




February 19, 2023 The Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time



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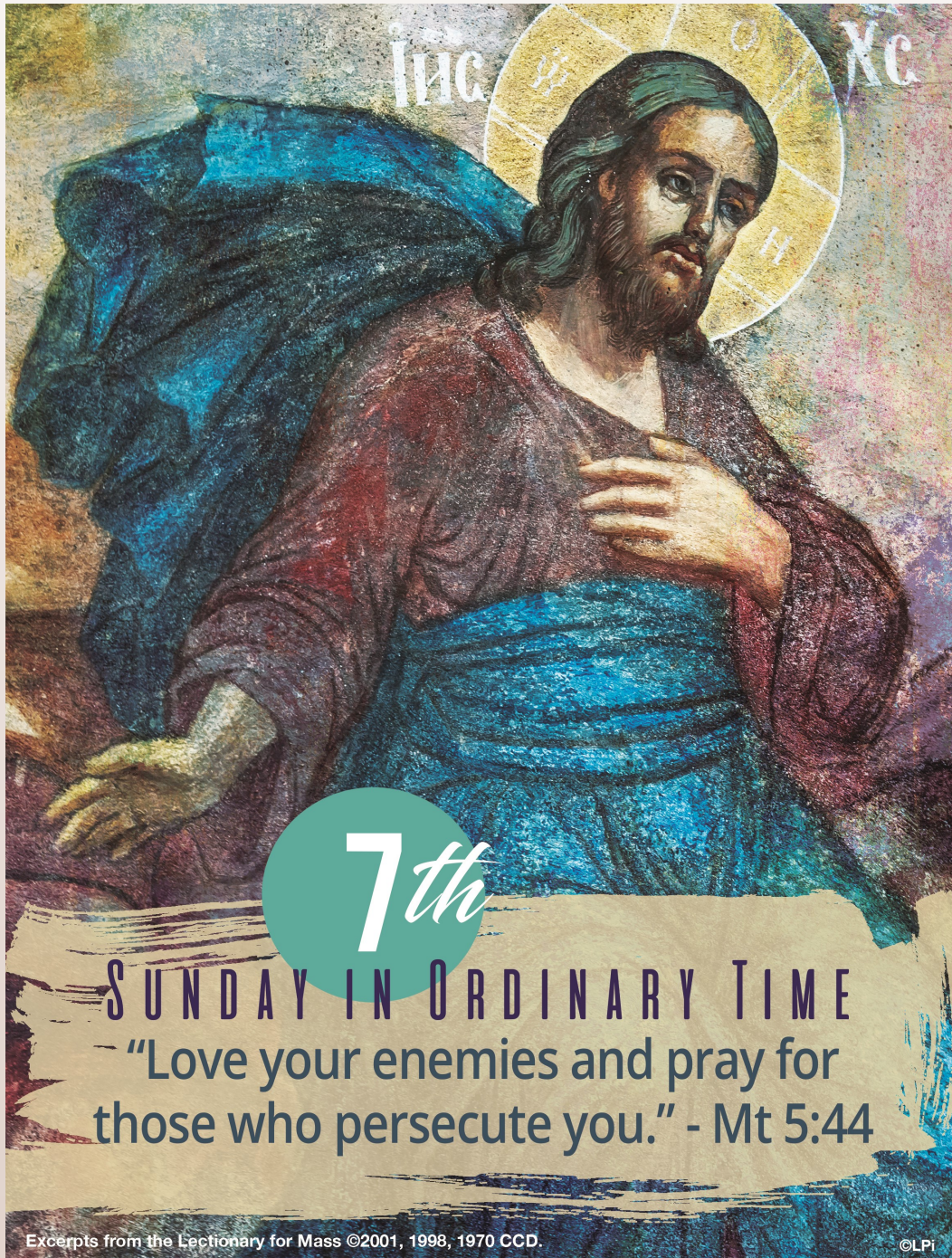
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Mass times: Weekends: Sat, Vigil at 4:30 p.m., Sundays 8:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
Daily Mass: 8:15 a.m. in the Chapel (Eucharistic Service on Mondays)



Bulletin and Worship Aid

Covenant Prayer—last page of hymnal.

Introductory Rites

Entrance Hymn #818 **Sing a New Church**

Greeting

Penitential Rite

Gloria: Pew Insert

Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18

The LORD said to Moses,
"Speak to the whole Israelite community and tell them:
Be holy, for I, the LORD, your God, am holy.

