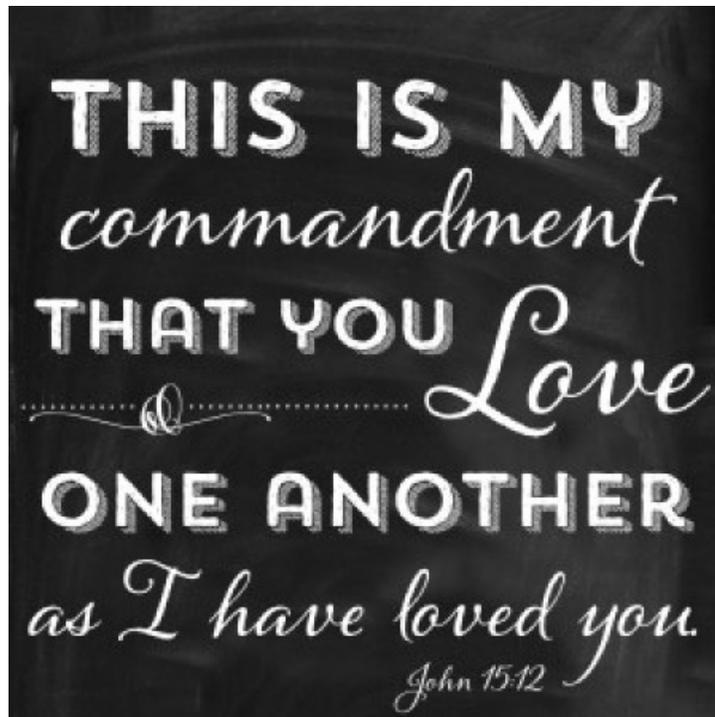


# SAINT JAMES' CATHOLIC CHURCH

**Bulletin**  
for the week of  
**May 9, 2021**



Adoration of the  
Blessed Sacrament  
7:00 p.m.  
Monday - Friday  
In the Rectory Chapel  
*Benediction*  
8:00 p.m.  
Acompañe a Jesús  
Sacramentado en  
oración,  
de lunes a viernes de  
7:00 a 8:00 de la noche  
en la Capilla de la  
Rectoría.

*Pastor*  
**Rev. Pablo Bonello**  
I.V.E.

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*Daily Masses*  
**Monday thru Friday**  
7:30 a.m.  
**Saturday**  
8:00 a.m.  
*All daily Masses are in  
the Church*

*Office Hours*  
**Monday - Friday**  
9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
Closed on  
Federal Holidays

*Schedule of Masses*  
**Sunday Obligation**  
**Saturday: 4:00 p.m.**  
**Sunday: 9:30 a.m.**  
**11:30 a.m. (Español)**  
**6:00 p.m. (Español)**

**\*\*Bulletin Deadline\*\***

**Wednesday Noon**  
**Pre-approved by**  
**the Pastor**

**Mass Intentions**

Saturday - 5-8 - 8:00 a.m. - Terry O'Brien (L)  
 4:00 p.m. - Jennifer Grieco (D) - Joyce Grieco Hoffman  
 Sunday - 5-9 - 9:30 a.m. -  
 11:30 a.m. -  
 1:30 p.m. -  
 6:00 p.m. -  
 Monday - 5-10 - 7:30 a.m. - Prayer and Thanksgiving - Joe Fugere  
 Tuesday - 5-11 - 7:30 a.m. -  
 Wednesday - 5-12 - 7:30 a.m. - Those suffering in this world and the souls in Purgatory  
 Thursday - 5-13 - 7:30 a.m. -  
 Friday - 5-14 - 7:30 a.m. - Terry O'Brien (L)  
 Saturday - 5-15 - 8:00 a.m. - Terry O'Brien (L)  
 4:00 p.m. -  
 Sunday - 5-16 - 9:30 a.m. - Terry O'Brien (L)  
 11:30 a.m. -  
 1:30 p.m. -  
 6:00 p.m. -

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 ★ **Prayers** ★  
 ★ **for our Military** ★  
 ★ Please pray for all of our ★  
 ★ military personnel and ★  
 ★ their families. ★  
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**Responsorial Psalm**

✠ **Psalm 98:1, 2-3, 3-4**  
**The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.**

