




April 25, 2021 Fourth Sunday of Easter



Jesus the Good Shepherd Catholic Community
A Covenant Community

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4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER



"I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep." - Jn 10:14-15

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Worship Aid and Bulletin

April 18, 2021 Third Sunday of Easter

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 Jesus' name. Amen

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

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The mer - ci - ful love of the Lord fills the earth; by the
word of the Lord the heav'ns were made, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

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Introductory Rites

Opening Prayer

Penitential Rite

Gloria

REFRAIN

Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est. Glo-ry! Glo-ry to
God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will. *To Verses*

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Acts 4:8-12

Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said: “Leaders of the people and elders: If we are being examined today about a good deed done to a cripple, namely, by what means he was saved, then all of you and all the people of Israel should know that it was in the name of Jesus Christ the Nazorean whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead; in his name this man stands before you healed. He is *the stone rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone*. There is no salvation through anyone else, nor is there any other name under heaven given to the human race by which we are to be saved.”

The Word of the Lord

R: Thanks be to God

Responsorial: Psalm 118



R. The stone re-ject-ed by the build-ers has be-come the cor-ner-stone.

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1. Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,
for his mercy endures forever.
It is better to take refuge in the LORD
than to trust in man.
It is better to take refuge in the LORD
than to trust in princes.
2. I will give thanks to you, for you have answered
me
and have been my savior.
The stone which the builders rejected

has become the cornerstone.
By the LORD has this been done;
it is wonderful in our eyes.

3. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the LORD;
we bless you from the house of the LORD.
I will give thanks to you, for you have answered me
and have been my savior.
Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;
for his kindness endures forever.

Second Reading: 1 John 3:1– 2

Beloved: See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God. Yet so we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God’s children now; what we shall be has not yet been revealed. We do know that when it is revealed we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is.

The Word of the Lord

R: Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation



Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.



Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

Ed Bolduc
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Gospel: John 10:11-18

Jesus said: "I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. A hired man, who is not a shepherd and whose sheep are not his own, sees a wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away, and the wolf catches and scatters them. This is because he works for pay and has no concern for the sheep. I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. These also I must lead, and they will hear my voice, and there will be one flock, one shepherd. This is why the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down on my own. I have power to lay it down, and power to take it up again. This command I have received from my Father."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Universal Prayer

Response: Lord, hear our prayer.

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Music during the Preparation of the Altar and the Gifts

Instrumental: Shepherd Me O God (Marty Haugen)

The offertory baskets will not be passed, instead we ask that you give your offering on your way in or on your way out in the contactless drop boxes in the vestibule.

Preface Dialogue
Preface Acclamation
Memorial Acclamation
The Great Amen

The Lord's Prayer

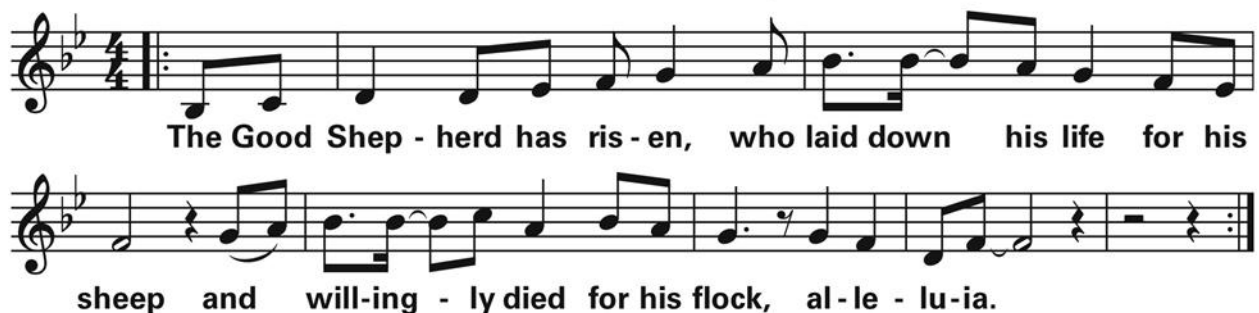
Lamb of God

Communion Antiphon:

Communion Rite

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

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The Good Shep - herd has ris - en, who laid down his life for his
sheep and will - ing - ly died for his flock, al - le - lu - ia.

