




# October 16, 2022 The Twenty-ninth Sunday of Ordinary Time



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A Covenant Community

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Mass times: Weekends: Sat, Vigil at 4:30 p.m. Sundays 8:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.  
Daily Mass: 8:15 a.m. in the Chapel (Eucharistic Service on Mondays)



## 29<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



“Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? Will he be slow to answer them? I tell you, he will see to it that justice is done for them speedily. But when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?” - Lk 18:7-8

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# Bulletin and Worship Aid

Covenant Prayer: Father, you have called us to be a People of the Covenant. You sent your only begotten Son to be our Savior so that we might praise You, proclaim your Word, encounter You in the sacraments, welcome each other, share our faith, bring our sacrifices and be strengthened for your service. We pray that we might be a source of compassion toward the poor, justice for the oppressed, peace for the troubled, healing for the wounded, and wisdom for the searching. Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us that we might live the mystery of your love and fulfill the covenant we celebrate in the Eucharist. Father, we ask this in Jesus' name. Amen

**Please use the new hymnals found in your pew. All numbers will correspond to hymns, prayers, and readings. Thank you.**

### Introductory Rites

**Entrance Hymn: #714 Lord of All Hopefulness**

Greeting

Penitential Rite

Gloria (For Ordinary Time we will sing Mass of Christ the Savior, by Dan Schutte which can be found in your pews)

Opening Prayer

### Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Exodus 17:8-13

In those days, Amalek came and waged war against Israel. Moses, therefore, said to Joshua, "Pick out certain men, and tomorrow go out and engage Amalek in battle. I will be standing on top of the hill with the staff of God in my hand." So Joshua did as Moses told him: he engaged Amalek in battle

after Moses had climbed to the top of the hill with Aaron and Hur. As long as Moses kept his hands raised up, Israel had the better of the fight, but when he let his hands rest, Amalek had the better of the fight. Moses' hands, however, grew tired; so they put a rock in place for him to sit on. Meanwhile Aaron and Hur supported his hands,

one on one side and one on the other, so that his hands remained steady till sunset. And Joshua mowed down Amalek and his people with the edge of the sword.

The Word of the Lord  
**R: Thanks be to God**

Responsorial: Psalm 121



**R. Our help is from the Lord, who made heav-en and earth.**

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Second Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2  
Beloved:  
Remain faithful to what you have learned and believed, because you know from whom you learned it, and that from infancy you have known the sacred Scriptures, which are capable of giving you wisdom for salvation

through faith in Christ Jesus. All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for refutation, for correction, and for training in righteousness, so that one who belongs to God may be competent, equipped for every good work. I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus,

who will judge the living and the dead, and by his appearing and his kingly power: proclaim the word; be persistent whether it is convenient or inconvenient; convince, reprimand, encourage through all patience and teaching. The Word of the Lord  
**R: Thanks be to God.**

Gospel  
Acclamation:



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Gospel: Luke 18:1-8

Jesus told his disciples a parable about the necessity for them to pray always without becoming weary.

He said, "There was a judge in a certain town who neither feared God nor respected any human being.

And a widow in that town used to come to him and say, 'Render a just decision for me against my adversary.'

For a long time the judge was unwilling, but eventually he thought,

'While it is true that I neither fear God nor respect any human being,

because this widow keeps bothering me

I shall deliver a just decision for her lest she finally come and strike me."

The Lord said, "Pay attention to what the dishonest judge says.

Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night?

Will he be slow to answer them?

I tell you, he will see to it that justice is done for them speedily.

But when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Homily

The Nicene Creed (First page of hymnal)

Universal Prayer

## Liturgy of the Eucharist

Music during the Preparation of the Altar and the Gifts: **#813 We Belong to You**

Preface Dialogue

Memorial Acclamation

The Great Amen

Eucharistic Acclamations can now be found in the Pew

## Communion Rite

Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God

**Communion Antiphon:** The rich suffer want and go hungry, but those who seek the Lord lack no blessing.

Communion: **#868 Unless a Grain of Wheat**

Song of Praise: **#656 Love Burn Bright**

## Concluding Rite

Blessing

Solemn Dismissal

Sending Forth: **#692 Let All Things Now Living**

***Thank you for worshipping with us today, and we are praying for you and your family!***

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# Are you new? Register online!

