

Saint Mary Refuge of Sinners and Star of the Sea

October 3, 2021

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Where ALL are welcome!



St. Mary Refuge of Sinners Church & Cemetery

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Closed on Wednesday

MASSES/MISA

Sunday: 9:00 AM - English
Domingo: 6:00 PM - Español
Thursday 8:30AM - English

CONFESSIONS:

Sunday: 8:15 - 8:45am

WEDDINGS:

Contact parish office one year in advance.

BAPTISMS:

Contact parish office to register and to make arrangements.

St. Mary Star of the Sea Church & Cemetery

*917 Hoopers Island Road Route 335
Church Creek, MD 21622*

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***MASS: Saturdays @ 4:00pm
Memorial Day through Labor Day***



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Calendar: Oct 3 thru Oct 10

Sun 10/3	<i>27th Sunday in Ordinary</i> <i>Time - Mark 10:2-16</i>
Wed 10/6	Rosary @ 7pm
Thur 10/7	Mass in Chapel @ 8:30am Food Pantry @ 10:00am
Fri. 10/8	Rosary @ 9:00am in the Hall
Sun 10/10	<i>28th Sunday in Ordinary</i> <i>Time - Mark 10:17-30</i>

Mass Intentions

SAT	Oct 2
4pm	n/a
SUN	Oct 3
9:00am	Richard (Dickie) Messick
SAT	Oct 9
4pm	n/a
SUN	Oct 10
9:00am	John Tubman



Almighty and Everlasting God, the eternal salvation of those who believe in You, hear us on behalf of Your servants who are sick, for whom we humbly beg the help of your mercy, so that, being restored to health, they may render thanks to you in your Church. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

Please pray for those who are ill: Celie Adams, John Alaskewicz, Marianne Asplen, Mary Lou Bentz, Charlotte Blazei, Pat Borz, Connie Bradley, Kay Bramble, Madelyn Brock, Beth McDonnell, Susan Durst, Mary Francis Duvall, Ryan Elzey, Rachel Frost, Sue Gray, Marty Habermann, Maria Hernandez, Kenny Hill, Albert Hoffman, Judy Holiday, Helen Jones, Greg Leonard, Craig McCoy, Morgan Mejia, Billy Newcomb, Jenny Nugent, Geraldine Phillips, Diane Porter, Pamela Rae, Lucas Redmer, Paula Q Remedios, Elaine Robbins, Lisa Robbins, Tommy Robbins, Sr., Dan Roff, Ed Schantin, Jennifer & Kathy Wendowski, Karen White, Bill Yankovich.

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FEAST DAY OF ST. FRANCIS

OCTOBER 4, 2021

St. Francis of Assisi | Feast Day October 4

St. Francis of Assisi (1181 – 1226) left a life of luxury for a life devoted to Christianity after reportedly hearing the voice of God, who commanded him to rebuild the Christian church and live in poverty. He founded the men's Order of Friars Minor, the women's Order of St. Clare, the Third Order of St. Francis and the Custody of the Holy Land.

Born in 1181 in Italy, St. Francis of Assisi was renowned for drinking and partying as a youth. During a military expedition/battle between Assisi and Perugia, he was captured and imprisoned for ransom. He spent nearly a year in prison and began receiving visions from God. After his release from prison, St. Francis of Assisi claimed to have heard the voice of Christ, who told him to restore the Christian Church and live a life of poverty. As a result, St. Francis of Assisi abandoned his life of luxury and became a devotee of the Catholic faith.

Today, St. Francis of Assisi, known for his deep love of nature and animals, is the patron saint of the environment and animals. Each October, many animals are blessed on his feast day. ©LPi

Blessing of the Pets

“Blessed are you, Lord God, maker of all living creatures. You called forth fish in the sea, birds in the air and animals on the land. You inspired Saint Francis to call all of them his brothers and sisters. We ask you to bless this pet. By the power of your love, enable it to live according to your plan. May we always praise you for all your beauty in creation. Blessed are you, Lord our God, in all your creatures! Amen.”

