




September 4, 2022 The Twenty-third Sunday of Ordinary Time



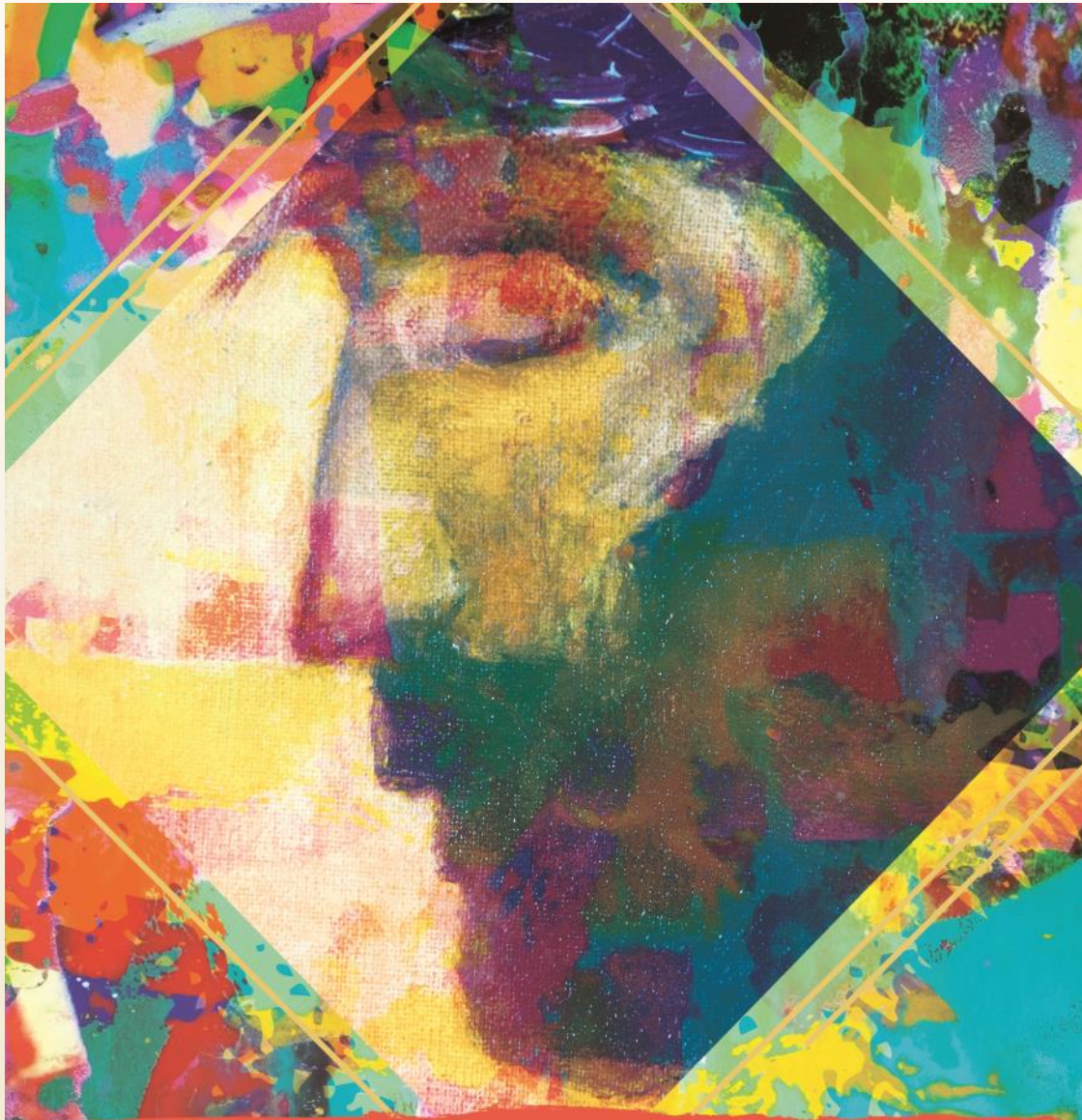
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A Covenant Community

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23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Anyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple.” - Lk 14:33

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Worship Aid and Bulletin

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

Prelude: Eye Has Not Seen

Entrance Hymn:

All Are Welcome, All Belong

Refrain

All are wel - come in this place. Be-hold Love's
 a - maz - ing grace. All are wel - come!
 All are wel - come! Bring your hopes,
 bring your dreams. Mer-cy flows and Love re - deems!
 All are wel - come! All be-long!

