June 19, 2022

ANNUNCIATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS SCHEDULE Saturday 9:00am, Vigil 5:30pm

Miraculous Medal Novena after the Saturday 9am Mass

Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am, & 12:00pm

Monday– Friday 8:00am

RECONCILIATION Saturday

4:15pm-5:15pm

Or call the rectory for an appointment



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The Most Body & Blood of Christ

First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20

Melchizedek, a priest of God, prayed that Abram would be blessed by God. He also praised God for delivering Abram's foes into his hands.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Paul describes Jesus' actions during the last supper. Jesus broke bread and said it was his body given for us, asking that we do the same in remembrance of him. He then passed the cup and called it his blood. Jesus then asked us to break bread in this manner to remember his death until he returns.

Gospel: Luke 9:11b-17

Jesus spoke to a large crowd when his disciples asked that he dismiss the people to give them a chance to find food and lodging. Jesus asked the disciples to give the crowd something to eat, but they had only five loaves of bread and two fish. Jesus then blessed and distributed the food, which fed about 5,000 people. Twelve baskets were then collected from what was left over.

PRAY WITH SCRIPTURE

Monday 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday 2 Kgs 22:8-13, 23:1-3; Mt 7:15-20

Thursday Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17

Day: Is 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80

Friday Ez 34:11-16; Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7
Saturday Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Lk 2:41-51

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

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.

FLOCKNOTES

Want to receive timely information from Father Mike? Sign up for email messages at https://



AnnunciationCatholicChu1.flocknote.com/everyone or on our website – www.annunciationdc.org. Please be sure to add mail@flocknote.com to your address book or safe sender list to ensure delivery.

A MILLION ROSARIES

Join the Little Sisters of the Poor in praying one million Rosaries to conquer the coronavirus pandemic. Sign up for the one million Rosary campaign at http://littlesistersofthepoor.org.





By virtue of our Baptism, we are called to serve... Consider serving in one of the following areas!

Children's Faith Formation

Want to learn more about your faith? Try teaching! Our children's education and liturgy programs are in need of adults who want to make a difference in our children's faith life. Each grade level has 3 to 4 adults so that the commitment is once a month or so and based on your availability! The Faith Formation program meets on Wednesday evenings 7pm to 8:15pm, September through the beginning of May. All lesson plans are done for you! (and we like to have fun!)

Children's Liturgy of the Word Leader

Meets on Sundays during the Liturgy of the Word portion of Mass at the 10am Mass. Proclaim the weekly readings to children. All materials and activities provided...guaranteed to make you a scripture scholar!

Children's Faith Fun Program Leader

Meets on Sundays at 10:30am to 11am. This is a scripture-based learning experience for children ages 5 and under. All materials and activities are supplied. Adult \mathcal{E} teen help is provided.

Contact Andreja Mezek at mezek@annunciationdc.org or 202-362-3323 ext. 13 if you are interested in any of the above ministries.

Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers & Altar Servers

Lectors proclaim the Word at Mass during the week, weekends, and Holy Days. Prayer of the Faithful and announcements are added on the weekend.

Eucharistic Ministers help with the distribution of Holy Communion at Mass.

Ushers welcome parishioners as they arrive for Mass and help find seats as necessary, collect the offertory, and distribute the bulletin.

Altar Servers assist the priest at Mass. Adults welcome!

Serve at the Mass of your choice and availability. Training and preparation provided.

Contact Tina Lindberg at lindberg@annunciationdc.org or 202-362-3323 ext. 15 if you are interested in any of the above ministries.

Refreshments

Coffee and Doughnuts are served Sundays after all Masses. Our Set-up crew arrives around 7:30am and prepares the coffee, beverages and puts doughnuts on trays, etc. and then refreshes. The Clean-up crew arrives around 12:30pm and keeps things supplied and then cleans up.

Contact Stephanie Lucas at parish@annunciationdc.org or 202.362.3323.



UPCOMING MEMORIAL SERVICE

June Villarreal
Tuesday, June 21, 2022
Visitation — 9:30am
Funeral Service — 10:00am



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

Visit <u>www.faithdirect.net/DC43</u> or scan the QR code to donate electronically.



Poor Box

Donations for the month of June supports the St. Paul Honduras Clinic which provides medical and dental care to hundreds of families near the capital city of Tegucigalpa.

SAINT OF THE WEEK



THOMAS MORE

c. 1478-1535

FEAST JUNE 22

Born in London, Thomas studied at Oxford, married and had four children. King Henry VIII took this brilliant lawyer into his service in 1518, knighted him and named him lord chancellor. But Thomas broke with the king when he divorced Catherine of Aragon and set himself up as supreme head of the church in England. In 1532 Thomas resigned his post, and in 1534 was arrested when he refused to take the oath to the new Act of Succession. Imprisoned for more than a year in the Tower of London, he was convicted of treason and beheaded.

Mass Intentions

Sunday, June 19-The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

8:00 a.m. SOSJ Parishioners Intentions
10:00 a.m. Okulewicz CiCi & Frank Hughes In Memory
12:00 p.m. McFarland Beatriz & Jose Gomez In Memory

Monday, June 20-Monday of the Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Park Peter Nguyen Intentions

Tuesday, June 21-Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

8:00 a.m. SOSJ Rev. Joseph McCloskey In Memory

Wednesday, June 22-Saint Paulinus of Nola, Bishop;

Saints John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs

8:00 a.m. SOSJ Juan Fernandez In Memory 5:30pm Park Maureen Nolan In Memory

Thursday, June 23– The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

8:00 a.m. Marchese Dick Coffman In Memory

Friday, June 24—The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

8:00 a.m. Marchese Carole Srodes In Memory

Saturday, June 25–The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 a.m. Mellone Vocations Intentions 5:30 p.m. Park Souls in Purgatory In Memory

Sunday, June 26-Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. SOSJ Parishioners Intentions 10:00 a.m. Mellone Martin Winick In Memory 12:00 p.m. Park Carole Srodes In Memory

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen



Join Catholic Charities for an Unforgettable Year of Service!

