Annunciation Catholic Church

Be it done to me according to your Word

+Luke 1:38+

Mass Schedule

Saturday……..(Vigil) 5:30pm
Sunday……8am, 10am, 12pm

Monday—Friday…….8:00am
Wednesday……..5:30pm
Saturday……..9:00am

Confessions

Wednesdays……..6:00-6:45pm
Saturdays……..4:15-5:15pm

Devotions

Eucharistic Adoration
Every Wednesday 6-7pm

Rosary
After the 8am daily Mass

Miraculous Medal Novena
After the 9am Saturday Mass

July 19, 2026
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings—Worship 1154
Entrance Hymn—Worship 616
Responsorial Psalm
"Lord, you are good and forgiving."
Offertory Hymn — Worship 722
Communion Hymn — Worship 663
Closing Hymn — Worship 645

(8:00am Mass)
Entrance Antiphon: Ps 54 (53):6, 8
See, I have God for my help./ The Lord sustains my soul./ I will sacrifice to you with willing heart,/ and praise your name, O Lord, for it is good.

Communion Antiphon: Ps 111 (110):4-5
The Lord, the gracious, the merciful,/ has made a memorial of his wonders;/ he gives food to those who fear him.

Parish Announcements

The second collection this weekend supports our ministry to the needy fund

Welcome to Annunciation!

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Our Mission

Through the power of the Holy Spirit, Annunciation Catholic Church exists to further God's reign in all its members and our local community.
Through worship, education and prayer, we come together to minister to all God's people in healing and reconciling love.

Our Parish

Hours
Monday-Friday
9am-4pm

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Sacramental Celebrations

Baptism joyfully celebrates the entrance of members into our Catholic Church. Baptisms are celebrated following preparation of the parents. Baptisms for adults take place through the OCIA process. For more information contact Tina Lindberg.

Couples should contact the parish office as soon as they are able, at least six months in advance of the desired wedding date to make arrangements for marriage preparation. Any inquires should be sent to the parish office.

Our parish continues Christ's ministry of healing to those who suffer physical or emotional ills with the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Please call the parish office if you would like to receive this sacrament.

Our parish also wants to assist with the passing of a loved one. In death life is changed, not ended, because of our faith in the Resurrection. Please contact the office so that our staff can help you with the funeral arrangements.

Faithful Stewardship

Poor Box

Donations for the month of July supports IONA Senior Services which helps older adults and their families with the challenges of aging.

God loves a cheerful giver! (2 Cor 9:7)

Donate with Venmo

Or sign-up with ParishSoft Giving

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 18

5:30pm Vigil		Hahn

Sunday, July 19

8am	Parishioners	Hahn
10am	† Antonio C. Lim	Afu
12pm	† Albert Thomann & Maria Thomann	Afu

Monday, July 20

8am	† Barbara Brown	Hahn

Tuesday, July 21

8am	† Ivan J. Zakarija	Hahn

Wednesday, July 22

8am	† Pope Benedict XVI	Hahn
5:30pm		Afu

Thursday, July 23

8am		Afu

Friday, July 24

8am		Afu

Saturday, July 25

9am		Hahn

What's Happening This Week?

Sunday, July 19
CLOW, 10:00am (Atrium)

Wednesday, July 22
Mass, 5:30pm (Church)
Eucharistic Adoration, 6:00pm (Church)
Confessions, 6:00pm (Church)

Thursday, July 23
Contemplative Prayer, 6:25pm (Zoom)
Choir Rehearsal, 8:00pm (Church)

Saturday, July 25
Confessions, 4:15pm (Church)

Pray with Scripture

First Reading: Wisdom 12:13, 16-19
This passage from the Book of Wisdom addresses itself to God, giving praise and thanksgiving for his mercy.

Second Reading: Romans 8:26-27
Paul indicates that since people are, in general, unaccustomed to the manner of praying, of speaking directly to God, the Holy Spirit will intercede for them.

Gospel: Matthew 13:24-43
According to Matthew, Jesus speaks of the "reign of God" in three parables: the man who soweth good seed, the mustard seed, and the yeast. In each parable, Jesus demonstrates that once the "reign of God" had been established, it grew and spread.

Monday	Mi 6:1-4, 6-8; Mt 12:38-42
Tuesday	Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Mt 12:46-50
Wednesday	Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Thursday	Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Mt 13:10-17
Friday	Jer 3:14-17; Mt 13:18-23
Saturday	2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 20:20-28

PARISH LIFE

"Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations."
– Mt 28:19

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MEN'S GROUP
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Through faith formation and fraternal discussions, the men of the parish strive to imitate Mary and Joseph's Fiat to God—Be it done to me according to Your Word!

On vacation—will resume in the fall!

Contact Daniel Danello for more info:
dfdanello@gmail.com

Pray the Rosary

Pray in English Monday through Friday after the 8am Mass,
in Spanish after the 10am Mass on Sunday
Meet in the church

Pray the Rosary for Peace in Ukraine

Every Thursday
at 12pm—Rain or Shine
in front of the
Russian Embassy
2650 Wisconsin Ave NW

♥ Women's Bible Study ♥

On Vacation

We will resume in the fall.