Verses

1. Wel-come, all the bro - ken - heart - ed,
 2. Wel-come, all who suf - fer vio - lence. all who
 3. Wel-come, all who are for - got - ten, † ex -
 4. Wel-come, all who work for jus - tice, bring - ing
 all who sor - row and de - spair.
 long for safe - ty and for peace.
 clud - ed and dig - ni - ty de - nied!
 hope, char - i - ty and peace!
 You are not a - lone, for you are God's own!
 D.C.
 To - geth - er, we sing and we pro - claim!

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Introductory Rites

Greeting

Gloria (For Ordinary Time we will sing Mass of Christ the Savior, by Dan Schutte which can be found in your pews)

Opening Prayer

Penitential Rite

Liturgy of the Word

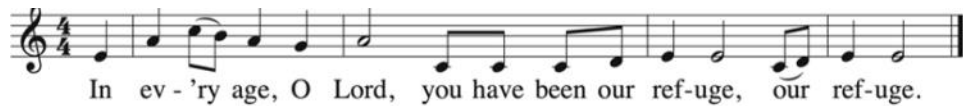
First Reading: Wisdom 9:13-18b

Who can know God's counsel,
 or who can conceive what the LORD intends?
 For the deliberations of mortals are timid,
 and unsure are our plans.
 For the corruptible body burdens the soul
 and the earthen shelter weighs down the mind that has many
 concerns.

And scarce do we guess the things on earth,
 and what is within our grasp we find with difficulty;
 but when things are in heaven, who can search them out?
 Or who ever knew your counsel, except you had given wisdom
 and sent your holy spirit from on high?
 And thus were the paths of those on earth made straight.

The Word of the Lord
R: Thanks be to God

Responsorial
Psalm: Psalm 90



In ev - 'ry age, O Lord, you have been our ref-uge, our ref-uge.

You turn man back to dust,
and say, "Return, O children of
Adam."
To your eyes a thousand years
are like yesterday, come and gone,
or like a watch in the night. R̄.

You sweep them away like a dream,
like grass which is fresh in the
morning.
In the morning it sprouts and is fresh;
by evening it withers and fades. R̄.

Then teach us to number our days,
that we may gain wisdom of heart.
Turn back, O LORD! How long?
Show pity to your servants. R̄.

At dawn, fill us with your merciful love;
we shall exult and rejoice all our days.
Let the favor of the LORD our God be
upon us;
give success to the work of our
hands.
O give success to the work of our
hands. R̄.

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Second Reading: Philemon 9-10,
12-17

I, Paul, an old man,
and now also a prisoner for Christ Jesus,
urge you on behalf of my child Onesimus,
whose father I have become in my imprisonment;
I am sending him, that is, my own heart,
back to you.

I should have liked to retain him for myself,
so that he might serve me on your behalf
in my imprisonment for the gospel,
but I did not want to do anything
without your consent, so that the good
you do might not be forced but voluntary.
Perhaps this is why he was away from
you for a while, that you might have him
back forever, no longer as a slave

but more than a slave, a brother,
beloved especially to me, but even more
so to you,
as a man and in the Lord.
So if you regard me as a partner, welcome
him as you would me.

