




March 12, 2023 The Third Sunday of Lent



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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)



3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus said to her, "I am he, the one speaking with you." - Jn 4:24-26

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Bulletin and Worship Aid

Covenant Prayer—last page of hymnal.

Introductory Rites

Entrance Hymn # 997 **O Breathe on Me, O Breath of God**

Greeting

Penitential Rite

Kyrie, Eleison

Kýrie, eléison

Christe, eléison

Kýrie, eléison

Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

Third Sunday of Lent readings can be found in your hymnal: #1122

First Reading: Exodus 17:3-7

Response: Psalm 95

Psalm 95: If Today You Hear His Voice

Refrain

If to - day you hear his voice, hard-en not your
hearts, hard-en not your hearts if you hear his voice.

#1122 Second Reading: Romans 5:1-2, 5-8

Lenten Gospel
Acclamation:

Glo - ry to you, Word of God, Lord Je - sus Christ!
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Gospel Verse: *Lord, you are truly the Savior of the world; give me living water, that I may never thirst again.*

#1122 Gospel: John 4:5-42

Homily

The Nicene Creed (First page of hymnal)

Universal Prayer

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Music during the Preparation of the Altar and the Gifts: #640 Come to the Water

HOLY

Belmont Mass
Christopher Walker

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and
earth are full of your glory. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

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WE PROCLAIM YOUR DEATH

The mys - ter - y of faith.
We pro - claim your Death, O Lord,
and pro - fess your Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

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Communion Rite

Lord's Prayer

AGNUS DEI XVIII

A - gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun - di: mi - se -
ré - re no - bis. A - gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta
mun - di: mi - se - ré - re no - bis. A - gnus De - i,
qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun - di: do - na no - bis pa - cem.

Text and music: Chant; *Graduale Romanum*, 1974.

Communion: #1009 Take and Eat

Meditation: Panis Angelicus (10:45am Choir)

Concluding Rite

Blessing

Solemn Dismissal

Sending Forth Hymn: #940 Somebody's Knockin' at Your Door

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 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.



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I hope your Lent is going well! We have so many wonderful opportunities to grow in our faith during Lent. I hope you are taking advantage of them!

It is said that one of the distinguishing characteristics of humanity is our need for one another. Thus, our Samaritan woman's story paints a rather cruel loneliness. Jesus offers her a multifaceted hope – giving forgiveness, understanding, and perhaps mutual humanity. Jesus reveals that only he can satisfy the thirst of our loneliness and emptiness.

I cannot help but consider the ways that we either consciously or unconsciously ignore others: the homeless [which DO exist in Calvert County], the annoying person behind us at church, the family member we are resentful toward. Lent is a great time to change our attitudes.

Let us pray. *God, who quenched the thirst of the Samaritan woman, you speak in mysterious ways to your people. Refresh us in our Lenten journey and teach us how to listen to others so that in doing so, we may reveal your marvelous and mysterious ways. Amen.*

Lent blessings!
Father Mike

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.

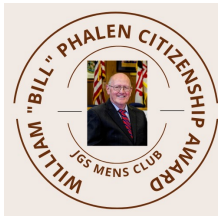
Lenten Confessions:

Wed, 6:30-8:00 p.m.
Sat 3:00-4:00

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



Continuing a tradition dating back to 1994, the JGS Men's Club will once again be offering its Annual William "Bill" Phalen Memorial Citizenship Awards. Since 1994 the JGS Men's Club has provided over \$100,000 in awards. The awards are based on the virtues of hospitality, spirituality, and stewardship and are

designed to assist graduating High School Seniors of the JGS Community in their pursuit of advanced education in fields of their choice. The Citizenship Award Applications are available [online at the JGS Website](https://ccjgs.org/mens-club) or copy and paste this link: <https://ccjgs.org/mens-club>. All High School Seniors of the JGS community are encouraged to apply. Completed applications must be received online by Monday April 10, 2023 11:59pm. For questions, please contact Michael Horabik at (410) 535-2601 or michael.horabik@comcast.net.



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.

New Members Welcome!

There will be a New Members Gathering, Sunday, March 12, 2023, after both of the morning masses. Please join us during Hospitality in the Centre.



KOC BREAKFAST—Sunday, March 19, after both morning Masses —All are welcome—This bountiful breakfast buffet is open to all parishioners. After Mass, walk on over to the Centre and grab a plate for the buffet or head over to the omelet/

Belgian waffle station. The buffet features eggs, sausage, bacon, yogurt parfaits and Deacon Paul's muffins. Don't miss out on this opportunity to support the KOC and fill your tummy with delicious food.