**NEW MEMBERS ONLINE REGISTRATION!**  
 Online registration is available on the JGS website by clicking here: [ccjgs.org](http://ccjgs.org). To be eligible for admission to our Children's Faith Formation Program, reception of the Sacraments or to receive testimonial letters for sponsorship, an individual must be a registered, participating member of the parish, attend the sacraments, and support the parish via offertory and involvement.

## „From the Pastor

Dear Brothers and Sisters,  
 A blessed Fall Season to you!

Perhaps you have heard about a three-year program to foster a nationwide Eucharistic Revival, “a movement of Catholics across the United States, healed, converted, formed, and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist – and sent out in mission ‘for the life of the world.’” It will end in a national Eucharistic Congress planned for 80,000 people in Indianapolis in 2024.

Why begin a Eucharistic Revival now?

- One reason is that a number of polls over the past decade have shown that many Catholics do not understand what the church teaches about the Eucharist.
- A second reason for a Eucharistic Revival that every practicing Catholic will recognize is the COVID-19 pandemic, which brought about a sacramental famine across the globe for almost two years. As valuable as “Zoom Masses” and televised liturgies were to many, they by definition cannot deliver the tangible “taste and see” reality of the Eucharist – or of Mass itself.
- There is a third reason, too, and it is perhaps not stressed enough: we need to stop thinking of the Eucharist as a kind of reward, or as food for the elect few. Instead, we need to remind ourselves and the world that, in the words of Pope Francis in *The Joy of the Gospel*, the Eucharist is “not a prize for the perfect but a powerful medicine and nourishment for the weak.” It is not and should not be a political weapon. To quote Francis again, “frequently, we act as arbiters of grace rather than its facilitators.” The Eucharistic revival offers a chance to remind ourselves and others when we cherish the Eucharist most – and that without God’s grace we would all be unworthy to receive.

Our world is hurting. We all need healing, yet many of us are separated from the very source of our strength – Jesus in the Eucharist. To quote one writer, “Our church, too, is hurting and in need of healing and hope. Can’t we all seek it in the very gift Jesus gave to the people of God?”

I pray that all of us will be open to the Holy Spirit as we prepare at Jesus the Good Shepherd for the nationwide Eucharistic Revival. Stay tuned! Father Mike

## Weekend Mass Times

Sat, 4:30 p.m.

Sun, 8:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m.

**\*\*October 5:00 p.m. Sunday Mass\*\***  
 Livestream on our YouTube Channel

## Daily Mass Times

Mon: Eucharistic Service 8:15 a.m.

Tues-Sat 8:15 a.m.

## Confessions

Sat 3:00-4:00 p.m.

## Eucharistic Adoration

Thurs: 8:45 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.





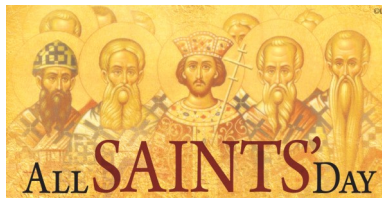
## The Virtue of Hospitality

Hospitality Volunteers	1st Sunday	2nd Sunday	3rd Sunday	4th Sunday	5th Sunday
8:00 a.m.	Buck/Kaputa/Thorne	Distad/Horabik	Langleys	Addison/O'Keefe	Buck/Kaputa/Thorne
10:45 a.m.	Miller Family	Cleary/VanWie	Walsh	Open	Miller Family
Bakers/Donations	Last Names A-F	Last Names G-L	Last Names M-R	Last Names S-Z	Last Names A-F



**DO YOU LIKE COFFEE? CAN YOU HELP PREPARE THE COFFEE AND SET OUT THE SNACKS FOR HOSPITALITY AFTER MASS?** Help is needed—We need you! Training is provided. Please call Laura in the church office at 410-257-3810.