**Weekly Collections**

4/11 - \$3,260  
 4/18 - \$2,430  
 4/25 - \$2,515  
 5/2 - \$2,914

**Maintenance**  
**\$1,154**

**Please pray for our sick and homebound parishioners.**

<b>Bernie Bergling</b>	<b>Mile Jackson</b>	<b>Leonardo Tumbucon</b>
<b>Patricia Myers</b>	<b>Melissa Sale</b>	<b>Terry O'Brien</b>
<b>Alvaro Ortega</b>	<b>Joyce Grieco</b>	<b>Xiomara Hernandez</b>
<b>Emma Galiano</b>	<b>Danny Farrell</b>	<b>Mr &amp; Mrs John Gomez</b>
<b>Denny White</b>	<b>Christine Stevens</b>	<b>Maria Rosa Bolonos</b>
<b>Lucinda White</b>	<b>Jack Ames</b>	<b>John Ryan Farrell</b>
<b>Elenore Brady</b>	<b>Fr. Peter Alliata</b>	<b>Mary Anne Cecil</b>
<b>Michael Hennessey</b>	<b>Francis Horan</b>	<b>Guy Ferguson</b>
<b>Betty Carr</b>	<b>Everlita Perada</b>	<b>Alejandro Boitano</b>
<b>Kami Elliot</b>	<b>Yvonne Bolton</b>	<b>Elizabeth Caldwell</b>
<b>Madelyne Woodyard</b>	<b>Margaret Hampton</b>	<b>Joseph Whiteman</b>
<b>Trinidad Navidad</b>	<b>Margie Strahorn</b>	<b>Mary Pat McCarthy</b>
<b>Raylin Dishman</b>	<b>Frankie Thompson</b>	
<b>Wink Young</b>	<b>Antionette Kovassi</b>	
<b>Eleanor Watkins</b>	<b>Jim Moskavich</b>	
<b>Eleazer Watson</b>	<b>Bill Semans</b>	
<b>Bill Hyatt</b>	<b>Matt Creamer</b>	

**Please also pray for all those who are deceased**

**Pope Francis' Intention for May**

**The World of Finance**

Let us pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.

**Saint for the Week**

St. John of Avila (1500-1569)  
 Priest  
 Doctor of the Church  
 Feast Day May 10

A single 'Blessed be God' in adversity is worth more than a thousand acts of thanksgiving in prosperity.

**Covid 19 Volunteer Opportunities**

The COVID-19 health crisis impacts every part of our lives. Our clients need help now more than ever. Catholic Charities continues to provide essential services; our food, shelter and medical care programs continue despite the pandemic so we can support the most marginalized members of our community. In order to continue our work we need YOU, your time and talents. While most in-person volunteer opportunities have been suspended, there are still remote-based ways to get involved and assist Catholic Charities during this crisis. Below are some ways you can support our programs during the COVID-19 pandemic.

We thank you in advance for your generosity and desire to serve our clients.

[Catholic Charities DC an Independent Social Services Agency](http://www.catholiccharitiesdc.org)

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## ***Gospel*** ***John 15:9-17***

Jesus said to his disciples: “As the Father loves me, so I also love you. Remain in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father’s commandments and remain in his love.

“I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and your joy might be complete. This is my commandment: love one another as I love you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one’s life for one’s friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I no longer call you slaves, because a slave does not know what his master is doing. I have called you friends, because I have told you everything I have heard from my Father. It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit that will remain, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name he may give you. This I command you: love one another.”



**Catholic  
Communication  
Campaign**  
CONNECT WITH CHRIST

On May 16th our special collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects people with Christ and builds Catholic communities in the United States and developing countries using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the money collected remains here in the Archdiocese of Washington to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the Gospel message! To learn more, visit [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc).

### ***2021 CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT***

Also on May 16th in the Archdiocese of Washington our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. More than thirty-eight million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to bring permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at [www.usccb.org/cchd](http://www.usccb.org/cchd).

