

# FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER May 19, 2019

## Sunday, May 19

7:30 am ✚ Hotka Family  
9:00 am ✚ Christopher Paul Nofal  
11:00 am ✚ *Pro Populo*  
7:00 pm ✚ Cynthia Lapuz

## Monday, May 20

12:00 pm ✚ Elizabeth Schmucker

## Tuesday, May 21

12:00 pm ✚ Ellen O'Kane Tauscher

## Wednesday, May 22

12:00 pm ✚ Azarias Perez

## Thursday, May 23

12:00 pm ✚ Emerenciana Raymondo

## Friday, May 24

12:00 pm ✚ Tafi Kronfli

## Saturday, May 25

5:00 pm ✚ Maria Petrarca

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Thank you very much for your generosity to the weekly Collections at Mass: **The Offertory Collection** last weekend was \$6,075. **The Online Faith Direct Total Deposit** (includes Offertory, 2nd Collections, and Donations) for the second half of April was \$15,921. (We report to you the online giving amount twice a month). Your online gift to our parish helps to sustain our ministry and outreach efforts, as well as ongoing repairs and maintenance to our beautiful church building. Thank you so much for your generosity and kindness; please tell your friends about St. Ann's! Go to our website: [stanndc.org](http://stanndc.org) and use our St. Ann's Church CODE: DC811

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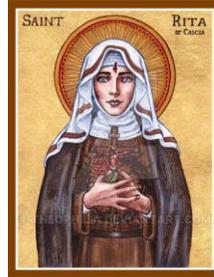
**Orchestra and Organ Concerts to Honor St. Ann Church's 150<sup>th</sup> Parish Anniversary: On Tuesday, October 1 at 7:00pm, Christopher Houlihan**, organist will play a concert with full orchestra performing the Great Symphonie Concertante of Joseph Jongen. **On Sunday, November 17, 2019 at 3:00pm, Olivier Latry**, Titular Organist of Notre Dame Cathedral, Paris, France, will offer a special concert to help to benefit the 800-year-old structure.

**Upcoming 150<sup>th</sup> Parish Anniversary Events:** We are so blessed at St. Ann! We hope you'll join us in celebrating #StAnn150! Want to know what's going on to celebrate?

Check this out: [bit.ly/StAnn150Sched](http://bit.ly/StAnn150Sched)

**Sick Calls:** Please email us at [stann@stanndc.org](mailto:stann@stanndc.org) to notify the Pastor of any sick, homebound or those hospitalized, so that we may arrange to bring them the Eucharist or the Sacrament of the Sick.

**Saint of the Week:** Rita of Cascia, circa 1381 to 1457, (*Feast May 22*) – Born near Spoleto, Italy, Rita wanted to be a nun but married in deference to her parents. For



nearly 20 years, she endured her profligate husband's mistreatment. Following his violent death, she was admitted after three refusals to an Augustinian convent at Cascia, where she spent the next 40 years. She is remembered for her devoted care of sick nuns and for a deep forehead wound that lasted 15 years, caused she said by a thorn from Christ's crown of thorns. She has a popular following and is invoked in Italy for difficult situations.

**Congratulations to our New Archbishop!** The Archdiocese of Washington celebrates the installation of **Archbishop Wilton Gregory** on Tuesday, May 21 at the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception of the National Shrine. We hope to invite Archbishop Gregory to celebrate the Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving for our 150<sup>th</sup> Parish Anniversary on Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am.

**Inviting Youth to Serve Meals to the Homeless:** On Sunday, May 19, parish teens and their friends in grades 6 to 12 are encouraged to help us assemble 350 meal kits as part of Catholic Charities' "Cup of Joe" program that provides breakfast to the homeless. Special guest speaker Kevin Nolan will present. We'll meet in the Collins Room at 5:00pm. Enter through the handicapped entrance on the Yuma Street side of the church. See you there!

### Major Parish May and June Events:

- *May 19* – Historical Tour of Church and Tenleytown Walking Tour, following 11:00am Mass, Church & Tenleytown
- *May 19* – Youth Cup of Joe service project, 5:00pm, Collins Room
- *May 21* – May Young Adult Rosary Walks, 7:30pm, Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
- *May 22* – Parish Council meeting, 7:00pm, Library
- *May 23* – Parish Finance Council, 7:00pm, Library
- *May 25* – Mother Butler Guild Dinner Dance 6:00pm to midnight, Gym
- *May 26* – Memorial Day Procession, Blessing and Social, following 11:00am Mass, Gym & Flagpole
- *May 28* – May Young Adult Rosary Walks, 7:30pm, Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
- *June 5* – Eucharistic Adoration, 6:00pm, Church
- *June 8* – June Young Adult Rosary Experience, 1:00pm, Franciscan Monastery Marian Gardens
- *June 9* – Youth Tour, 3:00pm, Franciscan Monastery and Gardens

**Coffee and Donuts** after the 9:00am and 11:00am Masses on Sundays in the **Library**. All are welcome.

**New Parishioners:** If you are new to the area, you are encouraged to register with the parish. Registration forms are available at the main entrance of the Church or from the Rectory Office. Completed forms may be returned by dropping them in the Sunday collection basket or mailing or taking them to the Rectory. Please let us know if you are relocating or moving by emailing [stann@stanndc.org](mailto:stann@stanndc.org).

