## January 15, 2023 The Second Sunday of Ordinary Time



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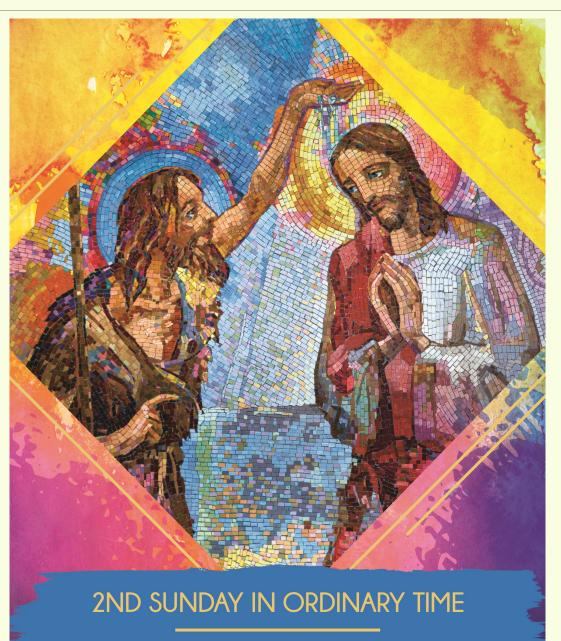
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Mass times: Weekends: Sat, Vigil at 4:30 p.m., Sundays 8:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m. & 5:00 p.m. Daily Mass: 8:15 a.m. in the Chapel (Eucharistic Service on Mondays)



"Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world." - Jn 1:29

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# **Bulletin and Worship Aid**

### Covenant Prayer-last page of hymnal.

**Introductory Rites** 

## Entrance Hymn #993 Baptized in Water

Greeting

**Penitential Rite** 

## Gloria #367

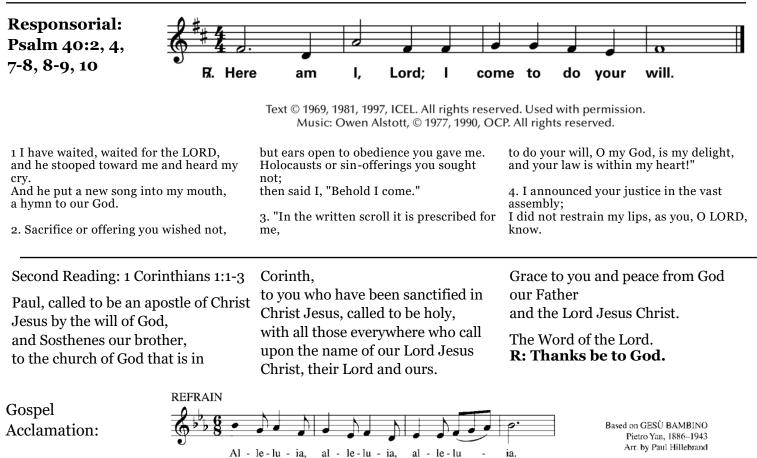
**Opening Prayer** 

### Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

The LORD said to me: You are my servant, Israel, through whom I show my glory. Now the LORD has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb, that Jacob may be brought back to him and Israel gathered to him; and I am made glorious in the sight of the LORD, and my God is now my strength! It is too little, the LORD says, for you to be my servant, to raise up the tribes of Jacob, and restore the survivors of Israel; I will make you a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth.

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



Gospel Verse: The Word of God became flesh and dwelt among us. To those who accepted him, he gave power to become children of God.

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but the reason why I came baptizing Gospel: John 1:29-34 with water John the Baptist saw Jesus coming was that he might be made known to toward him and said, Israel." John testified further, saying, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who "I saw the Spirit come down like a takes away the sin of the world. He is the one of whom I said, dove from heaven 'A man is coming after me who ranks and remain upon him. ahead of me I did not know him. because he existed before me.' but the one who sent me to baptize I did not know him, with water told me,

'On whomever you see the Spirit come down and remain, he is the one who will baptize with the Holy Spirit.' Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God."

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.** 

### Homily

**Universal Prayer** 

### Liturgy of the Eucharist

Music during the Preparation of the Altar and the Gifts: #844 Here I Am, Lord

Preface Memorial Acclamation Great Amen

The Nicene Creed (First page of hymnal)

**Communion Rite** 

Lord's Prayer Lamb of God

#### Communion: #1042 One Bread, One Body

Meditation: Behold the Lamb, Martin Willett (Choir)

### **Concluding Rite**

Blessing Solemn Dismissal

## All the Ends of the Earth



- 1. Break into song at the deeds of the Lord, the wonders God has done in ev'ry age.
- 2. Heaven and earth shall rejoice in his might; ev'ry heart ev'ry nation call him Lord.

