



## This Week in our Parish

### Sunday, November 5

Monday, November 6

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

**Wednesday, November 8 – 2pm Memorial Service for Senator Pete Domenici.**  
– RCIA 7-8:15pm

Thursday, November 9

**Friday, November 10 – Veteran's Day Observed.** The rectory office will be closed and we will have only one Mass at **9am**

### Saturday, November 11

**Mass 5:30 pm**

Server: S. Lucas

Lector: A. Kongs and E. Andretta

EMoHC: S. Lucas, E. Marks, J. Jean-Pierre

### Sunday, November 12 – 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

**8:30 am Mass**

Server: J. Drew

Lector: S. Oursler and E. Cronan

EMoHC: J. Drew, M. Granger, M. Kelsey, D. Poole-Marks, J. Robinson, K. Clay

**10:30 am Mass**

Server: S. Williams, and L. Rohde

Lector: C. Fluhr and J. Dean

EMoHC: S. Williams, L. Weidner, C. Dorman, L. Javarone, A. Abraham, S. Koons

**Coffee Hour: Wagner**

**Noon Mass:**

Server: F. D'Antuono

Lector: K. Pereira and C. Restivo

EMoHC: F. D'Antuono and J. Blasingame

The schedule can always be found on our website: [www.st-josephs.org](http://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](mailto:ProjectRachel@adw.org)

**Knights of Columbus:** For information please contact Patrick Abbott, [patrick.abbott@gmail.com](mailto: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](http://www.dcpriest.org), call (202) 636-9020, or email [jp2seminary@adw.org](mailto:jp2seminary@adw.org)

## Parish Announcements



### Memorial Mass for Senator Pete Domenici:

Please join us for a Memorial Mass for longtime parishioner, the late Sen. Pete Domenici on Wednesday, Nov. 8 at 2pm a small reception will follow the service. Sen. and Mrs. Domenici moved back to Albuquerque, NM in Jan. 2017. He died on Sept. 13, 2017. His funeral and burial were in Albuquerque. *\*\*\*please remember that we cannot offer parking during the weekday\*\*\**

**Our annual Thanksgiving Food Drive** is scheduled for the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> of November. Please visit our website for specific details on how you can help our local needy neighbors and thank you for your generosity.

**Come meet future diocesan priests** - The seminarians of St. John Paul II seminary will attend the 10:30 am Mass here on **Sunday, November 19**. It is an impressive sight to see almost 50 men who are studying for the priesthood praying in our midst. Please make sure they feel welcome!

### Important Advent dates to put on your calendar:

**The Festival of Light**, with music and readings on Dec. 3 and a **Parish Mission** from Dec. 11-13. After celebrating a beautiful beginning of Advent with the Festival of Light, Fr. John Love, Pastor St. Mark's University Parish in Santa Barbara, California will deepen our love and faith with spiritual conferences. The times have not been chosen, but Father Love will give one daytime and one evening conference each day. In addition, he will preach at all the Masses December 9-10. Don't miss these events!

**Madonna House will be hosting a mom's morning** on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto: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.

**Capitol Hill Men's Evening of Recollection – November 13<sup>th</sup> beginning at 6pm.** These monthly Opus Dei recollections serve as a mini-retreat where we can take a step back and spend some time praying before the Blessed Sacrament.

**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](mailto:pastor@st-josephs.org)

## THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**News from St. Peter School** - Looking for a great book? Search no longer... the Scholastic Book Fair is coming to St. Peter. Choose from hundreds of books, activity kits, CDs and gift ideas for all your readers! The book fair will be hosted in the St. Peter School Multipurpose Room. [Book Fair Hours](#)

November 6: 12 to 4 P.M., Nov 7: 8 A.M. to 4 P.M., Nov 8: 10 A.M. to 6 P.M., Nov 9: 8 A.M. to 4 P.M., Nov 10: 8 A.M. to 2 P.M.

**Open House:** If you are interested in a top-notch, Catholic education right here on Capitol Hill, mark your calendar to attend one of St. Peter School's Fall Open House dateii: Friday, December 1 from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. As it nears its 150-year anniversary in 2018, St. Peter School is thriving. The School offers Grades Pre-K through 8, with a student body averaging 220 students and one class per grade. Characterized by a rigorous academic curriculum and a focus on service to others, St. Peter School students develop into well-rounded young people with solid leadership skills. A National Blue Ribbon School, St. Peter School is a caring community of students, parents, faculty, and staff. We would love to show you what makes our school so special!

**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 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](mailto:yam.stjoseph@gmail.com).

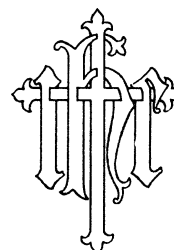
## Archdiocese Announcements

**Collection for Retired Priests** - During the weekend of November 4-5, the Archdiocese of Washington will take up the second collection for our retired priests. Please use the second collection envelopes that have been mailed to your homes and/or the special collection envelopes that will be placed in the pews. There is currently a shortfall in funding for priests' retirement, and the archdiocese is working diligently to address this shortfall through such efforts as this special collection. The priests of the archdiocese have been there for you and your families. Please be there for them to assist in the dignity of their retirement and to honor their lives of service.

**Quo Vadis Come and See Retreat** - Young men in grades 11 and 12 who are considering options for college are invited to Saint John Paul II Seminary Friday, November 3 – Sunday, November 5, 2017, to experience seminary life firsthand. This is an opportunity to meet and talk to our seminarians, pray with them, listen to great talks, and enjoy time for sports and recreation. Please encourage high school juniors and seniors to consider attending this great weekend event. Please visit [www.DCpriest.org](http://www.DCpriest.org) and select "Events" to register. Please call the Office of Priest Vocations at 202-636-9020 or email Fr. Mark Ivany at [vocations@adw.org](mailto:vocations@adw.org) with any questions.

**The Academy of the Holy Cross invites you to attend our Open House on Sunday, November 5th** from 10:00am-1:00pm. In addition to student-led tours and opportunities to meet our faculty and administration, you will receive information about our Honors, AP, IB, and STEM programs, our

Marymount University Dual Credit/Dual Enrollment initiative, as well as our conference-winning athletics and renowned performing and fine arts programs. Mass will be offered at 9:00am. Come experience Holy Cross as we celebrate our 150th anniversary! Call the Admissions Office at [\(301\) 929-6442](tel:3019296442) for more information.



## Mass Intentions

### Monday, November 6

*Weekday,*

Rom 11:29-36 Lk 14:12-14

8:00 †Minnie Ruth Ford

12:10 †Samuel Pitera

### Tuesday, November 7

*Weekday*

Rom 12: 5-16b Lk 14: 15-24

8:00 † Emily Slocum

12:10 † Maurice Thomas

### Wednesday, November 8

*Weekday*

Rom 13: 8-10 Lk 14: 25-33

8:00 Intentions of the Hollis Family

12:10 † Samuel Pitera

### Thursday, November 9

#### *The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica*

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 1 Cor 3: 9c-11, 16-17 Jn 2:13-22

8:00 † Eloisa Branch

12:10 † Stanley Jozwiak

### Friday, November 10

*St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church*

Rom 15: 14-21 Lk 16: 1-8

9:00 † Geraldine Matthews

### Saturday, November 11

*St Martin of Tours, Bishop*

Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27 Lk 16: 9-15

5:30 † Tom Captis

### Sunday, November 12

*Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Wis 6: 12-16 1 Thes 4:13-18 Mt 25: 1-3

8:30 Intentions of C. S. Hinton

10:30 Pro Populo

12:00 † Sen Pete Domenici