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## Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### REFLECTION

On this day in the middle of November, the month in which we remember in a special way all those who have died, let us reflect on our baptism. When we were baptized in Christ, we were baptized into his death. Therefore, we are with the Lord in life and in death. Those who have died in the Lord are with him eternally while we here today gather to receive him in the Eucharist. Let us take consolation that we are always with the Lord, in life and in death.

### FINANCES

<i>Last Week's Offertory</i>	\$3,774.00
<i>Last Week's Online Contributions</i>	880.00
<i>Archdiocesan</i>	742.00
<i>Other</i>	1,306.00

### LECTOR SCHEDULE

Nov 18	4:00pm	B Russell
Nov 19	8:30am	J&J McAllister
	11:00am	G Hein



Eucharistic Adoration with Confessions at  
Our Lady's Church – Wednesdays 8:30-9:30am



**SOUTHERN MARYLAND MASS WITH HEALING PRAYERS:** Monday, November 27<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church 22375 Three Notch Rd, Lexington Park. In the presence of the Blessed Sacrament, inviting all to come, lay it all before Jesus and receive healing prayer. Come with expectant faith. Confessions begin at 6:30pm.

**Christmas Tree Lighting:** Sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Hollywood Volunteer Fire Department on Sunday, November 26, 2023 – Rain or Shine. Parking Lot Opens at 4:00 pm – Santa arrives around 5:30 pm - this will be a parking lot event. Each child will receive a goodie bag, filled with crafts. Santa & His Elves Can't Wait to See You!! Bring you camera for a picture.

**The Auxiliary of the Leonardtown Fire Department will host a THANKSGIVING DESSERT ONLINE AUCTION ON Tuesday, November 21<sup>st</sup> from 7am-7pm.** Auction will be held on Facebook.  
<https://www.facebook.com/lvfd1auxiliary>.

**Annual Fall Craft Show sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Hollywood Volunteer Fire Department will be held on November 19, 2023 from 10am to 3pm.** The Ladies Auxiliary will be serving refreshments. There will be a bake sale table. Donation of non-perishable food items gladly accepted for St. Mary's Helping Hands Pantry. For more information contact [craftshow@hvfd7.com](mailto:craftshow@hvfd7.com).

### *Cardinal Gregory Welcomes All to St. Ann's Open House Sunday, December 3rd, 1-3pm*

His Eminence with CEO, Sister Mary Bader welcome you to experience the true meaning of giving at the annual St. Ann's Center for Children, Youth and Families' Christmas Open House. St. Ann's offers single mothers the opportunity to pursue educational, professional and personal goals while living with their children in a nurturing environment. Join us at our Hyattsville home for an inspiring afternoon with our wonderful staff and, of course, Christmas cheer! Details and RSVP:  
<https://www.stanns.org/events/2023/12/st-anns-centers-christmas-open-house-december-3-2023>

### **2024 'WARM Program @ Camp Maria**

**3 – 7 Jan 2024 *Volunteers Needed!***

WARM is a winter emergency sheltering program that relies on volunteers in the community to provide two meals and warm beds during the winter months. St John's is partnering with Camp Maria Retreat Center to support WARM Jan 3-7, 2024. **Volunteers are sought for meals and monitoring.** To learn more or volunteer, visit <https://sugeni.us/4Nxt>, or contact: Mary McGlinn at (240)298-7645 or Walt Gardiner at (703)304-6264

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## SUNDAY November 12, 2023 & ITS VIGIL

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### *Mass Intentions*

Sat Nov 11	4:00pm	All Souls
Sun Nov 12	8:30am	All Souls
	11:00am	Our Lady's Parishioners
Tue Nov 14	8:00am	All Souls
Wed Nov 15	8:00am	All Souls
Thu Nov 16	8:00am	All Souls
Fri Nov 17	8:00am	All Souls
Sat Nov 18	4:00pm	All Souls
Sun Nov 19	8:30am	All Souls
	11:00am	Our Lady's Parishioners

### **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.

**SHARE THE WARMTH COAT DRIVE** – The Charitable Outreach Committee will be collecting any warm clothing and accessories, such as coats, gloves, 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. Feel free to contact John 240-528-0966 for additional information.

### **Plan to Take a Personal "Retreat" Day**

**Nov 17, Dec 15, Jan 19 at Bethesda Retreat Center**  
During your personal retreat, from 9am-4pm, an experienced retreat director will guide you to a place of rest with Christ. The retreat schedule allows for one-on-one spiritual direction (optional), quiet reflection, Mass, Confession and Eucharistic Adoration, plus lunch; so you will be nourished and cared for while Our Lord speaks to your soul about the depths of His love for you. Cost is \$100 per person. Advance Registration is required. Visit our website to register and to find more dates at [ourladyofbethesda.org](http://ourladyofbethesda.org). Or call 301-365-0612. We also have Mini-Retreats for Women and Evenings of Reflection for Men, each month. Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center, 7007 Bradley Blvd., Bethesda, MD 20817.

**Pick up your 2024 Calendar at the Doors of the Church.** These calendars are compliments of Mattingly-Gardiner Funeral Home.

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

Mary Edna Bowles, Pat Riegel, Alex Duvall, Betty Leresche, Mary Alberta Goddard, Jerry Pope, John Rossi, Jeannie Pichee, Margaret Campion, Johanna Brubacher Malone, Mary Anne Groat, 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., Eleanor Ripple, Jacqueline Muir Westlein, Patty Van Ryswick, John Allum-Poon, Evelyn Ryce, 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 Trossbach, Edith McFadden, Beth Higgs, Peter Van Ryswick, Charles Mills, Alice Holly, Cecelia Knott, Ray Harding, Jr., Rose Spalding, Trish McWilliams Guy, Christina Howe, Jean Bowles Wathen, Jody Van Ryswick

### **Grieving with Great Hope**

5-week small group workshop to help people grieving the loss of a loved one. Bereavement Workshop Dates in 2024: Sundays 3-5pm: 1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4. Contact: Jennifer Bicknell (301-475-8064 x11) or [jbicknell@saintalloysiuschurch.org](mailto:jbicknell@saintalloysiuschurch.org)

**Saint Aloysius Catholic Church welcomes all to attend our Sensory-Friendly Vigil Mass on Saturday, December 2 at 5:00PM.** According to the National Catholic Partnership on Disability (NCPD), sensory-friendly Masses include lower lighting, softer music, Scripture readings from the Children's Lectionary, and shorter, more literal homilies. *Families and individuals can get up and move, bring fidgets or noise-canceling headphones, and "participate in the liturgy just as they are." The biggest difference is that we try to create an environment free of stigma.*

**Immaculate Heart of Mary's Church is hosting a Gobble Gallop 5k Race - on Thursday, November 23 (Thanksgiving Day) at 7:30 am.** Join them for their very first Gobble Gallop 5K race this year on Thanksgiving morning! To register to race, go to <http://gobble.ihmrcc.org>.

### **A Prayer For Those Forgotten in Death**

*Receive my prayer dear Lord, for those who have no one to pray for them. Many endured loneliness, war, severe poverty, or natural disaster and departed this world without loved ones to mourn their passing. Though I may not have personally known them, let my heart be moved by their plight, in life and in death. I implore you to stretch forth your paternal arms to these celestial abode of happiness, light and peace forever and ever.* -Amen