

MASS INTENTIONS

Indicating the day when the Mass Intentions were scheduled to take place. The proper days are being honored, although the time of day might change.

Monday, April 27

Easter Weekday

- 6:30 Lawrence Smallcomb †
- 9:00 Helen F. Little †
- 8:00 Sydney Rogers & Mena Dreyvitser

Tuesday, April 28

St. Peter Chanel, Priest & Martyr;

St. Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest

- 6:30 Dominick Calderazzo †
- 9:00 Olivia Caron

Wednesday, April 29

St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin & Doctor of the Church

- 6:30 Harry Perrottet
- 9:00 Patricia Caron

Thursday, April 30

St. Pius V, Pope

- 6:30 Zoe Perrottet
- 9:00 Terence O'Connor †

Friday, May 1

St. Joseph the Worker

- 6:30 Joseph John Suttie
- 9:00 Page Schmid & Family

Saturday, May 2

St. Athanasius, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

- 8:15 Panfilo Gonzaga †
- 5:00 Jeremy & Bridget Lucas

Sunday, May 3

Fourth Sunday of Easter

- 7:30 Estelle K. Danielson †
- 9:00 Mr. & Mrs. Charles A. Digney †
- 10:30 People of the Parish
- 12:00 Andrew Mansinne, Jr. †

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD

- † ANN ENHAUSER †
- † GUY ROZIER †
- † MARCO BUEHLER †
- † HELEN ALVARADO †
- † LUIGI V. FRANCESCONI †

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR APRIL 2020

Catholics in China

We pray that those suffering from addiction may be helped and accompanied

IN TESTIMONIUM...

26 April 2020



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MASS INTENTIONS WITHOUT THE WAIT

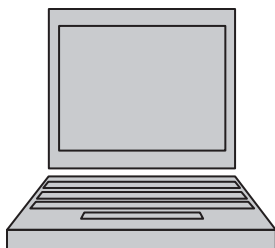
There are a number of priests at St. John and in the Diocese who are available to fulfill Mass Intentions privately and in a more timely manner than would be permitted if the Mass were to be added to the parish church calendar. Currently the wait for a Public Mass (how nice does that sound?) is about ten months.

If parishioners have Mass Intentions that they would like to have brought to the altar expeditiously, please contact the parish office.

SEMINARIAN MAURICIO PORTILLO

St. John the Beloved Parish is going to send a gift for Mauricio for the purchase of a new computer to aid him in his studies at the Pontifical North American College in Rome.

If you are interested in donating to this fund please send your donation in to the parish office. Any amount would be much appreciated. Dios ti bendiga!



ST. JOHN THE BELOVED

Vacation Bible School



June 15-19, 2020

- 8:30am–12:00pm each day
- Rising Kindergarten–6th Grade
- Cost: \$80/child, family max of \$200

For more info or to register, visit:

www.stjohncatholicmclean.org/VBS

or email:

mjacobeen@stjohncatholicmclean.org

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
APRIL 26	APRIL 27	APRIL 28	APRIL 29	APRIL 30	MAY 1	MAY 2
8:00 am Sung TLM on Livestream 10:00 am Pro Populo Mass on Livestream Adoration 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm	8:00 am Low TLM on Livestream 9:30 am Mass on Livestream Adoration 7:00 am - 5:00 pm	8:00 am Low TLM on Livestream 9:30 am Mass on Livestream Adoration 7:00 am - 5:00 pm	8:00 am Low TLM on Livestream 9:30 am Mass on Livestream Confessions Hourly during Adoration 10:00 am-7:00 pm	8:00 am Low TLM on Livestream 9:30 am Mass on Livestream Adoration 7:00 am - 5:00 pm	8:00 am Low TLM on Livestream 9:30 am Mass on Livestream FIRST FRIDAY Adoration 7:00 am - 5:00 pm	8:00 am Low TLM on Livestream FIRST SATURDAY Adoration 7:00 am - 5:00 pm

Prayer During an Epidemic

Lord Jesus,

Hear our pleas, our good shepherd and divine physician. We implore your mercy in the wake of an outbreak of serious illness and disease. Guide our efforts to prevent contagion and make preparations to care for those most vulnerable. Assist all professionals and volunteers who work to eradicate the epidemic now spreading. May our actions be marked by your steadfast love and selfless service and never by panic or fear.