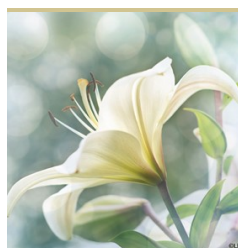
ALTAR SERVER CORNER:



JGS is looking to expand the Altar Server Ministry to include adults. Assisting Father at the Altar of Christ will deepen your faith and understanding of the Mass. "Participating at the Mass has made me a stronger Catholic" says Laurie Spence.

Choose one Training Session: March 21, 7pm-8:30pm OR March 22, 2pm-3:30pm

Contact Laurie Spence for more information or to sign up: LaurieTspence@yahoo.com text or call: 410-241-9856



CELEBRATE THE BEAUTY OF OUR EASTER SEASON WITH A FLOWER DONATION

Donations can be made on behalf of your family or in honor of/remembrance of a loved one. Donations may be made using the link below or by using an envelope.

The envelopes can be found in the envelope stands in the vestibule. The requested donation is \$15 per name. Another option is to donate the dollar amount of your choosing as an Easter flower offering. Remember to include the name of your family or loved one in the text box to be included as part of the donation list. The deadline is April 1st.

Here is the link: <https://forms.ministryforms.net/viewForm.aspx?formId=79718e24-eb16-49b9-b546-79937f6eed7c>



HOLY THURSDAY RITUAL MEAL – April 6, 5:30 PM in the Centre. Similar to ritual meals Jesus and the Apostles would have celebrated, this meal will include prayer, candlelight, full course meal, wine, & shared community... followed by the Holy Thursday Mass, Eucharistic Procession and candlelight Adoration. Tickets are \$15.00 person for ages 8 and older. The meal is not recommended for children under 8 years old. **Tickets are available online only.** Please check the flocknote or a future bulletin. We are always looking for volunteers, please contact Mary Otranto at maryotranto@yahoo.com if you would like to help.

Lent



LENTEN CONFESSIONS

- Wednesdays 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- Saturdays 3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.
- Lenten Reconciliation Services: Tuesday, April 4
 - 12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
 - 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
 - additional confessors will be available
- Good Friday Confessions ****New Time**** 12:00 p.m.- 1:00 p.m.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS & VENERATION OF MCGIVNEY RELIC

**Fridays during Lent
12:30 in the Church**



SIMPLE SUPPERS

**Fridays during Lent
6:30 p.m. in the Centre**

All are welcome - come enjoy a homemade meal. Good will offering supports the ACT Teen Group.



March 17 Menu

- Cream of Potato Soup
- Ham or corn beef sliders
- Tossed green salad
- Vegetable platter
- Peanut butter and jelly sandwiches
- Water and Lemonade

THE WEEK AHEAD 3RD WEEK OF LENT

Living the Eucharist Small Groups will be reading and discussing NEXT Sunday's readings: 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Psalm 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 6, 6 (1); Ephesians 5:8-14; John 9:1-41.

Wednesday: Confessions from 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Thursday: Lenten Adoration 8:45 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Friday - 12:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross/Veneration of relic of Blessed Michael McGivney

Friday evening 6:00 Mass
6:30 p.m. Simple Suppers-view menu, page 6 of bulletin, ccjgs.org



Pray for:

- Our Seminarians
- Our RCIA-pictured in the atrium
- Our First Holy Communicants & our Confirmands
- All those who have lost a loved one this past year

Religious Education and Teen Events

Religious Education: Helps to build a strong foundation



Faith Formation Dates

CFF AM: 3/12, 3/19, 3/26

CFF PM: 3/12, 3/26

Confirmation: 3/26

RCIC (for Children): 3/19

Home Study review 3/19

Parents are welcome to stay for Stations of the Cross on 3/26.

For questions or details, please contact: Maggie Gorman

at religioused@ccjgs.org

Special Dates

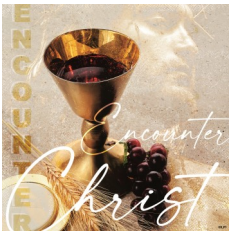
Confirmation —

4/6 Service Project Ritual
Meal & Mass



Youth group meets 3/12; 3/26

Contact Deacon Paul at deaconpaul@ccjgs.org



RESUMPTION OF THE RECEPTION OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD AT MASS: Cardinal Gregory has recently extended permission to the pastors of the Archdiocese of Washington if they wish to allow the resumption of Communion from the Cup at Mass beginning Holy Thursday.

