

1st Sunday of Advent

11-27-2022



Vocation – Is it the right thing for you?

Call Father Michael Isenberg (703) 841-2514, or
write: michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org

CCD is putting together
Christmas gifts bags for shut-ins!

Please consider donating items by December 11th!

Donation box is in the vestibule

THANK YOU!!

Grow Spiritually for Free on Forum

Full of resources for spiritual growth. For Free! New material every week. First, go to <https://signup.formed.org/>
Second, enter our parish zip code of 22960 & enter your name & email

1st Sunday in Advent Stewardship Reflection

"Therefore, stay awake! For you do not know on which day your Lord will come." Matthew 24:42

People who have had health issues or near-death experiences generally have a greater appreciation for each day being a gift from God. The rest of us usually take for granted that we will be around tomorrow. But when you start to look at each day as a gift, you realize all the little miracles that happen daily and you begin to see God's active presence in your life. You grow in gratitude, each day, for all that we have been given.

2022 MASS INTENTIONS

(Nov 26 – Dec 02)

(Dec 03 – Dec 09)

Sat: 9:00a		+Andrew Hutchison
Sat: 5:00p	Dominic McGarrigle	Parishioners
Sun: 8a	Robert Filippelli	Nancy Montgomery
Sun: 11a	Parishioners	+Lou Smith
Mon: 12:15p	David McGarrigle	+Charles L Gruber
Tue: 12:15	Jenny Voissem	Barberio & Cilone Families, Living & Deceased
Wed: 12:15p	+Attilio Anthony Stone	+William/+Nancy Riley
Wed: 7:00p		Bernard Poticha
Thu: 12:15p		+Attilio Anthony Stone
Thu: 7:00p		+Joe/+Evelyn Lagemann
Fri: 12:15p	+Larry Cottrell	+Richard Palmieri

Love Outreach Food Pantry

Canned meat: tuna, chicken, salmon, spam, ham & ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise, pancake mix, syrup, rice, peanut butter

Household: laundry soap, dish soap, dryer sheets, floor cleaner

Hygiene: toothpaste, toothbrush, bathroom tissue, shampoo, soap

Phone: 540-223-6674

"Praise the Lord, who lifts up the poor." Psalm 113

CHURCH INTERESTS (Nov 28 – DEC 02)

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AFTER 12:15P MASS:

THE CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY & ROSARY

MONDAY: HOLY INFANT PADEIA HYBRID SCHOOL: 8:45A -3:00P

BIBLE STUDY: 9:00A & 7:00P

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OFFICER MEETING: 6:30P

TUESDAY: FLAME OF LOVE: 10:30A

RCIA: 7:00P

HOLY INFANT PADEIA HYBRID SCHOOL: 8:45P – 3:00P

WEDNESDAY: ZOOM CALIX SOCIETY MEETING: 8:30A

LEGION OF MARY: 3:00P

THURSDAY: OFFICE CLOSED

FRIDAY: ADORATION: 1:00P – 9:00P

Confession

Mon/Tue/Wed/Fri: 11:45 – 12:05p

Sat Vigil Mass: 4:15p – 4:50p

Sun: 7:15a – 7:50a & 10:30a – 10:50a

Confession finishes 10 minutes before each Mass.

An appointment for Confession with Father is always available. Please call Father to make an appointment @ 540-672-4933.

Relevant Radio

Bringing Christ to the world through the media. It's a great Catholic resource in so many ways. Go to the [Ap store](#) on your phone and search for Relevant Radio and download it or go to www.relevantradio.com or call 1-888-577-5443 for prayer line.

SUNDAY OFFERINGS FOR THE LORD: 11-20-2022

Weekly Parish Budget Requirement: \$5,500 without Lawncare

Church Regular: 3098.00 Bldg Maintenance: 150.00

Poor Box: 169.00 Votive Candles: 87.00

Campaign Human Development: 384.00

Online Giving

Regular: 1430.00 Poor Box: 20.00

Bldg Maintenance: 65.00 Human Development: 20.00

Have you been tracking our weekly donations?

To consistently fund weekly expenses, including lawn maintenance, it would require each registered

individual or family to donate \$35 per week to the regular collection. Finance Fact: Building, Votive & Regular collections pay

St Isidore Bills.

Franciscan University Catechetical Institute

Arlington Diocese has paid for educational workshops through Franciscan University for all parishioners. Use this link to create a free account: <https://franciscanathome.com/arlington>

Top green bar: "partnering with diocese" – click arrow

Choose: Diocese of Arlington

Scroll down to large blue boxes bottom left

Choose: Middle Blue Box: "my parish or school is already registered."

