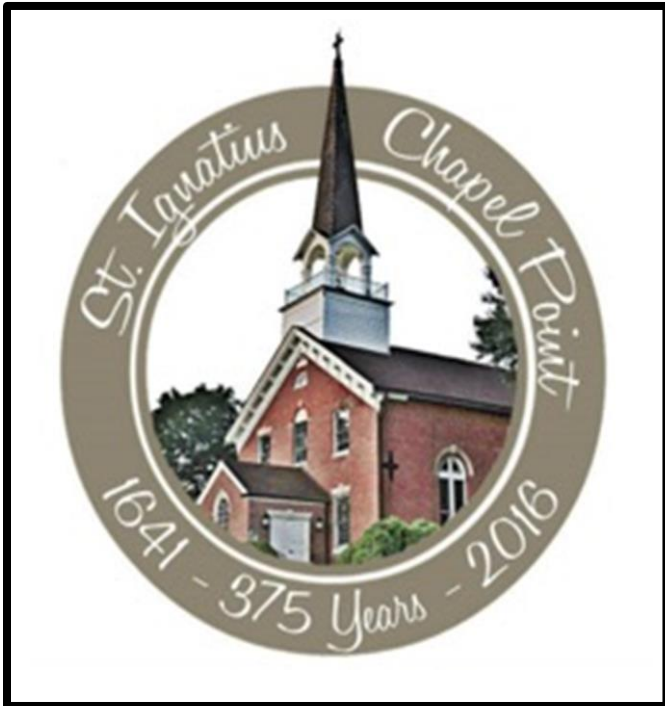


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Saturday Evening: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Mornings: 7:30, 9:00, 11:15 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.

The Eucharist
Weekdays: 8:00 a.m.
Holy Days: 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Registration: We welcome all new members to our parish family. Your registration is important; it helps us to know those we serve. It is also necessary if you wish to be certified as an active member to be a baptismal or confirmation sponsor.

Stewardship: Christians share their talents, time and treasure to carry on the work of the Church. Your offerings are essential to St. Ignatius Church, for us to maintain our staffing, programs and buildings.

Cemetery: There are grave sites available for active parishioners in the new section at the base of the hill. Catholic Cemeteries of the Archdiocese of Washington administers the sale of lots and burial. Because we do not have an adequate endowment, the costs of maintenance come from general parish funds. The phone number for Catholic Cemeteries is 301-932-1766.

Reconciliation: Saturdays 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m., or by appointment.

Matrimony: Registered parishioners planning to be married at St. Ignatius must contact the pastor at least six months before the wedding

Baptism: Parents planning to have their child baptized must attend baptism classes. Please contact Sarah MacMillan to schedule the class ignatiusreligion@gmail.com.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: If you would like to learn about becoming a Catholic, please contact the Religious Education Office. Classes begin at the end of the summer.



Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 22, 2021

"As for me and my household, we will serve the LORD."



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, August 21 – 5:00 P.M. – Herb Grote +
Sunday, August 22 – 7:30 A.M. – Michelle Carpenter Morris +
Sunday, August 22 – 9:00 A.M. – Maureen Jacobs +
Sunday, August 22 – 6:00 P.M. – Charlene Nickolls (Healing)
Monday, August 23 – 8:00 A.M. – Julian Dyer +

Happy Birthday to our Pastor, Fr. Tom Clifford on Wednesday, August 25.

Catholic Standard Article Pick up a copy of the Catholic Standard in the back of the church to read the interview with Fr. Clifford on his 40th anniversary as a priest.

Charles County has issued masking rules to slow the spread of the Corona virus in all its forms: *All residents and visitors over the age of five will be required to wear masks in all indoor public venues and businesses in Charles County, even if they are fully vaccinated. This includes restaurants, retail stores, entertainment venues, conference centers, and office settings.* Similar to previous mask mandates, some exceptions apply, such as individuals who have a disability that prevents them from wearing a mask.

This means we will be wearing masks in church. Hand sanitizer is still available at the entrance. We will refrain from exchanging the Sign of Peace for the time being and from congregational singing.

Earthquake in Haiti On August 14, a massive earthquake hit Haiti, resulting in major devastation to this impoverished nation. Meanwhile, tropical storms are exacerbating the situation. An estimated 1.2 million people, including 540,000 children, have been impacted with more than 1,900 deaths and thousands more injured, leaving local hospitals overwhelmed. Homes, schools, businesses and infrastructure that stood there a month ago simply no longer exist today. The Haitian people are now in dire need of medical care, shelter, food, water, clothing, and other supplies, as well as the materials to rebuild. The recovery process will remain for years. Catholic Relief Services has a presence on the ground in Haiti and is assisting already. Should you wish to help provide immediate assistance for our Haitian sisters and brothers, please go to: <https://support.crs.org/donate/haiti-earthquake><<https://click.icptrack.com/icp/relay.php?r=79081732&msgid=1196094&act=053E&c=686612&destination=https%3A%2F%2Fsupport.crs.org%2Fdonate%2Fhaiti-earthquake&cf=17356&v=f21fee24d59b883f5b1f3b7ddc5a033c32a4a22175f77561aadba4bdb5cdaedd>>. Your prayers and support can make a difference, and your assistance is greatly appreciated.

Read My Bricks Tour Fr. Clifford continues his tours on the weekends of August 28-29 and September 5-6 after the Saturday, 5 pm Mass and after the Sunday, 9 am and 6 pm Masses.