After consultation, I am very pleased to announce that Jesus the Good Shepherd will do so. Kindly keep in mind, even prior to the pandemic, that this practice continues to be an option of the communicant and not a requirement. Certainly, if you have a cold, etc., it would be better to continue to refrain from the cup.

Holy Thursday, when the Church commemorates the institution of the Lord's Supper, is a most appropriate occasion to bring back this time-honored tradition, restored as one of the many fruits of the liturgical reform of the Second Vatican Council. To be able to receive both the true Body and Blood at Mass is such a beautiful expression of our belief in the Real Presence, especially in this time of Eucharistic Revival. For this gift of the Blood of Christ, together with His Body, let us give thanks to God and rejoice!

PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

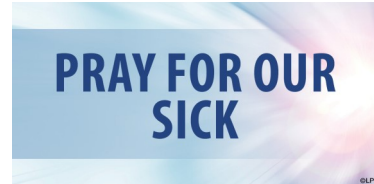
Staff Sergeant Christopher R. Skirchak; LT Jg Matthew Schwartz; Steve Looney; Billy Looney; Will Jones; LCDR Alex Scott; Nicholas Majers; James Lanson Weeks; Captain Robert Patterson, USMC; LT Nadila Khan, USN; Ross Noon; Col Phil Noltemeyer; William Ryan Thayer; LT. Col. Brian Genelin; Michael Parker;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



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

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.



Kendall Marie Pratt; Kathy Vassallo; Katie Lakie; Elaine Shelby; Keith James Richardson, Sr.; 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; Michael Davis; Jack DeGrange, Sr.; Thomas Haug; Nick B.; Doug W.; Patrick Michael Guest; Jean Mensh; Lorraine Dusseau; Anita Stuck Culkin; Gail Ricker; Les Silva; Marilyn Cooney; Chuck Kuhn; Gina Richardson; Tony Dockum; Janet Barna; John Barna; Riley Bodenhorn; Linda Patterson;

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; Josi Johnson.

For the repose of the soul of Laura Ogdon, wife of Geoff; and, for Patricia Trainor, wife of Paul.

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 March 11-12, 2023

Sat	4:30 PM	For the repose of the soul of Eugene Pennington, at the request of his daughter, Karen Hoffman
Sun	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Delores Marinaccio, mother of Steve, at the request of Dave and Carol Wilson
Sun	10:45 AM	For the repose of the soul of Richard Edick, son of Mary Anne Booker, at the request of the Martha and Mary Ministry
Sun	5:00 PM	For a special intention

Mass Intentions for March 13-18, 2023

Mon	3/13	8:15 AM	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Tues	3/14	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Laurie Brown on her heavenly birthday
Wed	3/15	8:15 AM	For the Happy Repose of Souls in Purgatory
Thurs	3/16	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Bill Allen at the request of Rocky and Karen Hoffman
Fri	3/17	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Joan Cornetta at the request of Don and Cornelia Poudrier
Sat	3/18	8:15 AM	For a special intention

The Virtue of Stewardship



GOSPEL MEDITATION ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

When I became the pastor of a large parish, I soon found myself, for the first time in my life, riddled with anxiety, headaches, difficulty making decisions, and fatigue. I called a therapist friend and told her my symptoms and asked if she thought I needed a serious medical exam. She said, “How much water do you drink?” I told her, “I haven’t had time to drink water lately.” She responded, “You’re chronically dehydrated. Drink eighty-five ounces a day and call me in a week.” I started guzzling water and in a week all my symptoms went away. I felt great.

Like me, the people in the Exodus wanderings were dehydrated. But unlike me, they knew it. Their symptoms were bad. They fight with each other. They accuse God of being a monster who wants them and their children to die of thirst. Their thirst drives them to plot the bloody assassination of the man who rescued them. God responds by using Moses to strike a rock from which rivers of living waters flow to quench their thirst for years to come.

The Holy Spirit is the living water of love which flows from the pierced side of Jesus, the new Moses. What symptoms in your life suggest you’re spiritually dehydrated? Anger at God? Cynicism at your leaders? Bitter rivalry and bickering with others? Don’t panic. *Of course* we have those symptoms. Ask God to provide his water to quench your spiritual thirst, and he will. And all those symptoms will soon disappear. — *Father John Muir* ©LPi

Parents: We love seeing your children at Mass. This is ideal and we thank you for all the work it takes to get them to Mass and getting them formed as young Catholics! You are fulfilling your baptismal promise to rear your children in the Catholic Faith and going to Mass as a family is one way of doing that.

