

# August 13, 2023 The Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time



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Summer Mass Schedule: Sat, Vigil at 4:30 p.m., 8:00 a.m., **9:45 a.m.** & 5:00 p.m.  
Daily Mass: 8:15 a.m. in the Chapel (Eucharistic Service on Mondays)



## 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He became frightened; and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter. - Mt 14:30-31

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# Bulletin and Worship Aid

Covenant Prayer—found on the last page of the hymnal

Entrance: **#754 Be Not Afraid**

### Introductory Rites

Opening Prayer

Penitential Rite

Gloria **#249, *The Mass of Joy and Peace!***

### Liturgy of the Word

**#1250** First Reading: 1 Kings 19:9a, 11-13a

**#1250 Responsorial: Psalm 85** (in hymnal)

**#1250** Second Reading: Romans 9:1-5

### Gospel Acclamation:

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Al - le -  
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Music: *Mass of Joy and Peace*, Tony E. Alonso, © 2010, GIA Publications, Inc.

**#1250** Gospel: Matthew 14:22-33

Homily

The Nicene Creed (First page of hymnal)

Universal Prayer **Response: Lord, hear our prayer**

## Liturgy of the Eucharist

Music during the Preparation of the Altar and the Gifts: **#740 We Walk by Faith**

Preface Dialogue

Holy **#254**; Memorial Acclamation **#256**; The Great Amen **#258**

### Communion Rite

The Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God **#259**

**Communion: #1042 One Bread One Body**

Meditation: Behold the Lamb of God, Willett

### Concluding Rite

Blessing

Dismissal

**Sending Forth: #873 You Walk along Our Shoreline**

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

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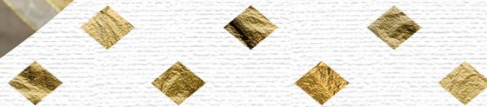
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# NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival



**\*\*\* Father Mike's weekly bulletin message is scheduled to return September 3. Thank you!\*\*\***

**GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE**

**August 13, 2023  
19th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

A man at my parish was struggling to overcome a habitual sin. He said to me, “Father, I know the chance that I will commit sin again is really high. Why should I keep confessing my sins? Isn’t that dishonest?” Anyone who has felt the tyrannical power of sin – and who hasn’t? – has pondered this kind of question.

I responded to him, “What was the probability Peter would walk on the stormy water?” After some silence, he said, “Zero. But when Jesus called, he did it.” I could tell my penitent friend was re-framing the question from his own weakness to the greatness of the Lord’s love for him. The question for us should not be one of human probabilities about our sin, but rather whether or not we will trust the Lord’s grace in our lives.

This week the Lord is calling you and me to do the impossible: overcome sin with love. The only way to do that is to trust he is calling, and then to walk with the eyes of faith locked on him. And if we sink, he will raise us up again and again. Of that, we can be 100% sure.

– Father John Muir ©LPI

**Summer Weekend Mass Times:  
Sat, 4:30 p.m.; Sun, 8:00 a.m., 9:45 a.m.,  
and 5:00 p.m.**

**Livestream on our YouTube Channel  
[youtube.com/@ccjgs](https://youtube.com/@ccjgs)**

**Daily Mass Times:  
Mon: Eucharistic Service 8:15 a.m.;  
Tues-Sat 8:15 a.m.**

**Sacrament of Reconciliation  
Sat 3:00-4:00 p.m.**

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

**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, regularly attend Mass, and support the parish via offertory and involvement.

Bulletins may also be viewed online at <https://ccjgs.org/bulletin>.

Most links are clickable when viewing the bulletin online.

## Countdown to Covenant Sunday!



Save the date! Our annual, parish-wide Covenant Sunday celebration is slated for Sept. 24th. We can't wait to see you there!

If you are new to JGS, Covenant Sunday may be new to you, so here's the 411. Our whole parish comes together as a family and a community for one Outdoor Mass on Sunday, 9/24 at 11 a.m. During the Mass, we take a moment to renew our commitment to serve the Lord by evangelizing through our parish virtues of hospitality, spirituality, and stewardship.

