

Our Lady's Catholic Church

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Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment, with enough time for Parents to meet with the Priest.

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements should be made six months in advance.

Religious Education

Classes for those attending Public School please call Parish Office.

Registration in the Parish

Parishioners should be registered. We need you! Forms are available at the door to the church.



Pastor

Rev. John T. Nguyen

Permanent Deacon

Deacon Thomas Spalding (Retired)

Parish Secretary and Bookkeeper

Mrs. Rebekah J. Guyther

Schedule of Masses

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Holy days as announced

Parish Office Hours 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Tuesday - Friday

Closed on Monday

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.



Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

REFLECTION

Today we are reminded that one day Jesus will return in glory as the world comes to an earth-shattering conclusion. As frightening as the warnings are in today's readings, they are accompanied by assurances that God remains with us. Always. Indeed, soon we will be reminded that Emmanuel means "God is with us". Jesus, Emmanuel, will return in glory at the end of time. Let us pray in thanksgiving today for God's abiding presence with us here on earth.

Mass Intention Requests

Please call the Parish Office at 301-475-8403 to request a Mass Intention. The usual stipend is \$10 and Mass cards signed by Fr. John are available.

Leonardtown Volunteer Rescue Squad Auxiliary will be hosting a Christmas Festival on Saturday November 27th at the Leonardtown Volunteer Rescue Squad building (22855 Lawrence Avenue, Leonardtown, MD) from 8:00 am until 7:00 pm. The Christmas Festival includes a virtual auction with in-person viewing of the auction items at the Rescue Squad building or on our LVRS Facebook page beginning at 8:00 am and ending at 7:00 pm. Gently used Christmas decorations and other Christmas themed items will be available for sale at Mrs. Claus' Attic, that same day at 8:00 am at the rescue squad building. All proceeds benefit the Leonardtown Volunteer Rescue Squad Auxiliary.

LET'S TALK ABOUT IT SERIES

Ladies! Join the Encounter Grace team on **Wednesday, November 17, 2021** at Immaculate Conception Parish Hall, Mechanicsville MD, for a relaxed evening as we discuss the life of St. Andrew. Just in time to celebrate his feast day, November 30, 2021! This is a free event, but we do RSVP: <https://www.encountergrace.co/lets-talk-about-it-series> Email hello@encountergrace.co with any questions.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Hollywood VFD will be hosting an Annual Tree Lighting event featuring Santa Clause on November 28, 2021 at the Hollywood Fire House. Santa will visit everyone OUTSIDE and children will receive a goody bag with crafts, cookie and a drink!! Festivities start at 4 PM with Santa arriving about 5 PM.

Call the Rectory: Please keep Fr. John or the Parish Office informed if someone is sick or hospitalized. We can add their name to the prayer list. They can also have a visit from Fr. John.

An Olde-Fashioned Christmas Bazaar

St. Francis Xavier Parish Hall, 21370 Newtowne Neck Rd.
Saturday, November 20, 2021, from 10am – 3pm.
Featuring traditional and unusual homemade arts and crafts, bake sale & "Cooler of Cheer" raffle. Café style luncheon and carry-out.

Collection for Retired Priests: On November 13/14 the Archdiocesan collection is for the Retired Priests of the Archdiocese of Washington. Continuing Christ's mission, archdiocesan priests have selflessly served the faithful and the community for decades. Let's join together to help to provide care and housing for your retired priests so they can live in dignity.

OPEN HOUSE CHESTERTON ACADEMY

Wednesday, November 17, 2021
6:30pm – 8:30pm

Come and discover Chesterton Academy of St. Mary's, an affordable high school in the Catholic tradition. Meet our faculty and students, and learn about our rigorous classical curriculum, Catholic identity, and environment of joyful comradery. Visit our website for more info and to RSVP:
www.chestertonstmarys.org.

Morning of Recollection, "What About Mary?" given by Fr. Larry Swink! Join us at Immaculate Conception Church and Parish Hall (Mechanicsville) on Saturday, December 11, to learn more about the gift Mary is to us! God gave us a loving Mother! She has visited us from heaven many times, giving us tools for our journey, including the Rosary, the Scapular and many other devotions. Her role in the Church is clear, to lead us to Jesus! The morning begins with Registration at 7:15 am, (parish hall) and will include breakfast with fellowship, followed by Rosary Prayers and Mass at 9:00 am (in the Church), two talks and healing prayers scheduled to end by 2 pm. Please register through Bread of Life Center for Peace on Eventbrite at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/what-about-mary-tickets-185053498997>. You can also call: 301 475 7139 or stop by Heavenly Presents in Leonardtown. Registration ends on Friday, December 10th, at 3 pm, (this helps us to prepare for food and set up!) Your free will offering will help us to defray cost, but is not required!

Pick up a 2022 Calendar at the doors of the church, compliments of Mattingly Gardiner Funeral Home!

