

**12th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JUNE 25, 2017**

FROM FR. KUNKEL

Today's Readings
12th Sunday
Jer 20: 10-13
Rom 5: 12-15
Mt. 10: 26-33

Readings for 7/02/17
13TH Sunday
2 Kgs 4: 8-11, 14-16
Rom 6: 3—4, 8-11
Mt. 10: 37-42

MASS INTENTIONS: JUNE 26 TO JULY 2, 2017

Monday	9:00 a.m.	Anthony & Catherine Kunkel
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	John Layton
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Guerriero Family
Sunday	8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:15 a.m.	Souls in Purgatory Camille Kiedrowski Vocation Priesthood

(SI) Special Intentions (B) Birthday (A) Anniversary (H) Health

PRAY FOR THE SICK: Please notify the Church office if you are in need of prayer, so that we can include you in our Prayer List. Please pray for: Michael Barlow, Annette Baxter, Brent Bittner, Lawrence Boden, Michelle Bortmes, Cynthia Brown, Ed Bresniack, JoAnn Brenmeman, Roy Broyles, Aaron Carter, Mary Cochran, Kemper (Scoop) Cline, Ginger Corvin, Sr. Anthony Leo Cuneo, Jean L Dempster, Elaine Donahue, Margaret Dougherty, Kathleen Douglas, Steve Ferguson, Don Green, Gorden Gosewich, Jim Gosnell, Sam Hadoulis, Jo Anne Heaps, Clifton Hedley, Dorothy Heinks, David Hudson, Erin Huff, John Hufnagel, Scott Jackson, Attila Kekesi, Michael Kraus, Bob Krug, Kelly Lally, Candace Webb Lee, Larriane (Heaps) Lilley, Elaine Mann, John Meilnik, Katherine Miller, Jim Mixon, Bart Mohr, Chuck & Susan Pace, Mack Palmer, Genelia Peagler, Joan Rogers, Bob Ryer, Barbara Schroll, Jodie Smithson, Jeanne Berg Stith, Shirley Suggs, Bernice Taylor, Charles & Melissa V., Theresa Wagner, Linda Webb, Michael Webb, James W. Webb, Kimberly Weidner, Marie Weller, Mandy Wetzler, Jim Wilson, Marie Winterling-Fogarty, Barbara Wunner.

SCHEDULE FOR WEEKEND OF 7/02/17

Ministry	Sat 4 pm July 1	Sun 8 am July 2	Sun 9:30 July 2	Sun 11:15 July 2
Priest	MK	LG	HK	HK
Lectors	D Logan	S McCain	B Kiedrowski	S Alasandro
EM	L Fritz	D Hughes	J Poole	
	A Chaney	S Dieter	T dieter	B Nowak
	K Ayers	L Hall	B Hoopert	C Hoopert
	G Dumer	D Eakes	M Rudell	
Server	G Arnett	O Ayd	W Desmond	J Eakes
	H Arnett	M Rinaudo	Z Kiedrowski	J McCarty
			B Kiedrowski	H McCarty
Sacristan			B Oursler	W Eakes

Jesus knew that it is very human to be afraid of someone who could kill your body. However, he said, the one you really should be afraid of is the one who can cause you to lose both body and soul. On September 11, terrorists destroyed the bodies of many people whose spirits remained alive and free. In the face of imminent death, they reached out to say, "I love you!" They stayed behind to help others! They gave their own lives that others might live! They did not lose their souls!

Nelson Mandela once said, "We were all born to make manifest the glory of God that is within us. As we are liberated from our own fear, our presence automatically liberates others." We each have the potential to live in the love of the Father rather than out of our own fears. The fact that even the prophets and the closest followers of Jesus endured moments of doubt, shows us that a certain amount of fear is to be expected when facing the world. There is no guarantee that nothing bad will ever happen to us. However, we do have the promise that Jesus is indeed by our side.

Think for a moment of the last time you may have let your fears dominate you. Were you concerned about how others saw you? Perhaps you became annoyed because you were passed over or not listened to. Fear creates distance between people and can even cause anger and hostility.

Take a good look at an angry or violent person. What we are actually looking at is a very frightened individual living out of the darkness of fear. Do not be afraid. We are worth more than we could ever know. Our mission is to proclaim the love of the Father to a broken and fearful world. As Jeremiah's prayer, in this weekend's first reading suggests, not everyone will listen. But we must have the confidence to witness to the truth, trusting always in the love of the Father made manifest in Jesus his Son.



ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to have a loved one either remembered or honored with a donation of flowers for the altar please call Sue Dieter at 410-937-4035

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Wealthy Families

2 Corinthians 8; 14-15. "Your plenty at the present time should supply their needs so their surplus may one day supply your needs, with equality as a result. It is written, "He who gathered much had no excess and he who gathered little had no lack."

Treasure – June 11 and 18, 2017

Will be in the bulletin at a future date.

- The message of stewardship is that God's gifts, *shared*, will always be enough. Thank you for continuing to share your gifts with the parish, others and the Lord. Your generosity is deeply appreciated.
- Please consider remembering St. Mary, Pylesville **in your will**. Catholics of generations to come will thank you for your thoughtfulness and remember you in prayer.

Offertory Envelopes/EFT

The parish offers two (2) plans for giving: Electronic Funds Transfer and Church Offertory Envelopes. The easiest and most efficient way is **Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)**. Your donations are automatically taken out of your checking or savings account or charged to your credit card. No need to think about writing a check, remembering your envelope or being away for a well deserved weekend or vacation. You can have your contributions deducted anytime during the month. How much easier can it be? The **Church Offertory Envelopes** are mailed to you every month. It is required the envelopes be used to have your contribution recorded. If you are unable to attend mass we ask you to please bring your envelope(s) the next weekend you attend mass, mail them or drop them off at the office. Please call the parish office, Ext. 22 if you would like to enroll in one of the giving methods or if you would like to switch from envelopes to EFT. As always, thank you for your continued support of the parish.

Summer Contributions:

Now that summer is officially here, I would like to take this opportunity to wish all of you a happy and safe summer. Our parish is dependent on your contributions, especially during vacation season. We, as you, must still pay the utilities, salaries, etc.

If you use parish offertory envelopes and you are away for the weekend, I ask you to please make up your contribution the following weekend.

You can also consider joining ParishPay. Your contributions will always be here even if you are away having fun in the sun. The forms can be picked up in the vestibule of the church or call the parish office, Ext. 22.

I wish to extend my sincere thanks for your continued generosity.

Fr. Kunkel

****Next Weekend: July 1st & June 2nd**

Weekly Offering: - Provides a regular predictable source of funding so the Church can meet its practical responsibilities; cost of facilities, administration, worship, salaries/benefits, religious education subsidy, ministries, and miscellaneous expenses. **(We encourage all envelope users to please use your envelopes. This will assist in decreasing the posting time.)** Collected with the Easter Offering

Chaplain at Upper Chesapeake: All Harford County parishes will provide a portion of the salary, housing and benefits for a chaplain to attend to the patients, to anoint the sick, hear confessions and visit the sick at the Upper Chesapeake Medical Center. This "**Special envelope**" can be

placed in the regular offertory collection along with your weekly offering envelope.

Poor Box: "Little Sisters of the Poor": The Little Sisters of the Poor have been serving the vulnerable aged in our Archdiocese without interruption since 1869. They humbly beg to fill the gap between what is provided by the residents and/or government and truly what is needed for the residents to have the dignity they deserve.

PARISH INFORMATION

Baby Shower for BirthRight Crisis Pregnancy Center

The **BirthRight Baby Shower** takes place the weekend of July 8th and 9th. Celebrate the birth of your Spiritually Adopted babies by bringing donations for BirthRight Crisis Pregnancy Center to Mass on July 8 and July 9. Donations may include diapers, wipes, baby toiletries and baby clothing. Monetary donations are always welcome to purchase supplies and to pay other bills for the center. Thank you for your generosity in helping moms go from despair to delivery.



Expectant Parents Blessing



St. Mary's will hold an expectant parents blessing at all Masses the weekend of July 8 & 9. The priest will bestow a special blessing on all expectant mothers and fathers for the successful carrying to term of their precious children.

PARISH YOUTH MINISTRY

YM JOINT EVENT MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

July 7 VBS Work Night/Ice Cream Social 6-9 pm in the Hall. Teens help us create scenery for VBS. Please let us know if you have any pool noodles that we can recycle into seaweed and sea plants.

July 29 9th Grade Outreach to First Fruits Farms. Incoming 9th Grade HSFF Students meet Mrs. Rachel by the Youth Room at 8 am ready to work! Permission form and waiver needed.