As the prayer is offered, the pet is gently sprinkled with holy water. Believe it or not, most pets receive this sacramental spritz with dignity, though I must admit I have seen some cats flatten their ears a bit as the drops of water lightly pelt them.

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Oct. 3 – Class

10 – Class – First Reconciliation Parent Meeting @ 10:00am in the Parish Hall. All parents of First Reconciliation students must attend.

WELCOME BACK STUDENTS!!

Religious Education classes are in full session Sunday mornings in the church hall from 10:00AM to 11:15AM. **Last date for registering your child in Religious Education classes 2021-2022 school year is Sunday, October 3rd.** The catechists and I are excited to start the new year with you and your families.

We are looking forward to celebrating Mass with you before Religious Education class on Sundays at 9:00AM in English or 6:00PM in Spanish. Please contact the Religious Education office by email or phone if I can be of assistance.

Peace and God Bless, Rosemary Robbins, DRE

Las clases de educación religiosa están en sesión completa los domingos por la mañana en el salón de la iglesia de 10:00 AM a 11:15 AM. La última fecha para inscribir a su hijo en las clases de Educación Religiosa del año escolar 2021-2022 es el próximo domingo 3 de octubre. Los catequistas y yo estamos emocionados de comenzar el nuevo año con ustedes y sus familias.

Esperamos celebrar la Misa con usted antes de la clase de Educación Religiosa los domingos a las 9:00 AM en inglés o a las 6:00 PM en español. Por favor comuníquese con la oficina de Educación Religiosa por correo electrónico o por teléfono si puedo ser de ayuda.

Paz y Dios los bendiga, Rosemary Robbins, DRE

FROM THE DIOCESE OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS

It is impossible to fully understand what it means to be a Catholic in North America without a sincere appreciation for the Catholic tradition among so many native tribes. Few people realize that Indigenous communities throughout the continent were practicing their faith centuries before the founding of the United States.

Enduring Faith: The Story of Native American Catholics, a new documentary film from the Knights of Columbus, explores the rich legacy of faith among Native Americans. Discover how in the 16th century, Our Lady of Guadalupe appeared to an Indigenous elder as a mestiza woman and generated the largest conversion in world history. Hear the inspiring story of the first canonized Native American saint, St. Kateri Tekakwitha. Learn about a 20th century Lakota healer, Nicholas Black Elk, whose cause for canonization is currently open in Rome.

View the film free here - kofc.org/enduringfaith

Lay Ministers for Oct. 10
28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

LECTORS

Sat 4:00pm TBD

Sun 9:00am Jeff Cornwell

Sun 6pm Hamlet Perez

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

Sat 4:00pm TBD

Sun 9:00am Ed Colaprete

USHERS

Sun 9:00am Mark Windmiller

Sun 6pm TBD

PARISH INCOME	Sep 27th
General Offertory	
Refuge of Sinners	2977.61
Star of the Sea	285.00
Mass @ 6pm (Spanish)	157.00
Building & Grounds	25.00
Share in the Spirit	106.00
Candles	00.00
Mass Stipends	30.00
Rel. Ed Tuition & Books	115.00
Hall Rentals	250.00
Rel. Ed 2nd collection	55.00
Donation:	.00
TOTAL:	4000.61

SUPPORT YOUR PARISH

2nd Collections for the month of October:

October 3rd - Building & Grounds

October 24th - World Mission Sunday

Online Giving for September

SVDP - \$50.00

B & G - \$135.00

Ironman Donations - \$2,630.00

Offertory - \$1,810.00

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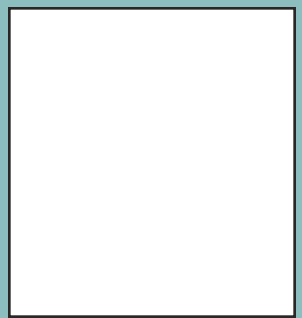
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