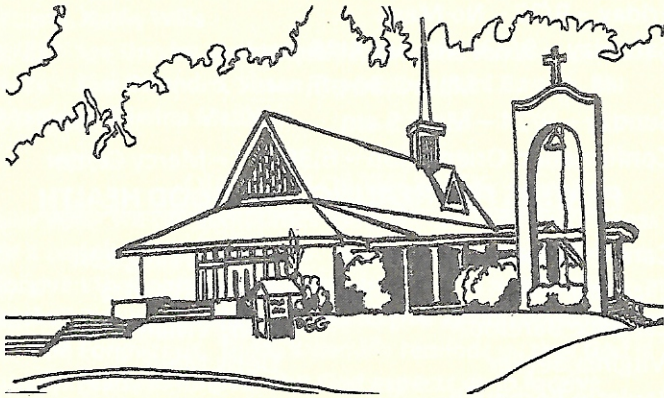


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MASS SCHEDULE

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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SACRAMENT of RECONCILIATION

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Also by appointment

EUCCHARISTIC 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.

*The mission of Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church,
centered in the Eucharist, is to Love God and His people
and to extend His Love to others through service and prayer.*

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 20TH & 21ST, 2018

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat	1/20	Esther Seckora (RIP) Anniversary of Death – January 15th Requested by Valeria & Paul Seckora	Fr. Oscar
Sun	1/21	James H. Geron (RIP) Requested by Donna Geron	Fr. Oscar
Mon	1/22	No Mass	
Tue	1/23	Eddie Bernoski (RIP) Requested by David Seckora	Fr. Oscar
Wed	1/24	Joey Longo (RIP) Requested by David Seckora	Fr. Oscar
Thur	1/25	Anna P. Kozlowski (RIP) Requested by Donna Geron	Fr. Oscar
Fri	1/26	Domenica Castelli (RIP) Requested by Michelle & John Rouse	Fr. Oscar
Sat	1/27	Billy Webster (RIP) Requested by David Seckora	Fr. Oscar
Sun	1/28	Eddie Bernoski (RIP) Requested by Be Be & Bob Walsh	Fr. Oscar

Collections for January 13th & 14th, 2018

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

Offertory	\$3,130.00
Solemnity of Mary	20.00
Total	\$3,150.00
Amount needed weekly for Parish Operations is	\$3,400
Restricted, Special Use or Sent out of Parish	
Votive Stand	\$ 39.95
Capital Campaign	360.00
First Offering	33.00
Haiti	70.00
Respect Life	73.00
Cemetery	120.00

Thank you for your support of your Parish!

Church Attendance

Saturday, January 13th - 70
Sunday January 14th - 138
Spanish Mass - 47

OLBS Church Cleaning Schedule

1/22 thru 1/28 – Tom & Rowena Fauber
1/29 thru 2/4 – Jorge Duran Family/Hugo Rojas/Dan Gibbs Family

Both Youth Groups meet this Sunday, January 21 at 6:30 pm in the Boogaard Hall.

The next Confirmation class is scheduled for January 28 at 6:30 pm in the Mercy Center.

Calendar for Week of January 22nd, 2018

Monday – 1/22 – No Mass

Day of Prayer for Protection of Unborn Children

Tuesday – 1/23 – Mass 8:30 am

Finance Committee Meeting – 6:30 pm

Bible Study – 7 pm – Mercy Center

Wednesday – 1/24 – Mass 8:30 am

Thursday – 1/25 – Mass 8:30 am

Knit Purl Pray – 7 pm

Friday – 1/26 – Mass 8:30 am

KofC Roast Beef Dinner – 5 pm to 8 pm

Saturday – 1/27 – Rosary 4:45 pm - Mass 5:30 pm

Sunday – 1/28 – Mass 9:00 am

CFC 10:15 am

Spanish Mass 11:30 am

Confirmation Class 6:30 pm

PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND GOOD HEALTH

Carolyn Alford	Patricia Lanuza
Elizabeth Alley	Baby Vivian Mallis
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Paulette Berberich	Randy Morrow
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Kevin Carson	Pam Rigsby
Meredith Crowe	Emma Robertson
Vincent D'Elia	Harriet Ropelewski
Denise DePompeo	Virginia Ryczak
Donna Donahue	Bill Scaife
Brenda Frederick	Barbara Schafer
Helen Fudala	Virginia Schmitz
Margaret Geron	Allen Smith
Jim Gregory	Geno Spiller
Pat Hinkle	Barbara Sturtz
Kelly Hipple	Levi Sturtz
Mary Ann Hooper	Marguerite Sturtz
Helen Kaczarski	Jim Tokarz
Victor Kaczarski	Mae Touray
John Kellam	Dorothy Ware
Fred Kolberg	Linda Webster
Bonnie Kopacki	Lois Wilson
Joe Lautenschlager	Robert 'Bobby' Wilson
Cathy Massok	Jody Zogran
Gordon Langston	

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
First Lieutenant Amber Fauber, F.E. Warren in Cheyenne,
Wyoming

