




August 20, 2023 The Twentieth Sunday of Ordinary Time



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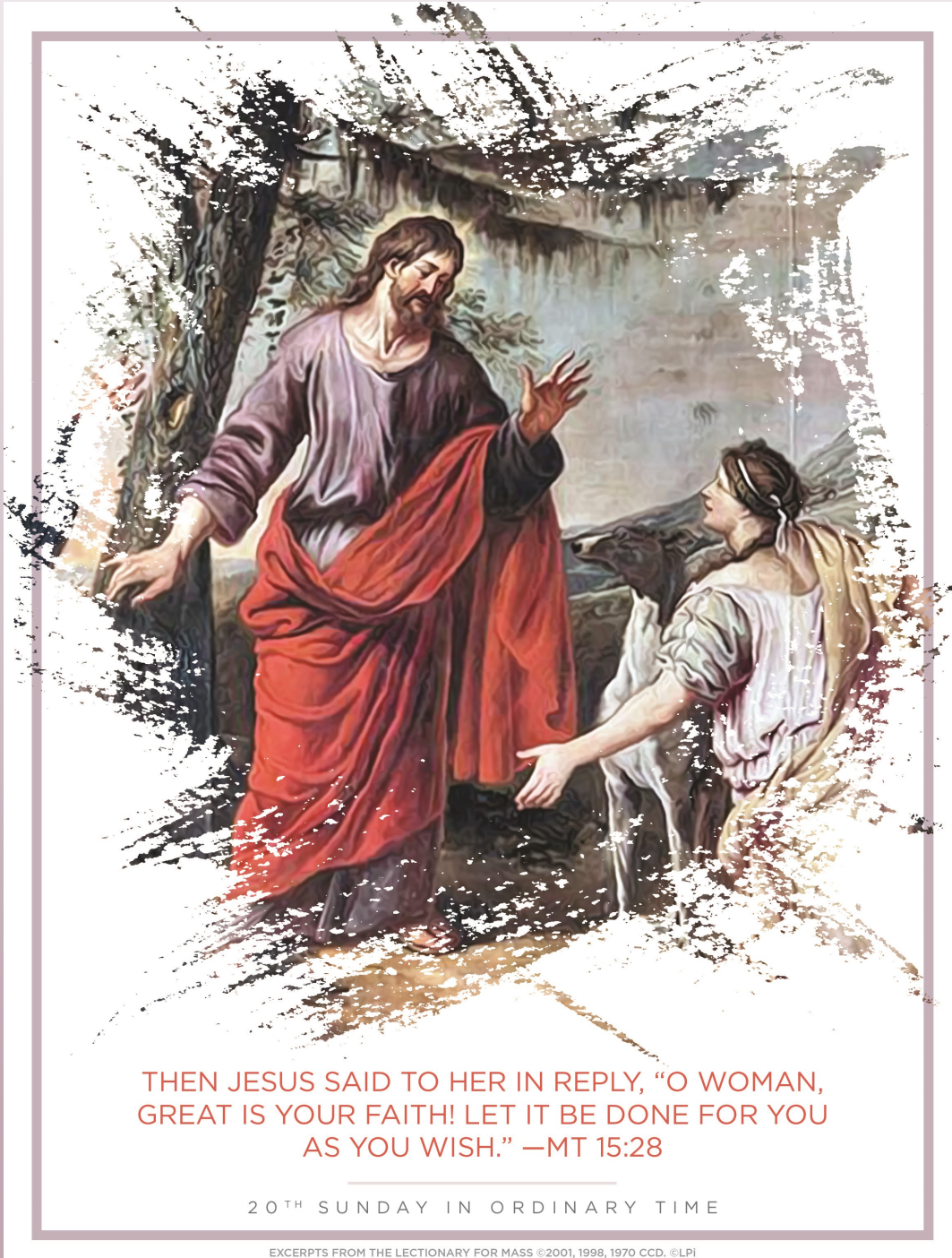
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Summer Mass Schedule: Sat, Vigil at 4:30 p.m., 8:00 a.m., **9:45 a.m.** & 5:00 p.m.
Daily Mass: 8:15 a.m. in the Chapel (Eucharistic Service on Mondays)



THEN JESUS SAID TO HER IN REPLY, "O WOMAN,
GREAT IS YOUR FAITH! LET IT BE DONE FOR YOU
AS YOU WISH." —MT 15:28

20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Bulletin and Worship Aid

Covenant Prayer—found on the last page of the hymnal

Entrance: **#703 There's a Wideness in God's Mercy**

Introductory Rites

Opening Prayer

Penitential Rite

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

Liturgy of the Word

#1253 First Reading: Isaiah 56:1, 6-7

#1250 Responsorial: Psalm 67

R. O God, let all the na - tions praise you!

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#1253 Second Reading: Romans 11:13-15, 29-32

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.

