



EPIPHANY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil

5:00 pm

Sunday

7:30 am

9:00 am (Korean)

10:30 am

12:00 pm (Lithuanian)

Last Sunday of the Month

Monday - Friday

7:30 am

Holy Days of Obligation

7:30 am & 7:00 pm

Confessions

Monday - Friday

8:00 - 8:30 am

Saturday

4:00 - 4:30 pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday

5:30 - 6:30 pm

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME August 12, 2018

Monsignor Godfrey Mosley

SACRAMENTS & PARISH SERVICES

Infant Baptisms

Please contact the parish office.

Marriage

Please call at least six months prior to the anticipated wedding date. Marriage preparation and instruction are required.

Sick Calls

Please call if any parishioners are in need of the Sacrament of the Sick.

Religious Education (CCD) for Children

For those ages 7 to 10, preparing for First Holy Communion. Please contact the parish office.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

For those who would like to join the Catholic Church, please contact the parish office.

Adult Confirmation

Catholics who have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation, please contact the parish office.

Parish Membership

New parishioners may register online, or use the registration forms in the vestibule.

Contact

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Offices are closed every Monday and Friday.

**MEDITATION
ON TODAY'S READINGS
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Get up and eat! (1 Kings 19:5)

Elijah was downcast. Queen Jezebel had just ordered his death. Just a few days earlier, Elijah had found himself in a moment of jubilation. He had just “outdueled” four hundred prophets of the false god Baal.

In a matter of days, Elijah went from complete jubilation to complete depression. He went from fearless confidence in God to fearing for his life. He went from feeling like a special messenger of God to feeling like a fruitless and worthless vine. It was so bad that Elijah even asked God to take his life.

In this dire moment, God sent some food and an angel to help Elijah. The angel told him, “Get up and eat, else the journey will be too long for you” (1 Kings 19:7).

Like Elijah, we all have moments of jubilation and moments of discouragement. We may be in prison, we may be dealing with difficulties at work or at home, we may have lost our confidence and feel like a failure. These moments of hardship can sap the life right out of us.

In today's Gospel, we see Jesus telling people that he is the Bread of Life “that came down from heaven” (John 6:51). Even greater than the food that God provided for Elijah, Jesus offers us living bread, his own flesh. He offers us his own life in the Eucharist so that we don't ever have to lose hope. As we take and eat, Jesus can minister to our fearful and broken hearts. Even the simple act of eating this Bread can help us feel better.

The Eucharist inspires us to hold on to our faith, even when we are downcast. It reminds us that Jesus was completely human, like us in every way except sin. He was tempted just like us. He suffered like us. So he knows firsthand what it's like to be troubled.

So take and eat today, knowing that Jesus is with you through even your most troubling times. He will give you his energy for the long haul.

“Lord, you are the Bread of Life.”

Psalm 34:2-9

Ephesians 4:30-5:2

John 6:41-51

The WORD Among Us

COLLECTIONS

August 5 Offertory Collection: \$2,843.00

August 5 Maintenance Collection: \$1,049.00

Weekly Budgeted Expenses: \$4,100.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

**THE ASSUMPTION OF THE
BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a Holy Day of Obligation, is this Wednesday, August 15. Masses will be celebrated at 7:30am and 7:00pm.

All generations will call me blessed, for He who is mighty has done great things for me. Luke 1:48

Please pray for these members of our parish family, who are most in need of our special intentions: David Harris, Frances Sadowski, Mary Kelly, Madelyn Cabatic, Anna Staszewicz, Thomas Peters, Veronica Chang, Risa Daniels, Steven Kery, Anna Marie Kim, Mary Lou Lynch, and Elizabeth Williams.

POPE FRANCIS' UNIVERSAL PRAYER INTENTION FOR AUGUST: *The Treasure of Families* That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.

**COLLECTION FOR
CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS
AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT**

This weekend, August 11-12, the Archdiocese of Washington will take up the Catholic Communications and Human Development second collection, providing funds for both the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC) and the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD). Funds for the CCC support various communications initiatives of the Church - at the local level, the national level, and in developing countries. Funds for the CCHD support non-profit groups, locally and in other parts of the country, working to help the poor and disenfranchised. To learn more, visit: www.usccb.org/cchd/collection. Thank you for your generosity.

NATIONAL SHRINE'S ANNUAL TOWER TOUR
The Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception (400 Michigan Avenue NE) is offering the extraordinary opportunity to view our nation's capital from the spectacular vantage point of its bell tower on Friday, September 7, from 10:00am-4:00pm. There are no tickets or reservations required, but the ability to climb stairs and ride in a small elevator is necessary. Free parking, and walking distance to the Brookland-CUA Station on Metro's Red Line. For more information please visit www.nationalshrine.com or call (202)526-8300.