The Mass is celebrated outside, so plan to BYOC (bring your own chair) or BYOB (bring your own blanket). Mass is followed by a tasty (and free!) lunch, desserts (families with last names from A-M are asked to bring a dessert this year), and a variety of fun activities for the whole family.

We will have hayrides, a bounce house, face painting and crafts, a slip and slide (kids can bring a towel and swimsuit), our famous cake walk, carnival games, cornhole, kickball, a pie eating contest, and more!

How can you help? **Save the date and plan to be there on Sept. 24!** Fill out your scroll! We ask members of the JGS community to complete a "virtual scroll" by checking off which parish ministries you will assist with in the upcoming year to help build up the Body of Christ. Stay tuned: Scrolls will be available soon!



**Volunteer to help with Covenant Sunday**— help needed with set up or with an activity that day. Contact Liz Grover at [wdcgrovers@yahoo.com](mailto:wdcgrovers@yahoo.com) or Mike Thompson at [m.thompson20711@comcast.net](mailto:m.thompson20711@comcast.net) to see how you can help.



**HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION THIS TUESDAY:** Tuesday, August 15, is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. As such, it is a Holyday of Obligation for Catholics. This means we are required to attend Mass just like on Sunday. Masses will be celebrated at 4:30 p.m. [Vigil, Monday, August 14], Tuesday, 8:15 a.m. and 7 p.m.



Robust Formation entitled:

## Jesus and the Eucharist

All JGS small group ministries will be pausing normal meetings in order that their members may attend the Wednesday evening series or the Monday morning series.

### Wednesday evenings

Sept 27 - Nov 15

Wed, Nov 1-All Saints Mass, no meeting

- 6:00-6:30 Dinner
- 6:30-8:30 Small group presentation and discussion

### Monday mornings

Oct 2 - Nov 20

Mon, Oct 9 Columbus Day, no meeting

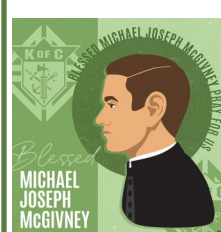
- 9:00-9:30 Hospitality
- 9:30-11:30 Small group presentation and discussion

*For parents who attend on Wednesday evening we will offer childcare/activities in the gym for older kids/quiet room for homework*

### CHILD CARE PROVIDERS NEEDED ON WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

#### THIS FALL

JGS is currently looking to hire two child care providers for children 2-3 years old whose parents will be attending the Eucharistic Revival Small Group Series on Wednesday evenings beginning Sept 27 - November 15th. Hospitality before the bible study will start at 6:00 p.m. and the class will end at 8:30 p.m. The childcare hours would be 6:15 p.m. - 8:45 p.m. This is a temporary paid position and does require becoming VIRTUS certified through the Archdiocese of Washington. Please contact Laura Cleary in the church office for further details.



**Feast Day [Memorial] of Blessed Michael McGivney, Founder of the Knights of Columbus.** This Sunday, August 13, is his feast day. Father McGivney was an exemplar of charity and of steadfast devotion to Christ, still today inspiring millions of people to action for the common good. May Blessed Michael McGivney intercede for all Knights and their families as we honor him by remembering him in our prayers today!

Blessed Michael McGivney, pray for us!

## The Virtues of Hospitality, Spirituality, and Stewardship

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
9:45 a.m.	Miller Family	Cleary/Hepp/VanWie	Anita & Chris Culkin	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



**COFFEE AND REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS**—All are welcome and encouraged to enjoy coffee and refreshments after both Masses on Sunday Mornings. Reach out to Anita and Chris Culkin at [jgshospitality@gmail.com](mailto:jgshospitality@gmail.com) if you have any questions.

**FOURTH SUNDAY HOSPITALITY**—Can you help? We need a family or two to help setup and cleanup hospitality after the 10:45/9:45 a.m. Mass on the fourth Sunday of the month. Please call the church office or reach out to Chris and Anita Culkin at [jgshospitality@gmail.com](mailto:jgshospitality@gmail.com).



**JGS IS CURRENTLY SEEKING A PART-TIME DIRECTOR OF LITURGY.** The Director of Liturgy oversees the volunteer liturgical ministers, maintains liturgical scripts, organizes workshops with guest speakers, and leads the coordinators of the Liturgy Committee. There is online training available with nationally-recognized Liturgists, as well as a wonderful richness for your own spirituality and Catholic education. To see the full job description, click here or go to: <https://ccjgs.org/job-openings>.