**CALLING FOR BAKED GOODS! DO YOU LIKE TO BAKE? OR ARE YOU A SAVVY SHOPPER?** We need baked goods for hospitality after Mass. Please see the schedule above. Drop off donations in the kitchen before Mass. Thank you so much!



## We are all called to be saints!

Mass times for this holy day of obligation are **8:15 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 1.** Both Masses will be in the church. Calling all bakers—we need cupcakes for hospitality after the 7:00 p.m. Mass. The liturgical color for All Saints is white, please use white icing.



**MASS OF REMEMBRANCE SAT, NOV 5 AT 4:30 P.M. ALL ARE WELCOME.** It is a custom of the Catholic Church to pray for the happy repose of souls. If you have lost a loved one and would like for them to be prayed for during the Mass of Remembrance, you may submit those names to the church office using the All Souls envelopes in the envelope racks in the vestibule. Those names will be placed in a vessel which will be brought forward to the altar and prayed over by Father Mike and the congregation during the Mass. The names will also appear in the bulletin on November 12-13.

The Mass of Remembrance will feature the Faure Requiem with a guest organist. A candle will be lit for everyone who had a funeral at JGS since All Souls last year and those families will also be invited to the Mass.

The Mass is followed by the monthly Community Dinner. We ask that you please RSVP for the dinner so that we know how much food to prepare. The cost for the meal is \$10/meal with a max per family of \$40. Look for the sign up in upcoming bullets and flocknotes.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ORGAN DEDICATION



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**CARENET  
BABY BOTTLE  
CAMPAIGN**

**BABY BOTTLES CAMPAIGN!** In the past we have raised up to \$5K for the Care Net Pregnancy Resource Center to help needy mothers give birth to their "unique and unrepeatable gifts of God (St. John Paul II)." Fill up the

bottles with coins/bills/checks and return no later than the weekend of Oct. 29-30. Please be generous, thanks!



**YOU'RE INVITED! CATHOLIC HERITAGE PILGRIMAGE TOUR: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2022 TO THE SETON SHRINE, EMMITSBURG, MD.**

Departure from JGS: 7 a.m.; Return, 5:30 p.m. Come and take a tour of sites from the life of America's first native-born saint, St. Elizabeth Seton, when she lived in Emmitsburg from 1809 to 1821. Tour includes roundtrip bus from JGS, lunch, Seton Shrine, Basilica where she is buried, Heritage Tour, Gift Shop. Led by Fr. Mike – a great tour guide! To receive a registration form, kindly contact: [secretary@ccjgs.org](mailto:secretary@ccjgs.org); 410-257-3810 x 1000/1001 and leave your name and contact information. Thank you!



**Lector Workshop at JGS—1 more Oppourtunity** —For beginner and seasoned Lectors, come learn new techniques and brush up on your training! Saturday October 15, 2022 5:30pm after Mass. RSVP to Brent Talbot: [brentandjoanne@gmail.com](mailto:brentandjoanne@gmail.com), or the church office.



**Eucharistic Minister Training: Saturday, October 29 from 8:00am-11:00am** Have you been called to the ministry of Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion? We are offering a training on site for those waiting to be officially installed as a Eucharistic Minister. Join us for light breakfast, and a presentation on the Eucharist, its scriptural background, and how it will transform your life as a Eucha-

ristic Minister. Requirements: Must be 18 years of age, a Catholic in good standing, and not have served in our parish for over 3 years.

RSVP at the church office 410-247-3810 or [music@ccjgs.org](mailto:music@ccjgs.org)

**10/29 Training Agenda:**

- 8am: Daily Mass (Chapel)
- 8:30am: breakfast (Shepherd's Cove)
- 9am-11:00am: Workshop: The mystery of the Eucharist and your discernment as a Minister of Holy Communion.



