



August 10, 2025

**NINETEENTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**



MASS INTENTIONS
OF THE WEEK

Requested by

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9

Fr. W 8:30 AM Kathi Reinhart Smith
CONFESSIONS 4:15– 5:15PM

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Fr. W 5:30 PM Jay Hanna & John Smothers
 Smothers

SUNDAY, AUGUST 10, 2025

Fr. W 7:30 AM Ralph & Elaine Weschler Kestel
Fr. F 9:30 AM Parishioners Pastor
Fr. W 11:30AM Thomas & Mary Wright Wright

MONDAY, AUGUST 11

Fr. L 6:45 AM Int. of Theresa Stamas Winslow
Fr. F 9:00 AM Pat Reidy Burgess

TUESDAY, AUGUST 12

Fr. L 6:45AM Honorable James Robert Melinson
 McLaughlin
Fr. F 9:00 AM Lisa Davis Kestel

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13

Fr. F 6:45 AM Robert Silk Silk
Fr. L 9:00 AM Ralph & Elaine Weschler Kestel

THURSDAY, AUGUST 14

Fr. L 6:45 AM Int. of Cristina Morris Morris
Fr. F 9:00 AM Kevin DeVol M&R Brisbane

FRIDAY, AUGUST 15

Fr. F 6:45 AM Jim Mitchell Kuzma
Fr. L 9:00 AM Sr. Mary Hortense Maca Pham
Fr. W 7:30 PM Parishioners Pastor

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16

Fr. L 8:30 AM Russell Meche Kennedy
CONFESSIONS 4:15-5:15 PM

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Fr. F 5:30 PM Herb & Margaret Young Young

SUNDAY, AUGUST 17, 2025

Fr. L 7:30 AM Rev. Clement E. Pribil Pham
Fr. W 9:30 AM Parishioners Pastor
Fr. L 11:30 AM Cylan Conger Conger
 Fr. L= Fr. LaHood; Fr. W = Fr. Winslow;

Next Sunday's
Readings

Twentieth Sunday
in Ordinary Time

Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53 (120)

Note: Friday, August 15, 2025 is a Holy Day of obligation for The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Mass times are: 6:45 am, 9:00 am and 7:30 pm.

Sunday Masses Saturday: 5:30 PM
 Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 AM
 Weekday Masses Monday-Friday:
 6:45 AM & 9:00 AM
 Saturday: 8:30 AM

Holy Day of Obligation Masses 6:45 AM, 9:00 AM and 7:30 PM Unless stated otherwise in the bulletin

Confessions Saturday 4:15 – 5:15 PM

Baptisms are being scheduled; please contact the rectory office to begin the process.

Marriages: Consult one of the parish priests at least six months in advance, call 301-942-2333.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
 Monday – Friday 4:00PM—8:30 PM

Nursing Home or Homebound? Please contact the rectory for information regarding Parish services.

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On August 15, 2025 The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass times are: 6:45 am 9:00 am and 7:30 pm

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Brother John Argauer, M M; Bob Argauer; Meagan Bachmab; Monsignor Bazan; Maria Bustamante; Victor Bustamante; Coley Beggy; Ralph Coan Jr.; Bobi Cofino; Alice Clogg; Dorothy Connolly; Alexis Salazar Cortes; Mary Davenport; Simone Diamond; Kelly Doig; Christian L. Don; Caroline Donovan; Doreen Dyer; Hiroko Susan Enright; Karen Elliott; Ralph Esposito; Richard F.; Al Fleming; John Giacomini; Joseph Gilbert; Richard Hager; Lilia Hayden; Ruth Higgins; Kathy Holton; Maureen Knowles; Elsa Lucia Jimenez; Ed Landman; Pierron Leef Jr.; Dymna Magee John Magee; Tom Maigret; Damian Maldonado; Sheila Marin; Dominick Marra; Seamus McKechnie; Tom McDuffee; Kathy Metchick; Justin Michael; Mary Margaret Monks; Elizabeth Hager Montanaro; Dave Obal; Fr. Daniel Firmin, brother of Sarah Osborn; Liz Pinone; Stacy Polyakova; Gerood Roberts; Mr. Rodgers; Joanne Richards; Cindy Rooney; Liam Salembier; Barbara Scanlon; Sara Smith; Christina Sommer; Peter Stathopoulos; Trish Tornillo; Ann Turner; Dale Umholtz; Robert Umholtz; Joseph Yao; Beatriz Elena Yepes; Tara Valariano; Stella Vass; Will Valentine; Ray Whitehurst; Judy Whitehurst; Mike Zeigler

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Sharon Bourg;

**Suzanne Shaffer, Aunt of Mary Harper
(former DRE of Holy Redeemer School
in the late 1990-2000's)**

Encounter School of Ministry Classes Begin This September

Hungry for More?