"You shall not bear hatred for your brother or sister in your heart. Though you may have to reprove your fellow citizen, do not incur sin because of him. Take no revenge and cherish no

grudge against any of your people. You shall love your neighbor as yourself. I am the LORD."

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

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 103:1-2, 3-4, 8 and 10, 12-13



Bless the LORD, O my soul,
and all within me, his holy name.
Bless the LORD, O my soul,
and never forget all his benefits. *R.*

He does not treat us according to our sins,
nor repay us according to our faults. *R.*

It is the Lord who forgives all your sins,
who heals every one of your ills,
who redeems your life from the grave,
who crowns you with mercy and compassion. *R.*

As far as the east is from the west,
so far from us does he remove our transgressions.
As a father has compassion on his children,
the LORD's compassion is on those who fear him. *R.*

The LORD is compassionate and gracious,
slow to anger and rich in mercy.

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Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 3:16-23

Brothers and sisters:
Do you not know that you are the temple of God,
and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?
If anyone destroys God's temple,
God will destroy that person;
for the temple of God, which you are,
is holy.

Let no one deceive himself.
If any one among you considers himself wise in this age,
let him become a fool, so as to become wise.
For the wisdom of this world is foolishness in the eyes of God,
for it is written:
God catches the wise in their own ruses,
and again: *The Lord knows the thoughts of the wise,*

that they are vain.

So let no one boast about human beings, for everything belongs to you, Paul or Apollos or Cephas, or the world or life or death, or the present or the future: all belong to you, and you to Christ, and Christ to God.

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

Gospel
Acclamation:



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Gospel Verse: *Whoever keeps the word of Christ, the love of God is truly perfected in him.*

Gospel: Matthew 5:38-48

Jesus said to his disciples:

"You have heard that it was said,

An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.

But I say to you, offer no resistance to one who is evil.

When someone strikes you on your right cheek,
turn the other one as well.

If anyone wants to go to law with you over your tunic,
hand over your cloak as well.

Should anyone press you into service for one mile,
go for two miles.

Give to the one who asks of you,

and do not turn your back on one who wants to borrow.

"You have heard that it was said,

You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.

But I say to you, love your enemies

and pray for those who persecute you,

that you may be children of your heavenly Father,

for he makes his sun rise on the bad and the good,
and causes rain to fall on the just and the unjust.

For if you love those who love you, what recompense
will you have?

Do not the tax collectors do the same?

And if you greet your brothers only,

what is unusual about that?

Do not the pagans do the same?

So be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect."

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: **#779 With Great Love**

Preface

Memorial Acclamation (pew insert)

Great Amen

Communion Rite

Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God

Communion: **#1032 You Satisfy the Hungry Heart**

Meditation: Ubi Caritas, Bob Hurd

Concluding Rite

Blessing

Solemn Dismissal

Sending Forth Hymn: **#1018 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!**

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

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NEW MEMBERS ONLINE REGISTRATION!

Online registration is available on the JGS website or by clicking here:

<https://ccjgs.org/im-new>. 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.

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.

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

This past weekend was Commitment Weekend for the Annual Appeal. As I shared at all the Masses, I am very happy to report that for 2022, Jesus the Good Shepherd not just made its goal but surpassed it! Out of 140 parishes only about one-third either met or surpassed their goal. Thanks to your charity and generosity, our community was one of them!

Personally, I am a strong supporter of the Annual Appeal. The Annual Appeal goes to so many worthwhile causes throughout the Archdiocese. We, in fact, are also recipients of the Appeal. For example, we are blessed with one permanent deacon but we have three men from our community currently in formation. This program needs funds to operate. Archdiocesan workshops for the formation of our catechists and liturgical ministries are funded by the Appeal. Tuition Assistance to needy families who wish to send their children to Cardinal Hickey Academy is also funded by the Annual Appeal.

Campus ministries, such the Catholic Student Center at the University of Maryland, are funded by the Appeal. The list goes on and on. We can take great pride in the great outreach programs in the District of Columbia and the five surrounding counties of Maryland that benefit from the Annual Appeal.

