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"You shall love the Lord your God with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength."

Mark 12:30

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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:30 PM - Cantor & Organ Sunday: 7:30 AM - Unaccompanied 9:00 AM - Youth Choir & Organ 10:30 AM - Choir & Organ 12:00 Noon - Cantor & Organ 6:00 PM - Contemporary Ensemble

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday thru Friday: 6:30 and 9:00 AM Saturday: 9:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7:00 PM Tuesday and Thursday at 6:00 AM and 8:30 AM Saturdays at 3:30 PM (all sessions--until line ends)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Sundays at 1:15 PM Baptismal preparation class is held the second Saturday of each month at 10:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Diocesan regulations require that you contact one of the Holy Spirit clergy at least six months before the wedding to begin preparations.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND HOME VISITATION

By request. If you or another parishioner you know are unable to attend Mass, please call the Parish Office to make arrangements to receive the Eucharist at home.

HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH

Parish Calendar available at www.holyspiritchurch.us

Sunday, November 4th, 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses at 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 AM; 12:00 & 6:00 PM

Parish Family Breakfast, School cafeteria, following the 7:30,

9:00 & 10:30 AM Masses

Squire Roses, School Meeting Room 2, 12:30 PM

Columbian Squires, School Meeting Room 1, 1:15 PM

Monday, November 5th

Adult Volleyball, School Gym, 7:00 PM

Tuesday, November 6th

Walking with Purpose, Meeting Rooms 1 & 2, 8:30 AM

Legion of Mary, Parish Center Small Room, 10:30 AM

Senior "BINGO", Parish Center Large Room, 11:30 AM

KofC Meeting, School Meeting Room 3, 7:30 PM

Wednesday, November 7th

Contemporary Ensemble rehearsal, Church, 7:30-9:30 PM

RCIA, Parish Center, 7:00 PM

Bible Study with Fr. O'Donohue, Parish Center, 8:30 PM

Thursday, November 8th

Widows or Widowers "WOW", Parish Center, 10:00 AM

St. Cecilia Youth Choir rehearsal, Church, 5:00-6:30 PM

St. Gregory Choir rehearsal, Church, 7:00-9:00 PM

Flag Retirement Ceremony, in front of the School, 7:30 PM

Walking with Purpose, Meeting Rooms 1&2, 7:00 PM

Divine Mercy Cenacle, Parish Center Small Room, 7:30 PM

Friday, November 9th

Eucharistic Adoration immediately following the 6:30 AM

Mass continuously until Saturday morning 9:00 AM

Friday Mass of Reparation, Church, 6:15 PM

Holy Hour, Church, 7:00 PM

Saturday, November 10th, 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses at 9:00 AM & 5:30 PM

Second Collection for the Retirement Fund for Religious

Monthly Diaper Collection

That Man Is You! School Meeting Room 3, 7:00 AM

Memorial Mass, Church, 10:30 AM

Seasons of Hope, Parish Center, 1:30 PM

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WEEKLY CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7:00 PM; Tuesday and

Thursday at 6:00 and 8:30 AM; Saturday at 3:30 PM

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR THIS WEEK
ARE IN MEMORY OF

Leo P. Frank

THE FLOWERS ON THE BLESSED MOTHER'S ALTAR ARE IN

MEMORY OF

Patsy Connally

THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

Monday, November 5th

All Souls Novena 6:30 AM Mike Motsko 中9:00 AM

Tuesday, November 6th

All Souls Novena 6:30 AM

Wednesday, November 7th

Erma Bloom 6:30 AM

All Souls Novena 9:00 AM

Thursday, November 8th

John Unterkofler 6:30 AM

All Souls Novena 9:00 AM

Friday, November 9th

All Souls Novena 6:30 AM

Souls in Purgatory Most in Need 9:00 AM

Saturday, November 10th

All Souls Novena 9:00 AM

Kevin Martucci[†] 5:30 PM

Sunday, November 11th

Shirley Novak 7:30 AM

Frank & Helen Brady& 9:00 AM

Merritt/Zesinger Famlies

10:30 AM

Holy Spirit Parish 12:00 PM

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Pat Connally Bonnie Kloman Jeffrey J. Wolfe David Finnegan Jean Doherty Murray

FRIDAY MASS OF REPARATION, Friday, November 9th In response to a request from Bishop Burbidge, on Friday November 9th, at 6:15 PM, we will celebrate a Mass for the victims of sexual abuse and in reparation for the sins of the clergy.