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Meditation: **Like a Shepherd** (Bob Dufford)



An Act of Spiritual Communion by St. Alphonsus Liguori

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

Concluding Rite

Blessing

Solemn Dismissal

Sending Forth Alleluia! Alleluia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise! (Instrumental)

Please be patient as you leave and avoid crowding the aisles by using all church exits. Thank you for worshipping with us today, and we are praying for you and your family!

April 25, 2021 The Fourth Sunday of Easter



Weekend Mass Times

Saturday Vigil—4:30 p.m.

Sunday— 8:00 a.m. in the church; 10:45 a.m. In church or in your car *live-streamed at 10:45 a.m. on Facebook and YouTube*

Weekday Mass

Mon—8 a.m. Eucharistic Service (in the church)
Tues-Sat—8 a.m. (in the church)
live-streamed on Facebook and YouTube

Click here to [Sign up for Mass](#)



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

The fourth Sunday of the Easter Season has special meaning for us at Jesus the Good Shepherd as today is known as “Good Shepherd Sunday.” This is so, based on the Gospel. Jesus defines for us who he is: “I am the good shepherd.”



Jesus contrasts his care for the sheep with the indifference of those who are merely paid to look after the flock. Unlike hired hands, the shepherd is completely invested in his sheep. The sheep are his livelihood.

We think of ourselves as striving to be devoted to our good shepherd, and so we should. But today’s Gospel reminds us how devoted the shepherd is to us. Our good shepherd lives for us.

Let us pray. *Jesus the Good Shepherd, help us to be as devoted to you as you are to us. Help us also to keep each other with the flock at Jesus the Good Shepherd Community. Gather those who have gone astray. Welcome all to our doors. Lead us all into the fullness of your kingdom where you live and reign with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen!*

Blessings upon you on this Good Shepherd Sunday!

Father Mike

JGS offers Sunday Mass and Weekday Masses via livestream, either on our Facebook Page or on our Youtube page. Don’t miss out. Like us on Facebook or join our YouTube Channel.



He is Risen—Alleluia—the Easter Season continues until Pentecost on May 23rd. Please join us for the Good News of the Gospel.

Weekend Mass Intentions for April 24-25, 2021

4:30 PM Vigil	For the repose of the soul of David VanDyke, at the request of his wife Rose, on their wedding anniversary.
8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Thomas J. Smith at the request of Marianne Campanella and family
10:45 AM	For the repose of the soul of Stanley Pawlowski at the request of Midgie and Jimmy Haerer

Mass Intentions for April 26—May 1, 2021

Mon	4/26	8 AM	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Tues	4/27	8 AM	In thanksgiving for prayers answered
Wed	4/28	8 AM	For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thurs	4/29	8 AM	For all those affected by the coronavirus, especially for health care workers, teachers, and all those on the front lines
Fri	4/30	8 AM	For the repose of the soul of Sharon Stanley, sister of Sandy Haley, at the request of Vicki and Bill Thorne
Sat	5/1	8 AM	For the Holy Souls in Purgatory

Ministry Schedule

Mass	Eucharistic Support	Lector	Greeter	Sanitizing Volunteer
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Dear Liturgical Ministers: please continue to sign up on MSP
Contact Sheryl Fischer in the church office at receptionist@ccjgs.org

New to JGS?

NEW MEMBERS—Are you new to Jesus the Good Shepherd Catholic Community? WELCOME! The registration form for JGS is available on the JGS website by clicking here: ccjgs.org and scrolling down. We would like to welcome you in person. You and your family are invited to our next New Member gathering is Sunday, June 13, 2021 in the Pavilion following the 9:45 Mass. Masks required.