The archdiocese is also blessed with 80 seminarians preparing to become priests someday. You can imagine the cost of sending just one to college but if you multiply that by 80, the costs are staggering. The Appeal supports the costs of funding our seminarians to eventually become priests for the archdiocese.

All in our community are blessed in some way. Our goal for 2023 assigned by the Archdiocese is \$109,000. This is a large goal by any standard. But if every household makes a sacrificial gift to support the Annual Appeal and its many ministries, I am confident that once again we can make our goal. As in every year, 100% of your gift to the Appeal is restricted solely to the ministries that are part of the Annual Appeal and cannot be used for any other purpose. Your sacrificial gift will be credited towards our parish goal.

Thank you again in advance for prayerfully considering your commitment to the 2023 Annual Appeal. Your sense of charity and generosity are not only a source of inspiration for me but a sign of your commitment to our brothers and sisters, the Body of Christ, throughout the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Washington. God bless you!

Father Mike

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	Volunteers needed call church office	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



**Sign up THIS WEEKEND
in the atrium.
JGS Parish Wide
Lenten Small Groups**

Living the Eucharist is a dynamic, parish-based program designed to help revitalize parish life and mission through a more profound experience of Sunday Mass.

It helps the entire parish grow in their Catholic faith and live more fully as missionary disciples of Jesus.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper
February 21
5:30-7:30 p.m.



sponsored by the Men's Club...
free will offering is gratefully accepted



FEB 22, 2023

MASS TIMES

6:30 A.M.

12:00 P.M.

7:00 P.M.

Dear Parents and Friends of Cardinal Hickey Academy,

It is with a heavy heart that I share the retirement of our school principal, Mrs. Darlene Kostelnik, at the end of this school year. In addition to being a teacher, Mrs. Kostelnik has also led our school, teachers, staff and children as principal through an *amazing total* of more than twenty-five [25] years! We have been so blessed by her outstanding leadership and dedication to CHA. I, as I know you will, wish her well and God's blessings as she embarks on this new chapter in her life.

During her time as principal of CHA, Mrs. Kostelnik has spearheaded many new initiatives that have improved CHA and expanded learning opportunities for our school children. To say the least, CHA is recognized locally for its outstanding reputation on many levels. Having worked very closely with her, I know Mrs. Kostelnik is too humble to take credit for anything. However, the many successes of CHA are ultimately due to Mrs. Kostelnik.

May I ask that you keep Mrs. Kostelnik and CHA in your prayers as we look forward to celebrating the leadership of Mrs. Kostelnik prior to her departure at the end of the school year.

Towards that end, I have been in contact with the Archdiocesan Catholic Schools Office. With their support, I will shortly be selecting a search committee to help advise me on my selection of our new principal. Once the committee is formed, it will begin its work immediately. I will certainly keep you updated as things warrant.

May the peace of Christ be with you and with Cardinal Hickey Academy.

Sincerely in Christ,

Rev. Michael J. King
Pastor / Administrator



The Martha and Mary Society will have our spring meeting in March with our annual trip to Killarney House in Davidsonville on Wednesday, March 8th for St Patrick's Day. **We will have lunch at 1pm at Killarney.** As we have done in the past, we will meet in the church parking lot for carpooling at 12:15 for a prompt departure at 12:30. Please RSVP to (Maureen Carroll – maureenpcarroll@hotmail.com) by March 1st in order to facilitate our reservations. I would appreciate hearing from each of you so a list can be made and indicate if you want to carpool. All ladies of the parish are welcome to come out and enjoy a lunch with friends.

Lenten Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held every Thursday at Jesus the Good Shepherd Church in the chapel. Come anytime between 8:45 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Go to ccjgs.org/adoration for more information.

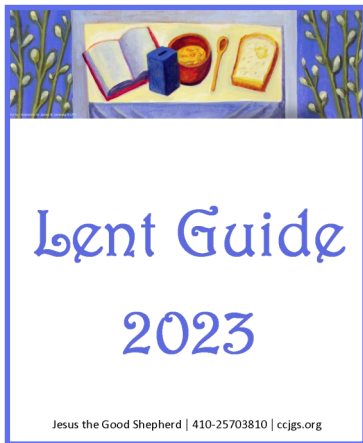


Rite of Sending—February 26

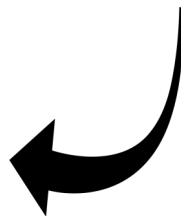
At the 10:45 a.m. Mass, RCIA will be brought forth, prayed over and enrolled into the Book of the Elect. This is a formal statement of their intent to enter the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil Mass on Holy Saturday.

