

# MARCH 8, 2020

THE 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY VIGIL MARCH 7

5:30 PM All Parishioners (L/D)

### SUNDAY MARCH 8

8:00 AM All Parishioners (L/D)

10:30 AM All Parishioners (L/D)

12:00 PM All Parishioners (L/D)

### MONDAY MARCH 9

6:45 AM Antoinette Beatrixe Jean Claude + by Charles Lundy

12:00 PM Bernise Springer by Bernadette Springer

### TUESDAY MARCH 10

6:45 AM John Kelley + by Mary Downey

12:00 PM Carol Caroo by Bernadette Springer

### WEDNESDAY MARCH 11

6:45 AM Bernadette Jean Claude + by Charles Lundy

12:00 PM Angelita Baylon + by Hubert Baylon

### THURSDAY MARCH 12

6:45 AM All Souls in Purgatory + by Mary Downey

12:00 PM John P. McHale + by Alice J. McHale

### FRIDAY MARCH 13

6:45 AM The Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Priests

12:00 PM Fr. Daniel Psychaha by Jasmine Clark

### SATURDAY MARCH 14

9:00 AM Emma Basile + by Frank Basile

## PLEASE PRAY FOR

**Dee Artim, Wilda Berry, Ed Boehme, Rosa Diequez,  
April Garcia, Ron Harris, Jude & Linda Landrum,  
& Jose Silva**

Names published for one month. Contact the rectory to arrange.

## SPONSOR OUR 2021 CALENDAR!

Every year, Our Lady of Lourdes provides a religious calendar for our parishioners through the generosity of a sponsor. We are currently seeking a generous business, family, or individual to sponsor our 2021 calendar. The cost of sponsorship is \$952.00, and our sponsor has the opportunity to include a dedication, advertisement, or special message on our 2021 calendars. If interested, please contact the rectory office at **703-684-9261** or [olol@comcast.net](mailto:olol@comcast.net).

## DIOCESAN PODCAST: SEARCHING FOR MORE

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## WEEKLY EVENT CALENDAR

### SUNDAY

9:00 AM

10:30 AM

1:00 PM

3:00 PM

3:00 PM

6:00 PM

6:30 PM

### MONDAY

6:45 PM

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### TUESDAY

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### THURSDAY

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### FRIDAY

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### SATURDAY

9:00 AM

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### SUNDAY

9:00 AM

10:30 AM

3:00 PM

6:00 PM

### MARCH 8

CCD Kindergarten – Grade 5 (Classrooms)

CCD Grade 6 – Grade 12 (Classrooms)

Secular Franciscans (Parish Hall)

Scouts (Parish Hall)

Spanish CCD (Classrooms)

Spanish Coffee Hour (Parish Hall)

YouCat Spanish Youth Group (Classroom 2)

### MARCH 9

Scouts (Parish Hall)

RCIA (HS Classroom)

### MARCH 10

Pro-Life Rosary (Church)

### MARCH 11

Lenten Confessions (Church)

Legion of Mary (LM Room)

### MARCH 12

Card Night (Grade 2 Classroom)

Book Study: *33 Days to Morning Glory* (Parish Hall)

### MARCH 13

Spanish Bible Study (HS Classroom)

YouCat Spanish Youth Group (Classroom 2)

Spanish Legion of Mary (LM Room)

Lenten Stations of the Cross (Church)

### MARCH 14

Alanon Meeting (Classrooms)

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AA Discussion (Classrooms)

Baptism Class (Rectory) *Registration Required!*

### MARCH 15

CCD Kindergarten – Grade 5 (Classrooms)

CCD Grade 6 – Grade 12 (Classrooms)

Spanish CCD (Classrooms)

Diocesan *Shroud of Turin* Event (Parish Hall)

## 2020 BISHOP'S LENTEN APPEAL

### Steadfast in Faith & Joyful in Hope

♦ **We have raised \$49,695.00 and reached %34 of our parish goal of \$148,000.00 with %5 participation as of Feb. 27!**

Have you made your pledge to the BLA? Extra pledge cards are available in the church vestibule and may be dropped in collection basket or delivered to the rectory office anytime throughout March. This year, our parish's financial goal is \$148,000.000. After such marvelous generosity last year allowed us to reach our monetary goal, our aim for 2020 is achieving the same success through an increase in the number of individual donations. **We are striving for 100% parishioner participation. Your support is more important than the amount—a donation of \$1.00 is just as vital as a larger sum, and helps us achieve our participation goal!** Please join us to continue God's work of spirituality, education, and charity.

## SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

**Agents in Style: Luxury Consignment Boutique**

## PRAYER CHAIN

Have an urgent need for prayers? Members of Our Lady of Lourdes parish will pray for your intention. Please call Eileen at **703-521-0079** with your request. No names or personal details necessary; your confidentiality is assured.

## PRO-LIFE ROSARY

### Tuesdays | 7:00 PM | Our Lady of Lourdes

Pray a weekly rosary for the unborn! Join our Pro-Life Committee for a rosary to end abortion on Tuesdays at 7:00 PM at Our Lady of Lourdes.

