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**CONFESSIONS:**

Saturday: 4:15pm or by appointment

**ROSARY:** Monday: 6:00pm

**EUCHARIST:**

Saturday: Vigil 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:30am

Daily: 8:00am Tuesday through Friday

Holy Days: As Announced

**ADORATION WITH BENEDICTION**

First Thursday of the Month

6:00pm

**Bulletin Deadline: in Writing by Monday 3:00 pm**

**THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JULY 3, 2022**

*God, source of all freedom, this day is bright  
with the memory of those who declared that life  
and liberty are your gift to every human being.  
Help us to continue a good work begun long ago.*

*Make our vision clear and our will strong; that  
only in human solidarity will we find liberty,  
and justice only in the honor that belongs to  
every life on earth.*

*Turn our hearts toward the family of nations; to  
understand the ways of others, to offer friend-  
ship, and to find safety only in the common good  
of all.*

*We ask this through Christ our Lord.*

*Amen*



**Welcome to the Holy Face Catholic Church family.**

On behalf of our parishioners, I invite you to tour our website and get acquainted with our growing and vibrant faith community. Better yet, please come visit us in person, worship with us, and make this your spiritual home. If you need more information about our parish, please do not hesitate to call me. May the peace of Christ be with you.

Your brother in Christ,

**Rev. Jerry Gamrot**

**New Parishioners:** The parish family of Holy Face welcomes all new parishioners! Please fill out a registration form available on our webpage or in the back of the church and drop it in the collection basket at Sunday Mass. If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office at 301-994-0525. You may also reach our Welcoming Committee at [holyface.md@adw.org](mailto:holyface.md@adw.org) *Welcome!*

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Expectant parents must attend our Baptism Preparation Program which is offered monthly. Baptism is the first and most important Sacrament as it introduces us to the Faith. Baptisms are offered on the **First Sunday** of the month. Call the Parish Office to schedule a baptism and to make arrangements to attend our Baptism Program.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Arrangements should be made well in advance of an intended marriage, at least six months and even up to a year prior. Please call the Parish Office to arrange an appointment with the Pastor. Attendance at the Marriage Preparation Program is required.

**Sick and Hospital Visits:** Please let the Parish Office know if you have a family member who is ill at home or in the hospital so we may add them to our prayer list and arrange, if appropriate, for visits from our Homebound Ministry and the Pastor.

**R.C.I.A.:** If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith or in becoming Catholic, please contact the Parish Office for details about the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults or contact the Parish Office at (301)994-0525.

**Choir:** Practice is held on Wednesday evenings at 7pm in the Church choir loft. New members are always welcome. For more information, please contact Barbie Carpenter at (301)994-0525.

**Parish and School Websites and email:** Visit our Holy Face website at [www.holyfacechurch.org](http://www.holyfacechurch.org) for up-to-date information regarding our parish. Questions or concerns may be emailed to: [holyface.md@adw.org](mailto:holyface.md@adw.org). You can also visit the Little Flower School website at [www.littleflowercatholic.org](http://www.littleflowercatholic.org) for additional information regarding our school.

**Parish Cemetery Information:** Contact Catholic Cemeteries at 301-475-5005 or 301-932-1766.



### Scar Tissue

"Would you like to see my scar?" We hear this question from some people who have had surgery, scraped the road from their motorcycle, or suffered a wound in war. Sometimes they are more anxious to show it than we are to see it. The reverse happens too. We would like to see a scar, but the person—for private reasons—chooses not to show it.

We all carry scars. Some are physical and quite visible. Others are well concealed. Some scars are emotional. They make themselves known even when we wish they did not. And some of our scars make us who we are. They are signs of our resilience, of the ill-intent of enemies, of moments of foolishness, or times of unimaginable bravery. For some of us, our biography is the story of our scars. St. Paul tells the Galatians, "I bear the marks of Jesus on my body." Paul had his share of physical and emotional pain, and he carried scars. They were not signs of hurt and pain, not signs of foolishness or bravery, not signs of illness or treachery. They were signs of Jesus. Because of Jesus, Paul endured all things. His scars told less about the tenacity of Paul, and more about the faithfulness of Christ.

Where are your scars? What do they represent? Who do they represent? Do you conceal them? Or do you ask, "Would you like to see my scar?"