Rite of Election—February 26

At 3pm, the RCIA will be formally recognized at the National Basilica in Washington and will be welcomed by Cardinal Gregory in the name of the Archdiocese of Washington.



Pick up a Lent Guide in the atrium TODAY!



PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

Please stop by our “Vocations Tree” in the church foyer, where you’ll see cards for each of the seminarians of The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Washington. Choose one or more cards and pray for that seminarian each day during Lent. Make it a beautiful offering to the Lord this Lent to pray for those whom He calls to give their lives in service of His Church in our archdiocese.



FEED THE HUNGRY

Please donate one non-perishable food item for each day of Lent—40 Cans for Lent.

Suggested items: canned fruits/vegetables, cereal, peanut butter and jelly, soup, canned meat/fish, condiments, starches. Donations may be left in the food bin in the atrium.

All food will donated will benefit the Ladies of Charity Food Pantry in North Beach, Maryland.



HOSPITALITY—Please keep those baked goods coming! We need treats especially after the 10:45 a.m. Mass. Baked goods, either store bought or homemade, may be dropped off in the kitchen before Mass.

We are looking for 2-3 families to help with hospitality after the 10:45 Mass for the 3rd and 4th Sunday of the week. Can you help? We will train you-it’s easy!

Hospitality Coordinator Needed: We need someone to help with scheduling and monitoring supplies. Can you help? Please contact the church office.

Religious Education and Teen Events

Religious Education:
Helps to build a strong foundation



Faith Formation Dates

CFF AM: 2/26, 3/5, 3/12

CFF PM: 2/26, 3/12

Confirmation: 2/26, no class 3/12

RCIC (for Children): 3/5

Special Dates

FHC—2/25 First Reconciliation, 3/5 parent meeting

Confirmation—3/11 Confirmation Retreat

4/6 Service Project Ritual Meal & Mass

For questions or details, please contact: Maggie Gorman at religioused@ccjgs.org



Youth group meets 2/26; 3/12; 3/26
Contact Deacon Paul at deaconpaul@ccjgs.org

The Virtue of Spirituality



Try Your Hands at Pottery

Mug and Tray

Hosted by: Shepherd's Hands Potters
shpotters.jgs@gmail.com

No experience necessary.

Participants must commit to **two** days:

#1 Create mug and tray
Saturday, Feb. 25
9:00 AM—11:30 PM

#2 Glaze mug and tray
Saturday, Mar. 11
9:00 AM—11:30 PM

\$25.00 per person
Includes all materials, glazes and firings

Location: JGS Adult Art Studio. Please use the outside entrance.

Workshop is limited to 8 and open to all JGS adult members and their friends! **Preregistration and payment is required.**

Click HERE to register.
Or use link below

Payment for participation must be received by **Wednesday, February 22**. If your payment is *not* received by February 22 your slot will be given away.

Place payment, with your name, in the *SHP Workshop* envelope in the back of the JGS centre. Please make checks payable to: **Jesus the Good Shepherd.**



The **LORD** is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit.

PSALMS 34:18



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PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

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

Mega; Capt. Kal Bassma; Mark Smith; Jacob Floyd; 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.

Kathy Vassallo; Jim Richardson; John Pearson; Josie Boertline; Tom Lemon; Francis Langley; Mary Ann Lagimoniere; Finn Cusick; Buzz Burek; Mary Ann Burek; Liz Born; Carlton Leslie; Richard Rosati; Art Gillings; Gael Dusseau; Ann Marie Dardinski; Maria C. Ortiz; Marguerite Suite; Meghan Knapp; Robert J. Koehler; Marty Oberman; Laura Ogdon; Michael Davis; Jack DeGrange, Sr.; Thomas Haug; Nick B.; Doug W.; Patrick Michael Guest; Jean Mensh; Lorraine Dusseau; Anita Stuck Culkun; Gail Ricker; Les Silva; Marilyn Cooney; Chuck Kuhn; Gina Richardson; Tony Dockum; Janet Barna; John Barna; Riley Bodenhorn; Linda Patterson; Katie Lakie; Elaine Shelby; Keith Hanagriff; Tim Connors; Alma Marie Streicker; Carolyn Rich; Bob Adams; Marsha Dunn; Janet Cleary; Pat Conway; Leslie Hill; Bobbie Martin; Chad Martin; Maureen Blakely; Juan Aranda, Sr.; Sean Layne; Marlene Remekis; Janet Coco; Barbara Christjohn; Kathy Boegershouser, Laverne Gowin.