Create email & password & enjoy over 200 workshops at your own pace!

Angel Tree

Food and wrapped gifts need to be returned on or before **Sun., Dec. 11th** to allow time to prepare for delivery. Angels are removed and replaced with the names of the recipient and food is sorted, boxed for each family and delivered with a turkey. If your family would like to make another family's Christmas a little brighter by providing food and or gifts, select one or more angel from the tree and pick up a suggested food list. As in years past, any surplus food is then donated to the Orange Food Pantry.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact
Pete or Fran Zahn @ (540) 832-5806.

Women's Silent Advent Retreat

Retreat to our Arlington Diocese's San Damiano Retreat White Post, Virginia, from Friday-Sunday, December 2-4, and savor the silence with your sisters. We will "treasure and ponder" the mysteries of Advent and read, think, pray, and rest with Jesus. Fr. John Riley will lead us in a consideration of the true meaning of the peaceful and solemn season of Advent and how we might better prepare to welcome Jesus with joy into our families and our homes on Christmas morning. For more information please visit www.arlingtondiocese.org/retreat or email Deacon Mark Maines at sandamiano@arlingtondiocese.org

Encounters: Catholic Family Resource

An Encounter is a series of resources designed for families or small groups to safely learn about the Faith in a non-classroom environment. These can each be done during the pandemic at a time when young people are exhausted with virtual learning. Some of them require a short trip to a local Catholic site, while others can happen right in your own kitchen! Parents have the greatest impact on the faith lives of their children. Why not take a few minutes to skim through the various Encounters we have created and then make plans for your family to do one together this weekend? arlingtondiocese.org/encounters

PRAYER LIST FOR OUR LOVED ONES IN THE ARMED FORCES

HOSPITAL CORPSMAN HART, USN
STAFF SERGEANT BOWMAN, USMC
COLLINS
PETTY OFFICER CRAWFORD, USN
LIEUTENANT DAY III, USA
1ST LIEUTENANT DOBROWOLSKI, USAF
AIRMAN 1ST CLASS FIELDING, USAF
ENSIGN JOUBERT, USN
CAPTAIN LARKIN, USA
SPECIALIST MCWILLIAMS, USA
LANCE CORPORAL MITCHELL, USMC
SERGEANT 1ST CLASS NEWTON, USA
LIEUTENANT COLONEL PAULI, USA
SPECIALIST 5 PAULI, USA
MAJOR PAULI, USAF
SEAMAN 3RD CLASS PHILLIPS, USN
CAPTAIN PONTIOUS
CAPTAIN PRZYBOCKI, USAF
LIEUTENANT ROBEY, USN
STOREKEEPER 1ST CLASS SEMERLING, USCG
BOATSWAIN MATE 2ND CLASS SEMERLING, USCG
PETTY OFFICER 2ND CLASS SLACK, USCG
ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN 1ST CLASS STONE, USN
SERGEANT SUBLETT, USA
STAFF SERGEANT SUBLETT, USA
WARRANT OFFICER 4TH CLASS WEAVER, USA
CAPTAIN WEAVER, USA
PRIVATE YOUNG, USA
PARATROOPER CUBERNOT, JR, USA
WARRANT OFFICER 2ND CLASS MOUL, USA
ETN3 POPPE, USN
MASTER SERGEANT ASHER, USAF
PRIVATE 1ST CLASS, COLE, USA

Interpreters Needed on Zoom

Mother of Mercy (MoM) Virtual Interpreters Needed. MoM's mission is to provide free, quality healthcare to low-income individuals who are uninsured or under-insured in the Diocese. Most MoM's clients speak Spanish. The Clinics need Virtual Interpreters to help improve communication between the Client and the Medical providers. All interpreting services will be remote via Zoom. Training provided. If you can help one 4-hour shift a month, please register here: <http://bit.ly/VolunteerMotherofMercy>

Walking with Purpose for Women

Please visit <https://bit.ly/OLBRwpp> or contact us at ourladyoftheblueridgewpp@gmail.com