The Word of the Lord
R: Thanks be to God

Gospel
Acclamation:



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Gospel: Luke 14:25-33

Great crowds were traveling with Jesus,
and he turned and addressed them,
"If anyone comes to me without hating his father and mother,
wife and children, brothers and sisters, and even his own life,
he cannot be my disciple.
Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after me
cannot be my disciple.
Which of you wishing to construct a tower
does not first sit down and calculate the cost
to see if there is enough for its completion?
Otherwise, after laying the foundation
and finding himself unable to finish the work

the onlookers should laugh at him and say,
'This one began to build but did not have the resources to finish.'
Or what king marching into battle would not first sit down
and decide whether with ten thousand troops
he can successfully oppose another king
advancing upon him with twenty thousand troops?
But if not, while he is still far away,
he will send a delegation to ask for peace terms.
In the same way, anyone of you who does not renounce all his
possessions cannot be my disciple."

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

Liturgy of the Eucharist

The Summons

Music during the
Preparation of the
Altar and the Gifts:



1. Will you come and fol - low me If I but
2. Will you leave your - self be - hind If I but
3. Will you let the blind - ed see If I but
4. Will you love the "you" you hide If I but
5. Lord, your sum - mons ech - oes true When you but



call your name? Will you go where
call your name? Will you care for
call your name? Will you set the
call your name? Will you quell the
call my name. Let me turn and



you don't know And nev - er be the same?
cruel and kind And nev - er be the same?
pris - 'ners free And nev - er be the same?
fear in - side And nev - er be the same?
fol - low you And nev - er be the same.



Will you let my love be shown, Will you
Will you risk the hos - tile stare Should your
Will you kiss the lep - er clean, And do
Will you use the faith you've found To re -
In your com - pa - ny I'll go Where your



let my name be known, Will you let my
life at - tract or scare? Will you let me
such as this un - seen, And ad - mit to
shape the world a - round, Through my sight and
love and foot - steps show. Thus I'll move and



life be grown In you and you in me?
an - swer prayer In you and you in me?
what I mean In you and you in me?
touch and sound In you and you in me?
live and grow In you and you in me.

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Preface Dialogue
Preface Acclamation
Memorial Acclamation
The Great Amen

Eucharistic Acclamations can now be found in the Pew

Communion Rite

Lord's Prayer
Lamb of God
Communion
Antiphon:

Psalm 42-43: As the Deer Longs

Refrain



As the deer longs for run - ning streams, so I long,



so I long, so I long for you.

Communion

Meditation:

TAKE UP OUR CROSS

Curtis Stephan, Sarah Hart
and Marc Byrd

Refrain

We take up our cross and fol - low him; we
lay down our lives that we might live. We
car - ry the hope of Christ with-in; we take up our cross
and fol - low him.

1, Final (Fine) 2 to Verse 2 2 to Bridge 3

Concluding Rite

Lift High the Cross / Alcen la Cruz

Refrain / Estribillo

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro - claim till
Al - cen la cruz, em - ble - ma de su a - mor; que el
all the world a - dore his sa - cred name.
mun-do al fin co - noz - ca al Sal - va - dor.

Verses / Estrofas

1. Come, Chris - tians, fol - low where our Sav - ior trod, Our
2. Led on their way by this tri - um - phant sign, The
3. Each new - born ser - vant of the Cru - ci - fied Bears
4. O Lord, once lift - ed on the glo - rious tree, Your
1. Va - mos, cris - tia - nos, tras nues - tro Se - ñor; El
2. Ba - jo es - te sig - no de su gran po - der El
3. Ca - da cre - yen - te del que en cruz mu - rió En
4. Cuan - do te al - za - ron glo - rio - so en la cruz, A -

D.C.

King vic - to - rious, Christ, the Son of God.
hosts of God in con - quering ranks com - bine.
on the brow the seal of him who died.
death has bought us life e - ter - nal - ly.
rey vic - to - rio - so, Cris - to, Hi - jo de Dios.
pue - blo de Dios a - van - za sin te - mer.
su fren - te lle - va el sig - no en que ven - ció.
llí pro - me - tis - te lle - var - nos a la luz.

