




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## 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another." - Jn 13:34

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*Worship Aid and Bulletin*

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

## Entrance Hymn:

### SING A NEW SONG

Dan Schutte

**Refrain**



Sing a new song un - to the Lord; let your song be sung from  
moun-tains high. Sing a new song un - to the Lord, sing-ing

**Verses**



al - le - lu - ia.

1. Shout with glad-ness! Dance for joy!
2. Rise, O chil-dren, from your sleep;
3. Glad my soul for I have seen

1. O come be - fore the Lord. And play for God on
2. your Sav - ior now has come. † He has turned your
3. the glo - ry of the Lord. The trum - pet sounds; the

to Refrain

1. glad tam - bou-rines, and let your trum - pet sound.
2. sor - row to joy, and filled your soul with song.
3. dead shall be raised. I know my Sav - ior lives.

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## Introductory Rites

Opening Prayer

Penitential Rite

Gloria (The Gloria and all Mass parts can be found in the Easter Pew Insert)

## Liturgy of the Word

### First Reading: Acts 14:21-27

After Paul and Barnabas had proclaimed the good news to that city and made a considerable number of disciples, they returned to Lystra and to Iconium and to Antioch. They strengthened the spirits of the

disciples and exhorted them to persevere in the faith, saying, "It is necessary for us to undergo many hardships to enter the kingdom of God." They appointed elders for them in each church and, with prayer and fasting, commended

them to the Lord in whom they had put their faith. Then they traveled through Pisidia and reached Pamphylia. After proclaiming the word at Perga they went down to Attalia. From there they sailed to Antioch, where they had been commended to the grace of God

for the work they had now accomplished.  
And when they arrived, they called the church together  
and reported what God had done with them  
and how he had opened the door of faith to the Gentiles.

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

**Responsorial:**

**PSALM 145: I WILL PRAISE YOUR NAME/  
THE HAND OF THE LORD FEEDS US**

Scott Soper

Refrain



I will praise your name for ev-er, my king and my  
God, my king and my God.

**Second Reading: Revelation 21:1-5a**

Then I, John, saw a new heaven and a new earth.  
The former heaven and the former earth had passed  
away,  
and the sea was no more.  
I also saw the holy city, a new Jerusalem,  
coming down out of heaven from God,  
prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.  
I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,  
“Behold, God’s dwelling is with the human race.  
He will dwell with them and they will be his people

and God himself will always be with them as their  
God.

He will wipe every tear from their eyes,  
and there shall be no more death or mourning,  
wailing or pain,  
for the old order has passed away.”

The One who sat on the throne said,  
“Behold, I make all things new.”

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

**Gospel  
Acclamation:**



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

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**Gospel: John 13:31-33a, 34-35**

“When Judas had left them, Jesus said,  
“Now is the Son of Man glorified, and God is glorified in  
him.  
If God is glorified in him,  
God will also glorify him in himself,  
and God will glorify him at once.  
My children, I will be with you only a little while longer.  
I give you a new commandment: love one another.

As I have loved you, so you also should love one  
another.  
This is how all will know that you are my disciples,  
if you have love for one another.”

The Gospel of the Lord  
**R: 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

## Liturgy of the Eucharist

Music during the Preparation of the Altar and the Gifts:

### LOVE ONE ANOTHER

Bob Dufford, SJ

\*Refrain



Love one an - oth - er as I have loved you. Care for each  
oth - er. I have cared for you. Bear each oth - er's bur - dens.  
Bind each oth - er's wounds; and so you will know my re - turn.

