



This Week in our Parish

Sunday, October 8

Monday, October 9 – Columbus Day – the rectory office will be closed.

Tuesday, October 10 – Fr. Begg's Bible Study 7pm in the Parish Center

Wednesday, October 11 – RCIA 7-8:15pm

Thursday, October 12

Friday, October 13

Saturday, October 14

Mass 5:30 pm

Server: S. Lucas

Lector: L. Weidner and E. Marks

EMoHC: J. Jean-Pierre, B. Pierce

Sunday, October 15 – 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am Mass

Server: **needed**

Lector: P. Meagher and E. Cronan

EMoHC: J. Drew, K. Clay, D. Hogan, M. Kelsey, J. Robinson, S. Powell

10:30 am Mass

Server: J. Dean and C. Rufael

Lector: J. Adams and S. Williams

EMoHC: J. Dean, A. Chite, C. Dorman, K. Johnston, S.

Koons and needed

Coffee Hour: deBergenin

Noon Mass:

Server: F. D'Antuono

Lector: M. Meier and C. Restivo

EMoHC: F. D'Antuono, and K. Pereira

The schedule can always be found on our website: www.st-josephs.org

Opportunities for Service

McKenna's Wagon: Contact Dn. Gary Bockweg at (202) 544-3767 with inquiries or to sign up for a Sunday afternoon shift.

Project Rachel: Are you or someone you love suffering from a past abortion? Call Project Rachel for confidential help at (202) 269-HOPE ProjectRachel@adw.org

Knights of Columbus: For information please contact Patrick Abbott, patrick.abbott@gmail.com 202-355-3979

Vocations - CHECK IT OUT: For you or a friend! For everyone! Become a promoter! Answer the call! Visit www.dcpriest.org, call (202) 636-9020, or email jp2seminary@adw.org

Parish Announcements

Madonna House will be hosting a mom's morning on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month around 9:30 'til 12:00noon. We will end with a simple lunch. If you would like to bring a snack to share that would be welcome. Madonna House is at 220 C Street NE, right next to St. Joe's. For more info call 202-547-0177 or email madonnahousedc@gmail.com.



Bible Study with Fr. Begg meets on Tuesdays at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center. We are studying St. Paul's First Letter to the Thessalonians. All are welcome to attend and please bring a Bible.

The parish choir welcomes new members. We are in need of male voices (particularly basses and baritones). If interested, please contact the Director of Music, Dr. Mickey Terry.



RCIA - Because you are willed... Because you are loved... Because you are necessary... You are called to a deeper understanding of Catholic teachings. Join us for discussions of the Catholic faith on Wednesday evenings from 7-8:15pm. To register or for more information, Please contact us at 202.547.1223 pastor@st-josephs.org

Cotillion Returns to St. Peter School! Exceeding last year's enrollment, 43 Middle School Students are currently participating in Cotillion – a series of etiquette and ballroom dance instruction through the Manners Lab. The Manners Lab goal is to build confidence while promoting good manners, civility – and a respectable fox trot. Two-hour Instructional classes were held on September 22 and 29 and October 6. The final session on October 20 will feature a seated dinner dance, with parents as wait staff. Appropriate dress is required for all events.

Our team, St. Joseph's Joggers, is participating in SOME's Thanksgiving Day Trot for Hunger on November 24th. SOME's Trot for Hunger is a 5K run and family walk held on Thanksgiving Day to benefit the homeless and poor in Washington, DC. The Trot provides essential support for SOME's programs for the poor and homeless and helps ensure that hungry District residents have a hot meal on Thanksgiving Day and every other day of the year. You can help our team support people in need by making a tax-deductible contribution in our team's name or by registering to participate in this year's Trot for Hunger. Your support makes a world of difference in the life of a child or adult in need. Sign up at www.some.org. Contact Suzanne Fenzel at [202-236-9200](tel:202-236-9200) or smfenzel@hotmail.com for more information.

Please pray for the sick in our parish, especially: Howard Brown, Msgr. Paul Langsfeld and Donna Wilkes.

Looking to meet people in their 20s and 30s living a vibrant Catholic life? It doesn't matter if you're new to the city or have

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

been here for years, the **Young Adult Ministry** is happy to host you! Every month we offer Adoration, brunch after Sunday Mass, and service projects around the city. We also have frequent social events, faith formation series, sporting events, and other social events. For more info, email Andrew at yam.stjoseph@gmail.com.

