

July 15, 2018

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 9am, Vigil 5:30pm

Miraculous Medal Novena
after the Saturday 9am Mass

Sunday: 7:30am, 9am, 10:30am,
and 12:30pm

Children's Liturgy of the Word
at the Sunday 9am Mass

Monday-Friday: 8am, 11am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesday: 11:30am-7pm

RECONCILIATION

Wednesdays: 11:30am-12:30pm

Saturday: 4:15pm-5:15pm

*Or call the rectory for an
appointment*

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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST READING: AMOS 7:12-15

Amaziah (priest of Bethel) ordered Amos to leave Bethel and never prophesy there again. Amos replied that he had not been a prophet, but was a shepherd until he was called by God.

SECOND READING: EPHESIANS 1:3-14 OR 1:3-10

Paul exults God's immeasurable generosity as he recounts all the blessings that have been bestowed upon all God's people. We all became adopted children of God when we heard the message of truth Christ brought to us, and because of it, believed in him.

GOSPEL: MARK 6:7-13

Jesus gave the twelve disciples authority over unclean spirits and sent them out to preach and heal the sick. He advised them to bring nothing with them and to shake the dust from their feet of any town where they had not been welcomed. Jesus wanted them to understand what they would need to do in his place after his death.

THIS WEEK ...

7/15	Sunday	Faith Fun — 9:30am (Parish Center) Baptism — 11:30am (Church) Pastor Mellone Meet & Greet — <i>After Every Mass</i> (PC)
7/18	Wednesday	Eucharistic Adoration — 11:30am (Church)
7/19	Thursday	Choir Rehearsal — 7:30pm (Church)
7/21	Saturday	Summer in the City Food Drive SOME Collection — <i>After Every Mass</i> Dinner for Dorothy Day Shelter — 2:00pm (Kitchen)

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PRAY WITH SCRIPTURE...

Monday Is 1:10-17; Mt 10:34—11:1

Tuesday Is 7:1-9; Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Mt 11:25-27

Thursday Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Mt 11:28-30

Friday Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Mt 12:1-8

Saturday Mi 2:1-5; Mt 12:14-21

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

If you are new in the area, you are encouraged to register with your parish. Registration forms are available on our website: www.annunciationdc.org, in the foyer or by request from the parish office. Completed forms can be placed in the collection basket or the 24-hour drop box outside the parish office.

New parishioners are invited to attend our coffee reception after Mass to meet members of the parish. Please let us know if you are relocating so we can update our records.

CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: The sacrament joyfully celebrates the entrance of members into our Catholic community. Baptisms are celebrated on Saturday mornings at 9:45am or by appointment, following preparation of the parents. Baptisms for adults take place through the RCIA process.

CONFIRMATION: “Through the sacrament of confirmation, the baptized are more perfectly bound to the church and are enriched with a special strength of the Holy Spirit.” Confirmation is offered to adults through the RCIA process, and annually for our eighth-grade students. As with the other sacraments of initiation, preparation is involved.

MATRIMONY: Couples should contact the parish office as soon as possible or at least six months in advance of the desired wedding date to make arrangements for preparation.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS: For those who are interested in finding out more information about the Catholic faith and/or interested in becoming Catholic. Please call the parish office.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Our parish continues Christ’s ministry of making whole the members of our community who suffer physical or emotional ills with Anointing of the Sick. Please call the parish office if you would like to receive this sacrament.

PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Parishioners,

I felt so blest to meet many of you this past weekend and look forward to spending time with you this weekend at the reception. You have been so welcoming and thoughtful throughout the week. I want to thank Msgr. Antonicelli, Fr. Andrew and the parish staff in helping me get settled. Thank you so very much.



We have been given the gift of free will and will always need to make choices. Those disciples who chose to follow Jesus were now learning the consequence of their choice. They would be asked to depend upon the Lord God. This is a radical dependency on the Lord; it influences every fiber of their being. The Gospel, Mark 6:7-13, not only tells us of the choice but the blessings as well. The apostles became an extension of Jesus himself. Endowed with his power they brought the healing mission of the Lord both spiritually and physically to all they encountered. If any of you are in need of the sacrament of the sick, please inform us at the parish office. Fr. Andrew and I truly want to make Christ present to you through this great Sacrament of healing which is given to the Church by Christ himself. May you not only receive Christ but share Christ with others. We are the present day disciples.

God's peace,

Fr. Mike

WELCOME OUR NEW PASTOR!

Come meet our new Pastor Monsignor Michael Mellone. A reception will be held in the Parish Center after every Mass on July 14, 2018 and July 15, 2018.