Annunciation Contemplative Prayer
Thursday Evenings @ 6:25pm

We begin with Lectio Divina, a traditional way of cultivating a relationship with Christ, then move into 30 minutes of silent Contemplative Prayer. This method of prayer is both a relationship with God and a discipline to deepen that relationship.

Contact Martha Johnston for Zoom Coordinates and any questions you may have – martha@marthajohnston.com.

Join The Annunciation Catholic Church Choir

New members are welcome!

Rehearsals are on Thursdays at 8:00pm.

The choir sings at the 10:00am Mass on Sundays.

Contact our music director, Frank Conlon at 202-441-7678 for more information.

2026 Annunciation School Alumni Reunion

Save the Date: Please join us for an evening of memories and camaraderie with fellow Annunciation School Alumni on Saturday, October 10, 2026, at 6:30 PM in the Parish Center. Invitation is forthcoming. We are gathering items for donation to the silent auction including tickets to local sporting events, vacation homes, items for curated gift baskets, gift certificates for goods and services.

Please contact: Joan Carter C'77 at joancarter0430@gmail.com
Tia Harper C'77 at · TiaHarperRx@gmail.com

"Love My Enemies? Really?":
Real-World Mentoring from St. Thérèse of Lisieux with Marisa Guerin
When: 3 Aug 2026 7:00 PM, EDT
Where: Zoom—https://associationofpittsburghpriests.com/

EVENT DETAILS:
St. Thérèse of Lisieux is famous for her Little Way of nonviolent love. In her own words, *"No doubt, we don't have any enemies in Carmel, but there are feelings." Like us, she encountered difficult and damaged people who aroused in her feelings of resentment, anger, or indignation. Her intuition told her that unloving feelings are the wellsprings of violence if not managed appropriately.*

Through reflection, prayer, patience, and the grace of God, Thérèse gradually came to see others with the compassionate eyes of Jesus. She also learned how to avoid violence to herself by understanding her own limits and needs. Tonight, we consider how Thérèse cultivated a non-adversarial stance towards ourselves, others, and life itself – trusting in God who never abandons our suffering world.

Marisa Guerin, PhD, is the co-author with the late Br. Joseph Schmidt, FSC of ***"Life Lessons from St. Thérèse of Lisieux."*** *She is a retired consultant and educator with expertise in organizational behavior and the psychodynamics of leadership. Marisa is married living near Philadelphia.*

JOIN US FOR A FUTURE CHANGEMAKERS NETWORK HAPPY HOUR!

Friendship Place invites you to join us to connect and network with other young professionals who care about ending homelessness and rebuilding lives. It is a chance to grow our community of supporters and explore how collective generosity fuels lasting impact at Friendship Place.

Thursday, July 30
6:00 – 8:00 pm
Appetizers provided.
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1250 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, DC (one block from the Metro)

Host Committee and Board of Directors
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Will Yetvin

RSVP https://www.eventbrite.com/e/friendship-place-future-changemakers-happy-hour-tickets-1992788603357?aff=oddtdtcreator.

Attire is business casual attire.

Consider bringing a $20 loaded metro card to benefit participants of Friendship Place as they work toward sustainable employment.

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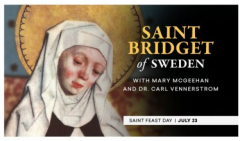
This Week on Formed

Week of July 19, 2026

St. James the Greater | Catholic Saints

On this episode of Catholic Saints, join Dr. Ben Akers and Mary McGeehan as they discuss the life of one of Jesus' inner circle disciples, St. James the Greater.



St. Bridget of Sweden | Catholic Saints

Join Dr. Carl Vennerstrom and Mary McGeehan as they dive into the life of this medieval saint: St. Bridget of Sweden. A wife, mother, and visionary, St. Bridget was an evangelist both inside and outside the home. St. Bridget's visions of Christ's Nativity have greatly influenced its depiction in Christian art. Watch to find out more!

Saint Mary Magdalene | Catholic Saints

Join Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp for a discussion on the life and witness of St. Mary Magdalene. Who was she, and why is she a saint? Find out in this conversation.

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Year A

KID'S KORNER

Gospel Today | 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time | Mt 13:24-43

Jesus tells us the Good Word grows within us, as the yeast grows within the dough – quietly and unseen, with great results!

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JESUS' PARABLES SHOW

Small beginnings become marvelous expansions

Draw a line from Column A to Column B to match the "Seeds of Faith" to the "Expanded Kingdom."

Column A

The Good Word

Mustard Seeds

Yeast Cells

Column B

Risen Breads

Mustard Tree

Many Believers

Parent / Child Activity

Watch a seed sprout - Take a clear cup and line it with a wet paper towel. Put a dried, uncooked seed between the paper and cup. Keep wet and in the sun. **Watch what happens!** *(try watermelon seeds dried for one week)*

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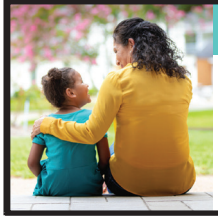

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