

Liturgical Life



Readings for the Week of June 26, 2011

Sunday:	Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58
Monday:	Gn 18:16-33/Mt 8:18-22
Tuesday:	Gn 19:15-29/Mt 8:23-27
Wednesday:	Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19
Thursday:	Gn 22:1b-19/Mt 9:1-8
Friday:	Dt 7:6-11/1 Jn 4:7-16/Mt 11:25-30
Saturday:	Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Lk 2:41-51
Next Sunday:	Zec 9:9-10/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30

**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:
3 JULY, PRESIDERS:**

5:00 p.m.	Fr. Mathew Punchayil
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ROMAN MISSAL REVISED: The third edition of the Roman Missal will be inaugurated on the First Sunday of Advent 2011. Our current English translation dates to 1973. The new translation will use language that is more biblical and more in keeping with the translation of the Revised Lectionary. Also, the new English translation adheres more closely to the original texts in Latin.

ORDINARY TIME: Apart from those seasons having their own distinctive character, there remains in the yearly cycle those weeks (33 or 34) that do not celebrate a specific mystery of Christ. Rather, especially on Sundays, they are devoted to the mystery of Christ in all its fullness. This period is known as Ordinary Time (General Norms, 43). Ordinary Time resumes when the Easter season ends, that is, on Monday, 13 June, the day following Pentecost.

SALVE REGINA: The Marian antiphon, *Salve Regina*, is sung from Trinity Sunday to the First Sunday of Advent. It was used as a processional chant at Cluny as early as 1135. The text of the antiphon is the familiar prayer, "Hail, Holy Queen." At Visitation Parish we use it as a processional chant during the presentation of the gifts.

MASSTIMES.ORG: While travelling this summer, don't forget to visit www.masstimes.org for Mass times and locations across the country.

Parish Life

PARISH NECROLOGY: On the anniversary of their death, please remember the following parishioners in your prayers: **Christopher Osborne** (1 July 1997), **Thomas Aaron** (1 July 2003), **Angelo Salvatore Puglise** (10 July 2004), and **Janet Bernice Quinn** (19 July 2008).

ECCE QUAM BONUM: Last weekend, **Amanda Nicole McNeal, Daniel Kyle Conner, Jason Anthony King, Kelly Marie Carlisi, Meghan Elizabeth McKenna, and Michael Anthony Carlisi** celebrated First Eucharist.



INFANT BAPTISMS: Parents presenting their children for Baptism must be registered in our parish and are required to attend a Baptism Preparation Class **prior to scheduling the Baptism**. Attendance during pregnancy is encouraged. For further information, call the parish office, (301) 948-5536 x 105.

LITURGY OF THE HOURS: Morning Prayer is prayed every morning before the 9:15 a.m. daily liturgy. Morning Prayer begins at 8:45 a.m. in the Thomas More Chapel.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: If you are planning to undergo major surgery, please notify our parish office. If illness or age prevents you from attending mass, call

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the parish office to arrange for visitation and Communion in your home.

PRAYER CHAIN: If you would like to have a special intention remembered in our prayers, please email parishoffice@olvp.org or call the parish office at (301) 948-5536, ext. 103.

MARRIAGE PLANNING: It is Archdiocesan and parish policy that couples seeking to be married in the Church are to make arrangements with a priest or deacon a minimum of six months prior to setting a wedding date.

CATHOLIC ENGAGED ENCOUNTER: Catholic Engaged Encounter is an experiential weekend that calls engaged couples to a sacramental way of life through the vocation of matrimony. For further information go to www.dcengagedencounter.org and register for a weekend.



“BEHOLD YOUR MOTHER”: A day retreat with Fr. Clement Machado, S.O.L.T. is planned on Sunday, 14 August from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. followed by Mass at Georgetown Prep School in North Bethesda, MD. Cost is \$30.00; pre-registration is required. Call Ellen Zsebedics at 301-440-2507 for information and to register,

SILENT RETREATS: Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center offers silent retreats based on the *Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola*, for women on 22 – 24 July and for men on 26 – 28 August at 7007 Bradley Blvd., Bethesda, MD.

2011 QUO VADIS CAMP FOR HIGH SCHOOL YOUNG MEN: Join other high school young men at the third annual Quo Vadis Camp, 17 – 20 July at the Msgr. O’Dwyer Retreat Center in Sparks, MD. Cost is

\$100.00; scholarships are available. Contact Father Rob Walsh, 301-853-4580.

Faith Formation for Life



SCRIPTURE STUDY: A study of the readings for the Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time will be on Tuesday, 28 June, 10:00 a.m., in the Barn.