Friendly Reminder for a Mass Intention - \$10

If you request a Mass intention & pay later, remember, date of the Mass

WEEKEND READERS, USHERS, ALTAR SERVERS & COUNTERS

Sat, 5p	Lector:	Daniel Strogis
Nov 26	Ushers:	Patricia Harbin, Bob Bonk
	Altar Servers:	Adrian, Vince
Sun, 8a	Lector:	Zach Candler
Nov 27	Ushers:	Mark Hogan, Steve Szymczak
	Altar Servers:	Jamie, Michael L
Sun, 11a	Lector:	Jesse Evans
Nov 27	Ushers:	Mark Primeau, Mike DeSimone
	Altar Servers:	Peter, Bobby, Lennon
Counters:	Chris & Tina Riley, Carolyn & Brad Comes	
Sat, 5p	Lector:	Michael Critzer
Dec 03	Ushers:	John Clemente, John Robert Clemente
	Altar Servers:	TBA
Sun, 8a	Lector:	Pete Zahn
Dec 04	Ushers:	Jean MacInnis, Terry McMahon
	Altar Servers:	TBA
Sun, 11a	Lector:	Karen Primeau
Dec 04	Ushers:	Jesse Evans, Craig Lawson
	Altar Servers:	TBA
Counters:	Chris & Tina Riley, Carolyn & Brad Comes	

Knights of Columbus Poinsettias for Christmas

The Knights of Columbus will take orders for poinsettias. A sign-up sheet is posted at the back of the Church to record your order.

6" plants are \$9.00 and 10" to 12" plants are \$20.00

The flower color is red

Last Date for Orders December 4th

If you need help, Knights will be available

Keep Christ in Christmas

PRAYER LIST FOR OUR SICK & SPECIAL NEEDS

Leah Adam, Matthew Adam, Nadia Anderson, Garry Arruda, Hazel Arruda, Melissa Auth, Lindsey Badgeley, Steve Barberio, Maggie Bartz, Kim Riley Bernhard, Luther Bergstrom, Stephen Bergstrom, Len Besterman, Blake Bethune, Dino Billimoria, Sara Blanchette, Edward Blanco, Eliza Blazek, Kenny Blazek, Mark Bond, Mel Bond, Ronnie Bond, Natalie Bracket, Aline Bowman, Betty Brown, CJ Brown, Declan Burke, Dr. Kristin Burns, Steve Burrill, Eve Casella, Nathaniel Capps, John Chebuske, Marie Cherement, David & Patti Cole, Kevin Colvin, Max Cook, Coyne's Friend John, Gavin Clapp, Betty Craft, Donna Crossman, Ed Cyrus, Joyce Cyrus, Andrew Deese, Lauren Dietzel, Caitlyn Dodd, Rosemarie Donahue, Therese Donofrio, John A. Dormer, Jackie Early, Jonathan Edward, Millard Edwards, Delores Elliott, Gloria Ernst, Jeannie Fedorek John J. Fink, Jack Firiollo, Maureen Flanagan, Beth Flores, Shane Garner, L. Garnett, Amy Gentry, Sophia Rose Gibson, Mary Kathryn Gigante, Susan Gray, Vicky Gunnnett, Mary Kathryn Gigante, Alice Gunning, Michelle Hahn, Elizabeth & Ernest Harbin, Mary Jo Harris, Nancy Harris, Chuck Hardy, Beverly Harcum, Terri Hibbs, Ben Hochstetler, Alice Houska, Hunter & Julie, Devin Humes, Martie Hunter, Alvina Hylton, Randy James, T Johnson's Daughter & Family, Mary Jorgensen, Victoria Kavanaugh, Barbara Keenan, John Keeney, Nancy Keeney, Rick Keeney, Brooke Kemp, Sara Kutsko, Charlie Lawson, Zeke Leftwich, Russell Lewis, Arlene Lloyd, David Lloyd, Nora Lloyd, Barbara & Ray Lonick, Mackenzie, Mary Ann Mangum, Sherry Martin, Carol Masschelin, Bret McIver, David McIver, Kay McIver, Kim Metzger, Barbara Miller, Meghan Myers, Peggy Newman, Paul & Roselle Nicholson, Retta Noto, Julie Pais, Barbara Pfeiffer, Jack Phillips, Mione Phillips, Sierra Phillips, Joan Plecher, Bernadette Pontious, Bernard Poticha, Karen Primeau, Marilyn Przybocki, Pauline Przybocki, Michael Rebar, Owen & Brittney & Annie Reed, Samuel Reeve, Hope Ritz, Tonie Roberts, Patricia Robinson, Abby Rundle, Alex Sandridge, Joann & Bobby Singleton, Taylor Auth Smith, Alex Staples, Mike Staples, Tim Staples, Brigitte Staub, Tony Stone, Theresa & Colton, Dorothy Tatum, Elizabeth Towles, Aubrey Treacle, Twins/Charlotte & Jack, Jenny Voissem, Mimi Voissem, Hope Von Kuhn, Tara Von Kuhn, Owen Wangenstein, Randall Weakley, Trina Weir, Randy Williams, Yvonne Wood & her daughters, Charlie Ann Xavier