**BAPTISMS AT JGS!**

Congratulations to Evelyn Kempe on the baptism of her child Christopher; to Anna Maria and Matthew Yates on the baptism of Raphael; to Will and Mary Jayne Thayer on the baptism of Raiden! We welcome all these beautiful souls into our family of faith!



**Hymnals are here!** After two years of bare pew racks, Jesus the Good Shepherd has new hymnals for the church! The hymnals are hard bound, permanent, revertent and diverse! There is a wide range of traditional hymns, contemporary songs, and a diversity of composers and cultures within this beautiful hymnal. The hymnal presents a certain dignity to the liturgy that lifts our hearts and voices to the Lord in worship! The Worship Aid will still be printed in the Bulletin for easy access to the readings, psalm and hymn numbers. Please use the worship aid for guidance, and listen to the Cantor announcements!

There is still an opportunity to have a hymnal donated, and the link is in the QR Code, or you can contact Katie at [music@ccjgs.org](mailto:music@ccjgs.org) or 410-257-3810 ext 1017



Religious Education and Teen Events

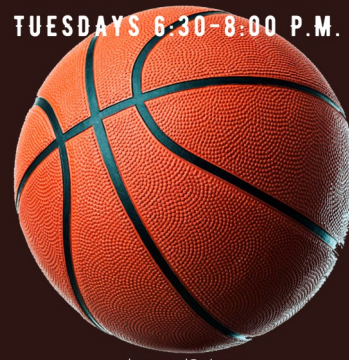
**Religious Education:**  
Helps to build a strong foundation



**Faith Formation October Schedule**

- Children's Faith:-** Morning classes meet: 10/16, 10/23 and 10/30.
- Evening classes meet:** 10/23,
- Confirmation:** Classes meet: 10/23
- ACT Youth**—Class meets: 10/23

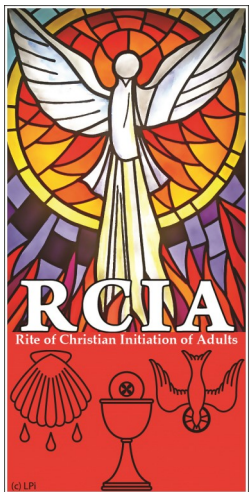
**OPEN GYM - JGS TEENS**  
**TUESDAYS 6:30-8:00 P.M.**



RSVP or reach out to Deacon Paul before coming. If we don't have 10 players committed to coming, this event may be canceled.

[deaconpaul@ccjgs.org](mailto:deaconpaul@ccjgs.org)





**RCIA Open House:** Please join us between Sunday Masses on October 23, 2022 from (9:20 – 10:30am) for a RCIA Open House in the Upper Media Room. Enjoy some light refreshments during a meet and greet with fellow candidates and RCIA coordinator, Mike Dorsett. This will be an opportunity to ask your questions regarding the RCIA program, becoming Catholic and receiving the Sacraments. Come join us!

**GRIEF SUPPORT MINISTRY AT JGS:**

Beginning Saturday, October 29 and continuing the next three Saturdays [November 5, 12, 19], Jesus the Good Shepherd will host a new *Grief Support Ministry*. We want to reach out to you and support you in the healing process. All who have lost a loved one are most welcome. The coordinators are Dave and Carol Wilson of our community, assisted by Father Mike. It begins with the Saturday 8:15 a.m. Mass for those who wish to attend, followed by a gathering in the Upper Room Media Library following the Mass. Gatherings will last no more than an hour and half. All participants will receive a copy of *The New Day Journal: A Journey from Grief to Healing*. If you are interested in attending, kindly contact Dave and Carol Wilson at [skinsfan49@aol.com](mailto:skinsfan49@aol.com) or the church office at 410-257-3810 x 1000, 1001. Thank you.



## PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

*Staff Sergeant Christopher R. Skirchak; LT Jg Matthew Schwartz; Steve Looney; Billy Looney; Will Jones; LCDR Alex Scott; Nicholas Majers; David Keffer; James Lanson Weeks; Captain Robert Patterson, USMC; LT Nadila Khan, USN; Ross Noon; Col Phil Noltemeyer; Matthew Cullens; William Ryan Thayer; LT. Col. Brian Genelin; Michael Parker; Michael Henry Thayer; Gerald Cullens; Scott*

*Mega; Capt. Kal Bassma; Mark Smith; Jacob Floyd; Joseph Maso-ero; Christopher Kuczek; Tyler Menoche; Tim Addison; Dylan Rayfield; Joshua Snyder; Brennan McConnell; Ian Torr; Michael Metler; Joey Wyvill; Shane Nissen; Lt. Ridge Alkonis, USN; Kyle Kampson; Katie Kampson*



Please contact the church office to have a name added to this list.



*The sick:* Carlton Leslie, Richardson; Tony Dockum; Janet husband of Theresa; Richard Barna; John Barna; Riley Boden-Rosati; Art Gillings; Bill Guididas; horn; Linda Patterson; James Gael Dusseau; Dom Raino; Ann Richardson, Sr.; Katie Lakie; Marie Dardinski; Maria C. Ortiz; Elaine Shelby; Keith Hanagriff; Father John Dakes; Marguerite Tim Connors; Alma Marie Suite; Meghan Knapp; Leslie Streicker; Anne Brophy; Bob Brooks; Robert J. Koehler; Alex Adams; Marsha Dunn; Janet Lobianco; Marty Oberman; Cleary; Pat Conway; Leslie Hill; Laura Ogdon; Michael Davis; Bobbie Martin; Chad Martin; Jack DeGrange, Sr.; Thomas Maureen Blakely; Juan Aranda, Haug; Dante Nazzaro; Nick B., Sr.

Friends/relatives in need of prayer and for those who have died contact the church office monthly to include them in our bulletin.

### Weekend Mass Intentions for October 15-16, 2022

Sat	4:30 PM	For the repose of the soul of Patty Horabik, wife of Mike, at the request of Barbara and Mike Hotchkiss
Sun	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Patty Horabik, wife of Mike, at the request of the Walking with Purpose Ministry
Sun	10:45 AM	For the repose of the soul of "Ike" Eichelberger, husband of Anita, at the request of the Martha and Mary Ministry

### Mass Intentions for October 17-22, 2022

Mon	10/17	8:15 AM	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Tues	10/18	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Albert Giles Nagle, husband of Marlene, at the request of Joan and Larry Hopson
Wed	10/19	8:15 AM	For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thurs	10/20	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Mary Richard on her heavenly birthday
Fri	10/21	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Patty Horabik, wife of Mike, at the request of Ann Delo
Sat	10/22	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Alfred Eichelberger, husband of Anita, at the request of Joan and Larry Hopson



**PLACE YOUR SHARE FOOD ORDER BY SUN. OCT 9 PICK UP YOUR ORDER SAT. OCT 22 FROM 9-10:30 AM**

at JGS. Groceries are expensive!! But a Share Food Value Package is just \$25. Each Value Package includes 4-6 pounds of frozen protein and 8-12 pounds of fresh produce. And remember, Share is open to EVERYONE! To view the Share Food Menu for this month, please visit <https://www.catholiccharitiesdc.org/share/>. For questions, or to order by phone, text or email, contact Lynn Robinson 301-467-8550 or [lynn@rwminc.com](mailto:lynn@rwminc.com).

UPCOMING ELECTIONS: As we approach elections once again in November, all are reminded of the right to vote. However, before you vote, remember to check out the candidates and especially see if / where they stand on issues related to Catholic teaching and Catholic policies. *With the upcoming elections, it is also a timely reminder that it is the policy of the Archdiocese of Washington, like other Catholic dioceses, NOT to allow candidates running for election to be hosted or to speak in person or virtually at any gathering at parishes.*



**USE OF FIELDS/PLAYGROUNDS AT JGS/CHA:** In accord with the policy of the Archdiocese of Washington, Jesus the Good Shepherd, and the insurance carrier for same, the use of all parish and school fields/playgrounds is restricted.