### REGISTER FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**Children's Faith Formation (CFF) and Confirmation** Parents, remember to register your children for CFF and Confirmation. The online registration is quick and easy.

CFF Registration: <https://ccjgs.org/childrens-faith-formation>

Confirmation Registration: <https://ccjgs.org/confirmation>

Family worship at weekly Sunday Mass (or Saturday evening) is the highlight of our CFF/Confirmation program. Every Catholic family needs the Eucharist to stay unified and full of grace. When you register your children, please remember to be faithful to this obligation. **FOR NEW FAMILIES:** First WELCOME! Please visit our website to learn more about the classes. CFF is offered on Sundays at 9:20-10:30 a.m. for PK4-8th grade and 6:20-8 p.m. for 6/7/8th grades. Confirmation is offered on Sunday evenings at 6:20-8 p.m. for 9th grade. Questions? Contact Maggie Gorman at [ReligiousEd@ccjgs.org](mailto:ReligiousEd@ccjgs.org)

### SHARING GOD'S WORD ON SUNDAY MORNING TO OUR YOUNG CHILDREN:

We are blessed with the *Children's Liturgy of the Word* on Sunday morning during the 9:45/10:45 a.m. Mass. The youngest children of our community are sent with our adult and teen leaders to the Chapel after the Opening Prayer at Mass so that God's Word can be explained to our children in a way that is meaningful to them.

This ministry depends on adult volunteers. It is a wonderful opportunity to be creative and explain Jesus and the Gospel to our children. Materials are provided for assistance and there is the present support team to provide guidance and training! We are looking for a few new adult volunteers. *Young DADS and MOMS are most welcome – in fact -- ENCOURAGED.* What a beautiful way to bond spiritually with your child and their peers! Please consider stepping up and giving some time back to our children in a spiritual setting. Kindly contact the church office at [secretary@ccjgs.org](mailto:secretary@ccjgs.org). Thank you!

### Deadline is August 31! Reserve your spot!

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**THANK YOU!** The non-perishable food items that were delivered to the Ladies of Charity Food Pantry in June weighed 200.4 pounds, Many, many thanks for your generosity!

# The Virtues of Hospitality, Spirituality, and Stewardship

**Selfies with a Saint—email Laura at [community@ccjgs.org](mailto:community@ccjgs.org) with your selfie.**



**The Wellers and the Shugarts. Cathedral Basilica of St. John the Baptist, Savannah GA, St. Therese of the Child Jesus, "Little Flower"**



**The Erwin's at St. Peter of the Lake in McHenry, Md**



**Wanda Hartley w/Our Lady of the Prairies at the Carmel of Mary in Wahpeton North Dakota**



**Maggie, Laura, & Sheryl with St. Thérèse of Lisieux in the JGS Prayer Garden**



**The Neil's with St. Lawrence the martyr, Riegelsville, PA**

## PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

*Tyler Sisco; Jordan Hardy; 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.

## PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Mike Hitt; Gina Richardson; Tony Dockum; Raymond Janet Barna; John Barna; Riley Bodenborn; Linda Patterson; Katie Smith; Mary Zamary; Jessica Lakie; Elaine Shelby; Keith Hanaca Gray; Casey Murray; Jessica griff; Tim Connors; Alma Marie Cantwell; Chris Culkin; Bill Thorne; Streicker; Carolyn Rich; Bob Adams; Marsha Dunn; Janet Cleary; Evelyn Turley; Ralph Smola; Carol Petralia; Kathy Vassallo; Francis Langley; Mary Ann Lagimoniere; Pat Conway; Leslie Hill; Bobbie Martin; Finn Cusick; Mary Ann Burek; Liz Juan Aranda, Sr.; Sean Layne; Marlene Remekis; Janet Coco; Barbara Ann Marie Dardinski; Maria C. Ortiz; Christjohn; Kathy Boegershouser; Robert J. Koehler; Marty Oberman; Laverne Gowin; Josi Johnson; Danielle Fantaskey; Michael Davis; Jack DeGrange, Sr.; Thomas Haug; Nick B.; Doug W.; Patrick Michael Guest; Jean Mensh; Lorraine Dusseau; Gail Ricker; Les Silva; Marilyn Cooney; Chuck Kuhn;

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

**INTERESTED IN HAVING A MASS SAID FOR A LOVED ONE?** Would you like to have a Mass offered for a loved one? Masses may be said for those who are sick or for the happy repose of souls or even for a special intention. Please contact either Laura or Sheryl in the church office. The main number 410-257-3810 or [community@ccjgs.org](mailto:community@ccjgs.org).

