

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sunday, May 30**

Nellie Evans (†), Jessica Chabot (†),  
 For the People, Helen Loftus (†),  
 Mr. & Mrs. Mike Kissinger  
 (HC) Azelda Barkett (†), James Breslin (†)

**Monday, May 31**

Azelda Barkett (†)

**Tuesday, June 1**

Jay Murphy (†), Eleanor Richardson (†)

**Wednesday, June 2**

Marjorie Lieser (†), Ralph Lane (†)

**Thursday, June 3**

John Hoffman, Marina Santana (†)

**Friday, June 4**

Rafael Santayana, Sean Copeland (†)

**Saturday, June 5**

Johnny Diego (†), Azelda Barkett (†)

**Sunday, June 6**

Lillian Kokinchak (†), Vincent Heinlein (†),  
 Walt Crawford (†), Martha Fissette Brott (†)  
 (HC) For the People, Tom Smith (†)

**PARISH LIFE**



God Bless America

**Memorial Day Mass**

The Annual Memorial Day Mass will be celebrated on Monday, **May 31**, at 9:15 am, at the Historic Church. This Mass is in remembrance of all deceased veterans and loved ones, especially those buried in St. Mary's Cemetery. Immediately following Mass, an Honor Guard and Piper will lead our priests and congregation on a procession through the Cemetery for the blessing of the graves. Following the blessing of graves, the Ancient Order of Hibernians will host a reception in Old St. Mary's Hall.

**All Military Members: Active Duty, Retirees, and Veterans**

Please join us on Memorial Day at Old St Mary's for a celebration. We will be placing flags on the graves at 7:30 am if you wish to join us. (Bring an extra pair of shoes if you plan to help as the grounds are still wet with dew.) See the above notice for the schedule of events.

**Mass Schedule Change, May 31**

Due to the Memorial Day Mass celebrated at the Historic Church on Monday, **May 31**, there will be no 6:30 Historic Church Mass, no 9:15 Worship Center Mass and no Eucharistic Adoration on Monday.

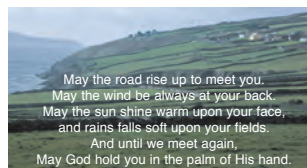
**Office Closed**

The Parish Center offices will be closed on Monday, **May 31**, in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. The counseling center will be open on its regular schedule.

**St. Mary's Is In Search Of A Director of Religious Education (DRE)**

Position is available **July 1, 2010**. DRE directs religious education for PreK-8, including First Communion, Penance, and Confirmation, and coordinates Adult Education at the parish. Applicant should have experience in religious education and a thorough knowledge of Church teachings. Master's degree in theology, religious education, or related field preferred. Applicant must comply with Diocesan Child Protection requirements. Twelve month position with full benefits package. Send resume and references to DRE Search Committee at St. Mary's by **June 1, 2010**. FAX 703-978-2568 or e-mail [briank@stmaryofsorrows.org](mailto:briank@stmaryofsorrows.org).

**Come Celebrate 25 Years of Service**



Peg Telesca, St. Mary's Director of Religious Education, is retiring. Please join us for a celebration of Peg's service to St. Mary's on **Saturday, June 12**, from 6 to 8:30 pm, in Farrell Hall. Please contribute to the celebration by bringing a dish to share. Last name: A - H: vegetable dish, I - P: salad, Q - Z: fruit. RSVP by **June 4**, 703-978-4141, x0, or email: [maureenv@stmaryofsorrows.org](mailto:maureenv@stmaryofsorrows.org).

**READINGS**



- Sun: Prv 8:22-31 .....Rom 5:1-5  
Jn 16:12-15
- Mon: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16  
Lk 1:39-56
- Tue: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18.....Mk 12:13-17
- Wed: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12.....Mk 12:18-27
- Thurs: 2 Tm 2:8-15 .....Mk 13:28-34
- Fri: 2 Tm 3:1-17 .....Mk 12:35-37
- Sat: 2 Tm 4:1-8 .....Mk 12:38-44
- Sun: Gn 14:18-20.....1 Cor 11:23-26  
Lk 9:11b-17

**COLLECTIONS**

Collection information for the week of May 23 was not available when the bulletin went to press.

