

Pastor
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Rev. Pablo Bonello
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Deacon John Turner



Schedule of Masses

Sunday Obligation

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m. (Español)

6:00 p.m. (Español)



Daily Masses

Monday thru Friday

7:30 a.m.

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

**All daily Masses are in
the Church**

**Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament**

8:00 p.m.

**Monday - Wednesday
In the Church**

**Thursday - Friday
In the Rectory Chapel
Benediction**

9:00 p.m.

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Office Hours
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Monday thru Friday
Closed on Federal
Holidays

SAINT JAMES' CATHOLIC CHURCH



Baptism of Christ in the Jordan

The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord

Sunday, January 9, 2011

Mass Intentions

Saturday - 1/8- 8:00 a.m. - Alejandro Paganganan - Randy Segismundo & Family

4:00 p.m. - St. James Parishioners

6:00 p.m. - Niño Jesus de Praga - Marcela

Sunday - 1/9 - 8:00 a.m. - Lewis, Bernice & Ted Bissell - Dick Bissell

9:30 a.m. - Ramon Pablo Siopongco - Rose & Vincent Caverte

11:30 a.m. - St. James Parishioners - Mass in Spanish

6:00 p.m. - St. James Parishioners - Mass in Spanish

Monday - 1/10 - 7:30 a.m. - Trudeau Family, Living and Deceased - TomTrudeau

Tuesday - 1/11 - 7:30 a.m. - St. James Parishioners

Wednesday - 1/12-7:30 a.m. - In Thanksgiving - Mr. & Mrs. Randy Segismundo & Family

Thursday - 1/13 -7:30 a.m. - St. James Parishioners

Friday - 1/14 - 7:30 a.m. - St. James Parishioners

Saturday - 1/15- 8:00 a.m.- St. James Parishioners

4:00 p.m. - St. James Parishioners

6:00 p.m. - Niño Jesus de Praga - Marcela

Sunday - 1/16 - 8:00 a.m. - St. James Parishioners

9:30 a.m. - Lewis, Bernice & Ted Bissell - Dick Bissell & Susan Flashman

11:30 a.m. - St. James Parishioners - Mass in Spanish

6:00 p.m. - St. James Parishioners - Mass in Spanish

Please pray for our sick and homebound parishioners.

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| Mary Cooksey | Bill Ballantyne |
| Nancy Endsley | Danny Farrell |
| Bernie Bergling | Marie Breen |
| Rosita Tate | Shirley VanLeeuwen |
| Joe Massey | Gregory Swenton |
| Louise Clemens | Patricia Myers |
| Aquilina Todio | Donna Wynn |
| Alvaro Ortega | Emma Galiano |
| Denny White | Lucinda White |
| Tom Trudeau | Elenore Brady |
| Tom Bruner | Michael Hennessey |
| Betty Carr | Barbara Preston |
| Kami Elliot | Susan Crocetto |
| Dick Barnard | Ambrosia David |
| Dorothy Clayton | Nadine Groves |
| Martina Dominguez | Alan Croskey |
| Karen Dominguez | Julia Olinda |
| Zenaida D. Marcelo | Esther Farrell |
| Timmy Ferguson | Robert Tate |
| Deacon John Turner | Mary Turner |
| Madelyne Woodyard | John Kiefer |
| Valdez Vda. De Gomez | |
| Margaret Joyce Hoffman | |
| Teresa Niwbri | |

Prayers for our Military

Please pray for all of our military personnel and their families.

Weekly Contributions

Dec 5 - \$3,439	Dec 12 - \$3475
Dec 19 - \$2,336	Dec 26 - \$1,951
Jan 2 - \$3,700	

Please call the Rectory if someone should be added or removed from the list of our sick and homebound parishioners.

Please also pray for all those who are deceased

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10

The Lord will bless his people with peace.



Gospel

Matthew 1:18-24

Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan to be baptized by him.

John tried to prevent him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and yet you are coming to me?"

Jesus said to him in reply, "Allow it now, for thus it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness."

Then he allowed him.

After Jesus was baptized, he came up from the water and behold, the heavens were opened for him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming upon him.

And a voice came from the heavens, saying, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased."

March for Life, Monday January 24th

For all those who would like to participate of the Youth Rally Mass at the Verizon Center, Fr. Pablo Munoz has tickets for parishioners.

Pastor's Corner

Today we celebrate the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. Jesus reveals himself from the very beginning of his public life to be the "beloved Son" with whom the Father was well pleased (cf. Lk 3: 22), the true "Servant of Yahweh" (cf. Is 42: 1) who freed man from sin through his Passion and death on the Cross.

It is the first public manifestation of Jesus *messianic identity* after the adoration of the Magi. Today we see the Child whom the Magi adored as a messianic King consecrated by the Father in the Holy Spirit.

Let us ask the Blessed Virgin to help us, above all, to walk in conformity with the Baptism we once received, so that we may be true Catholics and courageous witnesses to the Gospel throughout our lives.

Fr. Pablo Muñoz Iturrieta, IVE

Second Collection For Church Missions Within The US

On this weekend, Catholics in the Archdiocese are invited to contribute to a second collection for **Church Missions within the United States**. It is directed to two important missionary outreaches in the church. First, it supports mission dioceses in the U.S. which are unable to offer their people the basic pastoral ministries. Second, it supports needy Black and Indian Missions in the U.S. with funds for parish support and evangelization needs. Your contribution makes a difference to these struggling catholic faith communities. May god bless you and your family.