Eucharistic Acclamations can now be found in the Pew

Preface: Holy, Mass of Saint Ann, Ed Bolduc

Memorial Acclamation: We Proclaim, Mass of Saint Ann, Ed Bolduc

Great Amen: Amen, Mass of Saint Ann, Ed Bolduc

## Communion Rite

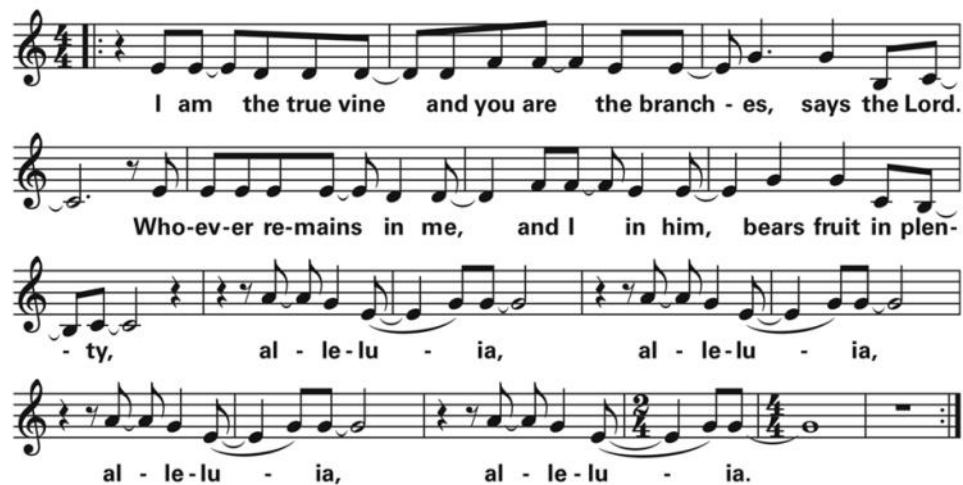
Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God

Communion

## Communion Antiphon:

Steve Angrisano, Sarah Hart, and Curtis Stephan



I am the true vine and you are the branch - es, says the Lord.  
Who-ev-er re-mains in me, and I in him, bears fruit in plen-  
- ty, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,  
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

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## Meditation: **Miracle of Grace** (Curtis Stephan)

### Concluding Rite

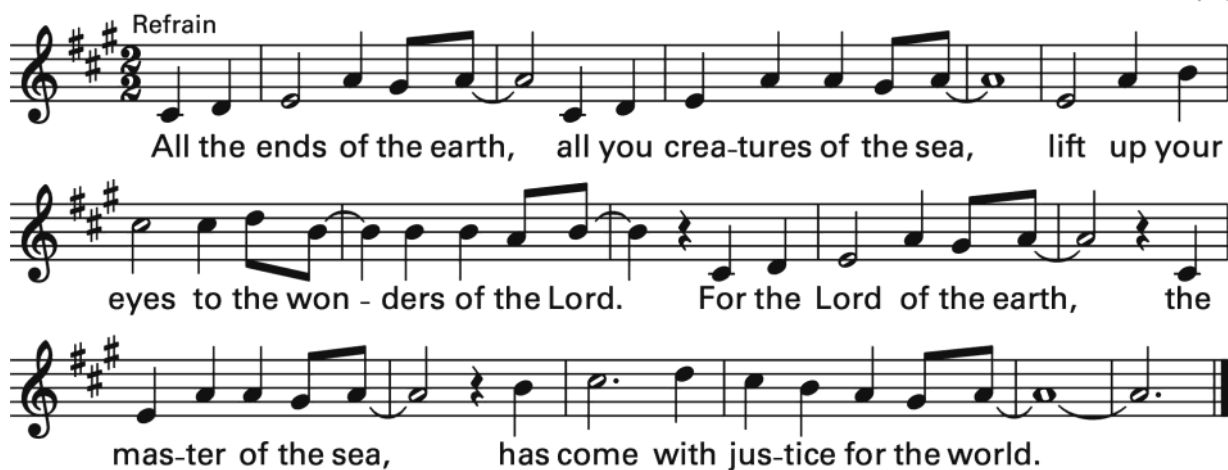
Blessing

Solemn Dismissal

Sending Forth:

### ALL THE ENDS OF THE EARTH

Bob Dufford, SJ



Refrain  
All the ends of the earth, all you crea-tures of the sea, lift up your  
eyes to the won - ders of the Lord. For the Lord of the earth, the  
mas-ter of the sea, has come with jus-tice for the world.