#### Mass Intentions for the Week

July 4, 2022 - July 10, 2022

Monday NO MASS  
 Tuesday 8:00am - Eucharistic Service  
 Wednesday 8:00am - Eucharistic Service  
 Thursday 8:00am - Eucharistic Service  
 Friday 8:00am - Eucharistic Service  
 Saturday 5:00pm - Darrell Dodds+  
 Sunday 7:00am - Anthony Lang+  
 9:00am - Robert T. Cryan, Jr.+  
 11:30am - Holy Face Parishioners

**Morning Mass is cancelled if schools are unexpectedly closed or there is a delayed opening. All cancelled mass dedications will be moved to the next available date.**

#### Weekly Readings

(Mon) Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22  
 Mt 9:18-26  
 (Tues) **Saint Anthony Saccaria**  
**Saint Elizabeth of Portugal**  
 Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Mt 9:32-38  
 (Wed) **Saint Maria Goretti**  
 Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Mt 10:1-7  
 (Thurs) Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Mt 10:7-15  
 (Fri) Hos 14:2-10/Mt 10:16-23  
 (Sat) **Saint Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions**  
 Is 6:1-8/Mt 10:24-33  
 (Sun) Dt 30:10-14  
 Col 1:15-20  
 Lk 10:25-37

#### In Our Prayers

##### PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Please include the following people, as well as all of our family and friends who are ill in your prayers, especially:

Cathy Aragon, Carolyn Asp, Jan Barnes, Dave Barrett, Sister Rosalie Bean, Joan Bolden, Vickie Carroll, Betty Ann Clark, Elizabeth Cryan, Maryann DelFratte, Richie Faunce, Edward Gill, Maggie Jordan, Mary Lillian Hewitt, Billy Hewitt, Janice Ivancik, Pat Kiers, Barbara Lamb, Matt Lamb, Lindsay Leggett, Janice Lynch, Patricia Madrigal, Kevin Markuson, Phyllis Mayor, Teresa Mayor, Virginia McKeen, Barbara McNary, Marion Mills, Angelia Montgomery, Kiara Pelt, Aleesha Perrotta, Lily Perrotta, Dolores Pinno, Vince Roche, Robert Russell, Dorothy Sickle, Mike Skrabacz, Matt Staub, Norma Szewczyk, Dee Trudell, Kurt Unangst, Jean Vollmer, Erne Wickline

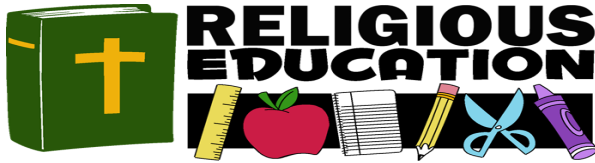
**Call the Parish Office to have names added to or removed from our list.**

##### SERVICE PRAYER LIST

*Please remember in your prayers all of our troops and their civilian counterparts serving in war zones as well as all those in service around the world:*

CDR Randy Dodds, USN	CDR Richard Moebius, Jr., USN
LtCol Brett Shilling, USAF	Airman Steven Lamb, USAF
Lt Jacob Schmidt, USN	Lt Michael Woehrer, USN
Lt Kevin Peters, USCG	Capt Clayton Scott, USMC
Capt Steven Beck, USMC	

If you would like to add a loved one to our armed forces prayer list, please contact the Parish Office during normal business hours—301-994-0525 (T-F 9am-12pm).



*Like Mary and Joseph, families have a mission to welcome Jesus into their homes and lives, to "listen to him, speak with him, take care of him, protect him and grow with him, and in this way improve the world."*

*-Pope Francis*

Sunday Faith Formation serves all parish children. Weekly sessions for Pre-K through 8th Grade meet on Sundays from 10:15am to 11:20am. Two years of faith formation are usually required prior to reception of the Sacraments of First Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation. We always welcome new team members as catechists, substitutes, hall monitors and teen assistants.

***Faith Formation Classes have ended for this school year. We look forward to seeing you in September.***

### **CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD**

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) is truly in need of lead teachers for the new school year in order to continue offering the ministry program on a weekly regular basis. Please prayerfully consider and contact Jamie Shurn at dan-djshurn@yahoo.com if interested.



### **Are You Thirsting For God?**

Are you someone who would like to learn more about your Catholic Faith? Do you know someone not baptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who is thirsting for what it means to become Catholic?

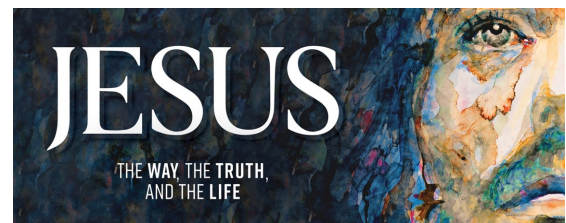
Do you know someone already Catholic but has not yet received Confirmation & Communion?