IGNATIAN YEAR Summer Series wraps up this Wednesday, August 25th at 6:30 PM.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD is offered during the 9:00 AM Mass on Sundays. This is a wonderful opportunity for children ages three through six to hear the Word at their level.

YOUTH GROUP will meet THIS SUNDAY, AUGUST 22nd from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. Let's enjoy our last bit of summer together with a cook-out and lawn games, and we will plan our activities for the upcoming school year. All middle and high schoolers are welcome! Contact Sarah MacMillan at ignatiusreligion@gmail.com or (301)885-7020 for more information.

CATECHISTS NEEDED for the Fall! Have you thought about how you can offer God your time and talent? Our Faith Formation program would appreciate your help! Lessons are prepared for you. You can commit weekly, or if you are able to share class responsibilities and can commit to twice a month, we would appreciate your help! Subs are appreciated, too! Contact Sarah MacMillan at ignatiusreligion@gmail.com or (301)885-7020 for more information.

FAITH FORMATION & CONFIRMATION PREP returns on Sunday, September 26th! Be on the look-out for an email regarding registration. Contact Sarah MacMillan at ignatiusreligion@gmail.com or (301)885-7020 with any questions.

Diaper/Baby Supply Drive The Knights of Columbus 2279 are hosting a Diaper/Baby Supply Drive from August 28th til September 12th. All supplies donated will be given to the Catherine Foundation in Charles County. Here is a list of supplies the Catherine Foundation needs. Similac advanced and pro-advanced baby formula; Baby Food/Cereal; Diapers (sizes 3, 4, 5 & 6) and pull-ups, Wipes, Baby wash/shampoo/lotion, Sippy cups, Bottles, Teethers. If you have any of these supplies and do not need them, please consider generously donating them. Donation boxes will be at the entrance(s) of the Parish from August 28th to September 12th.

St. Thomas Manor Trust – financial aid St. Thomas Manor Trust was formed for aid to the needy, preservation of the historic buildings, and financial assistance for children in Catholic schools. Since this is considered financial aid, we will need to ask financial questions; the reason financial assistance is needed. Please call the parish office to make an appointment for a meeting with Fr. Clifford if you are in need of financial aid for Catholic school.

Gift Shop The Gift Shop will be open August 22, September 12 and 26 after the 9 and 11:15 a.m., and the 6 p.m. Masses.

A Workshop for Parents Whose Children Are Away From The Church will be held at St. Catherine's Church Parish Hall on September 18, 2021 from 8 am to 2:30 p.m. Breakfast and lunch will be provided. For more information or to register, contact St. Catherine Parish at stcatherine-alexandria.md@adw.org or call 301-934-9630. The cost is \$10. We have some flyers in the back of the church as well.

Loyola on the Potomac, A Jesuit Retreat House-Crab Feast 9270 Loyola Retreat Rd. Faulkner, MD **Sunday, September 12, 2021** 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm. All you can eat **on site:** Crabs, chicken, hamburgers, hotdogs, corn on the cob and more. Beer, Soda, Water. **Early Bird-Adult tickets \$50, Children 7-12 \$35, 6 and under free. After September 1, tickets are \$65.** Make Reservations on Website or call 301-392-0806.

St. Mary's Bryantown School and Church will be holding a Fall Flea Market on Saturday, September 18, 2021 from 8AM to 1PM. This event will be held Rain or Shine! There will be food, fun and bargains. There are tables available to rent. Contact Penny Bailey at 301-843-3387, if interested in renting a table at the Flea Market. The address of the event is 13715 Notre Dame Place, Bryantown, MD 20617. All proceeds will benefit the Social Concerns Committee for the less fortunate in our area.

On-Line Giving We have an electronic giving link on our webpage: www.chapelpoint.org. You can make donations using your checking account or credit card. The giving link can be found on the lower half, on the right side of the home page of the website.

Restore and Renew PLEASE - We ask that you **write a separate check** for donations and **pledge payments** to the "Restore and Renew" capital campaign. **We have a separate account for the restoration work. Add "Restore & Renew" to the memo line, but make the check out to the church.**

Please remember the following people in your daily prayers: Joann Plowman, Frank Hopson, Denise Edelen, Joyce Edelen, Buddy and Peggy Burch, Sarah Vaughan, Candice and Miles, Brenda Pilkerton, Sharon Reilly and the Reilly family, Lyn Gibson, Kelly LeSage, Martha Murphy, Clare, Lee Pilkerton, William Coughlon, Judy LeSage, Peggy and family, Marie Jenkins, Traci Renner, Gary Stumpf, Ruth Watson, Van Watson, Pat Kirkland, Eddie Fitzpatrick, Rose Langley, Francis Knott, Chuck Gould, The staff and residents of assisted living and nursing homes, Amelia Zito, Karen Muhlenkamp, Peter Dahl, Elizabeth McCarthy, Alice Pickett, Mary Simmons, Dorothy Simms, Antoine Watson, Vickie & Greg Pickeral, David A. Proctor, Ms. Pickeral, Irene Proctor, Mary Jane Zuknick, Vibha Pubbi, Xavier Bean and family, Toni Gallagher, Bessie Farmer, Bobby Terrett, John Abell, Pat Anderson, Steve Oliff, Victims, families and survivors of abuse, The Sage family, Douglas Hamnes, Sharon Ryan, John Reese, Frankie Chiorcariello and family, Tim Moore, James Johnson, Victoria Liberty, Tamera Scroggins, James J. Nalley, Elaine Gaddis, Butch Hayden, Stacie Hayden



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