SUNDAY November 14, 2021 & ITS VIGIL

Mass Intentions

Sat	Nov 13	4:00 pm	All Souls
Sun	Nov 14	8:30 am	All Souls
		11:00 am	Our Lady's Parishioners
Tue	Nov 16	8:00am	All Souls
Wed	Nov 17	8:00am	All Souls
Thu	Nov 18	8:00am	All Souls
Fri	Nov 19	8:00am	All Souls
Sat	Nov 20	4:00 pm	All Souls
Sun	Nov 21	8:30 am	All Souls
		11:00 am	Our Lady's Parishioners

Please, Pray for the Intentions of Our Sick

Cheri Eckardt, Melissa Higgs Trossbach, Paul Woodburn, Jr., Stephen Skundrich, Eleanor Fenwick Ripple, Jacqueline Muir Westlein, Mike Russell, Patty Van Ryswick, John Allum-Poon, Evelyn Ryce, Dennis Gatley, Teresa Fenwick, Keith Harless, Claudia Fenwick, Cathy Norris, Ricky Burroughs, Anna Daugherty, Ben DeWeese, Dona Hamlet, Bob Russell, Rene Chicoine, Jessica Higgs, Margaret Breakfield, Irene Dixon, Pat Bateman, Ann & Jim Sheasley, Marlene Norris, Sarah Milburn, Agnes Higgs, James N. Trossbach, Edith McFadden, Pat Goin, Beth Higgs, Peter Van Ryswick, David Wood, Charles Mills, Alice Holly, Gary Rogers, Wayne Norris, John A. Abell, Jessica Coss, Cecelia Knott, Jimmy Ludwig, David Cook, Angel Spalding, Ray Harding, Jr., Kim Sariego, Caroline Sadler, Ellie Vance, Deacon Tom & Rose Spalding, Trish (McWilliams) Guy, Christina Howe, Ethan Swayze, Jean Bowles Wathen, Jody Van Ryswick, Jimmy Morrisette, Timothy Sauler, Jacob Johnson, Shane Copsey

CHARITABLE OUTREACH COMMITTEE

Our Lady's Church is collecting donations of food for St. Aloysius' food pantry. Please bring non-perishable healthy and nutritious foods to the church and place your contributions by the Sacred Heart statue. For more information on how you can help and what types of food they prefer, please visit, <https://saintaloyuschurch.org/food-pantry>. With your support they are able to sponsor a **Food Give Away Day** on the third Saturday of the month. The next **Food Give Away Day** is **November 20** from 9-11am.

Share the Warmth Clothing Drive: The Charitable Outreach Committee will be collecting coats, sweaters, jackets, gloves, hats, scarves, socks, etc. to provide for those who are in need of warmth on a cold day. Please leave items next to the Sacred Heart statue, in the rear of the church. Feel free to contact John @ [240-528-0966](tel:240-528-0966) for additional information. Thank you!

Assisting Afghan Refugees: The United States Catholic Conference of Bishops is providing support to Afghan refugees at a military base in Quantico. USCCB is in need of donations of school supplies, coloring books, crayons, sidewalk chalk, and balls for hundreds of Afghan children at the military base. They also need donations of winter clothes and backpacks for women and men. The Charitable Outreach Committee is asking for donations to assist Afghan refugee. Please drop your donation off at the Sacred Heart Statue and contact Leonard Kohl 301-247-2000 or leonard.kohl17@gmail.com with questions. Please have all your donations in by December 5, 2021.

Our Lady's Church is happy to offer online giving for families to easily give one-time and recurring gifts! Simply make a secure donation via electronic check, debit or credit card by visiting <https://ourladyschurch.org/>. Click on the "Donate" button and in the "comment" section designate how you want your donation allocated, i.e. *Offertory, Education, Utilities, etc.*

Father Andrew White School Crusader Connections:

Are you handy? Would you like to share your talents with others? Practice the virtue of stewardship by helping with some repairs at Father Andrew White School. If you can assist with repairing floor tiles, creating a picnic table patio area, fixing a leaky roof, installing fencing, or other odds and ends, please contact the office at 301-475-9795.

Donation On Patriot Day Father Andrew White School collected money for our local first responders. To thank the Leonardtown Volunteer Rescue Squad (LVRS) they donated \$250 from their Tag Day and donated an additional \$250 to thank them for the CPR training they provided for their staff. Thank you for helping our community LVRS!

Fishing Tournament: Who is ready for some REEL fun?! Are you a fisherman that is hooked on helping our parish school? Father Andrew White School is excited to announce the dates for the 2nd Annual Fishin' for Tuition Rockfish Tournament - November 20 & 21, 2021. Cash prizes will be awarded! We hope to see you on the water in November! To view the flyer and how to sign up, please visit the website: <https://fatherandrewwhite.org/fishing-tournament/>

Job Opportunity: FAW is seeking aftercare staff for the remainder of the 2021-2022 school year. Applicants must be over 18 years of age and be available 3-5 days per week from 2:45-5:30pm. The position pay is \$20/hour. For more information, or to submit a resume, please email: fawlibrary@fatherandrewwhite.org.

UNBOUND PRAYER MINISTRY AVAILABLE

Is there a place in your life where you feel 'stuck' and unable to act/think/feel as you really want to? This could be a thought pattern, an addiction, an emotional reaction, or a pattern of events that seems to recur. Unbound prayer is premised on the belief that the Gospel can make a difference in your life. It is a powerful model of deliverance prayer that guides you in responding to the Gospel and receiving the Father's love. For more information about this ministry contact Fr. Conley, Pastor, St. Mary's in Bryantown at frconley@comcast.net or 301-870-2220 ext 13.

Enjoy the Knights of Columbus Council 1470 Bingo on Friday nights at the Father Andrew white School Gym Friday nights. Doors open at 5:00pm - start time is 6:30pm. The Knights use proceeds from Bingo to support local charities



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