Verses:

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!

*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!*

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## Weekend Mass Times

**Saturday Vigil**—4:30 p.m.

**Sunday**— 8:00 a.m. in the church; 10:45 a.m. In church

*live-streamed at 10:45 a.m. on Facebook and YouTube*

## Weekday Mass in the Chapel

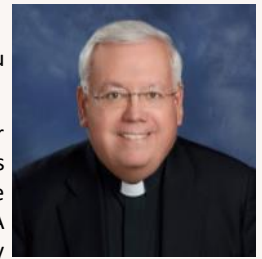
Mon—8 a.m. Eucharistic Service

Tues-Sat—8 a.m.



**JGS offers Sunday Mass via livestream, either on our Facebook Page or on our Youtube page.**

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Dear Parish Community,

Continued Easter Season Blessings upon you and your loved ones!

The Lord continues to bless each of us and our community. Baptisms and First Eucharists abound, mixed with several weddings as we progress during the Easter Season. A personal blessing for me this weekend is May 14 marks the 45<sup>th</sup> anniversary of my priestly ordination. I have MUCH to thank God for, to be sure. This weekend, we are delighted that many of our teens will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation from the Archbishop of Washington, Cardinal Wilton Gregory. Given the many demands placed on his time, we are so fortunate to have His Eminence come to Jesus the Good Shepherd for Confirmation this year. His presence adds to our overall sense of joy and gratitude to God this Easter Season for the many blessings He gives us!

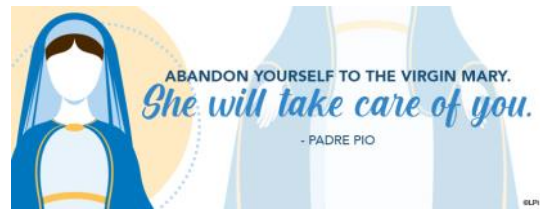
How do WE respond when we realize that God wants us to do something new in our lives? It is a challenge to open ourselves to such a transformation, whether it is a change in job status, geographical location, or a close relationship.

Today's Mass readings remind us that even when our eyes are filled with tears and our hearts are mourning, God will always dwell with us! Today, let us pray for the grace to recognize where God wants to work something new within us, and for the strength to allow him to do so.

*Let us pray. Good and gracious God, bless our newly Confirmed and bless Cardinal Gregory, our chief shepherd of this local Church of Washington, who will confirm them. In your love and presence, death and mourning are nowhere to be found. Fill us with Easter joy, and hear the prayers that we offer this day. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

The Lord is Risen! He is Risen, indeed. May the peace of the Risen Christ be with you!

Father Mike



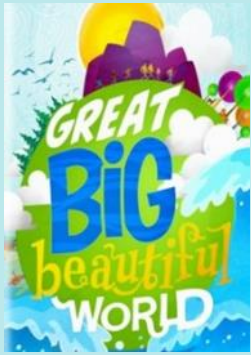
## Weekend Mass Intentions for May 14-15, 2022

Sat	4:30 PM	For the repose of the soul of John W. Pearson, son of Ena and John Pearson, at the request of Lorraine Boccabella
Sun	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of David W. Van Dyke, on his birthday, at the request of his family
Sun	10:45 AM	For the repose of the soul Paul Rhodes at the request of Pat Friel