### ***Important Update Regarding the Jubilarian Mass: Sunday, June 27 2021***

Due to COVID restrictions, in person participation for the Jubilarian Mass is limited to 50 couples. Parishes are able to register one couple to attend the Mass. Registration is on a first come first serve basis, until capacity is reached. The Mass will be live-streamed on Sunday, June 27 at 3:00pm at the Cathedral of St. Matthew to honor couples celebrating 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 and 70+ years. All couples registered by May 14<sup>th</sup> will receive a Jubilarian anniversary certificate regardless of in person Mass participation. To register for this Mass please contact the Rectory Office. For additional information contact the Office for Family Life at 301-853-4546 or email [visiblesign@adw.org](mailto:visiblesign@adw.org).

### ***St. Jude Project Wellness Kits***

Help Catholic Charities’ St. Jude’s Project make wellness kits for all its patients with Huntington’s or other life-limiting illnesses, in honor of Huntington’s Disease Awareness Month in May. Fully prepared kits, as well as individual items are greatly appreciated! People with Huntington’s Disease experience progressive breakdown of their physical, mental, and emotional abilities, usually during their prime working years. Treatments and therapies can improve quality of life, although no cure has been discovered. You can see a list of most needed items on our website by clicking [here](#).

### ***Catholic Schools Virtual Open Houses***

Catholic schools provide a faith-based education that lasts a lifetime. Are you interested in finding the right Catholic school for you?

Take the first step by attending a virtual open house or admissions event this month. Learn more at [www.adwcatholicschools.org](http://www.adwcatholicschools.org).

## *A Letter from Fr. Pablo Bonello*

Dear Parishioners,

We open the fifth chapter of *Ecclesia De Eucharistia*. St. John Paul II explains how the Eucharistic Mystery shaped the external activity of the Church. From Temples built to celebrate It, works of art, and liturgical music, to the guidelines we are given (called “rubrics”), everything comes from and leads to contemplation and worship of the Blessed Sacrament of the altar.

In the words of John Paul II: *Architecture, sculpture, painting and music, moved by the Christian mystery, have found in the Eucharist, both directly and indirectly, a source of great inspiration.* (# 49)

The Pope calls our attention on the fact that there is a specific architecture, fine arts, and music for celebrating the Sacrament of the Body and Blood of our Lord. Also, we are given are specific guidelines that tell us how to celebrate the Eucharist in an appropriate way.

Just as Military has its own buildings, ways of acting and even music, in a similar way, the Church possesses her own architecture, art, and music. We are to appreciate it, love it and foster it, even with a genuine creativity.

We celebrate the Mass by following precise instructions of the Church, because the Sacrament was given to the Church. We do not execute the Liturgy by following our own particular taste and feeling –too human sometimes; rather, we follow the taste and feeling of the Universal Church, which is the taste and feeling of the Spirit.

In fact, the liturgy of the Church is not a private action, but a supernatural action of the **whole** Church. It is good that St. John Paul II reminds us of this fact; it is good that we know why we follow rites that are given to us: our local community is under a Community that transcends all places and times: She is the Bride of the Lamb. And our Mother.

God bless you all!!

Happy Mother’s Day!!

*Fr Pablo Bonello IVE*

Let us pray:  
*Almighty ever-living God,  
who restore us to eternal life in the Resurrection of Christ,  
increase in us, we pray, the fruits of this paschal Sacrament  
and pour into our hearts the strength of this saving food.*  
(ET Sunday VI, Prayer after Communion)



Visit [adw.org](http://adw.org) for information from Archbishop Gregory.  
Visit [stjamesmr.org](http://stjamesmr.org) for information about St. James and to sign up for Online Giving.  
Visit [usccb.org](http://usccb.org)

## ANUNCIOS EN ESPAÑOL

### ***Casas abiertas virtuales de las escuelas católicas***

Las escuelas católicas brindan una educación basada en la fe que dura toda la vida. ¿Está interesado en encontrar la escuela católica adecuada? Dé el primer paso asistiendo a un evento virtual de puertas abiertas para admisiones este mes. Obtenga más información en [www.adwcatholicschools.org/es](http://www.adwcatholicschools.org/es).