These areas are not available whenever such is open and one “feels like it.” Unfortunately, as we all know, this is not the 1980’s or 1990’s anymore, times have changed and so have a complexity of legal issues, liability and child protection that affect parish property. Thank you for your cooperation.



**OOPS! LEAVING LIGHTS ON?** With the increase in use and a gradual return to things normal following the pandemic, our facility over the last few weeks has also seen an increase in the number of lights left on all night by groups who use our facilities. *To all groups who use our facility, especially the coordinators, kindly remember to turn off all lights when you leave.*

Please keep in mind also that there is not a designated person who walks through the building each night to turn off lights. Every group/every individual is responsible. As a rule of thumb, “the last one out, turns off lights.” This appeal is being made as our electric bill is 50% higher than it was for this same period last year. If you/your group uses our facility, thank you for keeping this in mind.

## ST. JOHN VIANNEY ANNUAL—CRAFT/VENDOR SHOW

Saturday, Nov. 12, 2022, 9 am to 2 pm

Crafters and Vendors needed.

Email: [flc@sjvchurch.net](mailto:flc@sjvchurch.net) if interested

**UPDATE, CENTRE RESTROOMS RENOVATION:** We are happy to report that all the required permits have been received for the renovation of our Centre Restrooms. We expect the contractor to contact us very soon to schedule the beginning of the renovation. The work is expected to take 6-8 weeks. During this time, there are no restrooms available in the Centre, but we have plenty of options in the meantime. Clear signage for alternative restrooms will be posted during this brief period of inconvenience



### EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Sparking Holiness

As the seasons change, a lot of us like to clean out our homes and unload some of the junk we’ve acquired over the summer.

One trendy approach to decluttering is the Marie Kondo method, named after the author who popularized it. Overly simplified, it’s a process that compels you to go through your closets, your garage, your basement — all the places you collect the dreaded “stuff.” As you do so, you hold up the items and ask yourself: “Does it spark joy?”

It’s a question that is bold in its simplicity. In answering, you’re supposed to go with your gut. If it’s a quick “Yes, it sparks joy,” the item should be kept. If the answer is no, it gets tossed.

There are people in life who will support our efforts to do God’s will. There are those who will, as Paul says, “convince, reprimand, (and) encourage,” unafraid of the reaction we give them. There are those who will shore up our defenses when the battle goes longer than we thought.

The same goes for hobbies and pastimes. There are those that will ennoble our minds and bring us closer to God. And there are also those that will drain our funds and our free time, with nothing to show for it.

During these autumn months, don’t just declutter your basement in preparation for the hauling out of the Christmas ornaments. Take stock of the people and pursuits that make up your life. With each one, ask yourself: “Does it spark holiness?”

If the answer is yes, thank God that our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth. If the answer is no, maybe it’s time to declutter.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LP

### Lenten Mission to TN



Deacon Paul will be leading a Lenten Mission in TN from March 6 through March 10, 2023 at the Holy Family Catholic Church in Lafayette TN. This is a great opportunity for adults from our community to participate in a “mission trip” experience. The trip will include a Lenten Retreat program for Holy Family parishioners during the day and will include an evening program for the youth of their community where we will work with them in small groups to build faith and community. While there is no cost for the retreat or mission, participants will be expected to pay for their own travel and accommodations. If you are interested in going, have any questions, or want to know how you can help, contact Deacon Paul at [deaconpaul@ccjgs.org](mailto:deaconpaul@ccjgs.org).



# Share the HOLIDAYS donate dinner

Share the Holidays by Donating a Holiday Dinner to a Local Family in Need

Your generous donation of \$45 will buy a full Thanksgiving or Christmas Dinner for

one of our families.