2018 WHITE HOUSE CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT SALE

Holy Spirit Women's Council will be outside all Masses the weekends of November 3rd-4th, 10th-11th and 17th-18th selling and delivering 2018 White House Christmas ornaments. If you pre-ordered please stop by the table to pick up your ornaments. We do have extras to sell. For more information contact Candie Poumade at 703 425-8769 or cpoumade@prodigy.net.

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SECOND COLLECTION FOR HURRICANE MICHAEL

In lieu of our November Maintenance Collection, Holy Spirit will be holding a collection to assist those affected by the devastating damage from Hurricane Michael. Parishioners who want to contribute may choose to donate directly to <u>catholiccharitiesusa.org</u>. Our collection will be November 17th & 18th, in place of the Maintenance Fund.

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Helping Others, Will You Help Too?

In the Gospel today, Jesus tells us:

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength...and you shall love your neighbor as yourself."

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul serves our neighbors in need regardless of creed, ethnic or social background, health, gender, or political opinions. With the help of your donations and prayers, the Vincentians at Holy Spirit are able to assist families and individuals in times of crisis with financial, emotional and spiritual support. Thank you!

PARISH STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM

Thank you for celebrating Commitment Sunday with us this weekend. Your commitment to our parish through our Increased Offertory Program will continue to bring life to our community. If completing your commitment card was not possible at Mass, an invitation to respond will be mailed later this week to your home. Please return your Commitment Card to the office this week or in next week's collection. If you have not yet done so, join the many others and give your gift online through our electronic giving program. Please call the parish office with any questions.

PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Every day for five minutes silence your imagination, shut your eyes and ears to the sights and sounds of the world and withdraw into yourself and there, within the sanctuary of your baptized soul, which is the temple of the Holy Spirit, talk to Him thus:

O Holy Spirit, soul of my soul, I adore You.

Enlighten me, guide me, strengthen me, comfort me.

Tell me what I should do, give me Your orders;
I promise that I will submit to all that You desire of me

And accept all You allow to happen to me.

Grant me only to know Your will.



HIGH SCHOOL

Join us tonight November 4th, 7:00-9:00 PM in the School for our High School Sunday Night Meeting.

All High Schoolers are welcome! Come join in our crazy games as we figure out how to follow Christ and live our faith together. Share the fun and bring a friend too! You must register online at holyspiritchurch.us/ministries/youth/high-school/.

Tuesday Nights at Peet's, November 6th, 6:30-8:00 PM* *Please note the time change

All High Schoolers are welcome to join us **every Tuesday night**. We will meet over at Peet's Coffee and your first drink is on me. More information and permission slips may be found online at holyspiritchurch.us/ministries/youth/high-school/.

FIAT and BoB meeting is Wednesday, November 7th, 7:30-9:30 PM in the Youth Room

All High School boys and girls are invited to join us for our single-sex small groups. Permission and locations may be found at holyspiritchurch.us/youth. You must register online prior to attending.

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Middle School Youth Group Friday, November 9th, 7:30-9:30 PM in the School

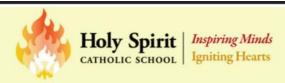
We'll have manhunt and pizza! All middle schoolers are welcome. Parents, chaperones are always needed. To sign up click on the volunteer button on the parish website.

Cor Unum Middle School Small Groups, Friday, November 9th, 3:30-5:00 PM

Cor Unum is single sex small groups for 7th and 8th graders, from all different middle schools to come together to discuss important topics of the faith, pray together, create new friendships, and have fun! These groups help our youth learn what it means to be a young man or woman of Faith in today's world! Please register at holyspiritchurch.us/youth.