FIAT CAMP FOR YOUNG WOMEN

"Fiat" is Latin for "Let it be done." This was Mary's response to the angel Gabriel when she was asked to become the mother of Jesus. Mary was called to live courageously and to give her whole life, and because of her response, she changed the world. At Fiat Camp, young women will be challenged to become fully who they are – to embrace the unique gifts given to them by God and to discover the great dignity of their vocation as women. For this year's camp for young women who are rising 9th-12th Graders, the Archdiocese of Washington is partnering with the Archdiocese of Baltimore. The camp will be held from July 27-29 at Mount St. Mary's University in Emmitsburg, MD, and it includes prayer, talks, discussions with religious sisters, games, and sports. Fee is \$150 (sibling discounts & scholarships available). Details and registration at www.quovadisfiat.org.



PLAYGROUND SAFETY!

The weather is beautiful—perfect for outdoor play. Please be mindful of the children playing on the playground and basketball court. Parents, please keep an eye on your children. We'd like to keep everyone safe!

SAINT OF THE WEEK



OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

12th Century

FEAST JULY 16

Mount Carmel, which juts out into the Mediterranean near Haifa, Israel, has been considered a sacred place since the prophet Elijah built an altar there in his contest with the prophets of Baal. The Carmel headland is traditionally associated with the beginnings of the Carmelite order around 1195, when a group of lay hermits formed a community there. Mary had been honored there as early as the fifth century, and by the 12th century Mount Carmel had become a site of Marian devotion. The Carmelites chose Mary as their protectress and dedicated their oratory on Mount Carmel to her. Our Lady of Mount Carmel is the patron of Bolivia and Chile. This Marian feast became an optional memorial in the Revised Roman Calendar of 1969.

—CNS Saints

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, July 15 – Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m.	Panke	Vocations	Intentions
9:00 a.m.	Mellone	Rudolfo Lujan Baca	In Memory
10:30 a.m.	Wakefield	Parishioners	Intentions
12:30 p.m.	Wakefield	Luz Q. Vasquez	In Memory

Monday, July 16 – Our Lady of Mount Carmel

8:00 a.m.	Wakefield	William F. Panke	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Mellone	Yoralbert Gomez Duran	In Memory

Tuesday, July 17 – Tuesday of the Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m.	Mellone	Shirley Conover	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Wakefield	Charles (Chip) Parlin	Intentions

Wednesday, July 18 – Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest

8:00 a.m.	Wakefield	Maria & Giancarlo Grossi	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Mellone	Gloria dePerignat	In Memory

Thursday, July 19 – Thursday of the Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Creusa DaSilva	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Mellone	Grace Gallo Palumbo	In Memory

Friday, July 20 – Saint Apollinaris, Bishop, Martyr

8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Al Kovalik	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Wakefield	Forgotten Souls in Purgatory	In Memory

Saturday, July 21 – Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest, Doctor of the Church

9:00 a.m.	Mellone	Andrea Clune	In Memory
5:30 p.m.	Wakefield	Rob & Jen Ryan	Intentions

Sunday, July 22 – Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m.	Wakefield	Vocations	Intentions
9:00 a.m.	Antonicelli	The Huynh Family	In Memory
10:30 a.m.	Mellone	Parishioners	Intentions
12:30 p.m.	Mellone	Jose Ignacio Gomez	In Memory

Please continue to pray for all our parishioners who are hospitalized, homebound or living in care facilities.

If you or a loved one would like a visit at home, in the hospital or in a care facility please contact Tina Lindberg at 202-362-3323 x 15 or lindberg@annunciationdc.org

POPE'S CORNER

ARE YOU ON THE RIGHT PATH?

What is the sign that we are on the right path? Scripture tells us: defend the oppressed; take care of your neighbor, the sick, the poor, the needy, the ignorant. This is the touchstone. Hypocrites cannot do this, for they are so full of themselves that they are blind to seeing others. [But] when one journeys a little and draws near to the Lord, the light of the Father enables one to see these things and to go out to help one's brothers and sisters.



Homily, *Domus Sanctae Marthae*, March 18, 2014

Reflection: *What does it mean to be a spiritual hypocrite? Where are you a hypocrite in your own life? How can you get back on the right path?.*

MONTHLY TELEPHONE ROSARY

On the 4th and 13th of each month at 8pm, join the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women for a Rosary by telephone. On the 4th, call 605-468-8016 and insert code 357090#. On the 13th, call 515-739-1261 and insert code 703993#. Participants pray for an increase in faith, hope, and love, and any personal intentions that callers would like to add. Questions? Contact Sharon O'Brien at 301-651-8190 or archdioceseCCW@gmail.com.