ALTAR SERVERS

1/20 – Oliver Owens, Daniel Gibbs Jr., Jackson Gibbs
1/21 – Colleen Rae, Tazewell Rae, Adrian Vidal
11:30 am – Misael Hernandez, Jovany Velazquez
1/27 – Kody Kopacki, Mason Kopacki, Ryan Sprouse
1/28 – Colleen Rae, Tazewell Rae, Daniel Duke
11:30 am – Misael Hernandez, Jovany Velazquez

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

1/20 – Gary Silvia, Joe Drexler, Cathy Fudella
1/21 – Kimberly DiLandro, MaryLeigh McDonald, B.J. Bui, Sarah Rae, Kathy Wills
1/27 – Tom Fauber, David Seckora, Cathy Fudella
1/28 – Wini Barron, Kay Shaw, Chris Polcyn, Paula Polcyn, Sarah Rae

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

If you want to be a fisherman for Christ, you first have to know your “fish.” You have to know that many of them have a hard time seeing the beauty of the gospel because they are distracted by so many other things. You have to know that sin may have hardened the hearts of some. But you also have to know that God’s grace can penetrate the veil over any person’s heart – as long as you, the fisherman, remain humble and open to his grace.

Adult: What do you find the biggest challenge of being a fisher of men?

Child: What can you do to show others the love of Jesus?

DO YOU KNOW?

In ancient times, a chair was a sign of authority to teach. The bishop’s chair is called a cathedra from the Latin word for chair and it is the presence of the bishop’s cathedra in a church that makes it a cathedral. The bishop’s chair, then is a symbol of the bishop’s teaching office and pastoral power in his diocese. It is also a sign of the unity of believers in the faith that the bishop proclaims as shepherd of the Lord’s flock.

Attention Married Couples: We would like to honor all married couples on the Weekend of February 10th/11th. Please fill out the form (last week’s bulletin) to be honored during that time. Return the finished form by February 5th.

The Diocese of Richmond would like to make sure everyone knows where to send additional proceeds received through the Living Our Mission campaign and/or Annual Appeal, as their local P.O. box in Richmond is closed:

Living Our Mission, P.O. Box 79160, Baltimore, MD 21279-0160.

Annual Diocesan Appeal, P.O. Box 79212, Baltimore, MD 21279-0212.

People with bill-pays can update with their banks as well. Also, create a legacy of giving. Please remember the Catholic Community Foundation in your estate plans.

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of Chris Polcyn and Joanna Ellingson’s father. May he rest in peace.

Bishop Barry Knestout will be saying Mass at St. Bede’s in Williamsburg on Tuesday, January 30th at 7 pm. All are invited to attend this Mass.

If you missed the opportunity to fill out a new registration for your family, please take one from the narthex, fill it out and either put it in the offertory or bring it to the Parish Office so that you and your family can be accounted for in the parish. If your mailing address is different from your physical address, please list both, as we will be mailing the offertory statements to all parishioners who have a contribution record. If you have any questions about either of these subjects, please contact Pam at the Parish Office on Tuesdays or Thursdays of each week.

PRAYER PARTNERS: We’ve postponed our Prayer Partner sign-up until after the Liturgy Committee meeting in late January.

The KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will offer a Roast Beef Dinner on FRIDAY, JANUARY 26TH at the Father Van den Boogaard Hall from 5 pm to 8 pm. The meal will include Roast Beef, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, salad, dinner roll, a drink and dessert. Meals can be eaten at the hall or taken to go. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. You can purchase tickets from members of the Knights of Columbus or after masses the weekends of January 13th & 20th. If you have questions or need tickets please call Phil Liberato at 804-512-9701.

Walsingham Academy will be hosting an Open House next Sunday, January 28 for all families interested. Tours will be available from 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm. Register today by calling the school – 757-345-2105 or visiting the website, Walsingham.org.

OLBS PRESCHOOL NEWS: The preschool is finally back into the swing of things after enjoying holiday time and snow days. We are excited for this new semester. Student registration for the next school year will begin in February. Please send any interested families to the preschool for registration forms. A message can also be left on our phone at 843-4177. Again, thank you for your continued support and we wish you a Happy New Year!

2018 LENTEN SOUP & SERMON SCHEDULE

February 21 – St. John’s and St. Paul’s

February 28 – The Point and Brett-Reed

March 7 – Church of God and WP Baptist

March 14 – OLBS and Methodist

March 21 – WP Christian and Chaplin (Police/Fire)

March 28 – Mt. Nebo and Nazarene

Thank you for your commitment to restoring respect for innocent human life. 2018 marks 45 years of Roe v. Wade and almost 60,000,000 innocent lives lost. National Right to Life is working every day to change the law to ensure legal protection to unborn children, the newborn, the elderly, the disabled, those poor souls considering suicide. We know our efforts are making a difference.

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
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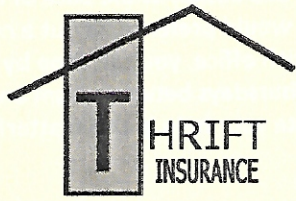
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