

Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time**Monday, June 15th**Mass 8:30 AM: **Batonen Missinga, Smith** (L)**Tuesday, June 16th**Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Lekefac Leke Fonge** (D)**Wednesday, June 17th**Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Christine P. Prieto** (D)**Thursday, June 18th**Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Edward Densmore, Jr.** (D)**Friday, June 19th***The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus*Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Juliet Manlapaz** (L)**Saturday, June 20th***The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary*Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Homebound Parishioners** (L)**Sunday, June 21st****The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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Visit the Parish Website at
www.stmatthias.org

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and on The Church of St. Matthias Facebook Page.

Join us for the live-stream 9:00 AM and 11:30 AM
Sunday Masses by going to the St. Matthias Church
Facebook page.

**Please pray for the sick and homebound in our parish,
our neighbors, family, and friends:**

Florence Asongfac; Elaine Brooks; Muriel Brown; Yvette
Butler; Rose Chisefsky; Cathy Chittham; Chunyere Duru; Helen
Dziduch; Patricia Farland; John Graham; Genevieve Greenfield;
William Halbe; Jan Jarus; George Johnson; Joseph Johnson;
Joan Kodak; Cathy Pielmeier; Sorie Sankoh; Evelyn Turley;
William Washington; Mae Young; Sister Giustina Zanin; Ziara
Zanin; Don Zehner; Rita and Eugene Zehner

For our military, protect them from all harm.***For the faithful departed, may they rest in peace.*****The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body
and Blood of Christ**

This Sunday we celebrate a second solemnity during this period of Ordinary Time in the liturgical calendar. Today is the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. This day was once called *Corpus Christi*, which is Latin for “Body of Christ.” In the revised Lectionary the name for this day is expanded to reflect more completely our Eucharistic theology.

Sign Up for FlockNote

To receive timely news, updates, and words of encouragement from our pastor, Father Jack, sign up for FlockNote. To receive email, go to:
<https://app.flocknote.com/find>.

**Stewardship Report**

Thank you for continuing your support of our parish through your prayers, sending your weekly contributions and giving through Faith Direct. We appreciate all that you are able to do to contribute to the support of the church.

Offertory Contributions**June 7, 2020 \$ 5928****June 9, 2019 \$ 12,951*****We Are Grateful For Your Generosity***



The Academy of Saint Matthias

Maryland BOOST Scholarship Coalition: Broadening Options and Opportunities for Students Today (BOOST) encourages families to apply for financial aid scholarships by going to <http://marylandpublicschools.org/Pages/boost/application.aspx>. Children must be enrolled in TADS in order to apply. **The State of Maryland has extended the application deadline to July 15, 2020.**

Enrollment for the 2020-21 School Year: in Grades Pre-K-8: Families interested in applying should email Mrs. Ann O'Hare at aohare@stmatthias.org to inquire about admission and to arrange for a school tour.

Father Hughes Scholarship: Please go to www.stmatthias.org to download an application. This scholarship is for registered, qualifying parish families whose children attend St. Matthias or an accredited Catholic high school in the Archdiocese of Washington. St. Matthias students must be enrolled in TADS in order to qualify. **The deadline for applying is Monday, June 15, 2020.**

Family Connection



Our faith teaches us that when we gather to celebrate Mass, Jesus is present to us. The bread and wine truly become the Body and Blood of Christ. This is what we mean by the word *transubstantiation*: Jesus makes himself present to all who receive the Body and Blood of Christ.

If there are children in your family who have already celebrated their First Holy Communion, invite them to share their memories of this special day. If there are family photos taken on this occasion, bring them out and share them together. Adults in the family may also share memories or photos that they have of their First Communion. Then read together today's Gospel, John 6:51-58. Reflect together on what Jesus means when he calls himself the "living bread." Recall that every time we receive the Eucharist, Jesus keeps the promise he made in today's Gospel—those who eat his flesh and drink his blood will remain forever connected to him. Perhaps family members can share what it means for them to receive Jesus in the Eucharist. Together thank God for this gift of Holy Communion. Pray together the Lord's Prayer or today's Psalm.

Archdiocese of Washington

The Archdiocesan Website, adw.org/coronavirus, is updated regularly with information, in English and Spanish. To find a listing of live stream Masses and prayers, go to adw.org/live-streamed-masses-and-prayers/. The Catholic Standard and the Spanish-language El Pregonero newspapers are currently available online at cathstan.org and elpreg.org.

From Credit Cards to Student Loans: Managing Your Debt During COVID-19: Catholic Charities Financial Stability Network is offering a free taped webinar reviewing how parishioners can best manage student loans, credit cards, and mortgage debt. Go to https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6dZ2BJ_e-19LgBP05F-mYLI4XdyiT6a8hIb-KzzxU5-6GAztW3JSgOMaixZRR?startTime=1589473289000.

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Prayer to Overcome Racism

Good and gracious God, you invite us to recognize and reverence your divine image and likeness in our neighbor. Enable us to see the reality of racism and free us to challenge and uproot it from our society, our world and ourselves. Amen.