### ***Información importante sobre la Misa Jubilar: Domingo, 27 de junio de 2021***

Debido a las restricciones de COVID, la participación en persona para la Misa Jubilar está limitada a 50 parejas. Las parroquias pueden inscribir solo a una pareja para asistir a la misa. La inscripción se realizará por orden de llegada, hasta completar aforo. La misa será transmitida en vivo el domingo 27 de junio a las 3:00 pm desde la Catedral de San Mateo Apóstol, para honrar a las parejas que celebran 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 y 70+ años de casados. Todas las parejas que se inscriban hasta el 14 de mayo recibirán un certificado personalizado. Para inscribirse contacte a su Oficina Parroquial. Para información adicional, comuníquese con la Oficina de Vida Familiar al 301-853-4499 o envíe un correo electrónico a [signovisible@adw.org](mailto:signovisible@adw.org).

### ***PLEASE SUPPORT LOCAL PREGNANT MOTHERS AND THEIR BABIES***

During the past 2 months, more than 50 NEW client mothers and their families have requested help from the Gabriel Project Cluster. This is in addition to the over 200 already being assisted. More women volunteers are needed, especially bi-lingual women. We are an all-volunteer, nonprofit organization that assists low-income pregnant women and their children. During the pandemic and economic crisis, the need for the services has grown tremendously while typical sources of support are greatly reduced. During this Holy Season you can help provide critically needed material resources by purchasing essential items like baby gear, diapers, and clothing through the Gabriel Project's Amazon Charity List. For more information about the Gabriel Project and to support our efforts, please visit the website at [www.gpmoco.org](http://www.gpmoco.org) and look for the link for the Gabriel Project's Amazon Charity List at the top of the home page

### ***VOLUNTEER WITH CATHOLIC CHARITIES***

#### ***Summer Interns***

Current undergraduate students are invited to serve with us during Summer 2021! We have openings in programs from Public Health to Communications to Social Work, with opportunities for students of all majors.

Most work will be remote. Explore the roles and apply [here!](#)

Apply by March 28<sup>th</sup> and serve from May 25<sup>th</sup> – August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

Have questions? Send us an email to [Volunteer@CC-DC.org](mailto:Volunteer@CC-DC.org)

### ***Guadalupe Radio Network***

WMET 1160 AM/103.1 FM (Falls Church), offering the Holy Mass, Holy Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet, among many broadcast devotionals, offers EWTN faith-filled programming that is uplifting to the spirit and true to Magisterium of the Holy Roman Catholic Church. A new program, *Catholic Drive Time*, offers news from a Catholic perspective. You can find a schedule and listen online at [www.GRNonline.com](http://www.GRNonline.com), or on the Guadalupe Radio Network app on your smartphone. For car stickers or more information, email [WMET@GRNonline.com](mailto:WMET@GRNonline.com).

## **Stone Soup Sunday is now every Sunday!**

Today more folks are out of work and in need of food. The Archdiocese of Washington has urged ALL Parishes to make certain no one goes hungry. In answer to this plea, the Holy Name Society has taken over the operation of the **St. James Food Pantry!**

This is the list of pantry items we include in our weekly deliveries.

The ones starred in red are the ones we are currently in need of most.

Bags of Dried Beans (particularly black beans) *	Bags of Rice
Large jars or bottles of fruit juice *	Boxed Mac and Cheese
Bags of Masa *	Cans of Corn
Cans of black/kidney/garbanzo or other kinds of beans *	Cans of mixed vegetables or green beans
Jars of Jelly *	Bags/boxes of Cereal
Jars of Peanut Butter *	Cartons of shelf safe milk
Boxes/pkggs of pasta *	Cans of Tuna fish
Pump bottles of hand soap *	
Bars of bath soap *	Cans/jars of tomato sauce
Tubes of Toothpaste *	Cans of fruit
Toilet paper *	Cans of soup (chicken noodle or tomato)

Please be as generous as you can in sharing some of the items listed above.

### ***Archdiocese of Washington Updates***

Updated frequently, Daily and Sunday Masses, liturgies and prayers to view online, live-streamed and recorded are available at <https://adw.org/livestreamed-masses-and-prayers>. The Archdiocese of Washington bishops and vicar general are also streaming daily Masses on the ADW Facebook page. The archdiocesan website in response to the coronavirus is updated regularly with information in English and Spanish at [adw.org/coronavirus](http://adw.org/coronavirus). The Catholic Standard and El Pregonero newspapers are online at [cathstan.org](http://cathstan.org) and [elpreg.org](http://elpreg.org).