3. The Lord has made salvation known, faithful to the promises of old. Let the ends of the earth, let the sea and all it holds make music before our King!

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

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Weekend Mass Times: Sat, 4:30 p.m.; Sun, 8:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 5:00 p.m. 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\*

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Thursdays 8:45 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

All our planning efforts, begun in early October, certainly paid off on many levels. We had great attendance especially for our Masses for Christmas. In particular, the Christmas Eve 4 p.m. Mass for our young members was simply, "over the top!" It was such a joy to see so many children in attendance - and excited in so many ways!

I also want to express my deep gratitude for your "presence" as well as your Christmas "presents" to our Christmas Offertory. Both far exceeded my expectations. I am truly humbled by your generosity. May God, Who is not outdone in generosity, bless you many times in return.

After Christmas day, probably the most common question asked of me was, "Father, how was YOUR Christmas?" Well, I tease people in my response and answer, "For me, it is a working holiday!!!" But to see so many and to be able to celebrate Mass for so many "made" Christmas for me. That is the gift I treasure the most. To be able to celebrate the Holy Eucharist is always the greatest honor, the greatest act, the greatest privilege a priest can do.

There is another Christmas "gift" that I also treasure. This Christmas I continued my tradition on Christmas Day of visiting a few parishioners in the hospital. It is very rewarding. After all, when Jesus in the Gospel says, "When I was sick, you visited ME," that includes Christmas. I remind myself I am visiting Christ Himself. Christ is there in the disguise of the sick. I spent Christmas Day [by the way, the traffic is great on Christmas] going first to a hospital in Washington. When I was finished there, I drove to a hospital in Baltimore and saw another parishioner. I returned home just after dark. I then fixed a little dinner, relaxed, said some prayers and went to bed after a busy but very fulfilling weekend.

This reminds me that as we return to Ordinary Time in the church year, "ordinary time" is somewhat misnamed. Far from ordinary, God's grace pours upon us each day. These times are meant for extraordinary things. And what's more, we are meant to make them that way!

As the prophet Isaiah reminds us, the people of God are to show the world the glory of God. Each and every one of us is to be a missionary of Christ to the world! If there is one problem in our Church today that we all need to address is that we have forgotten what the Lord expects of US, WE are called to lead the world to God! God bless you in 2023! **Father Mike** 

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Due to holiday printing deadlines, this is the first opportunity I have to write to you in the New Year! May God's blessings shower you in 2023!

Season so uplifting and enjoyable! First, my deep thanks to our staff.

Without hesitation, I want to thank all who made our Christmas

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	Harrington/Selke	Addison/O'Keefe	Buck/Kaputa/Thorne
10:45 a.m.	Miller Family	Cleary/Gorman/Hepp/ VanWie	Walsh/Trainor	Volunteers needed call church office	Miller Family
Bakers/Donations	Last Names A-F	Last Names G-L	Last Names M-R	Last Names S-Z	Last Names A-F



LIKE COFFEE AND DONUTS? WE'VE GOT IT. Join us after Sunday morning Mass for coffee and donuts in the Centre. We've got it all done for you, just come and enjoy a treat and maybe meet someone new.



**LENTEN RETREAT TRIP TO TN IN MARCH:** On Sunday, Jan 22nd after the 8:00 a.m. Mass and the 10:45 a.m. Mass, Deacon Paul will host an informational meeting in the Youth Lounge for anyone interested in the Lenten Retreat Trip to Tennessee in March. The Youth Lounge is located at the far end of the gym. For more information contact Deacon Paul at deaconpaul@ccjgs.org. More details are on page 8 of this bulletin.

Blood Drive Jesus the Good Shepherd

Gym 1601 West Mt. Harmony Rd Owings, MD 20736 Monday, January 16, 2023 12:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.





MARCH FOR LIFE— Friday, January 20, 2023— The JGS Pro-Life Ministry has arranged for a school bus to take parishioners to the March for Life Rally on the Mall, which starts at noon,

followed by the March to Capitol Hill. The bus will leave at 10:30 and return to JGS by 5 p.m.