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#1253 Gospel: Matthew 15:21-28

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: **#830 All That Is Hidden**

Preface Dialogue

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

Communion Rite

The Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God **#259**

Communion: #910 We Are Many Parts

Meditation: With the Lord There is Mercy, Modlin

Concluding Rite

Blessing

Dismissal

Sending Forth: #784 Precious Lord, Take My Hand

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

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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 20, 2023

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The suffering of a child symbolizes uniquely terrible evil as well as despair about the future. This week's Gospel gives a "limit" case in which Jesus encounters this evil in the form of a mother with a suffering daughter. What he does is stunning and massively helpful for us if we bravely ponder the details.

The Canaanite woman comes to Jesus and begs his mercy. "My daughter is tormented by a demon," she declares to him. Shockingly, he responds first with silence, then with a dismissive comment, and only then finally accedes to her third request. Is this simply a lesson in perseverance in our petitions to God, who is like a genie in a bottle? Does that justify the humiliation and pain this woman suffers? Is the Lord cruel?

I don't think so. Notice how the encounter ends. She compares herself to a dog at the table of a master. Jesus responds by praising her great faith and fulfills her deep desire. Somehow this non-Israelite woman intuits that this harrowing situation is not dumb suffering. She senses that the door of God's family is, in Jesus, being opened to her and her loved ones. She trusts she is at the Lord's table, and her desires will be fulfilled and that all her sufferings — and her daughter's, too — will lead a great banquet. In our sufferings this week, the Lord wants us to treat him less like a genie in a bottle and more like the Master who has taken us — lost little dogs that we are — into his home forever. Trust that and keep praying in the face of evil.

— 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://www.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 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 or Mike Thompson at m.thompson20711@comcast.net to see how you can help.



WALKING WITH PURPOSE ("WWP") IS A CATHOLIC WOMEN'S MINISTRY THAT DEVELOPS BIBLE STUDIES. The ministry welcomes all women irrespective of faith background, age, or marital status. We have an open chair for you. Come as you are! This is a place where we grow our Connection to God and to other women. It is so much more than a Bible study. WWP invites all women to journey through scripture together and build relationships that matter. To learn more about our ministry, this year's schedule, and registration details.

****PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR WINE & CHEESE OPEN HOUSE - Thursday, September 14th from 7-9pm in the Cove****
Use this an opportunity to learn more about WWP and our upcoming schedule for this season. Come and connect with other women with no obligation.
RSVP by Friday, Sept 1, 2023

Reach out if you have any questions or want to discuss WWP in more detail - I'm here to help, and would love to connect with you!!

Please contact Jen Olson, Pastoral Coordinator, JGS Walking with Purpose @ jen_m_olson@yahoo.com or at 202-330-3993.

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.



ACT KICKOFF COOKOUT for teens in 10-12 grade, at the pavilion on August 27 at 6:30. Families and teens are invited and we will have hamburgers hotdogs and drinks. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. RSVP or send questions to deaconfagan@gmail.com by August 21.

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 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.



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



We will be discontinuing livestreaming of weekend Mass at JGS: We started livestreaming because of pandemic in 2020 and it faithfully served our community. Since the pandemic is over we will be discontinuing the livestreaming of weekend Mass at JGS. Livestreaming will continue to be an option for funerals or "special" Masses. **Sat, August 26th will be the last livestreamed Mass.**



Baptism Retreat Sept. 9! Are you expecting or planning to seek baptism for your child in the next six months? Let us help you prepare! Please come to the Baptism Retreat Saturday **September 9 from 8:30am-12:00pm** in Shepherd's Cove. The retreat will feature an engaging media presentation, small group sharing, and breakfast! Godparents are strongly encouraged and warmly invited to attend as well! Infants are welcome, but if you can come as a couple on your own, before the birth, even better! Breakfast will begin at 8:30am. Reserve your spot now! Call the church office at 410-257-3810 or email receptionist@ccjgs.org to RSVP by **Tuesday, September 5.**

Pottery Classes: **Multi-level Pottery Wheel Throwing**

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

Sponsored by: *Shepherd's Hand Potters*
shpotters.jgs@gmail.com



• Monday •

Class 1: Afternoon 2PM—5PM
Class 2: Evening 6PM—9PM

September 25 — November 13
JGS Art Studio

\$275.00

(includes 25# of clay, glaze and firings)

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.

Each session includes 6 instructor-led classes. There will be **NO** class on **October 9** and **November 6**. 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.