If you'd like to support this important effort, you can donate through Faith Direct or if you'd prefer to make a cash or check donation, you'll find a Share the Holidays donation box in the Center at church. Simply place your donation (checks payable to CCJGS) in one of the envelopes and leave it in the box. Faithdirect link: <https://forms.ministryforms.net/viewForm.aspx?formId=d0f6a6ce-5b68-4c5f-9ede-ab1afec68c71>

If you have questions or would like to place a food order for yourself, please call or email Lynn Robinson at 301-467-8550 or [Lynn@rwminc.com](mailto:Lynn@rwminc.com).

All Share Food donations are 100% used to purchase food for local families. Funds are not subject to ADW tax and all labor is provided by your fellow parish volunteers.

Accepting Thanksgiving orders through November 6<sup>th</sup> and Christmas orders through December 9<sup>th</sup>.

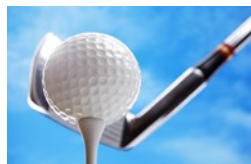


### JGS OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday 9:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m.



**Cardinal Hickey Academy's 19th Annual Charity Golf Classic** will be held **Friday, October 21st, 8:30 am, at Oak Creek Golf Club** in Upper Marlboro. This is hands down the best event of the year and guaranteed to be filled with a ton of fun. If you have never participated or volunteered, this is an event you do not want to miss.



Registration, sponsorship or donation payments may be made payable to Cardinal Hickey Academy

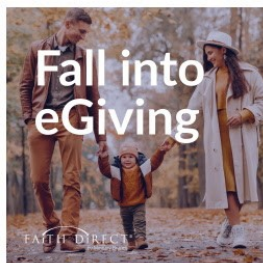
and dropped off in the school office or use this [PayPal link](#) to make an electronic payment. Thank you!

<https://www.planmygolfevent.com/36798-CardinalHickeyAcademys19thAnnual/>



**SECOND COLLECTION FOR WORLD MISSION SUNDAY WILL TAKE PLACE THE WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 23 AND 24TH.** Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities.

Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers and be generous in the collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. To give online go to: <https://onefamilyinmission.org/>.



**HAVE YOU MADE THE SWITCH TO EGIVING?** It's a great way to support Jesus the Good Shepherd and grow our ministries that share the Good News of God's love. You can sign up from your computer, smartphone or tablet, and set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift.

Recurring gifts can streamline your stewardship and sustain our parish throughout the year. You'll provide consistent support that helps us always be at the ready with programs, services, and ministries for our church families and for those in need throughout the community.

Simple online donations. **Click or go to [ccjgs.org/partners](https://ccjgs.org/partners) or use the QR code.**



Thank you for your continued support of our parish family.

**ESTATE PLANNING:** Please consider leaving Jesus the Good Shepherd in your will. Our needs are always great and expanding. Leave a legacy at this parish you love. Thank you!

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING** for the weekend of October 2, 2022:

Weekly Offertory	\$ 8,343	Thank you for your generosity!
September Faith Direct offertory	\$38,750	

We need \$7100 weekly in offertory to stay afloat  
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**RCIA** – We welcome adults interested in becoming Catholic into our RCIA program. Please contact coordinator Michael Dorsett at 301-518-5711 mdorsett@gosps.com or the pastor at pastor@ccjgs.org or 410-257-3810 x1003.

**BAPTISM PREPARATION** - Parents seeking baptism are encouraged to call the church office at 410-257-3810 or email receptionist@ccjgs.org. We invite all new (and expecting!) parents to a baptism retreat to be held 3 times per year.

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY** - We rejoice with members who are preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage. Please contact our office at least **six months** in advance; otherwise, dates cannot be guaranteed. Please do not set a date before making Church arrangements first. Dates for weddings will not be arranged before a preliminary meeting.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND HOLY COMMUNION:** Please contact the church office if you or a family member is homebound, in the hospital, or in a nursing home and would like to receive these sacraments. We will do our best as restrictions allow during the pandemic.

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