**White Elephant Sale**



We are accepting donations after Mass this weekend and Tuesday through Thursday. A preview sale with \$5.00 admission will be held on Friday, **June 4**, between 5 and 8 pm. Then the sale continues with free admission on Saturday, **June 5**, 8 am - 8 pm, and Sunday, **June 6**, 8 am - 1:30 pm. No computers, televisions or clothing will be accepted. We will need men and teens to move heavy items. Please consider joining the team of workers in fun and fellowship through this parish activity.

**Marriage Matters**

When you come right down to it, how many people speak the same language, even when they speak the same language?

Russell Hoban

(Read "The Five Love Languages" by Gary Chapman)

**George Mason Campus Ministry Barbecue**

Catholic Campus Ministry at George Mason University is having a summertime barbecue for all college students and graduating high school seniors on Thursday, **June 3**, at 6:30 pm at St. Robert Bellarmine Chapel, 4515 Roberts Road, Fairfax. It's a great way to meet college students from different schools! Our student center will also be open for hanging out every Thursday night in June and July. For Facebook information, search for the group: "Summer Catholic Fun @ GMU." For more information contact Catherine Horan at 703-25-0022 or chorana1@gmu.edu; www.gmuccm.org.

**Help Us Help Others.. In A New Way!**

We are seeing and hearing from more and more members of our parish community who need assistance with employment and job training. We are exploring the possibility of forming a group of volunteers to provide assistance in training, placement and advancement. If you have experience in any of these or other vital areas and would like to be part of this group of parish helpers, please call 703-978-4141, for Carol Mayfield, x19, or Kathy Coleman, x20.

**Save the Date**
**First Annual St. Mary of Sorrows  
Golf Tournament**

**October 4, 2010**

12 pm Shotgun Start  
Country Club of Fairfax

Silent auction/dinner to following in the clubhouse.

Look for more information in future bulletins on how to sign up.

Questions?

Contact Ted O'Donnell at ted.odonnell1@gmail.com.

**Donations Requested For Vactation Bible School**

The VBS "Tree of Requests" in the foyer this weekend is an African Baobab Tree—the Baobab provides the community with water, food, shelter, and a variety of products.

We are hoping our parish community will do the same! Please consider taking a "leaf" from the tree over the next few weekends and donating (or loaning) the item(s) listed after Masses on **June 19 - 20**. The items requested range from recycled egg cartons & paper towel tubes to newly purchased baby wipes, craft items, and snack plates & cups. Questions? Contact Michelle Huber 703-323-1580 or Debbie Bayless 703-250-3362.

**LITURGY & MUSIC****Please Pray For The Sick**

Sheila Sweeney, Mary Davis, Tonia Morris, Lilly Morris, Violet LaBella, Madeline Badovinac, Thomas Patronik, Mike Menton, Andrea Caulfield, Skip Roberts, Roger Michael, Erika Paul, Tom Musson, Normand Bernard, Robbie Pirhalla, Ann Maguire, Barry Hobart, Alex Green, Thomas O'Hare, Pat Seiler, Carmela DeChristopher, George Badovinac, Lt. Mark Wise, Joanne Benner, Christopher Benner, Mason Shaffer, Martin Hauck, Carole Hauck, Mary Basile, and Austin Ruby.

**Please Pray For the Deceased**

Scott Wascavage.

**Baptism**

We joyfully welcome into the Church Piper Ann Presley Waddell.