WHY ARE WE STILL MARCHING? Here is why: "We must tirelessly build a culture of life on Capitol Hill, and advocate for the advancement of federal pro-life policies. This year, rather than marching to the steps of the Supreme Court, where we have for decades asked our highest Court's Justices to undo the destructive decision that was *Roe v. Wade*, we will now march to a new front in our battle for life, the steps of the United States Capitol." *https://marchforlife.org/why-we-will-continueto-march-for-life/* 

All adults and families in our community are welcome to stand up (and march!) for the "least of my brethren", the unborn child. A sign up sheet is in the atrium or sign up using the sign up in the flocknote. Please contact: Susan Burek (301-812-1868 or text 301-751-1538 or <u>buzzburek@comcast.net</u>). For more information about this national event please go to <u>https://marchforlife.org/.</u>



**LOYOLA MENS RETREAT** – **Feb. 17<sup>th</sup>** – **19<sup>th</sup>** (6pm, Fri to 12pm, Sunday) at Loyola Retreat House in Faulkner, MD. Spend some quiet time with the Lord and enjoy some social interaction with the men of JGS. Each retreatant has his own room within the Retreat House which sits on 235 acres overlooking the Potomac River. The cost of the

weekend is \$245 (*First-time retreatant and men under 30 yrs.old - \$195*) and this year's theme, led by Dominicans, is "What's in your Toolbox?". To sign-up or for more info please contact Mike Dorsett, <u>mdorsett@gosps.com</u>, 301-518-5711; or Chris Lindsey, <u>mxmwarp@gmail.com</u>, 410-570-6575. <u>Last day to sign up is Feb 12.</u>



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#### **Liturgical Ministry**



**FIDGETY CHILDREN AT MASS?** Did you know we have Children's Church or Children's Liturgy of the Word for ages pre-k to 2nd grade at the 10:45 a.m. Mass? What is it? Children's Liturgy of the Word is a time during Mass where younger children can experience the Word of God from a <u>child's perspective</u>. The children and volunteers process to the chapel where the <u>children read, lead, sing, and give intercessory prayer</u>. They light candles, participate in the pews, break open the gospel, pray together, and have a complete Liturgy of the Word that is more geared towards them! Along with the liturgy they may spend some time on an activity focused on the gospel! They may

get MORE out of the gospel than their parents do! It is a complete and legitimate liturgy that draws them into a deeper relationship with Christ. Still have questions? Contact the church office.



WANT TO GET MORE OUT OF MASS? Feel like your mind wanders during Mass? Volunteering during Mass can help with that. We are looking for Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Greeters, and Altar Servers. We will train you. Come be apart of our team. Contact Katie

and she will get you in touch with the correct person. Mu-sic@ccjgs.org.

#### The JGS Knights of Columbus sponsored the Keep Christ in Christmas Contest!

Both Cardinal Hickey Academy and JGS Religious Ed students participated. Everyone did a fabulous job.

Congratulations to: Age 5-7 Richard Pellegrino, CHA; Sarah Peerless, CHA; Conall McQuighan, JGS

Age 8-10 Charlene Bassett, CHA; Fiona Anderson, JGS; Meredith Schmidt, JGS Age 11-14

Rachel Seekford, CHA; Jessica Nguyen, CHA; Mary Evans, JGS



WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS: This year Bishop Roy E. Campbell will celebrate the Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass to Celebrate the Vocation of Marriage on Saturday, February 11, 2023,

10:00 a.m. at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. This celebration is to highlight the witness to the Catholic vocation of marriage and the beauty of God's plan for married life. Couples must register with the JGS parish office to attend the Mass and/or receive a certificate from Cardinal Wilton Gregory in honor of their anniversary year by January 20, 2023. Contact Laura or Sheryl at 410-257-3810.



Fiona Anderson, Mary Evans and Meredith Schmidt received their award at Mass on Jan 8th. Conall McQuighan is not pictured. The CHA students received their award at the CHA Mass on Fri, Jan 7th.

#### **Religious Education and Teen Events**

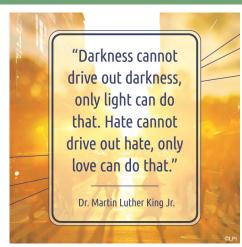
Religious Education: Helps to build a strong foundation

Faith Formation January Dates—No classes on 1/15CFF AM: 1/22; 1/29 Rite of Water 2nd gradeCFF PM: 1/22; 1/29Confirmation: 1/22; 1/29RCIC (for Children): 1/22; 1/29For questions or details, please contact: Maggie Gormanat religioused@ccjgs.org



Youth group meets 1/22; 1/28 ACT Youth Group Retreat 1/13-1/15 Contact Deacon Paul at deaconpaul@ccjgs.org

#### The Virtue of Spirituality



GOD WHO TAKES

AWAY

THE SINS OF THE WORLD.