### Weekend Mass Intentions for August 12-13, 2023

Sat	4:30 PM	For the repose of the soul of Richard Crandall on his heavenly birthday at the request of Kathleen Crandall
Sun	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Mary McAuliffe at the request of the Schreiber family
Sun	9:45 AM	For the repose of the soul of Jim Richardson, husband of Valerie, at the request of Louis and Laurel Ann Renaud
Sun	5:00 PM	

### Mass Intentions for August 14-19, 2023

Mon	8/14	8:15 AM	Eucharistic Service
Tues	8/15	8:15 AM	
Wed	8/16	8:15 AM	For the Happy Repose of the Souls in Purgatory
Thurs	8/17	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Betty Schreiber at the request of the Schreiber family
Fri	8/18	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Ricky Reinecker at the request of Tom and Jeannette Reinecker
Sat	8/19	8:15 AM	

JGS Ministries — View complete list at [ccjgs.org/getinvolved/parishministries](http://ccjgs.org/getinvolved/parishministries) or [click here](#).

- **Alcoholics Anonymous**— JGS— [www.calvertaa.org](http://www.calvertaa.org)
- **Altar Servers**—Laurie Spence, [laurietspence@yahoo.com](mailto:laurietspence@yahoo.com)
- **Angel Tree**—Brent & Joanne Talbot, [brentandjoanne@gmail.com](mailto:brentandjoanne@gmail.com)
- **Baptism Prep**—Sheryl Fischer, [receptionist@ccjgs.org](mailto:receptionist@ccjgs.org)
- **Book Club** — Mimi Miller — [millerfam1976@verizon.net](mailto:millerfam1976@verizon.net)
- **Decorating the altar for the church seasons** — Lisa Lavallee — [lisalavallee@icloud.com](mailto:lisalavallee@icloud.com)
- **Children's Faith Formation**— Maggie Gorman, [religioused@ccjgs.org](mailto:religioused@ccjgs.org)
- **Children's Liturgy of the Word**—Liz Grover—[wdcgrovers@yahoo.com](mailto:wdcgrovers@yahoo.com)
- **Christmas in April**—Randy Kozik, [rkozik@comcast.net](mailto:rkozik@comcast.net)
- **Choir**—Katie Evans, [music@ccjgs.org](mailto:music@ccjgs.org)
- **Confirmation Prep**—Maggie Gorman, [religioused@ccjgs.org](mailto:religioused@ccjgs.org)
- **Covenant Service Board**—Michael Harper — [harper.family@comcast.net](mailto:harper.family@comcast.net)
- **Eucharistic Adoration**—Laura Cleary, [secretary@ccjgs.org](mailto:secretary@ccjgs.org)
- **Eucharistic Ministers**—Joanne Talbot, [brentandjoanne@gmail.com](mailto:brentandjoanne@gmail.com)
- **Father Capaun Pilgrimage**—Gerald Cullens, [bigblueforce@gmail.com](mailto:bigblueforce@gmail.com)
- **Food Collection**—Cynthia Wagenhofer, [cynthiawagenhofer@comcast.net](mailto:cynthiawagenhofer@comcast.net)
- **Funeral Mass Support**—Vicki Thorne, [vwt22@comcast.net](mailto:vwt22@comcast.net)
- **Funeral Receptions**—Kim Addison, [dkmtp@comcast.net](mailto:dkmtp@comcast.net)
- **Garden Guild**—David LaRosa, [Larosa64@comcast.net](mailto:Larosa64@comcast.net)
- **Greeters**—Sheryl Fischer, [receptionist@ccjgs.org](mailto:receptionist@ccjgs.org)
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- **Haiti Twinning**—Gilda Beauzile, [gilda\\_beauzile@yahoo.com](mailto:gilda_beauzile@yahoo.com)
- **Helping Hands**—Theresa Mills, [tmills@hometowneteam.com](mailto:tmills@hometowneteam.com)
- **Homebound Ministry to the Sick**—Deacon Mike Dorsett & Joanne Talbot—[Deaconmike@ccjgs.org](mailto:Deaconmike@ccjgs.org); [Brentandjoanne@gmail.com](mailto:Brentandjoanne@gmail.com)