**Corpus Christi Procession**

Please plan to join our annual Corpus Christi Procession on **June 6** at 2 pm. Come and join the walk from the Worship Center to the Historic Church. We will pray the Rosary, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, sing and just enjoy each other's company while we witness to the Real Presence of our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. This is an opportunity to take Jesus to our neighborhoods and share him with those we meet on our march to the Historic Church. If you can't make the walk, meet us at the HC Grotto for the concluding prayers at approximately 3 pm.

**Why Attend the Corpus Christi Procession?**

Here are 6 reasons to attend the Corpus Christi Procession on **June 6**:

1. Give public witness to the presence of our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.
2. As we say the Rosary during the procession, Our Lady is pleased, which also pleases our Lord.
3. Fellowship with your fellow parishioners.
4. If you don't like your fellow parishioners, a great form of penance.
5. As it is still the Year of the Priest, it pleases our Pastor as our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament is especially dear to him.
6. You will get your exercise for the day.

**New Extraordinary Ministers**

The commissioning for your new ministry will take place at the conclusion of the Corpus Christi Procession. Please make room on **June 6** to be at the Grotto. Whether you walk with the Procession or meet us at the Historic Church, this is especially important for you. Any questions, call Kelly Carter, 703-964-6960, or Cathy Wester, 703- 978-4141, x22.

**Seasoned Extraordinary Ministers**

The Corpus Christi Procession is for you too. Even though you have been commissioned for your ministry, it's always a good idea to come and renew your "Promise" to serve our Lord faithfully in this ministry of giving our Lord to your brothers and sisters in Christ. When we witness to the Real Presence in the Holy Eucharist during the Corpus Christi Procession we are proclaiming to those who see us that we believe Jesus is truly present in this Holy Sacrament.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### Religious Education Registration

Registration is now open for September Religious Education classes. Stop by the Religious Education Office to register. All new and returning students must register for fall classes. Call the Religious Education Office for more information, 703-978-4141, x23 or x29 or see Religious Education on the parish website.



### Congratulations To The Newly Confirmed

We are blessed to have had 98 teens confirmed this weekend. All those confirmed on **May 22** may call Mrs. Haaland at 703-978-4141, x18 to pick up your Confirmation certificates.

### Thank You Volunteers

We are deeply grateful for all of the prayers, time and energy that many volunteers have given to help prepare our teens for Confirmation. Thank you for responding to the Holy Spirit's call to volunteer to catechize our teens, minister to our youth, help in the administrative support, and participate in the Confirmation Mass and reception.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

### High School Youth

Email: [briank@stmaryofsorrows.org](mailto:briank@stmaryofsorrows.org)  
703-978-4141, x11

Check out our sweet website: [www.smosyouth.org](http://www.smosyouth.org)

### BEGGING FOR VANS!!!

From **Friday, June 25 through Saturday, July 3**, we will be on a mission trip in Ohio. We are still looking to borrow one minivan and one full-size (10-12 passenger) van. If you have a van we could borrow, you can take one of our chaperones' cars for the week. Please consider this opportunity to support the youth as we serve the poor in Ohio. If you are interested in this possibility, please email Brian ([briank@stmaryofsorrows.org](mailto:briank@stmaryofsorrows.org)).

### Interested in Helping With Youth Ministry???

We are always looking for volunteers, and we have opportunities for every adult to serve the youth. Whether you would like to help with driving to events, cooking dinners once a month, planning events, leading a small group, or just helping behind-the-scenes on Sunday nights, we need your help!!! If you think God might be calling you to help with this ministry, please email Brian ([briank@stmaryofsorrows.org](mailto:briank@stmaryofsorrows.org)).

### Sunday, May 30

Last 5 pm Mass of the school year

After the 5 pm Mass, we'll go out for dinner with whomever wants to come!

### Sunday, June 6

**Corpus Christi Procession (2 - 3 pm)**

Join the parish's annual Eucharistic procession from the Worship Center to the Old St. Mary's Historic Church!