Militia Immaculata, MI, November 5th, 3:15 in the Youth Room.

Join us every Monday afternoon in the Youth Room for our Militia Immaculata Meeting. MI is a prayer group using the power of the youth to pray for an end to evil in the world. We meet every Monday to call upon the Holy Spirit through the intercession of Our Lady for the conversion of the whole world. All ages are welcome. For more information and to register visit https://doi.org/10.1007/journal.org/ and to register visit https://doi.org/ and to register visit https://doi.org/ and to regi



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Holy Spirit School **Open House** for Prospective Families will be **November 14**th, 9:00-10:30 AM & 6:00-7:00 PM in the **school**. Come and witness first-hand how Holy Spirit School is inspiring minds and igniting hearts! Please contact the school at (703) 978-7117 with any questions.



THE BROTHERS GRIMM SPACTACULATHON, will be presented by the O'Connell Players at Bishop O'Connell

High School on Thursday, November 8th through Saturday, November 10th, at 7:00 PM and Sunday November 11th, at 2:00 PM. For more information or to buy tickets, call 703 237-1448 or visit bishopoconnell.org/ocplayers.



saint John Paul the Great Catholic High School's annual 5K and Fun Run will take place at our beautiful campus on Saturday, November 10th, at 9:00 AM. There will be both a timed 5K and a fun run, followed by a pancake breakfast. Please join us for this

family-friendly event. All proceeds benefit our special education inclusion programs. To sign up visit runsignup/jp5Krunwalkforoptions.





THE MONTHLY INFANT DIAPER COLLECTION is next weekend, November 10th-11th, after all Masses. Sizes 4 and 5 are most needed. Collection bins are located in front of the church.

WE PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY AND SUPPORT SERVICES OVERSEAS

"May the peace of God's presence and our concern for them give them strength"

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1 st Lt. Kyle Gorak	LCPL John Gundling
Capt. Brian Harper	Sgt. Andrew J. Houston
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RENOVATION ROUND TABLES

As we continue to build our Communion and Community with the renovation of our church, the parish is holding two brainstorming sessions to



gather suggestions for the new devotional areas planned for the church. We are looking for suggestions of sacred themes to incorporate in various areas of the church building. Please join us in the Parish Center on Monday, November 5th, at 10:00 AM or 7:30 PM. The consolidated list of ideas will be submitted to Fr. O'Donohue.

PRIME TIME SINGLE CATHOLICS (PTSC) serves single Catholics 40 and over. Join us for these events in November: lunch every Thursday (RSVP to Tom at ptscnva@gmail.com); brunch in Vienna on November 11th(RSVP to Pat at ptscnva@gmail.com); Annual Dinner Dance November 17th (contact Janet at 703 356-8330 for information); Thanksgiving Day dinner (RSVP to Tom at ptscnva@gmail.com); lunch in Falls Church on November 27th (RSVP to Bob at bobs1947@juno.com). For more details, visit bit.ly/ptsc.

MOMS OF SPECIAL NEEDS KIDS

The Special Blessings Group profiled in the Arlington Catholic Herald in October is coming to the suburbs. If you are the Mom of a special needs child seeking spiritual support please join us on Tuesday, November 13th, 7:00-8:30 PM, at St. Rita Church Parish Center, 3815 Russell Road, Alexandria (building to the left of the church). Our guest, Nancy J. Emanuel, PhD, Coordinator for Special Needs Ministries for our Diocese, will discuss current programs in the Diocese and take your questions, ideas, and other input. Moms will be welcome to stay and visit after the program!

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

William V. Arbacas, III
Tom Branagan
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Estelia Swindells
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Donna MacCabe
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US FLAG COLLECTION

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NOVEMBER 8
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IN FRONT OF SCHOOL

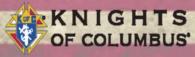
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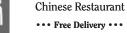
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