## For Your Safety- August Message

Overheating and dehydration is a common occurrence. If someone faints, seems unsteady of their feet, complains of dizziness, ringing in ears, confusion or eyesight going dark, it could be a sign of overheating. Move person out of the heat, have the person lay down (elevate legs/feet slightly), remove or loosen tight/heavy clothing, have person sip cool water. Cups for water can be found in the JGS kitchen. When in doubt, call 911 and have emergency personnel respond.

### Summer Maintenance



Installation of new up to date Fire Alarm System for entire facility to meet new fire alarm codes. Shared cost between JGS and CHA.



New electric pedestal to cover electric in Barn, JGS entrance lights and entrance/exit driveway. Old connections were tied into old rectory which is now a private residence. Necessary to do.



Water Drainage system all the way to and around the rear outside Grotto

**REPAIRS TO CHURCH AIR-CONDITIONING UNIT:** One of the two compressors which take care of the a/c for the church is in need of replacement has failed after many years of service. For the time being, the a/c in the church operating on one compressor seems to be handling the demands of late of hot weather. The cost for replacement is almost \$24,000. Please keep this need in your prayers and in your summer offertory giving. Thank you.

**BURIAL OF CREMATED REMAINS:** Cremation of deceased loved ones is clearly a legitimate option in the Church today. It has certainly grown in popularity in recent years. Towards that end, Jesus the Good Shepherd Cemetery welcomes families who are ready to bury or inter the cremated remains of a loved one but may need encouragement to come to the cemetery.

The Catholic Church has the highest respect for cremated remains as it does for the intact body of a deceased person. As such, both are still respected as temples of the Holy Spirit and require burial, either in-ground or in a niche in a columbarium.

The Catholic Church does not approve, therefore, of such things as the scattering of ashes, the personal holding of ashes in urns at home or the practice of distributing ashes into personal jewelry. Families interested in in-ground burial sites or niches in our columbarium for cremated remains are always welcome to contact the Catholic Cemeteries of the Archdiocese of Washington [301-475-5005] for more guidance and information to arrange burials in our cemetery here at Jesus the Good Shepherd. Their managers are most happy to meet in person at our cemetery for your convenience. Thank you.



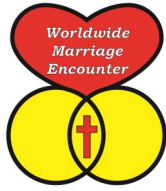
Eucharistic Adoration is available every Thursday in our chapel from 8:45 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. You are invited to spend an hour with the one who loves you. To sign up click or go to [ccjgs.org/adoration](http://ccjgs.org/adoration).



# The Virtues of Hospitality, Spirituality, and Stewardship



**2023 Annual Appeal Update:** Jesus the Good Shepherd has reached an amazing 102% of its goal, set by the Archdiocese of Washington. Thank you to all who have supported the Appeal this year; however, some have not yet made a pledge and we invite you to do so to support the many outreach ministries of the Archdiocese. Please go to [www.adw.org](http://www.adw.org). Thank you for your support of the *2023 Annual Appeal!*



## ATTENTION ALL MARRIED COUPLES:

“Truly, you are the Son of God.” Believe in all that Jesus says. Place your marriage in His hands by attending the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on Oct 13-15, 2023 in COLLEGE PARK, MD and Sep 22-24, 2023 in Herndon,

VA. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://moments4marriage.org> or contact us at [applications@moments4marriage.org](mailto:applications@moments4marriage.org) or 301-500-0871.