For the repose of the souls of John DiStefano, father of Theresa Seifert, and, Regina Scarpino, mother of Ann Marie Scarpino.

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 February 18-19, 2023

Sat	4:30 PM	For the repose of the soul of Gerry Wassmann, sister-in-law of Bobby Wassmann, at the request of Mary Yourishin
Sun	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Lonnie Booth, brother of Johanna O'Neill at the request of Theresa and Carlton Leslie
Sun	10:45 AM	For the repose of the soul Regina Scarpino, at the request of Richard and Joanne Alu
Sun	5:00 PM	For the repose of the soul of Dennis McGurk at the request of his daughter, Maureen Wyvill

Mass Intentions for February 20-25, 2023

Mon	2/20	8:15 AM	Eucharistic Service
Tues	2/21	8:15 AM	For the Happy Repose of Souls in Purgatory
Ash Wednesday, Feb 22, Mass Times: 6:30 a.m., 12:00 Noon, 7:00 p.m. For the repose of the soul of Virginia Guidmore on her birthday, at the request of Georganne Kates			
Thurs	2/23	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Virginia Guidmore, mother of Georganne Kates
Fri	2/24	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Hunter Sondberg at the request of his family
Sat	2/25	8:15 AM	For the Happy Repose of Souls in Purgatory

UPDATE ON HAITI: Père Marc Donald is very grateful for the funds to help bring to fruition his dream of building a technical school which consists of a computer lab and a sewing room. He sends his profound appreciation for the help. With the donation, Père Marc Donald created a solar panel power supply for the computer lab. The work to establish the school created substantial local jobs (e.g. build furniture).



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GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Of all the things Jesus says which seem totally bat-crazy, this one might take the cake: **"But I say to you, love your enemies, and pray for those who persecute you."** An enemy is someone who desires the destruction of you, your projects, or those you care about. To love and pray for them is to want their health, strength, and flourishing. But if they thrive, they are more likely to hurt you and others. So, aren't you indirectly willing your own destruction, or that of your friends? If you doubt that this problem is embedded in this teaching, when was the last time you actually prayed honestly for the people you really hate?

How can we solve this riddle so we might actually live this command? Recall that enemy-love is the surest sign that you love someone with God's love, and not with indirect egotism. After all, if my love for my enemy ends up hurting me or my loved ones, it can't be for me. Enemy-love costs more because there are no tit-for-tats. No reciprocity — just loved poured out, and often pain in return. That's why it is so precious and rare. "What is unusual about that?" asks the Lord about love for our friends. Jesus wants us to experience the unusual love which only comes from him.

When Jesus was being killed on the cross, he was loving his executioners. In fact, he was holding them in being as they nailed him to the cross. He loved those who were spiritually piercing his Mother's heart, *while they were doing it*. And when he rose from the dead, he showed us that this kind of love is always worth it. It's stronger than death. Real love is unusual.

— *Father John Muir* ©LPi

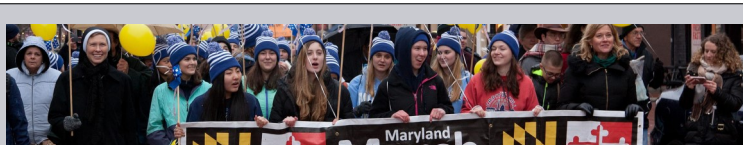


Baptism Retreat March 4!

Lent is the perfect time to reflect on your own baptism and think seriously about the faith you want to pass on to your children. Are you planning to seek baptism for your child in the next six months? Let us help you prepare! Please come to the Baptism Retreat

Saturday March 4 from 8:30am-12:00pm in Shepherd's Cove. This will be led by parishioners Philippe and Erin Monfiston. The retreat will feature an engaging media presentation, small group sharing, and breakfast! Godparents are strongly encouraged and warmly invited to attend as well! Infants are welcome, but if you can come as a couple on your own, before the birth, even better! Breakfast will begin at 8:30am. Please reserve your spot now! Space is limited! Call the church office at 410-257-3810 or email receptionist@ccjgs.org to RSVP by Tuesday, February 28.