EASTER FLOWER ENVELOPES – FINAL WEEKEND! If you would like to make a donation for Easter Flowers in our church for the Easter season in memory of a loved one, please use the special Easter “Lily” envelopes in envelope racks. All donations will be acknowledged in our bulletin. The last day for donations is Sunday April 25th.

MOTHER’S DAY NOVENA - Envelopes are due by Tuesday, May 4th and may be deposited in the Church mail slot.

Mother’s Day is **Sunday, May 9TH** and what a wonderful way to remember your mother, living or deceased, by enrolling her in our Mother’s Day *Novena of Masses*. Masses will be celebrated for all mothers enrolled in the 9 day novena, **May 11th-19th**. Cards are available in the atrium. Suggested offering: \$10 per name. Please remember to turn in your envelope with the name[s] you wish enrolled, marking whether the person is living or deceased. Please write as clearly as possible.



MEN’S CLUB MONTHLY SATURDAY EVENING DINNER (CURBSIDE!) All proceeds will benefit Birthright in Prince Frederick.



All are invited to sign up via Faithdirect for our next monthly Sat. Evening Dinner on Sat. May 1. This will be served via curb-side pickup from 5:30-6:30 pm. Sponsored by the JGS Men’s Club.

The link to order via faithdirect is <https://membership.faithdirect.net/events/details/6778>

This will be a drive up service again, from 5:30 - 6:30 on Sat, May 1. \$10 per meal or \$30 per family - 3 or more. Will need at least 50 individual orders to make this happen. Please RSVP by Thursday, April 29 at 5:00 p.m.

Menu:

- Four cheese baked ziti
- Homemade meatballs and Nick’s sweet Italian sausage melange
- Garlic bread with Mediterranean herb blend
- Fresh mixed greens salad with house made Italian dressing
- Cannoli with dark chocolate chunks



UPDATE ON THE 2021 ANNUAL APPEAL. We show our love of God by our love of neighbor. The Annual Appeal goes to support many charitable and ministerial needs of our neighbors throughout the Archdiocese of Washington. Every year, every parish is assigned a goal by the Archdiocese of Washington. As of this writing, we have achieved 74% of our goal. This is very good news and we thank all those who have made a pledge or outright donation. But we need every household to participate in order to make our goal. We are still about \$26,000 short of our goal. We hope to reach our goal by the end of May. During Lent, we had the priest who is the Catholic Chaplain at the Catholic Student Center at the University of Maryland, College Park celebrate a weekend Mass with us. The Archdiocese has two full time priests assigned at the UMD to minister to the thousands of young adult Catholics there. They do a fantastic job! The Catholic Student Center is supported by the Annual Appeal. Just prior to Easter, we received a beautiful letter from one of the young adults at the UMD. It was in response to a personal donation which Fr. Mike made to support Catholic ministry at the UMD:

*Dear Fr. King,
 My name is Miles Bigley. I am a junior student from the Catholic Student Center and UMD.
 I am writing simply to say thank you for your generous gift to our Annual Appeal which supports programs here at the Catholic Student Center. Even in our virtual world right now, we are able to keep our ministry alive and thriving, keeping our current students engaged as well as reaching out to new students. We also want to let you know that we are praying for you and your intentions here. If you have a special request, please reach out to us, and we can add that to our list of intentions. Email catholicterps@catholicterps.org or call 301-864-6223 and leave a message. Thanks again and please continue to pray for us.*

*Have a blessed Lent.
 Miles Bigley*

Thank you for your kind support of the 2021 Annual Appeal. Learn more about the Annual Appeal at appeal.adw.org. To give now, use the QR code or go to give.adw.org. #ADWAPPEAL.



