

## THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 21<sup>ST</sup> & 22<sup>ND</sup>, 2017

### MASS INTENTIONS

Sat	1/21	Billy McGowan (RIP) Requested by Karen & Phil Liberato	Fr. Oscar
Sun	1/22	Gian Duong & An Bui Requested by Huong Minh Bui	Fr. Oscar
Mon	1/23	No Mass	
Tues	1/24	Angie Mann (RIP) Anniversary of Death Requested by De De Conner	Fr. Oscar
Wed	1/25	Alfred Sferra (RIP) Requested Karen & Phil Liberato	Fr. Oscar
Thurs	1/26	For Our Parishioners	Fr. Oscar
Fri	1/27	Raymond & Harriet Tokarz (RIP) Requested by Huong Minh Bui Kathy Webster (RIP) Requested by Jeanie Sturtz	Fr. Oscar
Sat	1/28	Kyle Burch (RIP) Requested by The Youth Group	Fr. Oscar
Sun	1/29	Billy McGowan (RIP) Requested by Janice & Family	Fr. Oscar

### Collections for January 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Parish Operations (Personnel, Utilities, Office, Postage,  
Repair & Maintenance, etc.)

Offertory (including Spanish Mass)	\$3,779.50
Debt Supplement	124.00
First Offering	30.00
Special Collection	277.00
Solemnity of Mary	20.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,230.50</b>

Amount needed weekly for Parish Operations is \$3,600

Restricted, Special Use or Sent out of Parish

Capital Campaign	\$ 250.00
Haiti	650.00
Poor Box \$8.39/Votive Stand \$33.00	41.39

Thank you for your support of your Parish!

### Church Attendance

Saturday, January 14 - 108

Sunday, January 15 - 120

Spanish Mass - 41

### OLBS Church Cleaning Schedule

1/13 thru 1/21 - Gary & Jackie Silvia

1/22 thru 1/28 - Mark & Carolyn Drexler, Mark, Jr.

David Seckora

### FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING

TUESDAY - JANUARY 24<sup>TH</sup> - 6:30 PM

### Calendar for Week of January 23<sup>RD</sup>

Monday - 1/23 - No Mass

Tuesday - 1/24 - Mass 8:30 am

Finance Committee Meeting 6:30 pm

Bible Study 7 pm - Mercy Center

Wednesday - 1/25 - Mass 8:30 am

Thursday - 1/26 - Mass 8:30 am

Parish Ministries Sub-Committee Mtg - 6:30 pm VDB

Friday - 1/27 - Mass 8:30 am

Saturday - 1/28 - Rosary - 4:45 pm Mass 5:30 pm

Sunday - 1/29 - Mass 9:00 am

Spanish Mass - 11:30 am

### PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND GOOD HEALTH

Carolyn Alford	Bonnie Kopacki
Elizabeth Alley	Joseph Kovac
Wilhelmina Brieffies	Gordon Langston
Candace Barefoot	Patricia Lanuza
Virginia Becker	Theresa Drexler Moody
Paulette Berberich	Clara Morrow
Ron Blevins	Randy Morrow
Robin Bristow	Specialist Mullins
Joan Buehler	Larry Newtzie
Linda Burch	M.C. 'Sam' O'Connor
Baby Vivian Mallis	Christopher Parrish
Johnny Berkley	

Meredith Crowe	Joyce Richardson
Vincent D'Elia	Pam Rigsby
Denise DePompeo	Emma Robertson
Donna Donahue	Harriet Ropelewski
Jackie Drayer	Virginia Ryczak
Savio Duong	Jim Tokarz
Sandy Britton Evans	Barbara Schafer
Brenda Frederick	Glenn Sears
Helen Fudala	Allen Smith
Kay Getman	Levi Sturtz
Jim Gregory	Mae Touray
Pat Hinkle	Dorothy Ware
Kelly Hipple	
Mary Ann Hooper	Lois Wilson
Helen Kaczmarski	Robert 'Bobby' Wilson
Victor Kaczmarski	Jody Zogran
John Kellam	
Andrew Konz	

### PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN NURSING HOME

Annette Tonon Bona	Irene Kruger
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### PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY

Major Jonathan Culberson (Afghanistan)  
Private Logan W. Gay  
Sergeant Nathan Gurganus

Army Rangers Austin T. Sturtz (Ft. Lewis, Washington)  
First Lieutenant Amber Fauber, F.E. Warren in Cheyenne, Wyoming

## ALTAR SERVERS

January 21 – Kody Kopacki, Mason Kopacki  
January 22 – Colleen Rae, Tazewell Rae, Madelyn Kruger  
January 28 – Daniel Duke, Peter Nguyen  
January 29 – Dawson Haviland, Jovany Velazquez, Misael Hernandez

## EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

January 21 – Gary Silvia, Pattie Vadas, Joe Drexler  
January 22 – Vickie Roane, Cheryl Servonsky, Kay Shaw, Susan Thompson, Sarah Rae  
January 28 – Cathy Fudella, Lorraine Ryalls, Tom Fauber  
January 29 – Wini Barron, Kathy Wills, B.J. Bui, Kim DiLandro, Mary Leigh McDonald

## QUESTION OF THE WEEK

There are few people in the world who understand the immediacy of today's Gospel. The demands of the day are genuinely important, from the first stirrings of the morning, into the commitment-filled day, to the evening and bedtime routine. A huge part of our day requires a "stop-on-a-dime" reaction from us. Many things we "stop-on-a-dime" for are important but nothing is as important as answering the call to spread the Good News.

Adults: To whom could you preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ this week with actions rather than with words?

Children: What could you do for someone this week that would tell them something about Jesus?

## DO YOU KNOW?

There are seven principles of Catholic Social Teaching. The first principle is the Dignity of Life. As a gift from God, every human life is sacred from conception to natural death. The life and dignity of every person must be respected and protected at every stage and in every condition. The right to life is the first and most fundamental principle of human rights that leads Catholics to actively work for a world of greater respect for human life and greater commitment to justice and peace.

THE NEXT CONFIRMATION CLASS is scheduled for Sunday, January 22 at 6:30 pm in the Mercy Center Conference Room. If you have not already done so, please bring your registration for the NET Confirmation retreat.

THE EVANGELIZATION COMMITTEE will meet on January 29 at 10:30 am in the Boogaard Center. We will be shifting our focus to Phase II of our parish plan, Evangelizing the Domestic Church. We will brainstorm ways that we can help individual households encounter Christ. Anyone interested in being part of this process is welcome!

Monday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>, Day of Prayer for Legal Protection of Unborn Children.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Billy and Katie Fudella on the baptism of their son Michael Hunter. May the light of Christ always shine upon him!

A fund has been set up to pay for funeral expenses for Savio Duong. Make your check payable to Donna Duong, put 'Duong Memorial Fund' on the memo line, and mail to Bank of Essex, P.O. Box 859, West Point, VA 23181.

**THANK YOU** – Many thanks to our parish family for their prayers, sympathy and many kindnesses shown to our family during the time of sadness of Savio's death. God bless you all.

Donna Duong and Family

**THANK YOU** – The Parish would like to take this opportunity to thank the "Ryalls" Family for their donation of an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) in memory of Anna P. Kozlowski, which has been installed in the kitchen at the Van den Boogaard Hall. Thanks again for your generosity!!

## SECOND VIRGINIA VESPERS

In the wake of a contentious 2016, Bishops Francis X. DiLorenzo and Michael F. Burbidge and their public policy agency, the Virginia Catholic Conference, are inviting government officials and people of all parties and faiths to come together to pray for the needs of the Commonwealth at the second annual VIRGINIA VESPERS: EVENING PRAYER FOR THE COMMONWEALTH. The hour-long service, which draws on an ancient Christian liturgy, will be held at the beautiful, historic Cathedral of the Sacred Heart in Richmond at 5 p.m. Thursday, February 9, 2017. A wine and appetizers reception follows. Register at [www.vacatholic.org](http://www.vacatholic.org).

**ATTENTION MARRIED COUPLES:** We would like to honor all married couples on the weekend of February 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>. Please fill out the enclosed form and return it to the basket in the back of the church by February 5<sup>th</sup>.

**HAPPY 50<sup>TH</sup> WEDDING ANNIVERSARY** to Bill and Edwina Madigan – January 28<sup>th</sup>!