## YOUNG ADULT PRAISE & WORSHIP WITH FR. PASCAL

### First Tuesdays | 8:00 PM – 9:00 PM | Our Lady of Lourdes

Come meet our new priest in residence, Fr. Pascal, and other young adults from across our diocese on April 7 and the first Tuesday of every month for evenings of praise and worship! Meetings are from 8:00 PM – 9:00 PM at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Fr. Pascal will give a brief spiritual talk and hear confessions at each event.

## WEEKLY LENTEN CONFESSIONS

### Wednesdays | 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM | All Parishes

Each year, the Diocese of Arlington joins the Archdiocese of Washington for *The Light is On for You* initiative, in which every parish (including Our Lady of Lourdes) offers the Sacrament of Penance from 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM on Wednesdays throughout Lent. Come to Confession March 11, 18, and 25, and prepare your heart for Easter!

## CARD NIGHT

### Thursdays | 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM | Our Lady of Lourdes

All are invited to join in for Bridge on Thursday evenings in the Grade 2 Classroom in the Parish Hall from 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM. Come over and play a few hands with fellow parishioners! If interested, please call the Rectory at 703-684-9261 to leave your name and number.

## WEEKLY LENTEN STATIONS OF THE CROSS

### Fridays | 7:30 PM | Our Lady of Lourdes

Join us for Stations of the Cross at 7:30 PM every Friday throughout Lent (except Good Friday) starting February 28. Stations will be led by one of the Our Lady of Lourdes parish priests.

## PROJECT RACHEL: HELP AFTER ABORTION

If you are experiencing spiritual alienation, depression, grief, or suicidal thoughts relating to the loss of a child, you are invited into God's mercy and forgiveness. Please contact Project Rachel healing ministry for confidential care and assistance: 1-888-456-4673, [info@helpafterabortion.org](mailto:info@helpafterabortion.org), or visit [www.helpafterabortion.org](http://www.helpafterabortion.org).

## VOCATIONS

Are you open to being led by the Holy Spirit into the vocation God has prepared for you? If you are considering the priestly or consecrated life, call Fr. Michael Isenberg at **703-841-2514** or write to [michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org).

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

♦ **Thank you to everyone who participated in CCD Service Sunday! Together we prepared 275 meals for Christ House Food Pantry.**

CCD classes meet every Sunday throughout the academic year from 9:00 AM - 10:15 AM for preschool-grade 5 and 10:30 AM - 11:45 AM for grades 6-12 in the lower level of the Parish Hall. CCD registration forms and calendars are available at the rectory office and on the parish website. Please submit forms to the rectory office. For more information, visit the "Education" tab on [www.ololcc.net](http://www.ololcc.net), or contact Mary Beth Harney at [dre@ololcc.net](mailto:dre@ololcc.net).

## ADULT EDUCATION

"The Lamb of God," "The Bread of Life," "The Body and the Blood of Christ" ...what do these phrases mean in the greater and deeper context of Scripture and Church teaching? Join us for our Adult Education course, *Lectio: Eucharist*, wherein Dr. Brant Pitre digs down to the biblical roots of the Sacrament of Communion. Come by the Parish Hall at 9:15 AM any Sunday listed below and enjoy a short film followed by discussion with your fellow parishioners. Coffee and pastries provided! For more information, please contact Mary Beth Harney at [dre@ololcc.net](mailto:dre@ololcc.net). The full Adult Ed. schedule may be found within the CCD schedule on the "Education" page of our website: [www.ololcc.net](http://www.ololcc.net). Upcoming classes: Mar. 8, Mar. 22, Apr. 19, May 17

## SOME EMPTY BOWLS SOUP SUPPER

### Mar. 11 | 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM | St. Ann, Arlington

SOME (So Others Might Eat) invites you to our annual Empty Bowls Soup Supper Wednesday, March 11, from 6:00 PM–8:00 PM at St. Ann (5312 10th Street North, Arlington, VA 22205.) Each year, SOME hosts Empty Bowls Soup Suppers to help provide meals for our area's hungry and homeless. Guests take home handmade bowls crafted by local artists after enjoying soup, bread, and dessert donated by local restaurants. Your bowl then serves as a reminder of the meal's purpose; when you take the "empty bowl" from your cupboard, we hope you will recall that someone's bowl is always empty, and reflect on how you can help alleviate that hunger. Tickets are \$25.00 and may be purchased at the door or online at [www.some.org/emptybowls](http://www.some.org/emptybowls). All proceeds help SOME provide more than 1,000 meals each day to hungry and homeless men, women, and children. For more info, contact Siannah Marcellin at [smarcellin@some.org](mailto:smarcellin@some.org).

## SHROUD TALKS: DISCOVER THE SHROUD OF TURIN

### Mar. 15 | 6:00 PM | Our Lady of Lourdes

Experience the Passion of Christ in a new way: see a full size replica of the Shroud of Turin, hear the history, and discover how science and faith meet! You are invited to attend *Shroud Talks*, a diocesan sponsored presentation on the Shroud of Turin, one of the world's greatest mysteries. Is the Shroud the true burial cloth of Christ? Speaker Bill Wingard will visit Our Lady of Lourdes for a *Shroud Talks* event on Sunday, March 15, at 6:00 PM in the Parish Hall. Learn more and find other events around our diocese at [www.shroudtalks.com](http://www.shroudtalks.com).

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