Bestow your comfort and healing to the sick, sustain and strengthen them by your grace. May they know your closeness as they carry the cross of illness. And may all you have called from this life come to worship you eternally with all the saints as you grant consolation and peace to their mourners.

Amen.

Holy Mary, Health of the Sick,
pray for us.

St. Joseph, Hope of the Sick,
pray for us.

St. Rocco, protector against epidemics,
pray for us



DAILY ADORATION

Please sign up for an hour of adoration

Sunday Noon to 5 p.m.
Monday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Tuesday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Wednesday 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Thursday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Friday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Please bear in mind that occupancy in the church
is restricted to 10 people at a time.

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER



PAPAL BLESSING PARCHMENTS

The gift of an Apostolic Blessing, formally inscribed on parchment and sent from Rome, is a traditional means of marking milestone events such as wedding anniversaries, baptisms, first communions, confirmations and significant birthdays. These parchments are produced by the Holy See's Office of Papal Charities, or *Elemosineria Apostolica*, which is charged with exercising charity to the poor in the name of the Holy Father. Since the time of Pope Leo XIII, the production of these parchments has served as an important means of funding charitable works. Papal Blessing Parchments may now be ordered online directly from the Elemosineria Apostolica using their website, www.elemosineria.va (click on "Papal Blessing Parchments"). A number of beautiful formats are available for each type of event.

HELP A PARISHIONER

A young St. John parishioner born in 1997 is in need of a kidney donor. If you or someone you know is open to becoming a kidney donor, regardless of where the potential donor lives, please visit the website for the MedStar Georgetown Transplant Institute:

<https://mgti.donorscreen.org/register/donate-kidney>

The young man's name and date of birth, which will be needed for registration, can be provided by Fr. Pollard (fr.pollard@stjohncatholicmclean.org). Donors can be reimbursed for lost wages and other expenses. Since the recipient is 23 years old the preferred donor age is between 21 and 49. However doctors are allowing older candidates to be tested since the finding of such a qualifying living donor could make available the needed transplant through the Paired Kidney Exchange.

FAITH DIRECT

Jesus taught in the Gospels that God desires us to make financial offerings to Him. Giving is one way we recognize that God is Lord of our lives. We know that every good and perfect gift comes from God. Giving a portion of our income back to the Church shows gratitude for these blessings.

The parish still needs your support in order to pay its usual monthly bills and provide for its operations. Our primary source of income is the Sunday Collection. You can either mail in your contribution or contribute online through Faith Direct.

Obviously, if you are not being paid right now and have financial woes of your own you are not expected to give as you normally would. Perhaps those of us who are able to maintain our fiscal situation can step up and contribute a little extra during this very trying time.

One way to contribute more easily is to sign up with the online giving service Faith Direct. You can sign up directly with them at faithdirect.net. Click on the words Give Now in the center of the page. Enter the church code VA77 and click Give Now again. This will take you to the page where you may click on Enroll in Recurring eGiving where you will be able to enter your information.

ELECTRONIC CONTRIBUTIONS TO ST. JOHN THE BELOVED

For your convenience, please sign up for the Faith Direct Offertory program.

www.faithdirect.net

VA77 is our parish code.

NEED SOME GOOD BOOKS TO READ?

Although The Word Book and Gift Shop is closed as long as our Masses are suspended due to COVID-19, we are available to assist with your purchases!