**Music of Friends to Benefit Friendship Place:** If you love beautiful music, French wines and pastries, and want to support Friendship Place, come enjoy Music of Friends on Sunday, June 2 at the French Embassy, 4101 Reservoir Road NW, Washington, DC. Music of Friends is an annual Sunday afternoon chamber music concert featuring renowned musicians. Proceeds benefit Friendship Place. RSVP to <http://bit.ly/FrEmFrPI> and contact Chris Rutledge, [crutledge@friendshipplace.org](mailto:crutledge@friendshipplace.org).

**Give the Gift of Service:** Catholic Charities DC encourages you to give back by taking advantage of a variety of volunteer opportunities available in Washington, DC and southern Maryland. For more information on volunteering with Catholic Charities, or to register to volunteer, visit [catholiccharitiesdc.org/volunteer](http://catholiccharitiesdc.org/volunteer).

**Special Memorial Day Procession, Blessing and Social to Honor Those Who Died in Service:** Following the 11:00am Mass on Sunday, May 26, Memorial Day weekend, Msgr. Watkins invites all parishioners — and especially those of us remembering loved ones who have died in service to our country — to join him for a prayer and special blessing. After Mass, we will process to our church flagpole, which was installed when the original school building was built (where the parking lot is now). The flagpole is now lit at night and stands 65 feet tall! We believe it is the tallest flagpole along Wisconsin Avenue from the Potomac River to the District line. Msgr. Watkins will say a special blessing and prayer. We will gather in the Gym for our weekly coffee and donut social. Join us to remember and thank parish community members who gave so much, especially those who gave their lives.

**Announcing Our New Podcast — Calling for Title Submissions:** By popular demand, we will begin to publish the audio of Sunday homilies and other lectures as they happen at our parish. But we need your ideas for a podcast title! This podcast will feature weekly the Sunday morning 11:00am Mass homilies, Sunday evening 7:00pm Mass homilies, and important talks at our parish such as distinguished theologian George Weigel's "Theology of a Catholic Parish" lecture in November in honor of our parish's 150th anniversary this year. Send your title ideas to Natalie at [director@stanndc.org](mailto:director@stanndc.org). If we pick your title, you will be featured in our bulletin and on our social media and invited to a special spring dinner with a guest speaker!

**Help for Marriages in Trouble:** Is your marriage going down the right road or is it a little off track? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship. It can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy, and heal. For confidential information visit [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com), call 443-400-7017, or email [3015@retrouvaille.org](mailto:3015@retrouvaille.org).

**In Celebration of #StAnn150: Historical Tour of Church and Tenleytown Neighborhood:** On May 19 following the 11:00am Mass, you're invited to join us for a tour of St. Ann's followed by a walking tour of Tenleytown, led by the Tenleytown Historical Society. Take a walk from the past to the present in this 1-hour presentation: Did you know that our current Saint Ann Church is the third one situated on this site? Did you know that a 19th century woman was instrumental in the founding of Saint Ann's and the naming of it? You'll learn all this and more as part of this event in celebration of our 150th parish anniversary! See you there.

**Quo Vadis Camp:** The Office of Priest Vocations annual Quo Vadis Camp for high school young men will be held at Mount Saint Mary's Seminary July 28 to 31. For four days, high school young men who desire to grow in holiness will have an opportunity for Mass, prayer, and Eucharistic adoration, as well time for fraternity, sports, and reflection. Bus transportation is available. More information is available and registration is open at [www.DCpriest.org](http://www.DCpriest.org). Please contact the Office of Priest Vocations ([vocations@adw.org](mailto:vocations@adw.org) or 202-636-9020) with questions.

**Evenings with the Merciful Jesus:** On the 22<sup>nd</sup> of every month from 7:00pm to 10:00pm, the Saint John Paul II National Shrine in Washington, DC (3900 Harewood Rd., NE) hosts a gathering for young adults and the young at heart, featuring a talk, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with praise and worship music, Confession, refreshments, and a time for fellowship. Contact [events@jp2shrine.org](mailto:events@jp2shrine.org) or visit [jp2shrine.org](http://jp2shrine.org) for more information.

**May Young Adult Rosary Walks:** Join us as we strengthen our devotion to our Blessed Mother. We will meet every Tuesday in May at 7:30pm in front of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, 1315 8th St NW Washington, DC 20001, and walk around the neighborhood praying the Rosary. Friends, children and polite pets are welcome! RSVP via email to [icyagroup@gmail.com](mailto:icyagroup@gmail.com) so we know to look out for you!

**Make a Difference for Christians in Syria:** The Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land in Washington, DC is part of the Franciscan Custody (province) that has served the people and shrines in the Holy Land for 800 years. Please always keep the Franciscan friars and parishioners in Syria in your prayers as they struggle to keep our Catholic faith alive in the midst of the war that has engulfed this second cradle of Christianity, the place of St. Paul's conversion. Call 202-526-6800, x895.

**The Sunday TV Mass:** Do you know someone who can't get to Mass? Since 1952, the Archdiocese of Washington has produced a weekly televised Mass for those who are homebound, broadcast from the Crypt Church of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. It is a wonderful ministry for those members of our Catholic family who are unable to be physically present with a local worshipping community for the Sunday Eucharistic Liturgy. The Mass airs every Sunday at 10:30am on WDCW-50.