MOTHER OF AFRICA PILGRIMAGE



The Archdiocesan Office of Cultural Diversity and Outreach invites you join a special *Mother of Africa Pilgrimage* on Sunday, September 16, from 2:00pm-4:00pm in the Upper Church at

the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception (400 Michigan Avenue NE). For further information, contact Sandra Coles Bell at (301)853-4469 or culturaldiversity@adw.org.

INTO THE DEEP YOUNG ADULT RETREAT

"Into the Deep" is a retreat for young adults (college-age through 30s) providing practical lessons on prayer, discernment, and how to listen to the voice of God in the depth of your heart, featuring talks by Fr. Mark Ivany, Vocations Director for the Archdiocese of Washington, and Megan Philip, Coordinator of Campus/YA Ministry.

WHEN: Friday, September 28, 6:30pm-10:00pm and Saturday, September 29, 10:00am-7:00pm

WHERE: Archdiocese of Washington Pastoral Center (5001 Eastern Ave. Hyattsville, Maryland 20782)

METRO: Fort Totten

PARKING: Free, on-site

COST: \$20

REGISTER: DCCatholic.eventbrite.com

For questions or accommodation requests, e-mail Megan at DCCatholic@adw.org.

RUN OR RIDE FOR VOCATIONS

Registration is open for these two fun opportunities to help support our seminarians and vocations to the priesthood. The *"Run for Vocations"/Marine Corp 10K* will be held on Sunday, October 28. The *"Ride for Vocations"/Southern Maryland Century* bicycle ride will be held on Monday, September 3. Visit www.DCpriest.org/promote for more information and to register for either of these events. All funds raised will support vocation promotion and seminarian formation in the Archdiocese of Washington.

TOLTON: FROM SLAVE TO PRIEST

Starting Thursday, November 15, through Sunday, November 18, the Archdiocese of Washington and the Diocese of Arlington are collaborating to bring the Saint Luke Productions play, *Tolton: From Slave to Priest*, to Bishop Ireton High School (201 Cambridge Road, Alexandria, Virginia 22314) for five performances during Black Catholic History Month. The play tells the story of Servant of God Father Augustus Tolton, who journeyed from slavery to become the first African-American Catholic priest. There is no charge for this event, but a free-will offering will be accepted. For more information, contact Sandra Coles-Bell at culturaldiversity@adw.org or (301)853-4469.

PARISH MASS SCHEDULE and INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 11 Vigil	5:00 p.m. Special Intention
Sunday, August 12 NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	7:30 a.m. Special Intention 9:00 a.m. Korean 10:30 a.m. Special Intention
Monday, August 13 St. Pontian St. Hippolytus	7:30 a.m. Soo Joung Am
Tuesday, August 14 St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe	7:30 a.m. † Susanna Hwang
Wednesday, August 15 THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY <i>Holy Day of Obligation</i>	7:30 a.m. John Kimball 7:00 p.m. † Rev. Winthrop J. Brainerd
Thursday, August 16 St. Stephen of Hungary	7:30 a.m. † Joseph F. Caponio
Friday, August 17	7:30 a.m. † Ann Marcischak

WALK WITH MARY



The Archdiocese of Washington's annual *Walk with Mary* procession and Mass to honor Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas, will take place on Saturday, December 1, with theme *"Under Her Mantle"*. This year the procession will leave promptly at 12:00pm from the Shrine of the Sacred Heart (6th Street/Park Road NW) and will conclude at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception (4th Street/Michigan Avenue NE). For more information, visit adw.org/wwm or search on social media using #WalkwithMary.

WORLD YOUTH DAY: Panama in the Capital



Join thousands of college students and young adults (ages 18-39) on Saturday, January 26, 2019 for a one-day Catholic festival at The Catholic University of America. Experience *World Youth Day in Panama* including world-renowned speakers, live music, simultaneous streaming of Pope Francis in Panama, and authentic Panamanian culture! Registration begins late summer 2018. For more information, visit www.wyddc.org or #wydDC.