Please contact us at theword@stjohncatholicmclean.org with your inquiries to coordinate a pickup or to make an appointment to meet at the store between 10 am and 4 pm Monday thru Saturday. We are stocked with some newly released books including



A Pope and a President (Paul Kengor), Can a Catholic be a Socialist? (Trent Horn), Consecration to St. Joseph (Fr. Calloway), From the Depths of Our Hearts (Cardinal Sarah), & others, in addition to the April & May *Magnificat*, prayer books, cards, rosaries, crosses & statues. We also have a large Clearance section priced at 50% off. We look forward to serving you. Cash/Checks/Credit Card are accepted. Follow us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/689310165145213/>

IN THE DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON



APRIL 26 STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"Did not our hearts burn within us while He talked to us on the road, while He opened to us the scriptures?" LUKE 24:32

How often do we take the time to discern what Jesus wants from us? Are our prayers always petitions, asking Jesus to do things for us? If so, that's a one-sided relationship. Living our faith means developing a personal relationship with Jesus. Just like any friendship, there is give and take, each side listening to each other and helping each other out. Take time in silence to listen to what Jesus is asking of you.

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Do you recognize Christ in your life and hope to make Him known to others? Perhaps you are being called to the priesthood or consecrated life. Father Michael Isenberg (703) 841-2514, : michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES CAR MINISTRY

Thinking of replacing or getting rid of your old car? We have now three locations Arlington, Fredericksburg and Leesburg. Please consider donating it to Catholic Charities. We take used vehicles and transfer them directly to qualifying families in desperate need of transportation. We also accept non-working cars, which helps to fund our volunteer ministries. Donating is EASY! We handle all the paperwork; you receive an IRS donation receipt. Avoid the hassle of selling your car, simplify your life, or reclaim that space in your garage. Please email cars@ccda.net or call (703) 841-3898. Non- working 1-844-527-2232

DIOCESAN RESOURCE PAGE

The Catholic Diocese of Arlington website includes a resource page where parishioners can access information regarding the recent events affecting the Church. Read the policies on child protection and responses to the crisis from Bishop Burbidge at www.arlingtondiocese.org/childprotection

WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die." Do you believe that Jesus is the Lord of your marriage? Bring God into your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter on Sep 18-20, 2020 in Fairfax, VA and Sep 11-13, 2020 in College Park, MD. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: RenewMarriage-VANorth.org or contact us at applications@renewmarriage-vanorth.org or 703-646-1521.

STATE OF THE COMMON HEALTH



Please remember to donate blood if you are able.

Right now, American Red Cross faces a severe blood shortage due to an unprecedented number of blood drive cancellations during this coronavirus outbreak. Healthy individuals are needed to schedule an appointment to give in the days and weeks ahead to help patients counting on lifesaving [blood](#), [platelets](#) or [AB Elite plasma](#) throughout this pandemic.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Frank Bohan	Richard Meade
Kathleen Bonuccelli	Diana Meisel
Carmel Broadfoot	Bonnie Moran
John Cartelli	Veronica Nowakowski
Victoria Grace Czarniecki	Anita Oliveira
Richard DeCorps	Emelinda Oliveira
Tara Flanagan-Koenig	Mary Pistorino Reilly
Alexa Frisbie	Shelby Rogers
Susan Glover	Thomas Rosa
Francisca Grego	Murielle Rozier-Francoville
Jack Halpin	Avery Schaeffer
Arnold L. Harrington III	Merle Shannon
Colleen Hodgdon	Gloribeth Smith
David Johnson	Glenn Snyder
Mark Johnson	Carolyn Steinhoff
Christopher Katz	Bill Sullivan
Dorothy Kottler	Brian Turner
Sue Malone	Ana Vera
Carmella Manetti	Mary Warchot
Cristina Marques	Marie Wysolmerski

*May God bless and protect our loved ones
in the military and civil service
who are serving these United States
in dangerous places, especially...*

Robert Ayala	Lynn Partik
Jonathan Choo	Michael Shipley
Nicholas Galvan	Kimberley Templer
Harry Griffith	Michael Templer
Bill Jones	Jesus Toledanes
Elisabeth Maddrell	Justin White
Brendan Murphy	Donald Yamamoto