SCAN ME

HELP NEEDED FOR THE 10:45 A.M. PAVILION MASS: During the pandemic, many in our community are taking advantage of the outdoor/social-distanced Mass at the Pavilion for the 10:45 a.m. Mass. We are in need of 2 additional volunteers every Sunday to assist with simple set-up and especially parking. Directions and guidance will be provided. We need extra help in order for this Mass to continue through the summer, provided the weather is good [in inclement weather, of course, the Mass will have to be moved into the church]. If you attend the 10:45 a.m. Mass on a regular basis, your “giving back” to make this Mass continue would be gratefully appreciated. Please contact the parish office [secretary@ccjgs.org] and kindly leave your contact information. Thank you!

If you haven’t already, please:

- sign up for Flocknote, by clicking the logo
- sign up for Formed.org
- like us on Facebook





"THEY WILL KNOW WE ARE CHRISTIANS BY OUR LOVE."

Over the past year, Covid has offered some unique challenges and opportunities for the Church. One aspect of the Church's ministry that has grown considerably is our digital presence. Our JGS staff has worked hard to keep live masses available and our social media platforms updated. We are grateful for the opportunity to reach so many through the digital world.

As a staff at JGS, we have taken a digital pledge to continue serving the community through these venues, but have taken the pledge a step further to include all of our personal social media accounts as well. Why? We recognize that our identity with Christ is reflected in every aspect of our lives whether on-line or in person, Bringing Christ to others in everything we do, wherever we are, is the challenge we have set before us in 2021. The early Christians did this well. People marveled at their capacity to love. They brought the love of Christ everywhere, in everything they did. What a great reminder and challenge, as we live out our pledge as a community to Love Thy Neighbor.

In 2021, we invite all of our community members to join us in the digital pledge. Together, we will spread the love, joy, peace and hope of Christ both in person and in the digital world. We will be a light for others through our words and actions, revealing who we are and "whose we are". And "they will know we are Christians by our Love".



CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION CLASSES ARE CURRENTLY MEETING ONLINE. Online classes meet in morning and evening sessions. Please see details via Flock-note, ccjgs.org/childrens-faith-formation, or contact religiousaide@ccjgs.org with questions.

CFF Classes meet on the following dates:

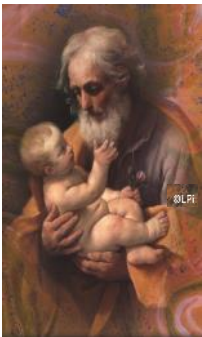
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ACT & CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE:

ACT meets in person in the Youth Room. Confirmation has one in-person group (Centre) and two online groups. ACT and Confirmation meet from 6:20-7:30pm on the following dates: Apr 25, May 2

Virtue of Spirituality



Glorious Patriarch Saint Joseph, whose power makes the impossible possible, come to my aid in these times of anguish and difficulty. Take under your protection the serious and troubling situations that I commend to you, that they may have a happy outcome. My beloved father, all my trust is in you. Let it not be said that I invoked you in vain, and since you can do everything with Jesus and Mary, show me that your goodness is as great as your power. Amen.

Readings for the week of April 25, 2021

Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 [22]/1 Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18
Monday: Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4 [cf. 3a]/Jn 10:1-10
Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7 [117:1a]/Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday: Acts 12:24—13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8 [4]/Jn 12:44-50
Thursday: Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27 [2]/Jn 13:16-20
Friday: Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab [7bc]/Jn 14:1-6
Saturday: Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [3cd]/Jn 14:7-14 St. Joseph the Worker: Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4, 12-13, 14 and 16 [cf. 17b]/Mt 13:54-58 Next Sunday: Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 [26a]/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8 ©LPI



The sick: Riley Bodenhorn, Anita Stuck, Ed Brophy; Greg Bodenhorn; Linda Patterson; John Albright; Ralph Smola; Anthony Wyvill; John Hepp; Artie Mills; Marian DeBruyn, Tammy Pierce, Jay Roque, James Richardson, Sr., Steve Collins; Verna Jurewicz; Christopher Crandall; Louis Johnson; Doreen Dardzinski; Katie Lakie; Elaine Shelby; Mary Ann Harlan; Keith Hanagriff; Tim Connors; Alma Marie Streicker; Frank Santora; Sue Baczynski; Anne Brophy; Duke Dusseau; Buddy Curtis; Bob Adams; Marsha Dunn; Janet Cleary; Pat Conway; Leslie Hill.