Most Reverend Barry C. Knestout

Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia

Communio Meeting, Sunday January 9th

The new year has begun and now is the time for the Communio to meet again. Our next gathering will be this Sunday night, January 9th.

In observance of the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, Fr. Pablo will present on the theology of baptism according to St. Thomas Aquinas.

The venue is the St. James rectory, 3628 Rhode Island Ave., Mt. Rainier, MD.

As usual, the line-up is:

7:00 Food and fellowship (please bring something to share)

7:30 Vespers

8:00 Discussion

9:00 Conclusion

St. James Holy Name Society Winter Raffle

St. James Holy Name Society assists men and women attending retreats based on the spiritual exercises of St. Ignatius at the Loyola Retreat House on the Potomac River in Faulkner, MD.

Please help us continue this worthwhile ministry with your purchase of tickets for our WINTER RAFFLE.

On Shrove Tuesday, March 8, 2011, at our annual Pancake Dinner, we will award the winner with at 40"+ flat screen TV. Tickets are available after Sunday Masses or ask any HNS member. Single tickets are \$2.00 each or three for \$5.00. God will bless you for your help.

Blood Money Movie on Saturday, January 22nd, 2011 at 7:30 PM

BloodMoney is a documentary film narrated by Dr. Alveda King, which exposes the truth behind the Abortion Industry from the Pro Life perspective.

The film examines the history of abortion in America. From the inception of Planned Parenthood and the profitability of abortion clinics, to Roe v. Wade, to the denial of when life begins, the fight to save the lives of innocent babies, and the devastating effects it has had on the women that have exercised this "choice".

We hope that the showing of this movie will encourage pro-life people to work towards an end to abortion. Please, join us at the Hughes Room, on Saturday, January, 22nd at 7:30 PM, just as we get ready for the March for Life!

Confessions

Saturdays

3:15 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. (English)

Sundays

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Baptisms

By appointment only.

301-927-0567

Weddings

Contact the Pastor six months in advance.

Special Collections

Monthly Maintenance and Improvements Collection and Stone Soup Collection for the needy are on the First Sunday each month.

St. James' Ladies' Sodality

First Sundays at 8:00 a.m. Mass

St. James' Holy Name Society

Second Sundays at 8:00 a.m. Mass

St. James' Ladies of Charity

Third Sundays at 8:00 a.m. Mass

Spanish Prayer Group

Every Thursday Evening

7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Legion of Mary

Wednesday Evenings

7:30 p.m.

Rosary Prayed Daily

The Rosary is prayed before daily Mass, Mon - Fri.

Men's Vocation Retreat

Cardinal Wuerl is sponsoring a retreat (February 4-6) for men in their 20s-40s who are considering a call to the priesthood at Theological College, beginning Friday evening, February 4 and ending on Sunday, February 6 at noon. The retreat will allow men time away from the daily grind and provide an opportunity for prayer and reflection to examine God's call. If you feel Jesus may be calling you, why not give Him a weekend? It will cost you nothing more than your time. To register or for more information, contact Msgr. Rob Panke, Director of Priest Vocations, at 301-853-4580 or vocations@adw.org.

The Vocation to Holiness ~ Prayer and the New Evangelization

All are invited to attend a Day of Recollection on Saturday, January 22, 2011, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Annunciation Church, 3810 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W., (free parking). The day will include Mass, Reflection by Msgr. Robert Panke, Director of Priest Vocations and Formation, Adoration, and Confession. Lunch is provided free of charge.

Please contact Maris Moriarty at moriarty@adw.org or call 301-853-4584 for information and reservation for lunch. *Sponsored by the Office of Priest Vocations and the Blessed Teresa Vocation Society.*

Cardinal Wuerl thanks award winners for shining Christ's light to others.

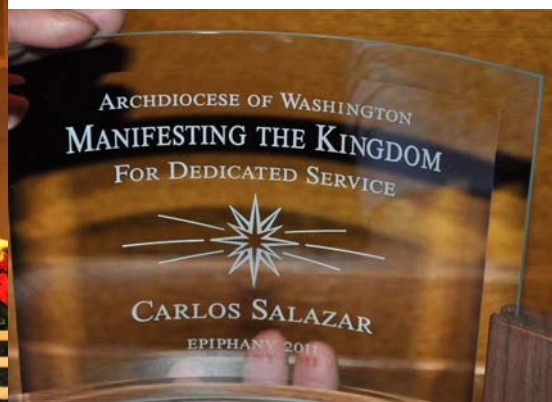
Cardinal Donald Wuerl celebrated his 25th anniversary as a bishop Jan. 2 by offering a Mass during which he honored about 200 lay people and religious who have made "a living effort to manifest the kingdom of God" by their service to the Church. During the Mass for the Solemnity of the Epiphany at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Cardinal Wuerl presented each honoree with a Manifesting the Kingdom Award.

Catholic Standard, Wednesday, January 05, 2011

St. James' own Carlos Salazar receives his Manifesting the Kingdom award from Cardinal Wuerl.

Congratulations Carlos!

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