“PANDAMANIA”: The adventure is about to begin for Session II. Guides will assemble at 8:30 a.m. sharp to greet all registered campers at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, 27 June 2011. Grab your sunblock and **let’s get going!!!!!!**

MARY OF NAZARETH: For information about Mary of Nazareth School, please visit the school’s website at www.maryofnazareth.org.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE – TEACH IN A CATHOLIC SCHOOL: Discover a diverse, faith-filled environment where teachers are empowered to impact young lives through faith, service and scholarship. Discover a supportive community of fellow teachers, parents and students. Discover the difference you can make in students’ lives. Faculty positions are available across the archdiocese. For employment information and a listing of positions, visit www.CatholicSchoolsWork.org, or call 301-853-4518.

KEEPING KIDS SAFE: The Archdiocese of Washington Office of Child Protection Services has created a series of parent guides, “*Keeping Kids Safe*,” covering general safety tips, internet safety, cyber bullying, texting, healthy teen relationships and the archdiocesan child protection policy. Please visit www.adw.org and click on “Protecting our Children.”

Social Concerns

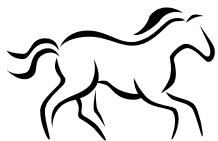
PETER’S PENCE COLLECTION 25-26 June: Today we support the Holy Father in his charitable works. Cast the peace of Christ upon the world-please be generous in today’s Collection.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE FOR LIFE: If you have a heart for women and are a good listener, consider becoming a volunteer counselor at the Shady Grove Pregnancy Center. Training consists of 9 classes to be held Monday/Thursday from 7 – 9 p.m. Dates: July 11, 14, 18, 21, 25, 28 and August 1, 4, and 8. For details call Jackie Stippich at 301-963-6223.

PRISON OUTREACH MINISTRY INC. seeks to reduce recidivism, develop support systems for individuals returning to their communities following incarceration, and educate the community by building relationships and matching individuals with volunteer mentors. Fr. Michael Bryant, the founder, is in great need of financial contributions to continue their successful work. **To donate, contact (202) 347-3218 or www.prisonoutreachministry.org.**

IGNATIAN VOLUNTEER CORPS (IVC) – This is a group of mature men and women, using their skills, talents and life experiences to touch the lives of the poor and disadvantaged, offering hope and human dignity. To learn more, please contact: Joseph E. Jones, DC/Metro Maryland Regional Director, (202) 210-3637 or jjones@ivcusa.org.

Human Resources



SPECIAL THANKS: Visitation Parish wishes to express a special thank you to the folks at **Good Life Farm** in Darnestown. Each year they graciously provide pony rides for our parish picnic at no charge. Please consider visiting the farm over the summer. E-mail farmerlarry@goodlifefarm.com for information.

EMAIL ADDRESS: To receive announcements and messages about parish activities, please send your email address to parishoffice@olvp.org with the subject line: **email**.

BULLETIN/FLYERS DEADLINE: If you wish to submit a bulletin article or a separate insert/flyer in the bulletin, please submit the information by calling (301) 948-5536, ext. 103 or email cenos@olvp.org by noon on Wednesday.

Facilities

PARISH REPAIR: If you see a needed repair around the parish, please call the parish office at (301) 948-5536 x103 and report the problem so we can get it fixed.

Finance



FAITH DIRECT: Faith Direct has sent a letter to parishioners, both enrolled and non-enrolled, with additional information about the benefits of using Faith Direct. Join the many parishioners who have already enrolled in Faith Direct for automated giving to Our Lady of the Visitation. Faith Direct is secure and convenient. There is no cost to you, and the program provides a great benefit to our parish. Sign up today by visiting www.faithdirect.net or by calling (866) 507-8757. Our parish code is MD114. You may pick up an enrollment form from the presider/deacon after mass or from the parish office (301) 948-5536 x108.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

June

- 27 Mon Vacation Bible Camp, Session II, Begins
- 28 Tue Scripture Study, 10:00 a.m., Barn
- 30 Thu Holy Hour, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m., Barn

July

- 01 Fri Vacation Bible Camp, Session II, Ends
- 02 Sat Mortgage Reduction Collection
- 03 Sun Mortgage Reduction Collection
- 04 Mon Parish Office Closed
- 05 Tue Scripture Study, 10:00 a.m., Barn
- 12 Tue Scripture Study, 10:00 a.m., Barn
- 19 Tue Scripture Study, 10:00 a.m., Barn
- 26 Tue Scripture Study, 10:00 a.m., Barn

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