

Twenty-Sixth Week in Ordinary Time**Monday, September 28th**Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Angela Bianka Ngaling** (D)**Tuesday, September 29th***Saints Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael*Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Grace Azah Atanga** (D)**Wednesday, September 30th***Saint Jerome*Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **John Kosko** (D)**Thursday, October 1st***Saint Therese of the Child Jesus*Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Rev. Charles C. Green** (D)**Friday, October 2nd***The Holy Guardian Angels*Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Anthony Foli** (L)**Saturday, October 3rd**Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Deacon Albert Opdenaker** (D)**Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time****Saturday, October 3rd**Mass 4:00 PM: **Doug Lawrence** (L)Mass 7:00 PM: **Miguel Garcia Lopez** (L)**Sunday, October 4th**Mass 8:00 AM: **Sinforosa Sanchez** (D)Mass 9:45 AM: **Sybil Wilson** (L)Mass 11:30 AM: **Benedict Ike** (L)Mass 6:00 PM: **People of the Parish** (L)**Please pray for the sick and homebound in our parish,
our neighbors, family, and friends:**

Florence Asonglefac; Elaine Brooks; Yvette Butler; Rose Chisefsky; Deacon Alton Davis; Charlene Dawson; Eugene Diggs III; Chunyere Duru; Helen Dziduch; Patricia Farland; John Graham; Genevieve Greenfield; William Halbe; Jan Jarus; Joseph Johnson; Edward Kin; Joan Kodak; Luz Naval; Cathy Pielmeier; Bruce Prout; Jane Smidinger; Evelyn Turley; Mae Young; Ziara Zanin; Don Zehner; Rita and Eugene Zehner

To add a name to the sick list, please call Pat at the Parish Office 301-459-4814 x 201, or email pford@stmatthias.org.

For our military, protect them from all harm.***For the faithful departed, may they rest in peace.*****Stewardship Report****September 20**

Offertory \$ 3,795

Faith Direct \$ 2,766

Total \$ 6,561

Last Year \$ 11,469

We Are Grateful For Your Generosity**Items of Note at St. Matthias****Adoration and Confessions**

Adoration is held on Monday evenings from 6:00-8:00 PM. Be sure to wear your mask and practice safe social distancing. Confessions are heard from 7:00-7:45 PM in the church sacristy.

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Masses are celebrated at 4:00 PM and the Mass in Spanish at 7:00 PM. Sunday Masses are at 8:00, 9:45, 11:30 AM, and 6:00 PM. Come to Mass a few minutes early and sign in when you enter the church.

Daily Mass Monday- Saturday

Daily Mass is celebrated at 8:30 AM Monday through Saturday. Father Jack also celebrates Mass on Mondays at 12:00 noon. You'll find that the church is less crowded than on the weekend. You must wear a mask and practice safe social distancing.

**There will be
NO 12:00 PM Mass
Monday, September 28, 2020**

First Friday/First Saturday Two Hearts Vigil will be held Oct. 2nd & 3rd, beginning at 8:00 PM Friday and concluding with Mass at 12:30 AM Saturday. Please join us.

Celebrant Mass Schedule for October 3/4

4:00 PM	Fr. Jack
7:00 PM	Fr. Russo
8:00 AM	Fr. Jack
9:45 AM	Fr. Jack
11:30 AM	Fr. Canice
6:00 PM	Fr. Canice



The Academy of Saint Matthias

We currently have on-site remote learning and distance learning opportunities for students in Grades 1-8. For enrollment information, please contact Mrs. Ann O'Hare at 301-577-9412.

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 2020 Annual Jubilarian Mass honoring couples married 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, and 51+ is canceled. However,

you may use a sign-up form to receive an anniversary certificate from the Archdiocese of Washington. Forms are available in the church vestibule and the parish office. To receive a certificate, please turn in your completed form to the parish office by Monday, September 28th.



Vote



Just a friendly reminder that there are three ways to vote this year.

- You can request a mail-in ballot up to October 20th.
- Early voting: Early voting will take place from October 26th-November 2nd from 7 AM-8 PM at the following locations fairly close to the church: DuVal High School, Bowie Gymnasium, Wayne Curry Sports and Learning Center (Landover), and the Showplace Arena (Upper Marlboro).
- Day of voting on November 3rd: Several polling places will be open—Glen Dale Community Center; Bowie State University, Bowie High School, Largo High School, Charles Flowers High School, Largo/Kettering/Perrywood Community Center (Upper Marlboro), and Parkdale High School (Riverdale).

For more information, go to <http://elections.mypgc.us>

Please do your civic duty and vote!



Items of Note at St. Matthias

Faith Formation Registration

St. Matthias will offer Religious Education online with a few meetings in person this academic year. Please go to the parish website at www.stmatthias.org and under the Sacraments tab you will find "Faith Formation Registration 2020-21." Please register your child/children. Classes will begin the week of October 4th. Every young person needs to spend two consecutive years in Faith Formation to make a sacrament.

RCIA: Have you considered joining the Catholic Church? Are you baptized in the Church but never made First Communion and/or Confirmation? Were you raised as a Catholic but are interested in growing in your adult knowledge of the faith? The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is for you. Classes will begin Wednesday, Sept. 30th, from 7:00-8:30 PM, in the Hughes Center. We will begin with a "Come and See" evening where the program will be explained and all questions answered. If you are interested in learning more, please join us! There will never be any pressure to join the Church, so come and see what and why the Church teaches what she does. Feel free to bring a friend.

Knights of Columbus

Tickets for the Annual Car Raffle are available at the parish office and may also be obtained from a member of the Knights of Columbus after weekend Masses. The grand prize is a 2021 Ford Mustang (or \$ 18,000 cash). Tickets are \$ 1.00 each and proceeds benefit scholarship programs and local charities. For more information, contact Thad Ereme at 301-459-4814 x 207.



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Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:00 AM-4:00 PM

Friday 8:00 AM-12:00 PM