5. So shall our song of triumph ever be: 5. *Himnos de gloria alcemos sin cesar;*
Praise to the Crucified for victory! *Al rey vencedor que en cruz supo triunfar.*

Text: 1 Corinthians 1:18; George W. Kitchin, 1827-1912, and Michael R. Newbolt, 1874-1956, alt.; tr. by Dimas Planas-Belfort, 1934-1992, and Ángel Mattos, alt.
Tune: CRUCIFER, 10 10 with refrain; Sydney H. Nicholson, 1875-1947
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Weekend Mass Times

Summer Schedule

Saturday Vigil—4:30 p.m.

Sunday— 8:00 a.m. and 9:45 a.m.

live-streamed at 9:45 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.

Don't miss out. Like us on Facebook or join our YouTube Channel.



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

On this Labor Day Weekend, I wish you a pleasant holiday – but not too much! We do not take a holiday off from worshipping God on Sunday. Staying connected to the Eucharist is so important to our spiritual lives! We should never see going to Mass as a burden, but as a time to refresh us and to stay connected to Jesus, Who gives Himself totally to us in the Holy Eucharist.

Hopes for a Eucharistic Revival

A three-year program has been initiated by the Catholic bishops of the United States to foster a nationwide Eucharistic revival, “a movement of Catholics across the United States, healed, converted, formed and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist – and sent out in mission – ‘for the life of the world.’” It will culminate in a national Eucharistic Congress planned for 80,000 people in Indianapolis in 2024.

Why begin a Eucharistic revival? *One reason* is a number of polls over the past decade have shown that many Catholics do not understand what the Church teaches about the Eucharist, including a poll in 2019 that showed only one third of U.S. Catholics believed in transubstantiation. Clearly, at some level, the Church needs to improve its catechesis. Fresh approaches are, therefore, needed.

A *second reason* for a Eucharistic revival that every practicing Catholic will recognize is the COVID-19 pandemic, which brought about a sacramental famine across the globe for almost two years. As valuable as “ZOOM Masses” and televised liturgies were to many, they by definition cannot deliver the tangible “taste and see” reality of the Eucharist – or of Mass itself.

There is a *third reason*, too, and it is perhaps not stressed enough: We need to stop thinking of the Eucharist as a reward, or as food for the elect few. Instead, we need to remind ourselves and the world, that, in the words of Pope Francis in *The Joy of the Gospel*, the Eucharist is “not a prize for the perfect, but a powerful medicine and nourishment for the weak.” The Eucharistic revival offers a chance to remind ourselves and others why we cherish the Eucharist most – and that without God’s grace we would all be unworthy to receive.


Our world is hurting. We all need healing, yet many of us are separated from the very source of our strength – the Eucharist. Our Church, too, is hurting and in need of healing and hope. Can’t we all seek it in the very gift Jesus gave to the people of God?

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Weekend Mass Intentions for September 3-4, 2022

Sat	4:30 PM	For the repose of the soul of Patricia Hinson, mother of Vicki Wenderlich, at the request of Cheryl Gilmer
Sun	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Patricia Hinson, mother of Vicki Wenderlich, at the request of Jo Kaputa
Sun	9:45 AM	For the repose of the soul of Jayme Dinsmore at the request of Deacon Frank Salatto

Mass Intentions for September 5-10, 2022

Mon	9/5	8:15 AM	 <i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Tues	9/6	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Patty Horabik, wife of Mike at the request of Joann and Richard Alu
Wed	9/7	8:15 AM	For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thurs	9/8	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Al Nagle at the request of Joanne and Richard Alu
Fri	9/9	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Patty Horabik, wife of Mike, at the request of Russ and Sue Hardesty
Sat	9/10	8:15 AM	Special Intention

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Stay tuned as more information unfolds in the coming weeks about the Eucharistic revival! In the meantime, let's think of our own personal commitment to the Eucharist. Let us pray for a return to the Eucharist those who have fallen away. Jesus tells us, "I myself am the living bread come down from heaven. If anyone eats this bread he shall live forever, the bread I will give is my flesh, for the life of the world" [John 6:51]. God bless you!