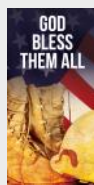
Friends/relatives in need of prayer and for those who have died contact the church office monthly to include them in our bulletin.

PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

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

Genelin; Michael Parker; Michael Henry Thayer; Gerald Cullens; Noah Pirner; Scott Mega; Capt. Kal Bassma; Mark Smith; Jacob Floyd; Joseph Masoero; Christopher Kuczek; Tyler Menoche; Tim Addison; Dylan Rayfield; Joshua Snyder; Brennan McConnell; Ian Torr; Michael Metler; Joey Wyvill

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



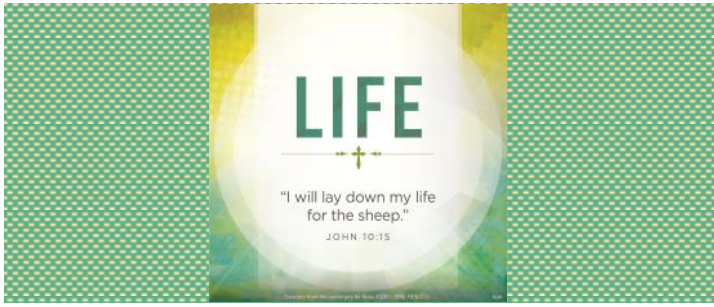
LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK



The cornerstone is the first stone that is laid and the stone that not only determines how the other stones are placed but the position of the entire structure. As human beings, we need a cornerstone or reference point so that our lives can be properly placed and positioned. Our cornerstone determines not only how we see ourselves but who we will become. Without a cornerstone or reference point, we will be disconnected, disoriented, and poorly positioned for effective action in our world. In order to be the children of God we are, Jesus Christ needs to be our cornerstone and the reference point for all that we do. He alone is the Good Shepherd who can guide through life's questions and challenges, bringing us to proper pasture. Without this proper base, we can easily fall into the trap of self-aggrandizement and quickly lose our way. If that happens, then moral principles, proper conduct, justice, wisdom, and virtue will be difficult to find. We need to listen to the right voices and allow God to show us how to build our house well. Salvation only comes from God and only God will protect us, no matter the cost. ©LPI

CELEBRATING SPECIAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES: JUNE 27, 2021

JUBILARIAN MASS—Are you celebrating a special wedding anniversary? Each year the Archdiocese of Washington honors couples married 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 and 70+ years at the annual Jubilarian Mass. This year's Mass will be held Sunday, June 27 at 3:00pm at the Cathedral of St. Matthew. Seating is limited to allow for social distancing and the Mass will be live-streamed. To receive a signed Jubilarian anniversary certificate or to register to attend the Mass, please contact the parish office before May 7, 2021 at 410-257-3810 or secretary@ccjgs.org. 8



NEW PROJECTION SCREEN IN CENTRE: A few weeks ago, a new state-of-the-art projection screen was installed in the Centre. This has allowed better clarity for the projection of our live-streamed Masses from the church. This expense

was made possible through the generosity of parishioners. Our technology needs at Jesus the Good Shepherd continue to increase. We are now looking at a quality projector on a proper mounting device in order to project not only live-stream Masses but also for the use of power-point presentations, etc. If you would like to make a donation, large or small, for this purpose, please keep this in mind in your future offertory donations. Thank you so much for your consideration of this request.