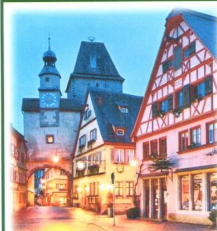
Preregistration and payment by September 15 is required. If payment is not received by the deadline your spot will be given to another student. **To sign up use the links below.** Place payment, with your name, in the SHP envelope on the bookshelves in the church centre. Please make checks payable to: *Jesus the Good Shepherd.*

Deadline is August 31! Reserve your spot!

Christmas Markets of Germany & France... AND MORE!!

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airline surcharges

For More Information, Please Contact:
Mrs. Laura Cleary

Tel: (410) 257-3810 ext. 10
Email: secretary@ccjgs.org

DON'T MISS OUT! SIGN UP TODAY!



Afternoon: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094DAFA723A3FDCF8-multilevel2>

Evening: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c094dafa723a3fdcf8-multilevel3/>

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FINAL WEEK: Selfies with a Saint—email Laura at community@ccjgs.org with your selfie.



Brunie with St Peter in Columbus, OH



Steve with San Antonio De Padua for whom the city of San Antonio was named



The Burgee family with Our Lady of Good Counsel, Folly Beach, SC



Katie & Brandon, Mark, Sue and Eric, St Andrew's in Eagle River AK



Cindy and Mark Morgan: Selfie with St. Vincent de Paul, Hanover, PA.



Sue and Liz with Our Lady of Victory in Lackawanna, NY

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

Gary Buck; Janet Barna; John Barna; Riley Bodenborn; Linda Patterson; Katie Michael Turner; Daniel Lakie; Elaine Shelby; Keith Hanagriff; Tim Connors; Alma Marie Wyvill; Mike Streicker; Carolyn Rich; Bob Adams; Marsha Dunn; Janet Cleary; Hitt; Raymond Smith; Mary Zamary; Jessica Gray; Casey Murray; Jessica Cantwell; Chris Culkin; Bill Thorne; Pat Conway; Leslie Hill; Bobbie Martin; Chad Martin; Maureen Blakely; Evelyn Turley; Ralph Smola; Carol Petralia; Kathy Vassallo; Francis Langlely; Mary Ann Lagimoniere; Finn Cusick; Mary Ann Burek; Liz Born; Richard Rosati; Gael Dusseau; Ann Marie Dardinski; Maria C. Ortiz; Robert J. Koehler; Marty Oberman; 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; Gina Richardson; Tony Dockum;

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.

Weekend Mass Intentions for August 19-20, 2023

Sat	4:30 PM	For the repose of the souls of Laurie and Scott Brown on the anniversary of their passing
Sun	8:00 AM	For the repose of the souls of Bob and Barbara Pellegrino on the date of their 20th wedding anniversary
Sun	9:45 AM	For the repose of the soul of Judy Granados at the request of Lorraine Boccabella
Sun	5:00 PM	For the repose of the soul of Joan Pennington at the request of her daughter, Karen Hoffman

Mass Intentions for August 21-26, 2023

Mon	8/21	8:15 AM	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Tues	8/22	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Mary McAuliffe at the request of the Schreiber family
Wed	8/23	8:15 AM	For the Happy Repose of the Souls in Purgatory
Thurs	8/24	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul Maureen Walsh at the request of Kathleen Crandall
Fri	8/25	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Patricia Trainor on her birthday
Sat	8/26	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Beverly Johnson at the request of Kathleen Crandall

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

- **Alcoholics Anonymous**— JGS— www.calvertaa.org
- **Altar Servers**—Laurie Spence, laurietspence@yahoo.com
- **Angel Tree**—Brent & Joanne Talbot, brentandjoanne@gmail.com
- **Baptism Prep**—Sheryl Fischer, receptionist@ccjgs.org
- **Book Club** — Mimi Miller — millerfam1976@verizon.net
- **Decorating the altar for the church seasons** — Lisa Lavallee — lisalavallee@icloud.com
- **Children's Faith Formation**— Maggie Gorman, religioused@ccjgs.org
- **Children's Liturgy of the Word**—Liz Grover—wdcgrovers@yahoo.com
- **Christmas in April**—Randy Kozik, rkozik@comcast.net
- **Choir**—Katie Evans, music@ccjgs.org
- **Confirmation Prep**—Maggie Gorman, religioused@ccjgs.org
- **Covenant Service Board**—Michael Harper — harper.family@comcast.net
- **Eucharistic Adoration**—Laura Cleary, secretary@ccjgs.org
- **Eucharistic Ministers**—Joanne Talbot, brentandjoanne@gmail.com
- **Father Capaun Pilgrimage**—Gerald Cullens, bigblueforce@gmail.com
- **Food Collection**—Cynthia Wagenhofer, cynthiawagenhofer@comcast.net
- **Funeral Mass Support**—Vicki Thorne, vwt22@comcast.net
- **Funeral Receptions**—Kim Addison, dkmtp@comcast.net
- **Garden Guild**—David LaRosa, Larosa64@comcast.net
- **Greeters**—Sheryl Fischer, receptionist@ccjgs.org
- **Grief Support**—Dave & Carol Wilson, skinsfans49@aol.com
- **Haiti Twinning**—Gilda Beauzile, gilda_beauzile@yahoo.com
- **Helping Hands**—Theresa Mills, tmills@hometowneteam.com
- **Homebound Ministry to the Sick**—Deacon Mike Dorsett & Joanne Talbot—Deaconmike@ccjgs.org; 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.

