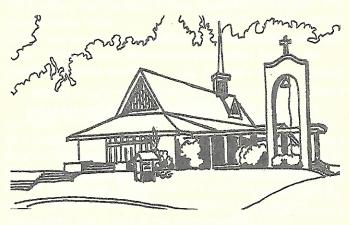
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MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKENDS: SATURDAY 5:30 P.M.

SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.

11:30 A.M. (SPANISH MASS)

WEEKDAYS: 8:30 A.M. Tuesday - Friday

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Saturday 5:00 p.m. Also by appointment

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday and Tuesday Mercy Center Chapel

First Friday at the Mercy Center Chapel

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

OUTREACH

A food basket and donation box are in the church entry. Your donations provide the means to give direct help to the needy. We collect food on the first weekend of the

month.

INFANT BAPTISM

Parent preparation classes are required for each couple planning to have their baby baptized. To schedule a preparation session, please call the church office.

MARRIAGE

OLBS sponsors a preparation program for couples who intend to marry. The Pastor must be contacted at least six months prior to the date of the wedding.

RECEPTION into the CHURCH
Those inquiring into the Catholic Faith or seeking Communion with the Church are invited to contact the Parish Office. Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is offered.

28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 14th & 15th, 2017

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat	Von & Me	Francis Seckora (RIP) d by Art West lvin Moody (RIP) d by Theresa Moody	Fr. Oscar
Sun	Andrew Ko	John F. Roane, III I by Vickie & John Roane onz (RIP) I by Bill Webster	Fr. Oscar
Mon	10/16	No Mass	
Tue		Joe Sr., Elsie & Johnnie Drexler (RIP) by Joe & Linda Drexler	Fr. Oscar
Wed		Francis Seckora (RIP) by Meredith & Joe Crowe	Fr. Oscar
Thur	10/19 - 11	am – For Our Parishioners	Fr. Oscar
Fri	Requested Von & Mel	Francis Seckora (RIP) by Linda & Joe Drexler vin Moody (RIP) by Theresa Moody	Fr. Oscar
Sat		Richard & Anna Kozlowski (RIP) by Linda & Joe Drexler	Fr. Oscar
Sun	Anniversar	Florence Naggy (RIP) y of Death by Mildred Hite	Fr. Oscar

Collections for October 7th & 8th, 2017

Parish Operations (Personnel, Utilities, Office, Postage, Repair & Maintenance, etc.) Offertory \$2,623.00 Total \$2,623.00 Amount needed weekly for Parish Operations is \$3,400

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Thank you for your support of your Parish!

Church Attendance

Saturday, October 7 - 68 Sunday, October 8 - 122 Spanish Mass - 40

OLBS Church Cleaning Schedule 10/9 thru 10/14 - Tom & Rowena Fauber 10/16 thru 10/21 - Rosa Mercado Family (Leader) -**Eric Gonzalez**

UPPER YOUTH GROUP - THE CANNED FOOD DRIVE AT FOOD LION SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY 10/15 HAS BEEN CANCELLED. WE WILL SCHEDULE AT A LATER DATE.

Calendar for Week of October 16

Monday - 10/16 - No Mass KofC Meeting 7:30 pm Tuesday - 10/17 - Mass 8:30 am Bible Study - 7 pm - Mercy Center Wednesday - 10/18 - Mass 8:30 am

Thursday - 10/19 - Mass 11 am - Followed by Senior

Luncheon - Farmer's Daughter

Knit Purl Pray 7 pm

Friday - 10/20 - Mass 8:30 am

Saturday - 10/21 - Rosary 4:45 pm - Mass 5:30 pm Sunday – 10/22 – Mass 9 am – Spanish Mass 11:30

CFC - 10-:15 am - VDB

OLBS PARISH PICNIC - 1:00 PM

PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND GOOD HEALTH

Carolyn Alford Gordon Langston Elizabeth Alley Patricia Lanuza Candace Barefoot Baby Vivian Mallis Virginia Becker Doris Modr Paulette Berberich Bill Scaife Eddie Bernoski Clara Morrow Ron Blevins Randy Morrow Robin Bristow Specialist Mullins Joan Buehler Larry Newtzie Linda Burch M.C. 'Sam' O'Connor **Kevin Carson** Joyce Richardson Meredith Crowe Pam Rigsby Vincent D'Elia Emma Robertson Denise DePompeo Harriet Ropelewski Donna Donahue Virginia Ryczak Brenda Frederick Barbara Schafer Helen Fudala Virginia Schmitz Jim Gregory Allen Smith Pat Hinkle Barbara Sturtz Marguerite Sturtz Kelly Hipple Levi Sturtz Mary Ann Hooper Jim Tokarz Helen Kaczmarski Mae Touray Victor Kaczmarski Dorothy Ware John Kellam Linda Webster Debbie Liberato-Randall Lois Wilson Bonnie Kopacki

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PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN NURSING HOME Irene Kruger Melvina Gooch

PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY

Major Jonathan Culberson (Afghanistan Sp. Logan W. Gay - Sgt. Nathan Gurganus Army Rangers Austin T. Sturtz (Ft. Lewis, Washington) First Lieutenant Amber Fauber, F.E. Warren in Cheyenne, Wyoming

ALTAR SERVERS

10/14 - Jackson Gibbs, Daniel Gibbs Jr., Ryan Sprouse

10/15 - Daniel Duke, Clara DiLandro, Elizabeth DiLandro

11:30 am - Misael Hernandez, Jovany Velazquez

10/21 - Daniel Gibbs, Jr., Jackson Gibbs

10/22 – Dawson Haviland, Daniel Duke, Colleen & Tazewell Rae

11:30 am - Misael Hernandez, Jovany Velazquez

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

10/14 - Jackie Silvia, Gary Silvia, Joe Drexler

10/15 – Jim Pyne, Kathy Wills, Edwina Madigan, Sarah Rae, Vickie Roane

10/21 – Gary Silvia, Jackie Silvia, Joe Drexler

10/22 – Bill Madigan, Edwina Madigan, Wini Barron, Chris

Polcyn, Paula Polcyn

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

The parables of the King's wedding feast and wedding garment confront us with the reality that we cannot be Christian without conversion; we cannot come to the feast of heaven while remaining indifferent to the empty plates before so many of the world's children; we cannot love the God we cannot see if we cannot love those we can see. The wedding garment of today's Gospel is the garment of good works we make for ourselves for the Lord's banquet: the garment sewn of repentance, joyful expectation and humble service to others.

Adult: What are you doing to prepare your garment for the wedding feast?

Child: What can you do this week to serve God by serving others?

DO YOU KNOW?

October is Respect Life Month. As Catholics, we believe that human beings are created by God in His image. Therefore, every person, from conception to natural death, possesses inherent dignity and immeasurable worth – including preborn children, elderly individuals, those with special needs and others marginalized by society. Christians, then, are called to defend, protect, and value all human life. In short, human life is sacred and respect for human life should be at the center of all we do.

Our first CONFIRMATION CLASS is scheduled for October 29 at 6:30 pm in the Mercy Center Conference Room.

UPPER YOUTH GROUP will meet at 6:30 pm in the Boogaard Hall this Sunday, October 15.

LOWER YOUTH GROUP and young adult families are invited to meet at Holly Fork Farm around 3 this Sunday, October 15 for some fall family fun! This takes the place of the lower group's regular meeting.

SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY - Mercy Center after Mass. They will be studying Scott Hahn's "The Lamb's Supper", a study of the Eucharist. Their next study (date to be announced) will be a series on Vatican II and its effects on today's Church.

A SUMMARY OF THE PARISH'S INCOME AND EXPENSES for Fiscal Year 2016-2017 is on the bulletin board in the vestibule. Also posted there is our budget for Fiscal Year 2017-2018 that began on July 1. If you have any questions, please ask a member of the parish Finance Council: Richard Duke, Pat Barron, Eric DiLandro, Mary Horton, Bill Madigan, Jim Pyne, Jackie Silvia.

The next SENIOR LUNCHEON will be held on Thursday, October 19th following the 11 a.m. Mass at the Farmer's Daughter Restaurant in Eltham. If you plan to attend, please call the office to have your name placed on the sign-up sheet. Join us for good food and fellowship!

VOLUNTEERS are needed to trim the shrubs and bushes on the grounds of the Church, the Hall, the Rectory, and the Mercy Center. Please call the Church office if interested.

Grab your garden tools! Rakes, shovel, hedgers, gloves and anything that may help, for a PARISH YARD CLEANUP DAY on October 28th at 9 am. Meet in the parking lot. All are invited to help. Many hands make light work! For questions, call Erin Hayden.

OLBS PARISH PICNIC will be on Sunday, October 22 at 1:00 pm. Hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided b our KofC. Please bring a dish to share! Extra hands are needed for set up and clean up after the picnic, please help.

MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUPS will be meeting at the Hall from 6:30 to 8:00 pm on October 15th. We will be baking and packaging chocolate chip cookies with inspirational messages for our local GNC on Monday. We invite anyone that would like to make a donation of chocolate chip cookies to please do so! They can be dropped off between 6:30 and 7 pm at the parish kitchen on October 15th. Thank You! Questions? Erin 804-366-4435.

ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE MEETING will be held on Thursday, October 26 at 7 pm in the Mercy Center parlor.

LIBRARY NEWS: Several books have been added to our parish library. There is a list of the new material attached to the front of the bookshelves.

NEW ADDRESS FOR FATHER JULZ:

Church of the Sacred Heart, 9300 Community Lane, Prince George, VA 23805.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

New Members are asked to register at the Parish Office in the Mercy Center to receive envelopes.

We invite all parishioners to join a ministry. Contact the Chairperson of the ministry or call the Parish Office at 804.843.3125

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