We are recruiting to fill several full-time service positions for the 2022-2023 year starting as soon as July. Positions and links to apply are below.

Volunteer Medical Clinic VISTA

Volunteer Medical Center AmeriCorps member (link coming soon)
Immigration Legal Services Support Team Member VISTA (link coming soon)
Volunteer Engagement Ambassador VISTA

Volunteer Office Events & Outreach Coordinator Capuchin Corps Volunteer

Spanish Catholic Center Program Assistant Capuchin Corps Volunteer

Ignatian Volunteer Corps (part-time 2 days a week minimum; various placements)

Find more information on our website HERE. To explore more of these opportunities or to speak with a current year-of-service volunteer, contact Volunteer@CC-DC.org.

Volunteer Clinicians Needed!

Are you a medical professional hoping to share your talents with those who most need them? Do you have a heart for service and accompaniment?

Come join our team at the Catholic Charities Volunteer Medical Clinic! <u>Learn more about the role and sign up here!</u>

Please note that all volunteers attending an in-person event at a Catholic Charities location must show proof of full COVID-19 vaccination.

BAZAAR DONATIONS

Christmas is officially over and we're collecting donations again. To keep us all safe and healthy, **please make an appointment to drop items off**. Contact Tina Lindberg via email at lindberg@annunciationdc.org or call 202-362-3323 x15.



HOMEBOUND HOSPITALIZED PARISHIONERS

We depend on families, friends, and neighbors to notify the parish office if parishioners are hospitalized and/or homebound so we may provide the sacraments - especially Holy Communion. If you know of anyone in need of the sacraments, please contact us. Also, if you would like to volunteer to take Holy Communion to your fellow parishioners, please contact Tina Lindberg at: 202-362-3323 or lindberg@annunciationdc.org.



Join us in praying the rosary every Thursday at noon in front of the Russian Embassy on the Wisconsin Avenue Side for peace and an end to the war in Ukraine.

THIS WEEK ...

Sunday, June 19 CLOW 10:00am (PC) Reception for Father Okulewicz 11:00am (PC)

Tuesday, June 21

Visitation for June Villarreal 9:30am (Church) Funeral for June Villarreal 10:00am (Church)

Wednesday, June 22

Mass 5:30pm (Church) Eucharistic Adoration 6:00pm (Church)

Thursday, June 23

Contemplative Prayer 6:20pm (Zoom)

Saturday, June 25

Confession 4:15pm (Church)

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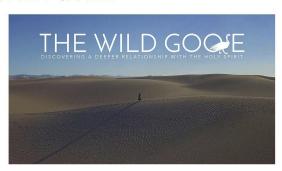
PICK OF THE WEEK

JUNE 19, 2022

WATCH

BAPTISM IN THE HOLY SPIRIT & FIRE

As we celebrate the Nativity of John the Baptist this week, we remember his words: "He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire" (Mt 3:11). Jesus came to baptize us in the Holy Spirit, and the power and grace that comes from baptism in the Holy Spirit changes lives. Explore the meaning of this sacrament in this episode of The Wild Goose!



LEARN

TRUE REFORMERS: EPISODE 1 - ST. THOMAS MORE

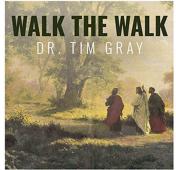


St. Thomas More was one of the greatest humanists of his age but also a man devoted to the spiritual life. His lifetime of learning, charity, and service to the public good of England enabled him to stand a patient and holy witness—and one of the greatest of modern martyrs.

LISTEN

WALK THE WALK: FOLLOWING CHRIST AS HIS DISCIPLE BY DR. TIM GRAY

Being a disciple of Jesus has always been synonymous with being a Christian. From the Scriptures and from his own experience, Dr. Tim Gray explains how Christian discipleship calls us to follow in the footsteps of Christ as engaged participants in God's plan. In doing so, we bear witness to the Lord in our families.



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Gospel Today

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The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ | Luke 9:11b-17

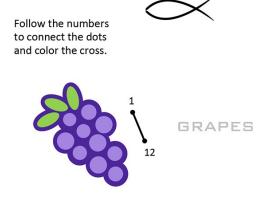
Jesus spoke to a large crowd about the Kingdom of God. He healed those in need, and after the 5000 people divided into groups of 50, fed them all with 2 fish and 5 loaves of bread. It was a miracle that all were fed and satisfied, with 12 baskets of leftovers.

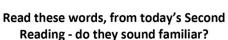
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MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST

Through the **Consecration** at Mass, these ordinary foods of bread and wine become the true Body and Blood of Christ.

"Then taking the 5 loaves and 2 fish, and looking up to heaven, He said the blessing over them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd."

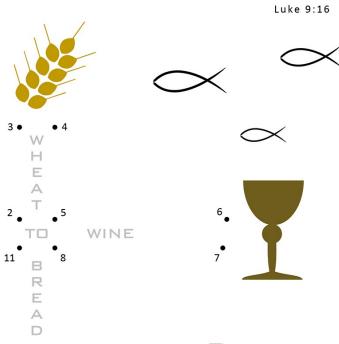




The Lord Jesus, on the night He was handed over, took bread, and after He had given thanks, broke it and said, "This is My body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is The New Covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until He comes. 1 Cor 11:23-26

Which part of the Mass do we hear similar words?





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swer: Consecration