



**St. Martin of Tours
Catholic Community
at Fort Belvoir, Virginia**

Mass Schedule

Monday – Thursday, 1205 at Fairfax Chapel

Saturday, 1700 at Belvoir Chapel

Sunday, 0930 at Belvoir Chapel
1100 at Fairfax Chapel

Pre-Registration is required for weekend Masses.

The link to register is:

<https://einvitations.afit.edu/inv/anim.cfm?i=583972&k=076941007C55>

**The Sunday 0930 Mass is live-streamed
and can be viewed from this link:**

<https://www.facebook.com/FortBelvoirRSO/>

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday – 1600-1645 at Belvoir Chapel
or by appointment. Contact Fr. Lindsay directly
to schedule.

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The St. Martin of Tours Catholic Community
Catholic Pastoral Council
Tuesday, February 9, 2021
1900 Virtual Only Meeting

All are welcome – please join us!

Zoom Information:

ID: 881 8576 7495 Passcode: 391362

For more information or if you have questions
about logging in, please contact Louise,
Catholic Coordinator, at FBCInfo@gmail.com
or text at: 254-449-6417

OUR CALENDARS ARE HERE!
Please pick yours up at Belvoir Chapel
or Fairfax Chapel foyers
or in our offices at Bldg. 221.

NEW Donation Procedures

The RSO is under tremendous limitations due to
COVID-19 Protocols. For this reason, until the
RSO Team receives COVID-19 Vaccinations,
offerings will NOT be conducted at services.

**Only mail in and online offerings will be
accepted.**

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TO OUR CATHOLIC COMMUNITY**

**You can now make a donation to our
Ft. Belvoir Catholic Community ONLINE!**

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Fort Belvoir, VA; Catholic – RCKA

For more information, watch a video about this
new program by going to:
<https://vimeo.com/451294408>

Silvana Lidia Cautle



With deepest sympathy, we regret to announce the passing of long-time Catholic Community member, Silvana Lidia Cautle this week. Gentle and thoughtful, Lidia was a loyal and fun friend.

More information will be announced as it is received. Condolences to the Cautle Family.

Knights of Columbus Marian Prayer Service



Please join the Knights of Columbus for the February Marian Prayer Service recognizing and honoring Our Lady of Lourdes whose Feast Day is 11 February.

This virtual Rosary Service will be held on Zoom from 1100-1200 on Saturday, 13 February. Please use mute during the service.

To join Zoom Meeting:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83953364110?pwd=U1U1jQWNOZXdhSFMyYW1aWEtOdm5lUT09>

Enter:
Meeting ID: 839 5336 4110; Passcode: 198569

Young Man and Young Woman of the Year

The Knights of Columbus Council 11170 is sponsoring the annual **Young Man and Young Woman of the Year Award** program for 2021. Award winners will receive a scholarship and will advance to the State level to compete for additional scholarship awards.

Any adult can nominate a candidate by requesting an application from the Knights by email at: FBKofC11170@gmail.com. Completed applications due 10 March.

Homily Notes

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

7 FEBRUARY 2021

Job spoke, saying: Is not man's life on earth a drudgery? ...Remember that my life is like the wind; I shall not see happiness again. (Job 7:1-4, 6-7)

The reflection, from The Word Among Us for today, addresses the fact that the prayer of Job reflects the pain and suffering that he has experienced. "It's hard not to be struck by the grimness of Job's words." He's not just having a bad day. "He lost his children, his possessions and property, even his health. Anyone would be devastated." "But let's not gloss over Job's... words. They provide a glimpse into not only how he was feeling in the midst of his devastation, but how he was working through it. He teaches us an important lesson when we're going through something difficult: keep the lines of communication with God open." (Pg. 59)

Prayer is not meant to be something we just do when we feel good or close to God. Rather than give up on God, we are reminded that our vision and understanding of God's presence and work in our lives is very limited. We still can and should let God know our frustrations, feelings of injustice and struggles with the challenges of life in this world. The book of Job teaches us how to be honest in our prayer, while never losing our respect for God and remaining open for his response. Job acknowledges that his life depends on the 'ruah' or wind of God's Spirit. Job is ultimately 'raised up', as the mother-in-law of Peter, and restored to continue serving God and his people. May we continue to pray God's healing Spirit upon all in need, especially those facing serious losses or challenges in their lives.

Fr. Mike

Palms to Ashes

Fr. Michael Lindsay will be preparing ashes for Ash Wednesday. You can bring in your palms to Mass on the weekends or to the RSO Annex, Bldg 221, Mon-Thurs.