Father Mike

Normal Mass schedule NEXT weekend! Sunday Mass times are 8:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

MASS TIME CHANGES

- To ensure the safety of arriving students and daily Mass parishioners who arrive simultaneously for each at 8 a.m., Cardinal Hickey Academy has asked Jesus the Good Shepherd for an adjustment. There is a sizable increase in student enrollment this year which means more cars. Beginning, **Tues, Sept 6**, the time for the daily Mass will begin 15 minutes later at **8:15 a.m.** In this way, there is a time separation to accommodate both groups. It is hoped that also because of this slight change, more parishioners and school drivers may want to consider attending daily Mass. Thank you for your cooperation.
- **Sunday, September 11**, we come off the summer schedule and return to our normal Sunday morning schedule. The 9:45 a.m. Mass returns to **10:45 a.m.**
- Under consideration is the return of the **5 p.m. Sunday Mass**. If there is enough interest, this Mass will return under a trial basis **only in October** and will be evaluated. Stay tuned for more information!

Countdown to Covenant Sunday!

Save the date! Our annual, parish-wide Covenant Sunday celebration is slated for Sept. 25th. 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, 9/25 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 N-Z 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. 25!

Fill out your scroll!! We used to use paper scrolls, but now 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 set up or with an activity that day. Contact Liz Grover at wdcgrovers@yahoo.com to see how you can help.

Ministry Fair—Save the date—Sunday, September 18th! Are you wondering how to share your time • talent • treasure? We are excited to announce the ministry fair is back!

- *Come and talk with ministry leaders and members
- *Learn about our many ministries/service groups
- *Share what you love; see where you can plug-in your gifts at JGS!

MEN'S CLUB SATURDAY COMMUNITY DINNERS AND TRIVIA NIGHT ARE BACK: SAT, SEPT 10TH

Men's Club will be hosting dinner on Saturday, September 10th. Serving will occur from 5:30-6:30 in the Centre. Please RSVP via FaithDirect number of meals by Wednesday, September 7th or reach out to Don Poudrier at djpoudrier@gmail.com or text at (301) 385-9709. Look for the link in upcoming Flocknotes. Suggested cost is \$10 per person or family at \$40.

Menu:


- Chicken Piccata • Rice Pilaf • Green Beans • Mixed Green Salad • Mixed Berry Cobbler



Trivia will start at 7:00. ALL are welcome, no need to buy dinner. Bring your team or join another team.

ATTENTION ALL LADIES - THE WALKING WITH PURPOSE (WWP) BIBLE STUDY BEGINS THIS FALL!!!!

****PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR WINE & CHEESE OPEN HOUSE - Thursday, September 15th from 7-9pm in the Cove** ALL LADIES ARE WELCOME!! Use this as an opportunity to learn more about WWP and connect with your sisters in Christ with no obligation.**



We have 4 options for you to choose from. The Fall schedule is as follows:

Monday Mornings 9:30-11:30 am	Begins 9/26/22	WWP Bible Study: Ordering Your Priorities
Tuesday Mornings 9:30-11:30 am	Begins 9/27/22	"The Chosen" Series: Seasons 1 and 2
Tuesday Evenings 7-9 pm	Begins 10/11/22	WWP Bible Study: Ordering Your Priorities
Thursday Evenings 6:30-8:30 pm	Begins 9/29/22	"The Chosen" Series: Season 1 (Fall Program) WWP Bible Study: Fearless and Free (Winter Program)

We look forward to welcoming back all our familiar faces and any new faces interested in joining us. Please open your heart and mind to this beautiful ministry and be prepared for the gift of transformation. Registration Forms are available on the top shelf in the Centre. The registration fee is \$15 and covers the full year. For the groups doing a WWP Bible study, there will be an additional cost of \$25 for the book fee.

