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To join our parish family, call or visit the Rectory, or complete the Census form found in the Church.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00 & 11:00am

Holy Days: As Announced

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

(Chapel of Saint Joseph)

Wednesday: 12:00 pm

Thursday, Friday: 7:00 am

Friday: Adoration and Confession

7:30 am - 8:30 am

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Saturday, 20 minutes before Masses.

Anytime by Appointment.

SCHOOL STAFF

Mrs. Michelle Taylor, School Principal ext. 22
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Mrs. Gail Daughtride, School Administrator ext. 11
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Registration is open for the 2019-20 School Year.

We are a Regional School receiving the support of St Ignatius, Our Lady Queen of Peace, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Church of the Incarnation, Saint Luke and Saint Teresa of Avila.

LET'S STAY CONNECTED:

Our schedules, events & activities are communicated also by email and phone. If you have not received any contact, please let us know who you are. If already registered in the parish you can use this to update.

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

I'm new and want to stay connected.

- Update my info.
- I'd like to speak with Father Matt.
- Please return in the offertory collection or email to rectory@holyfamilyparishmd.org.

Father Matt's bulletin letter will resume once he returns from vacation.

Regretfully, last week's bulletins did not make it to the church on time. To ensure that nothing was missed we have copies available this week. We are working to see that this does not happen again in the future. We understand how important being up to date on happenings around the parish is to each and every one of you.

Offertory for Aug 18th—\$4,530.18

Thank you for your generous support.

PARISH LIFE

The beginning of **Faith Formation** is fast approaching. Sunday, September 15th, is Catechetical Day. At the 11:00am Mass, Fr Matt will commission our Catechist for the Parish and School. Immediately following Mass, the children who will be attending Faith Formation are expected to meet in order to register, receive the Parent Handbooks, and receive the schedule for the formation year. Please contact Tracy Medley if you are interested in becoming a Catechist, or would like to register your child for the Faith Formation year: (301) 335-7821, or email: tracymedley7604@gmail.com.

Anyone interested in **volunteering at the parish or school** this year must register as a volunteer with the Archdiocese, must complete a volunteer's application, must have a background check performed and must sign up for Protecting God's Children training session. We have scheduled a training session here at Holy Family on Saturday, September 14th from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm in the Allen Drury Room. Please contact Keith at the rectory for more information.

Thanks to the Men's Club, another amazingly successful **shredding event** was completed on last Saturday. Not only were approximately 100 families able to take advantage of the shredding service but they were also offered glaucoma screening and free reading glasses to those that stopped by.

COMMUNITY LIFE

Catholic Charities is offering **free adult dental care**. If you have tooth, gum or jaw problems and can't afford to visit a dentist. Free dental care may be available. Dental services include cleanings, x-rays restorative fillings and extractions. All dental services are provided by licensed dentists and hygienists. If you are interested in receiving these services please contact Keith at the rectory for more information.

Stronger Men's Retreat- All men are welcome and encouraged to come to the Saint John Paul II National Shrine for a retreat on Saturday, September 21st from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. **Stronger** is a men's retreat inspired by Saint John Paul II that features rotating topics focused on masculine spirituality. Explore how God calls you to lead as a man of faith, husband, son, and father. Register at strongerretreat.eventbrite.com.

On Sunday, September 8th at 7:00 pm, at St. Mary of the Assumption School Gymnasium in Upper Marlboro, Saint Luke Productions presents "**Tolton From Slave to Priest.**" This is the remarkable story of America's first Black Priest performed by Jim Coleman. It is a powerful multi-media live production, filled with music, drama and inspiring performances. It brings a message of hope and healing for the wounds that plague our culture. See this show, and be inspired by Father Augustus Tolton's perseverance and faith. It is suitable for ages 10 and up and the admission is free but donations will be accepted.

Join **Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center** for a personal retreat. During the weekday hours from 8:30am - 4pm, an experienced retreat master will guide you to a place of rest with Christ. You will be nourished and cared for while Our Lord speaks to your soul about the depths of His love for you. Upcoming dates available are: Sept. 13th, Nov. 15th, Dec. 13th. Cost is \$120 per person. To register go to: www.ourladyofbethesda.org. Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center, 7007 Bradley Blvd., Bethesda, MD 20817.

