



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.

Administrator

Rev. Joseph R. Cwik
cwikj@adw.org

Parish Secretary and Bookkeeper

Mrs. Rebekah J. Guyther

Schedule of Masses

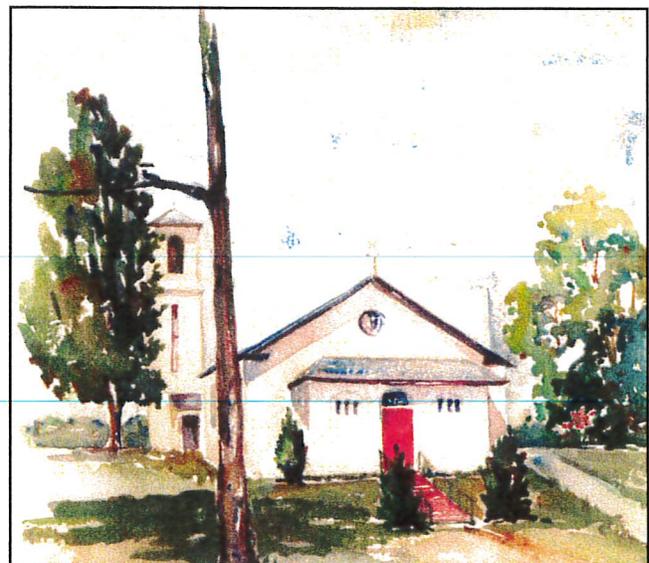
Saturday: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 a.m.
Holy days as announced

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.



Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

REFLECTION

Today's readings warn us that the day is coming when we will be tested severely. How do we prepare for the ultimate test? We trust that the Holy Spirit will guide us. The Holy Spirit draws us to this place each week where we are nourished and strengthened in the Eucharist. The Holy Spirit nudges us to obey our conscience. The Holy Spirit fills us with the virtues we need to do God's will. Let us pray that the Holy Spirit will watch over us and guide us through all our trials and tribulations.

FINANCES

<i>Last Week's Offertory</i>	\$3,377.00
<i>Last Week's Online Contributions</i>	2,150.00
<i>Archdiocese</i>	685.00
<i>Other</i>	915.00

LECTOR SCHEDULE

Nov. 22	4:00pm	M Clements
Nov. 23	8:30am	J Ritchie; B Russell
	11:00am	G Hein; R Stancel



*This week the Sanctuary flowers were donated by
Anna Moseley and the Holly Family
In Loving Memory of Jackson & Elizabeth Holly*

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

If you would like to have Altar Flowers in honor or memory of someone please call or email the Parish Office: 301-475-8403 or olcmedleysneck@gmail.com.

The donation is \$50.



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



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & WORSHIP NIGHT,
HOW GREAT THE FATHER'S LOVE FOR US, SUNDAY,
NOVEMBER 16 at St. Aloysius Church:** Join us 6 to 7:30pm at St. Aloysius Church, Leonardtown for an amazing evening of prayer including: Eucharistic Adoration, Reflection and Eucharistic Procession. Music provided by: Fiat! Contact Bread of Life Center for Peace for more information at: (301) 475-7139 also visit us at: www.breadoflifecenterforpeace.org.

WRAPPING ARMS AROUND MARY (WARM)

The WARM Program is a winter sheltering program hosted by faith communities of St. Mary's County on a rotational basis from November to March. From December 28, 2025 to January 4, 2026, Camp Maria will host the WARM program. Volunteers are sought from the local Catholic Community to support the program at Camp Maria. Volunteers are needed for: Monitors; Meal Providers; Supplies; Site Setup; Site Breakdown. To learn more or to signup, visit <https://campmaria.org> or call Mary McGlinn 240-298-7645.

LEONARDTOWN RESUE SQUAD AUXILIARY 4TH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS YARDSALE

Saturday, November 29 at the Leonardtown Rescue Squad Bldg. from 7am – 11am. Christmas items, crafts, baked goods and fudge. Rent a table for \$15. Contact Arlene Fenwick 240-298-9588 for more info. Drop off donations on Friday, November 28th between 9-4 at the Rescue Squad Bldg. NO CLOTHES PLEASE.

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING w/ SANTA:

*Sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the
Hollywood Volunteer Fire Department*

Saturday, November 29, 2025. Doors open at 5pm. Admission is free. Location: Indoor at the Social Hall at the Fire House. 24801 Three Notch Road, Hollywood MD. Activities include: Fire Truck Rides from 5-5:45 pm; Make Reindeer Dust; Write Letters to Santa; Goodie Bags; Light Refreshments Available; Pictures with Santa. Santa and his Elves will arrive at 6pm to light the tree and launch the Christmas Season! Don't forget to bring your camera to capture your Christmas memories.

Breakfast with Santa

Sponsored by the Auxiliary of the Leonardtown Volunteer Fire Dept, on Saturday, Dec. 20 from 8am -11am. Visit with Santa from 9am-11am.
Pictures with Santa, Children's Crafts, & Photo Booth

**Historic St Francis Xavier Parish Presents:
An Olde-Fashioned Christmas Bazaar & Quilt Raffle
on Saturday, November 22nd, 2025 from 10am-3pm. Call the parish at (301) 475-9885 for more info.**

St. Mary's Ryken Admissions Deadlines for the Class of 2030: The St. Mary's Ryken application and supporting documents are due by December 12. Apply today and learn more at www.smrhs.org/apply.

◆**Knight for a Day Visits:** Now-Dec. 16 — sign up early to secure your spot!