[성모 승천] 축일 8월 15일

"원

죄 없으신 하느님의 어머니, 평생 동정녀 마리아는 지상생활을 마친 후 그 영혼과 육신을 지닌 채 하늘의 영광으로 영입(迎入)되었다"(Munificentissimus Deus)는 교의. 이는 수세기 동안 신자들이 믿어 왔던 신비였는데 교황 비오 12세가 1950년 이를 교의로 선포하였다. 성경에는 성모승천에 관한 명시적인 언급이 없으나 교황은 이 진리의 궁극적인 근거가 성경이라고 하였다. 그리스도의 부활이 곧 그리스도 교인의 부활에 대한 성서적인 근거이므로(1코린 15:14-57) 이는 마리아의 부활에 대하여도 그러하다. 더구나 루카 1:28·42에서 마리아께 주어진 은총의 가득함은 성모승천으로 성취되었다(MD 27). 그리스도 교인은 세례를 통하여 그리스도와 결합되고 부활에 참여하나 아직 그 완성이 지연되고 있는 것은 죄의 결과인 죽음과 부패 때문이다. 그러나 마리아는 그리스도와 가장 밀접하게 결합되어 그분과 운명을 같이 하였으며 죄가 없으므로 부활이 지연될 이유가 없었던 것이다. 묵시록(12:1)은 교회의 종말론적 상징을 마리아의 모습으로 의인화시키고 있다.



그러나 성모승천의 신비를 이해하는데 있어서 성경에 함축되고 교부들의 저서에 구체화된 관념은 새로운 이브로서의 마리아에 대한 것이다. 첫 이브는 하느님의 의도대로 아담의 조력자가 되지 못하고 하느님을 거역하여 범죄에 협력함으로써 인류에게 죽음을 초래하였다. 이와 반대로 새로운 이브인 마리아는 천사의 영보에 순명하여 새로운 아담을 잉태하였고 탄생, 첫 기적, 십자가의 죽음, 승천, 성신강림에 이르기까지 구속사업의 완성에 협력함으로써 인류에게 생명을 가져온 바 되었다. 그러므로 아담에 관한 평가가 이브에게 어느 정도 해당되듯이 그리스도에 대한 설명이 마리아에게 어느 정도 적용된다 하겠다. 죽음을 이긴 그리스도의 승리에 대한 마리아의 참여는 마리아의 원죄없는 잉태에서 시작되어 기적적인 승천에서 종료되었다고 그리스도 교인들은 수세기를 두고 직관하여 온 것이다. 비오 12세는 또 성모승천의 신학적인 이유로 마리아가 하느님의 어머니라는 사실을 든다. 초대 교부들은 마리아의 아들이 지닌 신성(神性)을 입증하고 마리아의 무죄를 설명하기 위하여 마리아의 동정을 변호하였다. 이상과 같이 그리스도는 마리아를 사랑하고 구속 신비에 마리아와 결합하였다는 사실에서, 죄 없이 창조되어 그리스도의 어머니로 선택받은 동정녀는 그리스도가 당신 승천에서 죄와 죽음을 이겼듯이 마리아의 승천에서 죽음에 대한 개가를 올린 것이다.

마리아가 승천하기 전에 죽음을 겪었는지에 대하여는 예로부터 긍정하는 견해가 지배적이다. 그 이유는 마리아가 비록 죄없다 하여도 유한한 인성(人性)을 타고 났으며, 매사에서 그리스도에 순응했던 마리아는 그리스도께서 신적인 거룩함에도 불구하고 죽으셨다는 점에서 마리아가 죽음을 겪었다는 견해가 타당하다.

[8월 공동 기도문]

[성모 성심께 바치는 봉헌기도]

- 어지신 어머니, 든든한 힘이신 동정녀, 하늘의 모후요 죄인의 피신처이신 성모님, 티없이 깨끗하신 성모 성심께 저희를 봉헌하나이다.
- 저희 자신과 가진 것을 모두 바치며 온전한 사랑으로 저희 가정과 조국을 성심께 봉헌하나이다.
- 저희 몸과 마음을 바치오니 저희 안에 있는 것, 저희 주위에 있는 것 모두 성모님의 것이 되게 하시고 저희에게는 오로지 성모님 사랑의 한몫을 나누어 주소서.
- 성모님, 이 봉헌대로 살고자 저희는 세례 때와 첫영성체 때에 한 서약을 오늘 다시 새롭게 하나이다.
- 저희는 신앙의 진리를 언제나 용감히 고백하며 교황과 그와 결합되어 있는 주교들에게 온전히 순종하며 하느님의 계명과 교회의 법규를 충실히 지키며 특별히 주일을 거룩히 지내고 열심히 살아가며 자주 영성체할 것을 약속하나이다.
- 하느님의 영광 지극하신 어머니, 인류의 어지신 어머니, 온 마음을 바쳐 어머니를 공경하며 하늘에서와 같이 땅에서도 저희와 모든 사람의 마음과 저희 조국과 온 세계에 티없이 깨끗하신 성심의 나라를 하루바삐 세우도록 충실히 노력할 것을 약속하나이다.
- ◎ 아멘.

「가톨릭 기도서」