### **Others may be thirsting too...**

For each of us faith is a journey marked with moments of conversion along the way...we move from unbelief to initial faith, from sin to repentance, from painful isolation to the joyful experience of a loving community, from fear to love.

Faith, conversion, repentance, celebration and community -- five basic elements that are present in the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). The RCIA provides a setting where the journey of faith and moments of conversion can be celebrated within the local Church community.

**RCIA is a place to ask questions and seek understanding. Come and See! Invite a friend! All are Welcome! For more information, contact the Parish Office at (301)994-0525.**



Join us Wednesday evenings at 7:00 in the parish hall or via zoom as we continue our sessions on Jesus: the Way, the Truth, and the Life by Marcellino D'Ambrosio, Jeff Cavins, and Edward Sri. For more information, please contact Susan Baker at 301-904-7404 (call or text), or [sueb2565@gmail.com](mailto:sueb2565@gmail.com)



## Little Flower School



## Flowers—Masses—Lamps

If you would like to have a Mass (\$10), the Sanctuary Lamp (\$5), or Altar Flowers (\$50) dedicated in someone's memory or honor, please call the Rectory at 301-994-0525.



## Help Support the Church

### **LITTLE FLOWER SCHOOL UPCOMING SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

#### Upcoming Events

#### ***Ten Reasons to Choose a Catholic Education***

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9. Commitment to technology use to enhance education
10. Good stewardship of resources

Registration for the 2022-23 school year is now open. Visit our website: [www.littleflowercatholic.org](http://www.littleflowercatholic.org) to see all the great things Little Flower School has to offer. Please contact Little Flower School (301-994-0404) to arrange a tour.

### **THANK YOU FOR YOUR ON-GOING FINANCIAL SUPPORT!**

Thank you to those who've mailed in contributions! We are extremely grateful for your support during these challenging times. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Father Jerry, at 301-994-0525.



### Grand Knight Carl Wolf

Please join me in thanking our Grand Knight for 2021-22, Chris McGraw, for his dedicated and faith-filled service to the Council, Church and our Lord Jesus. We were truly blessed and had a wonderful year under his leadership.

We are very grateful to all the parishioners who made donations to have their cars washed on June 26. Thank you to all the Brothers who helped wash cars as well. The money raised reflects the Knight's commitment to life at all stages and goes to support CareNet Pregnancy Center.

The plan for the 2022-23 fraternal year has been sent to members. Please consider joining us in the good works of the council; we genuinely appreciate any and all help at these events sharing in our commitment to faith, family, community and life. We are always in search of new ideas and would welcome the opportunity to talk with anyone wishing to become a member. Feel free to reach me at: woofwoof\_md@yahoo.com.

### July Activities

- 5 Planning Meeting, 7 pm, Church Hall
- 7 Holy Hour and Adoration, 6 pm, HFC
- 13 Cemetery, church ground clean up, 6:30 pm  
Membership Meeting would normally be held on July 19, however, it will be combined with Officer Installation Rehearsal on July 22
- 22 Officer Installation Rehearsal, 7 pm HFC
- 23 Officer Installation, followed by an Italian pot luck, after 5 pm Mass
- 31 Car Wash – Coats for Kids, 6:30 – 11:30 am, South parking lot

### *Please Join Us*

The Southern Maryland ROOTS Youth Group is pleased to invite students in grades 9-12 to the first annual High School Pilgrimage to St. Clement's Island located on the Potomac River, Colton's Point, MD on September 24th, 2022. During this pilgrimage teens will retrace the steps of their forefathers on historic St. Clements Island, have the opportunity to participate in team building activities and giveback projects with other teens, religious brothers and sisters and first responders. Other activities will include keynote speakers, special guests, meals to include lunch and dinner, mass, confession, adoration and so much more. This event is open to all rising 9th graders through 12th graders within the Archdiocese of Washington. Registration is now open and space is limited. Please visit this website for detailed information on all that will be offered and to reserve your spot today! Please visit our website at:

<https://southernmarylandroots.org/the-journey>



Father Joseph Westfall of Cross Catholic Outreach will be visiting our parish next weekend to speak at all the Masses on behalf of the poor in developing countries. Cross Catholic Outreach was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia and Central and South America.

*Happy Birthday Damon Hebb*

*Born On July 5*

*Father,*

*On this day*

*we give you thanks  
for the gift of this child  
and his birthday.*

*We ask your blessing  
upon him*

*that you would keep him safe  
for many years to come,  
and guide him*

*in the way of love and mercy,  
following the example of your Son  
our Lord Jesus Christ.*

*Amen.*





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