CATHOLIC RELIEF EFFORTS IN TURKEY AND SYRIA: In light of the tragic loss of life and destruction from the earthquakes in Turkey and Syria, Cardinal Gregory has called on the faithful of the Archdiocese of Washington to support relief efforts. You are kindly invited to donate to CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES [CRS]. CRS is the international charity outreach apostolate based in Baltimore. [Kindly visit crs.org or click here](http://crs.org). Your gift will help CRS partners in the region to provide shelter, water, food and health supplies. Thank you in advance for your prayerful consideration of this cause.



**Maryland March for Life:
February 27, 2023**

who we are

We are the largest, longest standing march on Annapolis. We are pro-life Marylanders. We march for the defense and protection of vulnerable human lives. Please go to <https://www.mdmarchforlife.com/> for more information.

OLD JGS RECTORY/NEW OWNERS: We are happy to report that the old rectory for Jesus the Good Shepherd on W. Mount Harmony Road was officially sold to new owners in early February. The old rectory served as the “basis” for the beginning of Jesus the Good Shepherd in the mid-1980’s. When nothing else existed on our present campus, one might say that the original rectory was the “starter kit” for JGS! Some of our senior members will happily recall its use and the memories contained therein. It is amazing, since that time, how much our campus has grown – it is now just under 60 acres – praise God. So, with the old rectory sold, another “page” of the rich history of Jesus the Good Shepherd has now been turned. As a parish which strongly upholds the virtue of hospitality, we want to welcome our new neighbors to what was the “old rectory.” To our new neighbors, we pledge our hospitality and warm welcome to a piece of history of JGS. May God bless them with many happy and joyful memories in their new home!



During Lent we are reminded to develop a more conscious spiritual life and share what we have with those in need. One practical way

to achieve this goal is to make the change to eGiving for your parish support.

You can use our parish’s online giving platform, Faith Direct, to deepen your commitment to the church and the ministries you care about most. Your recurring gifts will sustain our mission month after month. You will also help our parish by cutting costs for envelopes and paper and allowing our staff to spend less time processing cash and checks and more time on ministries.

It’s easy to get started. Here are the ways to sign up:

Visit <https://membership.faithdirect.net/MD612>

Call Faith Direct Customer Service at 866-507-8757

Scan the QR code



SACRIFICIAL GIVING for the weekend of February 12, 2023:

Weekly Offertory \$ 7,511

We need \$7100 weekly in offertory to stay afloat
We need \$32,500 monthly in Faith Direct to stay afloat.
*Egiving through FaithDirect is calculated monthly.

**Thank you
for your
generosity!**



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2023 Annual Appeal: Many Ministries, One Church | This weekend we have been asked prayerfully to consider making a gift to the 2023 Annual Appeal. Please complete or take a commitment form at Mass this weekend, or make your gift at give.adw.org. Visit appeal.adw.org to learn more about how the Annual Appeal benefits our parish and serves people in need throughout the archdiocese. It is our goal that every parish family will participate this year. All gifts will be credited towards our parish goal. Thank you in advance for your generous response to the 2023 Annual Appeal.

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!

DONATION TO JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD: Are you age 70.5 and older? Did you know you can transfer up to \$100,000 each year directly from your traditional IRA account to Jesus the Good Shepherd? This gift may count toward your required minimum distribution [RMD] and serve as a qualified charitable distribution for your IRA. Contact your plan custodian to complete the IRA transfer. Jesus the Good Shepherd’s tax identification number [EIN] is 52-1378648.



JGS OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday 9:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m.

Contact Laura Cleary at 410-257-3810 (secretary@ccjgs.org) 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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JGS Ministries — For a complete list of our ministries please see our website at ccjgs.org/getinvolved/parishministries or [click here](#).

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- **Decorating the altar for the church seasons** — Katie Evans — music@ccjgs.org
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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. 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.

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.

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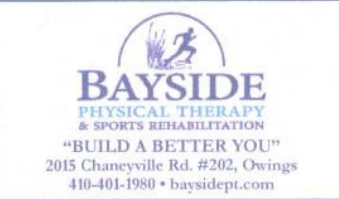
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