob Greenwell, Mary Clements, Virginia Fenwick Diehm, Alvin Kragh, Steve Himes, Theresa Clements, Marian Wright, Bill Benson, Rose Marie Benson, JoEllen Marek, Melissa Higgs Trossbach, Paul Woodburn, Jr., Stephen Skundrich, Eleanor Fenwick Ripple, Jacqueline Muir Westlein, 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, Jessica Higgs, Margaret Breakfield, Irene Dixon, Pat Bateman, Sarah Milburn, Agnes Higgs, James N. Trossbach, Edith McFadden, Beth Higgs, Peter Van Ryswick, Charles Mills, Alice Holly, Cecelia Knott, Jimmy Ludwig, Angel Spalding, Ray Harding, Jr., Rose Spalding, Trish (McWilliams) Guy, Christina Howe, Ethan Swayze, Jean Bowles Wathen, Jody Van Ryswick, 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 (no glass jars please) 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://saintalloysiuschurch.org/food-pantry>. With your support they are able to sponsor a **Food Give Away Day** on the third Saturday of the month.

The Charitable Outreach Committee will be collecting coats, jackets, sweaters, scarves, gloves, hats, socks, etc. for those who need warmth on a cold day. Please leave the items next to the Sacred Heart Statue. Contact John Duvall at 240.528.0966 for more information.



Our Lady's Church Christmas Giving Tree

Notice our Christmas Giving Tree with tags of items for needy children in St. Mary's County. Please take a tag and follow these steps:

1. **IMPORTANT** - Sign the RED BOOK with your name, phone number and circled card numbers/letters on the tag in case we need to call you.
2. No cash, gift cards or gift receipts please.
3. Return gift items by Sunday, December 4th.
4. Return the original tag with your gifts.
5. If you have any questions or need assistance please call Susan 240.577.8541.

WE HAVE ADVENT BOOKLETS AT THE DOORS OF THE CHURCH FOR YOU TO PICK UP. THIS BOOKLET HAS THE MASS READINGS AND DAILY MEDITATIONS FOR EACH DAY DURING ADVENT.



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Happy Thanksgiving from all of us at FAW! We are grateful for our many blessings and thankful for the support from our affiliated parishes.

Southern Maryland Mass with Healing Prayers - Monday, November 28th, 7:00PM - Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Lexington Park. All are invited to come and receive prayer for physical, mental and spiritual healing. Confessions begin at 6:30PM.

Advent Retreat Weekend for Women - Dec 2-4, 2022


Prepare your soul for the coming of Christ! Plan now for your advent retreat. Explore your mission in life, and in the new year, as you experience His Presence in the silence! These retreats are based on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola. Registration is required. Cost: \$300 per person. Find more information and links to register on the website www.ourladyofbethesda.org. Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center, A Place to Encounter Christ! 7007 Bradley Blvd., Bethesda, MD 20817. Plan your next retreat today!

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