Archdiocese Announcements

World Mission Sunday - During the weekend of October 14-15, the Archdiocese of Washington will celebrate World Mission Sunday, which reminds us of Our Lord's Great Commission to the Church to go into the whole world to proclaim the faith (Matthew 28:19). The World Mission Sunday collection is unique in that it is a global effort for the entire Church. It is a moment each year to provide for the building up of over one thousand local churches in Asia and Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, an area that covers more than half the territory of the globe. Through the work of these churches, and their witness to Christ, the poor receive practical help and experience God's love and mercy that renews hope and peace. For more information, contact Jenean Jones ([301-853-4527](tel:301-853-4527)) or Sr. Crucified ([301-853-4528](tel:301-853-4528)) in the archdiocesan Office of Missions. Thank you for your generosity!

100th Anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima - A Solemn High Latin Mass in the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Liturgy will be celebrated at Holy Comforter - St Cyprian Parish in Washington DC. The occasion is the 100th Anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun during the Apparitions of Our Lady at Fatima, The Mass will take place on Friday October 13th at 7:30 PM and will feature splendid music composed by Palestrina and Byrd and sung by the renown group Chantry. The Church is located at 1357 East Capitol Street, Washington DC 20003. ([202-546-1885](tel:202-546-1885))

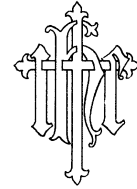
SEND A CARE PACKAGE WITH A CATHOLIC FLAVOR to your favorite college age young adults! Praying College Moms will send a box of goodies, useful items, and some inspiration to them by early November.. Donations are accepted for homeless college students, also. Order online: www.prayingcollegemoms.org by October 20th.

International Week of Prayer and Fasting Sunday October 1-9 Our Lady has said the Rosary is the weapon to bring about world peace. The International Prayer and Fasting Coalition is calling people together to unite for nine days of prayer and fasting for four goals: To convert peoples and nations, To build a culture of life, To protect marriage and family life according to Heaven's Divine Order and For peace in the world. At the conclusion of the nine days there will be an all day prayer event on Monday, Oct 9 at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. This event will include an all day Eucharistic Rosary Vigil with guest speakers, Mass at noon, confessions and the global living rosary. For more information please visit: www.iwopf.org

Walking with Purpose - is a Catholic Bible Study for women that aims to bring women to a deeper personal relationship with Jesus Christ by offering personal study and small group discussion that link our everyday challenges with the solutions given to us through the teachings of Christ and the Catholic Church. Join us as we examine the core questions that we wrestle with if we want to experience all that God has for us. Walking with Purpose will meet on **Friday mornings from 10-11:30am in St Peter's Church Hall** (2nd and C ST Southeast)

and childcare will be provided! For more information or to register, contact Juliet Potrykus at www@saintpetersdc.org or call 559-281-7850.

Capitol Hill Pregnancy Center, Part Time Parenting Teacher Needed - The Capitol Hill Pregnancy Center is looking for a part time teacher to teach teen parenting and general parenting classes in the schools and/or group homes 8 to 10 hours weekly. The curriculum has been developed. Parenting skills and experience are required. For more information please contact Raquel Terry at 202 546 1018 or parenting@chpc.us Capitol Hill Pregnancy Center 713 Maryland Avenue NE, Washington, DC 20002.



Mass Intentions

Monday, October 9

St. Denis, Bishop and Companions, Martyrs,

St. John Leonardi, Priest

Jon 1:1 - 2:2, 11 Lk 10: 25-37

8:00 † Caterina Tiberi

No 12:10 Mass - Columbus Day

Tuesday, October 10

Weekday

Jon 3: 1-10 Lk 10: 38-42

8:00 † Teresa Peligrino

12:10 † Emily Caplis Slocum

Wednesday, October 11

St. John XXIII, Pope

Jon 4: 1-11 Lk 11: 1-4

8:00 For the Intentions of C.S. Hinton

12:10 For the Intentions of the Hollis Family

Thursday, October 12

Weekday

Mal 3: 13-20b Lk 11: 5-13

8:00 † Tom Caplis

12:10 † Samuel Pitera

Friday, October 13

Weekday

Lk 1: 13-15; 2: 1-2 Lk 11: 15-26

8:00 † Sen. Pete Domenici

12:10 † Sen. Pete Domenici

Saturday, October 14

Weekday St. Callistus I, Pope, Martyr

Jl 4: 12-21 Lk 11: 27-28

5:30 † Minnie Ruth Ford

Sunday, October 15

Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 25: 6-10a Phil 4: 12-14, 19-20 Mt 22: 1-14

8:30 Pro Populo

10:30 † Sen. Pete Domenici

12:00 † Sen. Pete Domenici