### Sunday, June 13

**Cookout and Senior Honoring (4 -8 pm)**

All 8th-12th graders and their families are invited to join us for a cookout, some games, and then a time to honor our graduating seniors as they move on to college. Even if you haven't come to any youth ministry events in a long time, we would love to see you!

### Steubenville Retreat/Mission Trip

(Friday, June 25 to Saturday, July 3) Cost: \$450 per person.

We'll head to Ohio for a weekend conference, with over 2,000 teens from all over North America! Then from Monday through Thursday we'll do work for needy families and religious sisters in Steubenville. We'll also spend a day with Dirty Vagabond ministries ([www.dirty-vagabond.com](http://www.dirty-vagabond.com)). On Friday, we'll spend a day at Kennywood, an amusement park in Pittsburgh; that's way better than King's Dominion. We have about 5 spots left for this trip! A \$100 deposit saves your spot.

### Junior High Youth

Email: [jhyouth@stmaryofsorrows.org](mailto:jhyouth@stmaryofsorrows.org)  
703-978-4141, x70

### No JH Event on Monday May 31

Enjoy Memorial Day!

### Junior High Hang Out - June 1

All 7th and 8th graders are invited to come hang out at St. Mary's after school until 5 pm. Come ready to play video games, floor pong, cards, or just to hang out. All are welcome.

### JH Summer Events

Open to all current 6th - 8th graders

#### • July 21-24: Junior High Work Camp

This is a time of fellowship where we partner with the Junior High Youth of several other churches in the area to reach out in service to our community. It runs from Wednesday evening through Saturday and will conclude with a family cookout to celebrate. Many adult volunteers are needed to make this event a success, so if you are the parent of a JH child, please consider if you might be able to contribute.

#### • July 6, 15, 19 and 26: Junior High Youth Wave

We will again partner with St. Mark Catholic Church for these exciting excursions scattered throughout the summer. The plan for each day is as follows: **July 6:** Nationals Game; **July 15:** Splash Down Water Park; **July 19:** Burke Lake Park; **July 26:** Carnival Day at St. Mark. Each day will cost a different amount depending on expenses, so email Nate if you are interested in any or all of these events.

## PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

### Samaritan Fund

Your contributions helped a woman who lost her employment and was temporarily unable to pay her rent. She is very grateful for the assistance.

### Please Mark Your Calendar

#### A Reception to Welcome Our Refugee Family is Planned!

The Bhutanese refugee family of 5, sponsored by St. Mary's Parish through Catholic Charities Office of Migration and Refugee Services, will be in Farrell Hall beginning at 11 am to greet parishioners on Sunday, **June 20!** Theirs has been an incredible journey from Bhutan to Beldangi II (a refugee camp in Nepal) to Northern Virginia. Please plan to come to help warmly welcome them to our parish and to our community!

### Thank You

Catholic Charities Migration and Refugee Services extends thanks to all St. Mary's parishioners who have donated resources, time and talent to our refugee clients. You are helping these individuals who have been through so much to have a very real hope that this new life will be a better one than the one they were forced to leave behind. Thank you for your generosity and for continuing to answer Christ's call to "welcome the stranger among us!"

### Travel to Chimbote, Peru

Would you like to take a trip to Chimbote, Peru, to visit Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish and see how Fr. Jack Davis uses some of our tithing funds to help people who live on less than \$2.00 a day? Bill Seiler will lead a group from St. Mary's departing **August 10 and returning August 18.** If you would like, you can take a side trip to Cusco and Machu Picchu with some of us, returning on **August 21.** Call Bill Seiler, 703-978-0242, for details on the trip, including costs.