May we also remind you of the following: [1] There is the QUIET ROOM for the youngest children during Mass for you to take advantage of; [2] We remind parents that in case your little one is in need of a restroom during Mass, we ask that you accompany them and do not leave them unattended to go to a restroom themselves; [3] At the 10:45 a.m. Mass on Sunday, we are very blessed with the *Children’s Liturgy of the Word* [CLW]. Our young members hear the same Scriptures readings as do the adults but on a level that they can understand. By the way, we are in

need of more parents to take a leadership position! If you are a good story teller, you qualify! Please contact one of our current leaders for CLW; [4] Lastly, we do ask that during Mass, kindly monitor your children at all times so as not to distract as much as possible the adults around you. This would be very much appreciated. Thank you.

In addition, the adults of our community are kindly reminded to be aware of the gift of children at the 10:45 a.m. Mass especially. If you have a low tolerance for children, if you are easily distracted, perhaps the 10:45 a.m. Mass is not for you. Despite parents’ best efforts, the fact remains that “children are children” and we need to be understanding of such. Kindly keep this in mind. We have other weekend Masses with generally more adults that are offered for your convenience. Thank you.



NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

What is the Eucharistic Revival?
From the Eucharistic Revival Web-site: Our world is hurting. We all need healing, yet many of us are separated from the very source of our strength. Jesus Christ invites us to return to the source and summit of our faith in the celebration of the Eucharist. The National Eucharistic Revival is a movement to restore understanding and devotion to this great mystery here in the United States by helping us renew our worship of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist.
<https://www.eucharisticrevival.org/>

Pottery Classes: Multi-level Pottery Wheel Throwing

Instructor: Ray Bogle *MadeWithClay, LLC* Huntingtown, MD

• Monday •

Class 1: Afternoon 2PM—5PM

Class 2: Evening 6PM—9PM

April 3 — May 22

JGS Art Studio

\$275.00

(includes 25# of clay, glaze and firings)

Each session includes 6 instructor-led classes. There will be NO class on **April 24** and **May 15**. Students will need to provide their own pottery tools for the classes. If you need a basic tool kit, you can purchase a kit from SHPs for \$12.00.

Class is limited to 6 students and open to all JGS adult members and their friends. **Preregistration and payment by March 22** is required. If payment is not received by the deadline your slot will be given to another student.

➡ **To sign up use the link below for AFTERNOON or EVENING Class.** Place payment, with your name, in the SHP envelope on the bookshelves in the church centre. Please make checks payable to: *Jesus the Good Shepherd*.

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Learn to use the potter’s wheel to create cups, bowls, and vases. Beginners will focus on learning fundamental skills. More experienced students will focus on specific forms of interest and refine techniques. Other topics covered include the properties of clay, kilns and firing, and an introduction to several decorating techniques.

Afternoon class: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c094dafa723a3fdcf8-multilevel#/>

Evening class: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c094dafa723a3fdcf8-multilevel1#/>



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CARDINAL HICKEY ACADEMY
OPEN HOUSE
FOR STUDENTS ENTERING KINDERGARTEN - 5TH GRADE
TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 2023
9:00AM



Preregister to take a tour & learn more about the opportunities that await your child at CHA!
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2023 Annual Appeal: Many Ministries, One Church | 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!



As we approach Easter, we focus our daily activities on growing closer to Christ through an increase in prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. May this extend into our lives beyond this liturgical season. Signing up with *Faith Direct* is a great way to focus on almsgiving throughout the year. It is a secure and convenient way to make a conscious decision about your

financial support of our many wonderful ministries. Sign up today by visiting faith.direct/MD612, or use the QR code or call Faith Direct customer service at 866-507-8757.

You'll provide JGS with 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. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family.



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.



SACRIFICIAL GIVING for the weekend of March 5, 2023:
Weekly Offertory \$ 10,122
February *Faith Direct* offertory \$ 38,200

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!

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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- Decorating the altar for the church seasons — Katie Evans — music@ccjgs.org
- Covenant Service Board—Michael Harper — harper.family@comcast.net
- Knights of Columbus — Bob Fiacco — robertfiacco18@gmail.com
- Liturgical Ministries — Katie Evans — music@ccjgs.org
- Martha and Mary — Cathy Bodenhorn —301-509-5648
- Men's Club — Mike Horabik —michael.horabik@comcast.net
- Prayer Chain — Mary Ann Silva — massil@comcast.net
- Pro-Life Ministry — Buzz Burek —buzzburek@comcast.net
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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: June 17, 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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