◆**HSPT (High School Placement Test) Registration:**

- Nov. 30 – Public/Non-Catholic/Homeschool.
- Dec 1 – Catholic school students.
- HSPT -test dates: Dec 3 (Catholic Schools), Dec 6 & Jan 10 (at SMR).

◆**Financial Aid Applications:** Due Jan. 23 through FACTS.

SUNDAY November 16, 2025 & ITS VIGIL

Mass Intentions

Sat Nov 15 4:00pm	All Souls
Sun Nov 16 8:30am	All Souls
11:00am	Our Lady's Parishioners
Tue Nov 18 8:00am	All Souls
Wed Nov 19 8:00am	All Souls
Thu Nov 20 8:00am	All Souls
Fri Nov 21 8:00am	All Souls
Sat Nov 22 4:00pm	All Souls
Sun Nov 23 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 in the choir side vestibule.** For more information on how you can help and what types of food they prefer, please visit, <https://saintaloyuschurch.org/food-pantry>.

THE CHARITABLE OUTREACH COMMITTEE WILL BE SPONSORING A COAT AND WARM CLOTHING DRIVE. WE WILL BE COLLECTING ALL WARM ITEMS FOR THOSE PERSONS WHO ARE IN NEED. PLEASE LEAVE COATS, SOCKS, GLOVES, ETC. IN THE DESIGNATED CONTAINERS AT THE CHOIR SIDE VESTIBULE. QUESTIONS SHOULD BE SHARED WITH JOHN @ 240-528-0966.

Our Lady Star of the Sea School/Church invites you to our Annual Christmas bazaar on Saturday, November 22 from 9am to 2pm. Over 50 vendors & crafters, large indoor yard sale, silent auction, bake sale, concessions, 50/50 and special visit from Santa!

Walk with Mary

Saturday, December 13, 2025

11:00am Procession from the Shrine of the Sacred Heart Parish to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception - 1:00pm Rosary - 2:00pm Mass
Principal Celebrant Robert Cardinal McElroy
Concelebrant, Bishop Evelio Menjivar

More info, visit adw.org/walkwithmary or 301-863-5335.

Mass Intention Requests: To request a 2026 Mass Intention, please call or email the Parish Office with your request. The usual stipend is \$10.

INSTALLATION MASS & RECEPTION FOR Fr. Joe Cwik this Sunday, November 16 at 11:00. Join us for a Reception to follow at Camp Maria from Noon to 2:00pm.

Please, Pray for the Intentions of Our Sick

Catherine Stancil, Kathy Bell Atlas, Peg Duchesne, Jamie Nelson, Emilie Dolaher, Charles Fenwick, Jr., Anne Powers, Cristi Reid, Mary Alberta Goddard, Leonard Kohl, Ethan Fenwick, Mary Edna Bowles, Alex Duvall, Betty Leresche, John Rossi, Jeannie Pichee, Alex Datzuk, Mary Anne Groat, Bob Greenwell, Mary Clements, Virginia Fenwick Diehm, Alvin Kragh, Steve Himes, Theresa Clements, Marian Wright, Bill Benson, Rose Marie Benson, JoEllen Marek, Paul Woodburn, Jr., Patty Van Ryswick, John Allum-Poon, Evelyn Ryce, Teresa Fenwick, Claudia Fenwick, Anna Daugherty, Ben DeWeese, Dona Hamlet, Margaret Breakfield, Irene Dixon, Pat Bateman, Sarah Milburn, Beth Higgs, Peter Van Ryswick, Alice Holly, Cecelia Knott, Ray Harding, Jr., Christina Howe, Jean Bowles Wathen, Jody Van Ryswick

COLLECTION FOR THE MISSION PANTRY ENDS THIS WEEKEND: The Mission Pantry Needs the Following items: *Canned meats (Spam, Potted Meat, Corned Beef); Beef Stew; Dry Cereal; Shelf Ready Milk; Tuna (in packages not cans); Juice Boxes; Fruit Cups; Apple Sauce; Canned Soups; Cup-A-Noodle; Ramen Noodles; Mac & Cheese; Peanut Butter; Jelly; Ravioli; Spaghetti & Meatballs; Water; Stuffing; Cranberry Sauce; Hygiene Products.* Place the items in the Choir side vestibule.

Our Lady's Church Christmas Giving Tree

Next weekend our Christmas Giving Tree will be up in the Choir side vestibule. The tree will be adorned with pink, blue and yellow tags. The pink tags are for female children, the blue tags for male children, and the yellow tags for family needs. Please take a tag and follow these steps:

1. **IMPORTANT** – Sign the RED BOOK with your name, phone number and circled card numbers/letters.
2. Return gift items by **Sunday, Dec. 7th**.
3. **IMPORTANT** - Return the original tag with your gifts.

If you have any questions or need assistance, please call Kathleen 301-904-5547.

Living Nativity - Save the Date - Dec. 12/13th, 2025

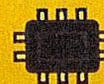
Camp Maria needs volunteers and support in the form of decorators, event staff, commentators and guides, financial contributions, etc. to help run this wonderful new community event. More info visit campmaria.org/living-nativity or email sisterchris@campmaria.org if you are interested in helping out. This new and exciting Christmastime offering enters our guests into the story of Christ's birth as you walk through five scenes leading to the Nativity. With live animals and choral music by St. Maries Musica and the St. Mary's Ryken Knight-N-Gales, this family-friendly event will be enjoyed by all who attend. Tickets are available for purchase at campmaria.org (\$10 per person, 5 years old and under free)



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