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- 8/27 New School Year Begins**
- 8/30 Early Dismissal 12 Noon**
- 9/2 School Closed - Labor Day**
- 9/4 Kennedy Center Field Trip - Aladdin**

ARCHDIOCESAN LIFE

Annual Knight’s Tower Tour at the Basilica This September, the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception will once again offer the opportunity to view our Nation's capital from the spectacular vantage point of its bell tower. Tour opportunities are available Friday, September 6th from 10:00 am. to 4:00 pm. Visitors will ascend the Tower elevator to the observation level where they can take in outstanding views in all four directions. The ability to climb stairs and ride in a small elevator is required to take this tour. There are no tickets or reservations required, it will be first-come, first-served. The Basilica is located at 400 Michigan Ave NE, offers ample free parking, and is walking distance from the Brookland-CUA Station on Metro’s Red Line. Please visit www.nationalshrine.com or call (202) 526-8300 for more information.

Saturday, September 28th from 9am-12pm at the Archdiocesan Pastoral Center, a **workshops for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC)** will be offered. This workshop will instruct the faithful on how to serve effectively as an EMHC in the parish setting as well as when taking Holy Communion to the sick and shut-ins. It is intended for those who wish to be certified as an EMHC in the Archdiocese of Washington, but it is open to all. A \$5 registration fee must be paid at the door. RSVP by emailing liturgy@adw.org or call Maria Hamm in the Office of Worship at 301-853-4594.

Saturday, October 19th from 9am-12pm at Holy Comforter/St. Cyprian, a **Workshop for English Lectors** will be offered. A \$5 registration fee will be collected at the door. RSVP by contacting the Office of Worship at liturgy@adw.org or (301) 853-4594 and leaving your name, phone, email, and parish name.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WE KNOW AND LOVE:

Our Parishioners	Homebound	Elsewhere
Denise Richards	Mary Byus	Wendell Young
Cynthia Washington	Bennie Hooks Jr.	Dorothy Nelson
William Green	Andre Johnson	Kathleen Guidry
Demetrius Butler	Rose Sparrow	Alpha Banks
Barbara Smith	Alease Terry	Roy Banks
Francis Smith	Clarence King	Betty Furr
Angela Hewins	Samuel Jones	David M. Smith Sr.
Richard Hewins	Mildred Jones	Francis Briscoe
Barbara Price	Marsha Harper	Barbara Williams
Iris Pierce	Barbara Moore	Middleton Russell
Angela McNair	Margaret Kennerly	
Michelle Handon	Hilda Reeves	
Candace Griffin-	Juanita Presley	
Miles	Frank Wilson	
Frances Fisher	Ethel Handon	

We continue to pray for Healing of Candace Griffin-Miles, Celestine Warren, Michelle Handon, Deneise Booker-Moore and Francis Smith.

In memoriam—we remember Samuel Jones, husband of Mildred Jones.

MASSES FOR WEEK OF AUG 25—SEP1

<u>Aug 25th</u>	<u>21st Sunday in Ordinary Time</u>
Sat. 4:00 pm	Rose Poindexter +
8:00 am	Samuel Jones +
11:00 am	Holy Family Parishioners
<u>Daily Masses</u>	
Wed. 12:00 pm	Francesco Deluca +
Thurs. 7:00 am	Tsogbe Victorine +
Fri. 7:00 am	Koutodzo Grace +
<u>Sep 1st</u>	<u>22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</u>
Sat. 4:00 pm	Marcello Buglisi +
8:00 am	Holy Family Parishioners
11:00 am	Mary Hooper (L)

Daily readings can be found at <http://usccb.org/bible/readings/index.cfm>.

Altar Arrangements and Mass Intentions: Offerings (\$5.00) can be made in honor of a deceased or living loved one, a person’s birthday, anniversary, or any other special occasion. These Mass Intentions will be offered on Sundays in the Church and on weekdays in the Chapel of St Joseph. Altar floral arrangements are also accepted, beginning at \$65.00.

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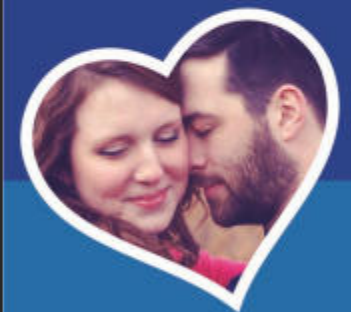


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