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE January 15, 2023 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

When I was a kid, I remember the priest at Mass announcing, "The Lamb of God!" Frankly, it struck me as nonsense. I thought: Why in the world does God have a lamb? And where is this lamb?

John the Baptist sees Jesus coming toward him and announces, "Behold the lamb of God." His Jewish listeners knew what he meant. God's lamb is the thing that is sacrificed at the Jewish Passover and consumed by the participants. For almost a thousand years, lambs were ritually slaughtered and eaten in Jerusalem at Passover. The lamb meant sacrifice, freedom from sin, and communion with God. The Baptist is saying in effect, "This man will be ritually sacrificed and consumed so that God's people may be free from sin and united to God."

It's crucial to relate to Jesus as a friend, brother, teacher, and Lord of our lives. But we should also learn to interact with Him as our lamb of God. That means we intentionally place on him our sins, sadnesses, and hopes, and offer him to God. Then we consume him to make us free. This is what we do at every Mass. That's why he is the Lamb of God. — Father John Muir ©LPi

#### 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.

## **PRAY FOR OUR** SICK

Langley; Mary Ann Lagimoniere; John Barna; Riley Bodenhorn; Linda Finn Cusick ; Buzz Burek; Liz Born; Patterson; James Richardson, Sr.; Carlton Leslie; Richard Rosati; Art Katie Lakie; Elaine Shelby; Keith Gillings; Gael Dusseau; Ann Marie Hanagriff; Tim Connors; Alma Marie Dardinski; Maria C. Ortiz; Margue- Streicker; Anne Brophy; Bob Adrite Suite; Meghan Knapp; Robert J. ams; Marsha Dunn; Janet Cleary; Koehler; Alex Lobianco; Marty Oberman; Laura Ogdon; Michael tin; Chad Martin; Maureen Blakely; Davis; Jack DeGrange, Sr.; Thomas Haug; Dante Nazzaro; Nick B.; Doug W.; Patrick Michael Guest; Jean Mensh; Lorraine Dusseau; Anita Stuck Culkin; Gail Ricker; Les Silva; Marilyn Cooney; Chuck Kuhn; Dolores Marinaccio; Gina Richard-

Josie Boertline; Tom Lemon; Francis son; Tony Dockum; Janet Barna; Pat Conway; Leslie Hill; Bobbie Mar-Juan Aranda, Sr., Sean Layne; Shane Colgan.

> 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 January 14-15, 2023						
Sat	4:30 PM	For the i	For the repose of the soul of Gayle Talbot, in honor of her birthday, at the request of the Talbot family				
Sun	8:00 AM	Repose	Repose of the soul of Patty Horabik at the request of the Cullens family				
Sun	10:45 AN	I For the I	For the repose of the soul of Susan Mueller, wife of Deacon Eric, at the request of John and Barbara Hoff				
Sun	5:00 PM	For pray	For prayers answered				
Mass Intentions for January 16-21, 2023							
Mon	1/16	8:15 AM	Eucharistic Service				
Tues	1/17	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Carol Reilly at the request of Karen Hoffman				
Wed	1/18	8:15 AM	For the Happy Repose of Souls in Purgatory				
Thurs	1/19	8:15 AM	For prayers answered				
Fri	1/20	8:15 AM	For healing for Josie Mcwhorter, granddaughter of Jo Massab, from Walking with Purpose Ministry				
Sat	1/21	8:15 AM	In thanksgiving to St. Joseph for prayers answered 7				

## January 18, 2023 One-Hour Virtual Evening Reflection for Grieving Parents

Are you grieving the loss of a child? Join the Emmaus Ministry for Grieving Parents for a one-hour evening reflection on Wednesday, January 18 from 8:00pm – 9:00pm on Zoom. There will be a Spiritual reflection followed by a short discussion. To register and to receive the zoom link, please <u>click here</u>. For more information, contact the Office of Family Life at 301-853-4546 or <u>flm@adw.org</u>.