If you have any questions or want to discuss WWP in more detail, please do not hesitate to reach out to me - I would love to connect with you!! Please contact Jen Olson at jen_m_olson@yahoo.com or at 202-330-3993.

The Virtue of Spirituality



CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION (CFF)

Workbooks are ordered and classes are starting soon!

Sept. 11th - AM Sessions • Sept. 18th - PM Sessions

For those families who are new to JGS, CFF is religious education for children in grades PreK(4) through 8th grade. The AM Sessions (9:20-10:30 a.m.) include sessions for PreK(4) through 8th grade; the PM Sessions (6:20-8 p.m.) include sessions for 6th- 8th grade. Remember 1st grade CFF is a prerequisite for 2nd grade First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion, and 8th grade CFF is a prerequisite for 9th grade Confirmation.

To register use: <https://ccjgs.org/childrens-faith-formation>

Prayerfully consider serving as a Catechist or Aide (Training provided)

Sunday AM Classes- Open volunteer positions

- Catechist for Kindergarten and 8th gr
- Aide for 3rd and 5th
- Substitute Catechists/Aides

Sunday PM Classes- Open Volunteer Positions

- Catechist for 6th grade
- Aide for 7th
- Substitute Catechist/Aides

For questions, please send email to Maggie Gorman at religioused@ccjgs.org.



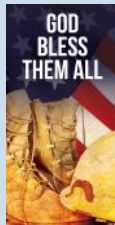
INTERESTED IN THE CATHOLIC FAITH? never baptized, or maybe baptized Catholic, but in need of the Sacraments of Confirmation/Eucharist? We welcome you! The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is for you! Classes

begin this fall but registration is now open. Kindly contact Michael Dorsett at 301-518-5711 or mdorsett@gosps.com

PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

Staff Sergeant Christopher R. Skirchak; LT Jg Matthew Schwartz; Steve Looney; Billy Looney; Will Jones; LCDR Alex Scott; Nicholas Majers; David Keffer; James Lanson Weeks; Captain Robert Patterson, 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 Maso-ero; 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



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

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

The sick: Dom Raino; Ann Marie Dardinski; Maria C. Ortiz; Father John Dakes; Marguerite Suite; Meghan Knapp; Robert J. Koehler; Alex Lobianco; Marty Oberman; Laura Ogdon; Michael Davis; Jack DeGrange, Sr.; Thomas Haug; 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; Linda Patterson; James Richardson, Sr.; Katie Lakie; Elaine Shelby; Keith Hanagriff; Tim Connors; Alma Marie Streicker; Anne Brophy; Bob Adams; Marsha Dunn; Janet Cleary; Pat Conway; Leslie Hill; Bobbie Martin; Chad Martin.

For the repose of the soul of Bette Rhine, sister-in-law of Gale Stevens.

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

Sacrament of Confirmation



Confirmation preparation classes are starting soon! Mark your calendar—**Sept. 18th, 6:20-8:00 p.m.**

We have a team of catechists who are busy planning a very special year for your 9th grader.

For those families who are new to JGS, Confirmation classes are held on Sunday evenings (approx. 2 classes/month) from 6:20-8 p.m. [Please click here](#) or go to <https://ccjgs.org/confirmation>. Questions? Contact Maggie Gorman at religioused@ccjgs.org.

Religious Education: Helps to build a strong foundation



Baptism Retreat September 10th!



Are you a new or expectant parent? Do you know that Baptism is one of the greatest gifts you can ever give your child? Come learn more about this beautiful sacrament and prepare to pass this priceless gift to your precious child.

The next Baptism Retreat will be Saturday **September 10 from 8:30am-12:00pm** in Shepherd's Cove. The morning will feature an engaging media presentation and small group sharing. Prospective Godparents are welcome and strongly encouraged 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. Please reserve your spot now! Space is limited! Call the church office at 410-257-3810 or email receptionist@ccjgs.org.