### Seeking Facilitators and Potential Participants for JustFaith's Engaging Spirituality

Do you yearn for a deeper, broader spirituality? Are you willing to work toward that goal? If so, we invite you to consider being a facilitator for Engaging Spirituality. Engaging Spirituality, a new JustFaith Ministries program, offers a transformative process that invites adult Christians to explore the intersection between contemplative presence and social action, as it is lived out in our lives. The process draws on the wisdom and practices of our Catholic contemplative tradition for the transformation of our lives and our world. Join us for a facilitator or potential participant discernment/training day on Saturday, **July 17,** at Trinity University in Washington, DC. For more information, or to register, contact Ellen Hayes at [ellen.es animator@gmail.com](mailto:ellen.es animator@gmail.com) or visit the web site: [http://justfaith.org/programs/engaging\\_trainings.html](http://justfaith.org/programs/engaging_trainings.html).

## HAPPENING IN THE DIOCESE

### Mass for Those Who Have Been Sexually Abused

The Mass will be held on **June 8,** at 7:30 pm at St. Theresa Church, 21371 St. Theresa Lane, Ashburn. Bishop Paul S. Loverde will preside. For more information, visit [www.arlingtondiocese.org](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org).

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

White Elephant Collection Sun through Thurs (not Mon) in Farrell Hall				
Sun	30	Coffee & Doughnuts	8:00am	FH/OSMH
Mon	31	Office Closed		
		ACOA/ACDF	7:30pm	UR
Tues	01	Boutique	9:30am	FH(B)
		Knights of Columbus	7:00pm	OSMH
		High School Parents' Meeting	7:30pm	WC
		Bell Choir	7:30pm	MR
Wed	02	AA	10:00am	OSMH
		Compassionate Friends	7:30pm	OSMH
		Charismatic Prayer Group	7:30pm	BSC
		Joyful Noise	7:30pm	WC
Thu	03	Mother's Group	10:00am	OSMH
		Widow's Group	4:30pm	Apt
		Quest	10:00am	Apt.
		CLT Counseling	7:30pm	UR
		Marian Singers	7:30pm	MR
		Boy Scout Troop 697	7:30pm	OSMH
Fri	04	White Elephant Sneak Preview	5:00pm	FH
		Sharing Hope	7:30pm	OSMH
Sat	05	White Elephant Sale	8:00am	FH
		Squires & Roses Fathers' Day Breakfast	8:00am	OSMH
Sun	06	White Elephant Sale	8:00am	FH
		Pancake Breakfast	8:00am	OSMH
		AOH	1:00pm	OSMH

### Effective Communication Skills For Marriage & Life

The diocesan Office for Family Life will host a two-part series on effective communication on Wednesdays, **June 9 and 16,** at 7:30 pm at St. Ambrose Catholic Church, 3901 Woodburn Road in Annandale. Speakers include psychologist Lisa Klewicki who has degrees in both psychology and theology and is the founder of Fountain of Life, LLC. Art Bennett, counselor and Director of the Alpha Omega Clinic, will also speak. He authored *The Temperament God Gave You: The Classic Key to Knowing Yourself, Getting Along with Others and Growing Closer to the Lord* and *The Temperament God Gave Your Spouse*. All persons over 21 are invited to come learn about building better communications skills. A wine and cheese reception will precede the talk. \$10 per talk.

### Networking CAN Help the Unemployed!

CAN provides free professional career counseling, including resume reviews and practice job interviews, every Thursday evening, from 7 - 9 pm at the St. Martin de Porres Senior Center, 4650 Taney Avenue in Alexandria. For more details, contact Elizabeth Lucas at [elizabeth22305@verizon.net](mailto:elizabeth22305@verizon.net) or 703-683-7704, or Bill Hummel, 703-830-5467, [hummel830@cox.net](mailto:hummel830@cox.net).

### Diaconate & Priesthood Ordinations

You are invited to attend the Diaconate Ordination on Saturday, **June 5,** and the Priesthood Ordination on Saturday, **June 12,** both at 11 am at the Cathedral of St. Thomas More, Arlington.

### Vigil of Priesthood Ordination Holy Hour

Please join us in prayer **June 11,** at 7:30 pm for a holy hour at Blessed Sacrament Parish, Alexandria.