Volunteers Needed—Calvert County Fair, Pro-life Booth

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - Volunteers are needed to staff the Right to Life booth at the Calvert County Fair, which runs from Wed. Sept. 27 thru Sun. Oct. 1. This is our best opportunity to evangelize for the Sanctity of Life in our county, especially among our youth, many of whom are never exposed to this vital message at home and/or at school! If you can help please contact JGS Pro-Life Director Buzz Burek ([301-812-868](tel:301-812-868); buzzburek@comcast.net) or text to 301-751-1538



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



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



Summer Maintenance

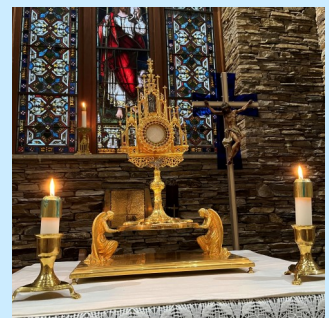
New electric pedestal to cover electric in Barn, JGS entrance lights and entrance/exit driveway. Old connections were tied into old rectory which is now a private residence. Necessary to do.

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.



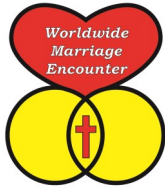
Eucharistic Adoration is available every Thursday in our chapel from 8:45 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. You are invited to spend an hour with the one who loves you. To sign up click or go to ccjgs.org/adoration.

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. Thank you for your support of the *2023 Annual Appeal!*

- Hospitality after Sunday Morning Mass—Anita Culkin—JGShospitality@gmail.com
- Knights of Columbus—Chris Lindsey—mismwarp@gmail.com
- Landscaping & Grounds—Don Poudrier, djpoudrier@gmail.com
- Lectors—Brent Talbot, brentandjoanne@gmail.com
- Lenten Simple Suppers—Kim Addison, dkmtp@comcast.net
- Livestream Ministry—Craig Fischer, terpfish4300@gmail.com
- Marriage Prep for Engaged Couples—Kim & Danny Addison, dkmtp@comcast.net
- Martha and Mary—Cathy Bodenhorn—301-509-5648
- Men's Drop-in Basketball—Rob Bisang, rbsiang@hotmail.com
- Men's Club—Michael Thompson—m.thompson20711@comcast.net
- Men's Retreat—Don Poudrier, djpoudrier@gmail.com
- New Members Ministry—Julie O'Keefe, julieok60@gmail.com
- Prayer Chain—Mary Ann Silva—massil@comcast.net
- Pro-Life Ministry—Buzz Burek—buzzburek@comcast.net
- RCIA—Deacon Mike Dorsett—deaconmike@ccjgs.org
- Red Cross Blood Drive—Cheryl Gilmer, cgilmer682@aol.com
- Sacristans—Deacon Paul, deaconfagan@gmail.com
- Safe Nights—Jack Neill—jackneill@gmail.com
- Second Spring—Ed Reilly—ereilly2@comcast.net
- Security (Shepherd's Watch)—Dan Dusseau, dandusseau@comcast.net
- SHARE Food—Lynn Robinson—lynn@rwminc.com
- SOS—Serving Our Seniors—Raleigh Wechbaugh—jgsservingourseniors@gmail.com
- Stewardship Committee—Craig Gough, cgough@baycapitalmortgage.com
- Walking With Purpose—Jen Olson—jen_m_olson@yahoo.com
- Youth Ministry (Teen)—Deacon Paul, deaconfagan@gmail.com



FOR MARRIED COUPLES: "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." Have faith that your marriage can be strong. Gain the tools of a great marriage on an upcoming 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 or 301-500-0871.

August

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

Cardinal Hickey Academy

Montessori PreK 3/4
Kindergarten through Grade 8

We look forward to another year of Community, Faith, & Excellence!



Contact us for more information at admissions@cardinalhickeyacademy.org
 410-286-0404 ext. 1018
 1601 W. Mt. Harmony Rd. Owings MD 20736

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Upright piano



Player piano

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Our parish ministries depend on the steady, consistent support provided by monthly givers. It is a lifeline that sustains us year-round when summer

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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 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 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.

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. 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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