#### February 11, 2023 Wedding Anniversary Mass to Celebrate the Vocation of Marriage

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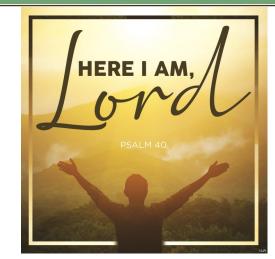
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(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

#### Showing Up

I broke my foot once, when my second child was only 12 weeks old, and I was about to move houses. For six weeks I was confined to a chair, a shrieking newborn in my arms, a toddler running circles around me, and my right foot rendered useless by a plaster cast. I couldn't do anything without assistance. I couldn't eat or get a drink or change my clothes or feed my children.

My family was in dire straits. A lot of people offered help, but there was a core group of friends and family members who really saved us.

These are the people who turned up in my driveway with empty vans and cooked meals. These are the people who blocked off their Saturdays to haul furniture, mow our lawn, and run after unruly kids. These are the people who said: "Here I am. Give me a job."

If you've ever really, really needed another person's help, you know that "showing up" means more than saying: "Let me know what you need." It means saying: "I'm already here. Tell me what to do."

So often, I pay lip service to the idea of submission. "What do you want, God?" I ask, and I secretly hope that what He wants isn't one of those things that I'm not willing to give.

What if I really strove to "show up" for God? What if I was ready to give what He asks of me, whatever it is?

Here I am, Lord; I come to do your will. — Psalm 40 ©LPi



#### Have You Heard?

#### GOD IS DOING SOMETHING NEW—AND HE IS CALLING YOU TO BE A PART OF IT!

We are in the midst of a National Eucharistic RevivaL Why? Because the Church needs healing, and the world needs Jesus. The Holy Spirit is inviting us to return to the source and summit of our faith—the Eucharist.

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eucharisticrevival.org



## Lenten Mission to TN-info session Jan 22. See page 5 for more details.

Deacon Paul will be leading a Lenten Mission in TN from <u>March 6 through March 10</u>, 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 Re-

treat 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.

#### Giving



THANK YOU FOR YOUR ONGOING SUPPORT OF THE LADIES OF CHARITY FOOD PANTRY! Your continued help with non-perishable donation is ALWAYS welcome. Thank you to everyone who donates to this very worthy cause.

Maryland Right to Life is THE voice for the preborn in the Maryland legislature. To win the battles ahead, we urgently need to strengthen and grow our county chapters.

We are calling on volunteers in <u>every county</u> to join us as we stand for LIFE. Together, we WILL defeat the abortion extremists and SAVE LIVES.

If abortion breaks your heart, we need YOU! Now is the time to meet wonderful pro-lifers in your area and be a difference maker in the fight for LIFE!

Please email julie@MDRTL.org with contact info & address. We will connect you with your local chapter.



**RESTROOM RENOVATIONS:** Please excuse our mess. The restrooms in the Centre are being renovated. During this process, the Centre will be open only on Saturdays and Sundays, but, the restrooms remain closed until further notice. Kindly follow directions for the locations of alternative restrooms during the renovation. Thank you!



The new year is a time of hope and promise as we have opportunities to grow our vital ministries, explore new ways to share the good news of Christ's love, and reflect His care and mercy to those in need throughout the communi-

Thank you

ty. To continue to make a difference in 2023, Jesus the Good Shepherd depends on online donations from caring individuals like you.

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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 <u>https://www.catholiccharitiesdc.org/</u> <u>share/</u>. For questions, or to order by phone, text or email, contact Lynn Robinson 301-467-8550 or <u>lynn@rwminc.com</u>.

**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!





#### JGS OFFICE HOURS Monday—Thursday 9:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m.

Contact Laura Cleary at 410-257-3810 (<u>secretary@ccjqs.org</u>) for Mass Cards/ Intentions; Sponsor Certificates (for Sacraments) or to place bulletin announcements. *Deadline for bulletin items is Thursday at noon, 10 days before the weekend you want your article to appear. Thank you!* 

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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. Next retreat: March 4, 2023

**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. <u>Please do not set a date before making Church arrangements first</u>. 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.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION/PENANCE: Saturdays 3:00-4:00 p.m. or by appointment.

Request for all Sacramental Records [Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, Marriage]: Please allow five business days to process.

Mission Statement: "We, the Roman Catholic Parish of Jesus the Good Shepherd Catholic Community, have chosen to serve the Lord by evangelizing through the virtues of Hospitality, Spirituality and Stewardship." <sup>10</sup>