## Mass Intentions for May 16-21, 2022

Mon	5/16	8 AM	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Tues	5/17	8 AM	Blessings for Thomas J. Farrell at the request of Julie and Jim Farrell; for the repose of the soul of Allison Carroll Smith, daughter of Maureen on the first anniversary of her death
Wed	5/18	8 AM	For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thurs	5/19	8 AM	For the repose of the soul of John Lloyd Pearson, at the request of his parents, John and Ena Pearson; and for the repose of the soul of John Fleshmann at the request of Michele Miluk
Fri	5/20	8 AM	For the intentions of Mary Naegele
Sat	5/21	8 AM	For the repose of the soul Paul Rhodes at the request of Richard and Donna Boylan

# The Virtue of Hospitality



## VBS AT JGS - GREAT BIG BEAUTIFUL WORLD:

Jesus the Good Shepherd will be hosting Vacation Bible School June 27th-July 1st, 9 am - 12 pm this summer! Join us as we explore, care for, and celebrate God's wonderful creation! Participants are welcome from PreK4 through 5th grade. Volunteers are needed from 6th grade up to adults. Please contact Trish Contrino at [religioused@ccjgs.org](mailto:religioused@ccjgs.org) if you are interested in volunteering.

**To sign up, please use the following link or cut and paste to your browser.** <https://forms.ministryforms.net/viewForm.aspx?formId=5b28b2d1-7ff4-46e7-b2a4-fc018cc742a2>



## THE MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY

Have you ever wanted to explore the life of Jesus and Mary in a deeper way? Each decade highlights a sacred episode:

**Joyful Mysteries:** Through the Annunciation (1) and Visitation (2), we get a glimpse at Mary's joyful yes to God. She gives birth to Jesus in the Nativity (3). Mary and Joseph present their son at the temple (4) and bring him there again when he is a teenager (5).

**Luminous Mysteries:** Jesus is baptized in the Jordan River (1) before Mary gives him a nudge to his first miracle at Cana (2). Jesus proclaims the Gospel (3), is transfigured on Mount Tabor (4), and institutes the Eucharist (5). The light is shining!

**Sorrowful Mysteries:** Jesus prays in agony in Gethsemane (1), knowing his hour of suffering has come. After his betrayal and arrest, Jesus is scourged (2) and crowned with thorns (3). He carries his cross (4), and Mary stands at the foot of the cross as he is crucified (5).

**Glorious Mysteries:** Christ is risen in glory (1)! After appearing to those he loves, he ascends into heaven (2). Jesus' followers receive the Holy Spirit at Pentecost (3). Mary, unaffected by original sin, is assumed body and soul into heaven (4), where she is crowned queen, humble mother of Christ the King (5).

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**URGENT -- STAFF POSITIONS AVAILABLE:** Jesus the Good Shepherd seeks an individual to serve as the *Coordinator of our Children's Faith Formation Program* and another individual to serve as the *Administrative Assistant* for the same.

We are blessed with Children's Faith Formation to form our young people in our community in the Catholic Faith. However, this program cannot continue to run on its own. People are needed to run this ministry to our young people. We are advertising again these positions both within and outside our community. The first position was never filled for this current school year; the second position was wonderfully done on a temporary basis by Mrs. Trish Contrino of our community. She is returning to work in the public sector. We thank her for her devotion during this school year.

Failure to fill both these positions puts our Children's Faith Formation at Jesus the Good Shepherd in critical jeopardy for the fall. Again, Children's Faith Formation Ministry does not run by itself: it needs a coordinator and an assistant; this is why we are advertising them now. If you are interested or if you know someone who might be interested, kindly contact Mrs. Laura Cleary at the church office at [secretary@ccjgs.org](mailto:secretary@ccjgs.org) or Father Mike at [pastor@ccjgs.org](mailto:pastor@ccjgs.org). A job description of both these positions will be sent upon request. Thank you for your prayers and concern in this matter.

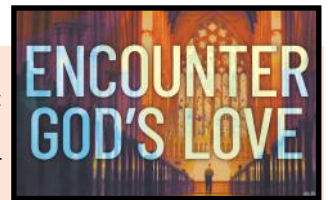
## LOVING AS NEW CREATIONS - "There's something different about you."