Do you long to know God more deeply and see His power at work in your daily life? St. John Paul II called the Church to a New Evangelization—a bold return to mission, holiness, and the power of the Holy Spirit. The Encounter School of Ministry – DC Campus exists to answer that call.

Rooted in the heart of the Church, Encounter equips Catholics to live from their true identity, be empowered by the Holy Spirit, and bring healing, hope, and the Gospel message into everyday life.

This dynamic two-year Catholic ministry school meets Tuesday evenings from 6–9 PM, beginning September 9, 2025 at Mother of God School in Gaithersburg, MD. Come be transformed—and be part of transforming the world.

Learn more at encounterschool.org/dc

Holy Redeemer Class 1965 Reunion The Class of 1965 from Holy Redeemer School, Kensington, MD is holding a 60th year reunion on October 25, 2025. Any member of the class of 1965 can contact Mike English at mfe0825@yahoo.com, Lois Veith-Boylan at boylan2@msn.com, Mary Dee Rosenberg-Prunchak at mprunchak@aol.com, and Tony Chite at tonydeb@verizon.com for additional information

CCD CLASSES START SEPTEMBER 7 All returning families will receive an email with a link to re-register their child(ren). New families that are interested in religious instruction for their grade-school child should contact Marylou McDonald, DRE, at m.mcdonald@hrs-ken.org for information about our parish CCD program.

Have you, or someone you know, been thinking about looking into joining the Catholic Church? Have you been Baptized in the Catholic Church but never received First Communion and/or Confirmation? Are you a cradle Catholic who would like to gain an adult knowledge of what the Church teaches and why the Church teaches it? Then OCIA is for you. The **Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA)** is the process the American Bishops wrote to enable all groups to grow in our understanding of the Catholic Church. Holy Redeemer will have a "Come and See" evening on Wednesday, September 17th at 7:30pm in the Community Room in the basement of the Church. The OCIA process will be explained, and all questions will be answered. If you are interested in perusing OCIA, then we will meet most Wednesday evenings at 7:30pm in the Community Room. There will never be any pressure to join the Catholic Church, just come and see.

Holy Redeemer Parish delivers food to **S.O.M.E. (So Others Might Eat)**, a D.C. organization that fights hunger, poverty and homelessness, on the second Thursday of each month. Donations of fruit and casseroles are needed, as well as a driver to take the food to S.O.M.E. in D.C. To donate casseroles or drive the food, please contact Kathleen Neary (kathleenseiler@hotmail.com or text/call 703-981-7326) for the Sign-Up Genius link with details. visit https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F094BA4AF2AA57-53453788-holy#

Fruit doesn't require sign up. Please drop fruit in the church foyer by 9am on the second Thursday of each month.

Aug. 14, 2025 – oranges

Sept. 11, 2025 - apples

Oct. 9, 2025 - apples

Nov. 13, 2025 - apples

Dec. 11, 2025 – apples

Beach Trip

FOR SINGLE & YOUNG ADULT CATHOLICS - 26th Annual Bethany Beach Retreat/Vacation in Delaware, Labor Day weekend/week Aug. 30 - Sep. 6, 2025 Very low prices (weekend or whole week - same): \$370. All meals, beach chairs, tennis included. Space is limited. Mass daily with Fr. T. Morrow. Holy Hour option avail. daily. Send Payments to St. Catherine Society, 1590 Kimblewick Rd., Rockville, MD 20854. For more info contact Monica at 202-735-3353 or write an email at flugsa10@outlook.com Reserve and pay online at <http://bit.ly/bethany4singlecatholics>