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY



HOSPITALITY SUNDAY— ALL ARE WELCOME! —Sunday, September 11 after both Sunday morning Masses. Baked goods needed. Please drop off baked goods, either store bought or homemade in the kitchen in the Centre. Help is also needed to clean up after hospitality after the 10:45 a.m. Mass.

FREE, VIRTUAL CONFERENCE ON YOUNG ADULTS IN THE 21ST CENTURY: Sacred Heart University, Fairfield CT, invites all, especially young adults, to an on-line Conference, September 15-16, 2022! The Church faces significant challenges in reaching and meeting the needs of young adults. This Conference is intended to prayerfully ask questions and seek solutions. For more detailed conference information and to register, please visit: www.sacredheart.edu/youngadults



There's a new bin in the Centre for the food we collect for the Ladies of Charity Food Pantry! The most needed items are cereal, meals in a can, soup and peanut butter & jelly. Your donations are a great help to our neighbors in need.

COUNTY FAIR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Volunteers are needed to man the Calvert County Right to Life booth at the Calvert County Fair Wed. Sept. 28 through Sun. Oct. 2. This is an excellent opportunity to evangelize for the sanctity of life, especially among our youth, many of whom never hear this message at home and/or school. If you can help contact JGS Pro-Life FP Buzz Burek (phone: 301-812-1868; e-mail - buzzburek@comcast.net) or text Susan Burek (301-751-1538). Thanks!



**PLACE YOUR SHARE FOOD ORDER BY SUN. SEPT 11
PICK UP YOUR ORDER SAT. SEPT 24 FROM 9-10:30
AM at JGS.** Groceries are expensive!! But a Share Food Value Package is just \$25. Each Value Package includes 4-6 pounds of frozen protein and 8-12 pounds of fresh produce. And remember, Share is open to EVERYONE! To view the Share Food Menu for this month, please visit <https://www.catholiccharitiesdc.org/share/>. For questions, or to order by phone, text or email, contact Lynn Robinson 301-467-8550 or lynn@rwminc.com.

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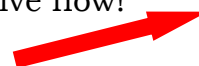
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NEW TO PARISH? – Welcome to our Catholic Community! We encourage you to register with us as soon as possible. To register go to ccjgs.org/im-new. The best way to connect with us is through Flocknote. **From your phone:** Text: 84576 Keyword: ccjgs **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 coordinator Michael Dorsett at 301-518-5711 mdorsett@gosps.com or the pastor at pastor@ccjgs.org or 410-257-3810 x1003.

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

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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.


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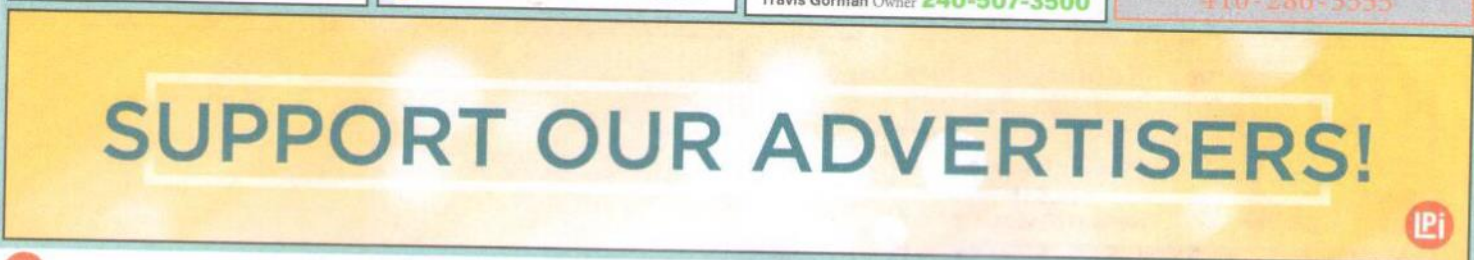
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