SUPPORT THE CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL THIS WEEKEND! (APRIL 24-25)

As the pandemic continues across the world, the Catholic Home Missions Appeal has remained faithful in providing vital assistance to 87 dioceses and eparchies across the United States, its territories, and several former territories in the Pacific. Without these funds, these dioceses and eparchies would not be able to minister to their parishioners in all the ways that are needed. Please prayerfully consider contributing to this year's Catholic Home Missions Appeal at each Mass, this weekend, April 24-25. Amid so many great needs, we are especially grateful for your support. Make your check or money order payable to "Catholic Home Missions Appeal" and place it in one of the baskets in the vestibule. If you prefer to mail your check, please mail to: Catholic Home Missions, Office of National Collections, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, P. O. Box 96278, Washington DC 20090-6278.

COVID-19 UPDATE



Because we love our neighbor, JGS has overflow seating in the Centre.

Even though our max capacity is 500, given the shape of the venue, and the pews, we could not safely increase our capacity beyond 125 while keeping 6-ft distances.

Overflow seating is available in the Centre. We have a large screen with sound. We thank those parishioners who use overflow.

If current conditions concern you, please remember that you can participate in Mass by listening on your car radio at both 8:00am and 10:45am on Sunday mornings and receive Holy Communion outside.

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!*



Cardinal Hickey Academy
Considering a Catholic education for your child?

Our regional school, Cardinal Hickey Academy, offers diverse course offerings and high standards to children in grades pre-k through 8th grade.

Even during this 2020-2021 school year, CHA offers in-person classes. Call: 301-812-0404 or cardinalhickeyacademy.org.

[Click here to take a virtual tour!](#) Or visit cardinalhickeyacademy.org.

8 A.M. DAILY MASS GOERS: Your cooperation is appreciated when arriving and exiting daily Mass, especially when Cardinal Hickey Academy is in session. The arrival time for students at Cardinal Hickey Academy begins at 8 a.m. Kindly be respectful in [1] using the ONE lane directly in front of church as you enter and [2] please respect the *orange safety cones* by not driving around them or even over them. When leaving the parking lot, please follow the directional arrows and please not drive in the opposite direction. Thank you!

PROJECT ECHO THRIFT AND GIFT SHOP open for shopping and donating Wednesday, Friday and Saturday – 10 am to 2 pm. Located at 885 Main St. Prince Frederick, MD 20678 Senior Discount Day every Friday! **Volunteers welcome!** CONTACT ECHOthrift@comcast.net or Judy Allison 410 257 3733 for more info.

ST. ANTHONY'S IN NORTH BEACH MD IS IN SEARCH OF A DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION. The applicant must be familiar with the practice and teachings of the Church. They must be a practicing Catholic and have the necessary qualifications for teaching and applying/developing a program of religious formation for children from pre-k to 12th grade. A Bachelors or Masters is desirable but not necessary. Salary is negotiable. Please contact Rev. James Stack at 443-646-5721 or email fr.jamesstack@gmail.com.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING for the weekend of April 18, 2021:

Weekly Offertory \$ 6,141
We need \$7,000 weekly in the offertory to stay afloat

March *Faith Direct* offertory \$ 34,764
We need \$32,500 monthly in Faith Direct to stay afloat
 *Egiving through FaithDirect is calculated monthly.

Thank you for your generosity!

Clickable!

ARE YOU ON FAITH

DIRECT? Offertory is essential to your JGS church operations! JGS relies heavily on Sunday offertory to maintain operational budgets, staff, and resources for our community. It is essential that, during this isolation time, we continue to give an offering to our church for it to be sustained in the future. Questions? Contact Pam Huseman accounting@ccjgs.org



OFFERTORY IS COLLECTED AS FOLLOWS:

Via FaithDirect • go to ccjgs.org/partners
Online Banking • You can send us your offertory through your personal online banking, just like you pay your bills. Please use the mailing address below.

BY MAIL • You can mail your offertory envelope to the church:
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Easter Giving

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