Think about the times in your life when this has been said to you. Maybe it was after someone complimented you on a job well done, and you realized that you were walking through life with a little more confidence. Maybe it was after meeting someone special, as you carried the glow of that relationship wherever you went. Chances are, if someone has noticed something different about you, it's because, inwardly, you've been changed by the loving or respectful actions of another person.

Love, you see, can make us into new creations. From the love of God flows the grace to tackle any challenge, including the biggest challenge of all: loving each other well. Christ knows what a big request this is. He was human, too. He came and lived among us. He knew intimately what it was to love people in the chaos of their own flaws. He knew what he was asking of us when he said, "As I have loved you, so you should also love one another."

In essence, this is the call to stewardship: loving as Christ loves, amidst the messiness of everyday reality. Loving with accountability, challenging ourselves and our brothers and sisters to be faithful even when it is hard. Loving with an unflinching sense of hospitality that welcomes even those we do not agree with or understand. Loving with gratitude, giving thanks for the great variety of ways that Christ can make himself known to us through others.

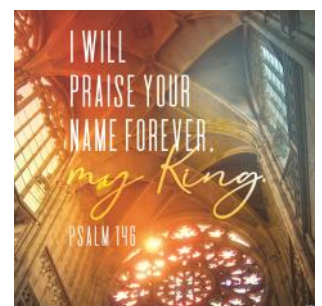
It isn't easy — we all know that. But if we ask God for the grace to remain steadfast in this greatest commandment, we will be given what we need to live as new creations. — Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi



## Are you new?



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



# The Virtue of Spirituality

Congratulations to all our students who will be receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at a special Mass later today, Sunday, May 15th



## Confirmandi

Jack Bisang  
Lindsay Brown  
Rebecca Burgee  
Amelia Byrd  
Andrew Carpenter  
Seamus Casada  
Kaitlyn Clancy  
Courtney Cox  
Gianna Fealy  
Jack Garifo  
Joseph Genelin  
Isabella Gerbino  
Mikaella Jones  
Isabel Josendale  
Grady Lawrence  
Sara McLaren  
Logan McLaren  
Marcello Nazzaro  
Grant Neal  
Siena Neill  
Chloe Oberg  
Natalie Pirchio  
Ryan Prewer  
Maria Reinhardt  
Alee Ryon  
Brayden Sambrook  
Savannah Sambrook  
Samantha Schultz  
Katelyn Simpson  
Wyatt Smyth  
Matthew Taylor  
Gavin Thompson  
Isabella Vietoris  
Owen Weaver

## Saint Name

St. Anthony  
St. Joan of Arc  
St. Teresa  
St. Roch  
St. James the Apostle  
St. Patrick  
St. Clare of Assisi  
St. Bernadette  
St. Anne  
St. Clement  
St. Sebastian  
St. Mary  
St. Teresa of Avila  
St. Elizabeth of Hungary  
St. John DeMatha  
St. Thomas Becket  
St. Eligius  
St. Francis  
St. Nicholas  
St. Catherine of Siena  
St. Catherine of Siena  
St. Rose of Lima  
St. Michael the Archangel  
St. Lucia  
St Tèrese of Lisieux  
St. Michael the Archangel  
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St. Charles  
St. Francis  
St. Sebastian  
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton  
St. Luke

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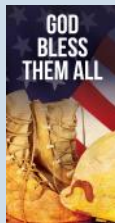
Sundays: Acts 14:21-27/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Rv 21:1-5a/Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35  
Monday: Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16/Jn 14:21-26  
Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21/Jn 14:27-31a  
Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Jn 15:1-8  
Thursday: Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11  
Friday: Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12/Jn 15:12-17  
Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21  
Next Sunday: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [4]/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/Jn 14:23-29 ©LPi

**ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY MASS:** The Memorial Day Mass at the St. Mary's Queen of Peace Cemetery will be held on Monday, May 30, 2022 at Mass is offered each year at this time for the deceased members of the parishes of St. Mary's, Charles, Calvert and Prince George's Counties and especially for those who have passed away during the past year. Contact 301-475-5005 if you have questions.

## PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

Staff Sergeant Christopher R. Skirchak; LT Jg Matthew Schwartz; Steve Looney; Billy Looney; Will Jones; Michael Hardy; LCDR Alex Scott; Nicholas Majers; David Keffer; James Lan-son Weeks; Captain Robert Pat-terson, 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 Masoero; Christopher Kuczek; Ty-ler Menoche; Tim Addi-son; 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.

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

*The sick:* Father John Dakes; Dom Raino; Gael Dusseau; Marguerite Suite; Jerry Worrell; Meghan Knapp; Marty Oberman; Laura Ogdon; Michael Davis; Gloria Sprague; Karen Worrell; Dante Nazzaro; Nick B.; Doug W.; Patrick Michael Guest; Jean Mensh; Thomas Haug; Lorraine Dusseau; Anita Stuck Culkin; Gail Ricker; Les Silva; Marilyn Cooney; Chuck Kuhn; Dolores Marinaccio; Gina Richardson; Tony Dockum; Janet Barna; John Barna; Riley Bodenhorn; Ed Brophy; Linda Patterson; James Richardson, Sr.; Doreen Dardzinski; Katie Lakie; Elaine Shelby; Keith Hanagriff; Tim Connors; Alma Marie Streicker; Sue Baczynski; Anne Brophy; Duke Dusseau; Bob Adams; Marsha Dunn; Janet Cleary; Pat Conway; Leslie Hill; Bobbie Martin; Chad Martin.

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





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**ON-GOING HEALTH PROTOCOLS AT MASS:** The wearing of *masks* at Mass is optional. Our community currently follows the protocols of both Calvert County and the Archdiocese of Washington. Neither require mask-wearing at this time. *Holding hands* is not required by the Church during the Lord's Prayer at Mass and is solely the decision of the individual. The *sign of peace* is a regular part of the Mass but there are different ways of extending the peace of Christ to those around you.



The health and safety of our community is very important to us! We truly love our neighbor! If you or a member of your household is ill with any contagious illness, is quarantining, or is awaiting Covid test results, please participate in the Mass from the comfort of your home via our livestream.

Contact Laura Cleary at 410-257-3810 ([secretary@ccjgs.org](mailto: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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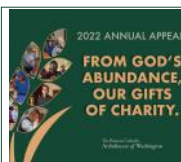
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Liturgical Ministers are needed in all capacities: Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Greeters and Altar Servers. For altar servers, contact Laurie Spence at [laurietspence@yahoo.com](mailto:laurietspence@yahoo.com). For all other liturgical ministers contact Katie Evans at [music@ccjgs.org](mailto:music@ccjgs.org).



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**NEW TO PARISH?** – Welcome to our Catholic Community! We encourage you to register with us as soon as possible. To register go to [ccjgs.org/im-new](https://ccjgs.org/im-new). The best way to connect with us is through Flocknote. **From your phone:** Text: 84576 Keyword: ccjgs **From your computer:** <https://app.flocknote.com/ccjgs>. 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 offering and involvement.

**RCIA** – We welcome adults interested in becoming Catholic into our RCIA program. Please contact the church office at 410-257-3810 x1000, 1001 or 1003.

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

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

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

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

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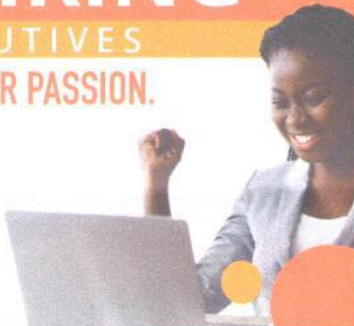
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