# August

**JGS OFFICE HOURS**  
Monday—Thursday  
10:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

- Hospitality after Sunday Morning Mass—Anita Culkin—[JGShospitality@gmail.com](mailto:JGShospitality@gmail.com)
- Knights of Columbus—Chris Lindsey—[mmswarp@gmail.com](mailto:mmswarp@gmail.com)
- Landscaping & Grounds—Don Poudrier, [djpoudrier@gmail.com](mailto:djpoudrier@gmail.com)
- Lectors—Brent Talbot, [brentandjoanne@gmail.com](mailto:brentandjoanne@gmail.com)
- Lenten Simple Suppers—Kim Addison, [dkmtp@comcast.net](mailto:dkmtp@comcast.net)
- Livestream Ministry—Craig Fischer, [terpfish4300@gmail.com](mailto:terpfish4300@gmail.com)
- Marriage Prep for Engaged Couples—Kim & Danny Addison, [dkmtp@comcast.net](mailto:dkmtp@comcast.net)
- Martha and Mary—Cathy Bodenhorn—301-509-5648
- Men's Drop-in Basketball—Rob Bisang, [rbsiang@hotmail.com](mailto:rbsiang@hotmail.com)
- Men's Club—Michael Thompson—[m.thompson20711@comcast.net](mailto:m.thompson20711@comcast.net)
- Men's Retreat—Don Poudrier, [djpoudrier@gmail.com](mailto:djpoudrier@gmail.com)
- New Members Ministry—Julie O'Keefe, [julieok60@gmail.com](mailto:julieok60@gmail.com)
- Prayer Chain—Mary Ann Silva—[massil@comcast.net](mailto:massil@comcast.net)
- Pro-Life Ministry—Buzz Burek—[buzzburek@comcast.net](mailto:buzzburek@comcast.net)
- RCIA—Deacon Mike Dorsett—[deaconmike@ccjgs.org](mailto:deaconmike@ccjgs.org)
- Red Cross Blood Drive—Cheryl Gilmer, [cgilmer682@aol.com](mailto:cgilmer682@aol.com)
- Sacristans—Deacon Paul, [deaconfagan@gmail.com](mailto:deaconfagan@gmail.com)
- Safe Nights—Jack Neill—[jackneill@gmail.com](mailto:jackneill@gmail.com)
- Second Spring—Ed Reilly—[ereilly2@comcast.net](mailto:ereilly2@comcast.net)
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- SOS—Serving Our Seniors—Raleigh Wechbaugh—[jgsservingourseniors@gmail.com](mailto:jgsservingourseniors@gmail.com)
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**ADVISORY BOARDS UPDATE:** Fr. meets regularly with the Covenant Service Board /Parish Council and the Stewardship/Finance Council, as required by the Church and, in turn, by the Archdiocese of Washington.

Input from both these advisory bodies him is extremely helpful on many levels. For the latest summary of these most recent meetings, kindly go to our website, [ccjgs.org](http://ccjgs.org) and click on the New and Info tab. Or click on this link: <https://ccjgs.org/minutes>

These summaries are provided to keep the parish community informed of discussion items and are updated on a regular basis. Thank you.

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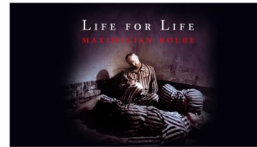
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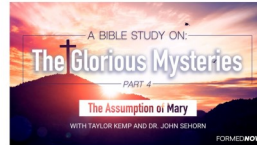
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Week of August 13, 2023



### Life for Life: Maximilian Kolbe

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### A Bible Study on the Glorious Mysteries: Assumption (Part 4 of 5)

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**RCIA** – We welcome adults interested in becoming Catholic or completing the sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist & Confirmation) into our RCIA program. Please contact coordinator Michael Dorsett at 301-518-5711 [mdorsett@gosps.com](mailto:mdorsett@gosps.com) or the pastor at [pastor@ccjgs.org](mailto: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](mailto:receptionist@ccjgs.org). We invite all new (and expecting!) parents to a baptism morning retreat to be held 3 times per year. Next retreat: September 9, 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.

**ANOIDING 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. The former is especially offered to the seriously ill, someone going into surgery & those with chronic illness.

**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.

**FUNERALS:** Funerals are arranged by contacting the church office. The church office works collaboratively with funeral homes of your choice and with Catholic Cemeteries for burial in our cemetery.

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