SUMMER IN THE CITY FOOD DRIVE

You are asked to participate in the "Fifth Annual Summer in the City" Food Drive organized by the John S. Mulholland Family Foundation which services low-income individuals and families in the District of Columbia. Your gifts benefit inner city Washington food pantries at St. Thomas More, St. Francis Xavier, Holy Name, St. Luke and St. Vincent de Paul.



Items Most in Need

- Canned Tuna or Chicken
- Dry Cereal (Cheerios, Bran Flakes)
- Canned Vegetables (green beans, peas, corn)
- Soup (hearty varieties are best)
- Canned Fruit (any kind)
- Peanut Butter and Jelly (plastic containers please!)
- Baked Beans (cans) and Rice (any size)
- Pasta and Pasta Sauce (plastic containers please!)

Please take a bag provided home with you the weekend of July 14-15, 2018 and return it to Annunciation the weekend of July 21-22, 2018. Thank you for your generosity!



Consider enrolling in eGiving through Faith Direct so that your gift can reach us even when you cannot.

Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: DC43 or call 866-507-8757 for a registration form.

SECOND COLLECTION

July 22

The Homeless

POOR BOX

Donations for the month of July will benefit the Society of St. Vincent de Paul which attends to the spiritual and material needs of the poor.

This week's bulletin is made possible by our sponsor



ST. MARY'S 143RD ANNUAL CHICKEN DINNER

St. Mary's in Barnesville cordially invites all to join in their 143rd annual Chicken Dinner and Jousting Tournament on Saturday, July 28th from Noon to 7 pm. Full course dinners served inside are \$16 for adults, children 12 and under are free. Carryout is \$16 for all ages. Good food is the focal point of the picnic. Outside, a snack bar serves sandwiches and drinks. There is a Jousting Tournament from 1 - 4 pm, which is free to spectators. There will also be a craft booth, games for the children, baked goods, cake-wheel, country store, white elephant stand, book store, and other games of chance. Live music of "Sookie Stomp." Mass will be celebrated in our beautiful shrine church at 4pm and 5pm. St. Mary's Church is located at 18230 Barnesville Road. For more information call 301-972-8660.



HELP FOR MARRIAGES IN TROUBLE

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue? Have you stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Have you thought about separation or divorce? Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. For confidential information about or to register for the upcoming program, beginning the weekend of September 14-16, please visit www.HelpOurMarriage.com, call 443-400-7017, or email 3015@retrouvaille.org.

ANNUNCIATION YOUNG ADULT EVENTS

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES with Annunciation Volunteers!
Contact **Tom Keenan, YA Service Chair** if you have any questions: twkeenan6@gmail.com or 847-902-1405. Upcoming service events will be posted on FB/AnnunciationDCYA.

PRAYER REQUEST FRIDAY:
Pray Wherever You Are @ 3pm.
Get your Friday Prayer Reminder on email & FB - post your prayers and we'll pray for you!

For All Annunciation YA Events:
[Facebook.com/AnnunciationDCYA](https://www.facebook.com/AnnunciationDCYA)

ANNUNCIATION YOUNG ADULTS

Volunteer Opportunity!

Young Adults are invited to help make a dinner for the Dorothy Day Shelter on Saturday, July 21, 2018 from 2pm-4pm in the parish kitchen.

Movie Night

Please join the Annunciation Young Adult Ministry as we watch and discuss Bishop Barron's series "The Mass." This remarkable series walks us through the Liturgy and explores the most sacred and intimate encounter we are invited to share with our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Join us at 6:30pm on Saturday, July 28th for parts 1-3, and at 6:30pm on Saturday August 11th for parts 4-6 in the Parish Office Conference Room.

Please contact Fr. Andrew at wakefield@annunciationdc.org or at (202)362-3323, ext. 22 if you would like to attend. All are welcome!



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Gospel Today

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time | Mark 6:7-13

Jesus knew the apostles would not be welcomed everywhere. He instructed them to go in pairs (2) and only stay where they were accepted. So with only the clothes on their backs, sandals on their feet and stick in hand, they went out to continue Jesus' work (preaching and healing).

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Draw a line from the Apostles to what they took on their journey.

Circle what you would bring on a journey.

Would you need more than the Apostles took? Why?

We can be just like the Apostles, minus a long journey with no provisions. Each day when we leave home for work or school, we can spread God's love, peace, happiness and good will to everyone we meet.



Drinks



Extra Clothing



Ipod / Cell Phone



Health Items



Sandals



The Good News



Food / Bread



Money



In their hearts & minds

Faith in God

In their minds & hearts

The Good News



Faith in God



Walking Stick