August 4 Guppy Gulch Water Park Meet us at Guppy Gulch at 10 am till 3pm. Cost is \$22.00 pp. Permission form is needed. For ages 13 and older. Please call Mrs. Rachel to reserve your spot!! Chaperones needed.

June 25 Commissioning Mass for Work Campers will be at the 8 am Mass. Campers can load their gear before or after Mass. After Mass we will depart for Cumberland MD

High School Faith Formation Update

9th Grade FF Registration forms have been mailed out to families who have incoming 9th grade students for 2017-2018 school year. They are due back before July 15th or a late fee will incur. If you have an upcoming 9th grade student and we missed you, please contact Rachel Bittner at the Parish Office ext. 23 or nbittner@hotmail.com. Please remember your student needs to be in Faith Formation 1 year prior to receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation.

**ST. MARY'S
LUNCHEON BINGO
TUESDAY,**

JULY 11, 2017



Join in for a relaxing day of bingo and lunch. Doors open at 10:00 a.m. and the low price of \$10.00 include admission, lunch and a regular bingo packet of 16 games, 3 cards to a sheet. For a small additional fee special games and extra bingo packets can be purchased. The Menu for July 11th is:

- Tuna Salad on Roll
- Macaroni Salad
- Red, White & Blue Cake

Progressive Jackpot for July 11, 2017
Is \$200.00 in 59 numbers or less.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

CRAB RAFFLE WINNER



Congratulations to Josephine Warne who is this year's Crab Raffle Winner from our Catholic Heart Work Camp Fundraiser. Ms. Warne will enjoy a bushel of Crabs compliments of the Hubbard Family (Don's Crab House) and a \$50 Saubel's gift card!!! Thank you to all the Parishioners and Work Campers who sold and purchased tickets!!

CATHOLIC HEART WORK CAMP

June 25 Commissioning Mass for Work Campers will be at the 8 am Mass. Campers can load their gear before or after Mass. After Mass we will depart for Cumberland MD. Please keep the work campers and the Adult Team in your prayers this coming week as we serve in Cumberland MD. This year's Catholic Heart Work Camp theme is: "We all find hope in being **"ROOTED"** in the truth that "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever!" (Hebrews 13:8) Through service we are challenged to walk in someone else's shoes and to open our eyes to the needs of His people. Thank you for all of your support, prayers, financial support to make this mission trip possible.



BAKE SALE

Jason Ramsland, a Life Scout in Troop 811, will be having a bake sale after the Masses on July 15th & 16th to fund for his Eagle Scout project at St. Mary's Church. His project includes replacing Veteran Cemetery flag holders and mulching.



ST MARY'S WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, June 26, 2017

7:30 p.m.Knights of Columbus

Wednesday June 28, 2017

7:00 p.m. Cont. Music

Thursday, June 29, 2017

6:30 p.m. TMIY Core Group

Saturday, July 1, 2017

..... Casserole Pans Distributed

Sunday, July 2, 2017

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If you are looking for a way to get involved in the parish in a ministry that is very rewarding and only requires 2-4 hours of your time per year, we would like you to consider joining St. Mary's Baptism Prep Team. Baptism Prep catechists teach only 2 classes per year. Currently, we have 6 adults on the team who have been doing this ministry for close to 25 years. We would like to add an additional 6 members so that each month, 2 adults would host the class together. There are no special training classes necessary to attend in order to become a baptism prep catechist. The training would be on-the-spot while working with an experienced teacher. Please contact Janice Bowman at 717-382-4198 if interested, or speak to one of the team members. Thank you!
Baptism Prep Team: Kathy Ayers, Christine Bowers, Janice Bowman, Rose Mince, and Rob & Kay Wolff





PARISH PRAYER GATHERING

We all pray.....Prayer, Just like people come in all shapes and sizes. LONG prayers like “9 day devotional novena” or short prayers like, “PPPPlease God let me get to work on time!” Sometime we want to pray and simply can’t find the time, or just can’t focus when we do have a few minutes. This message is for you!!! We invite you ALL to join us on July 13th, and Aug. 10th. at 10 am (or) 7 p.m. for a Parish Prayer Gathering! Bring your favorite prayer to share and spend just a few minutes with us and discover how you can enrich your God given abilities to Love and Praise God!!! Okay, now pull out your calendar and mark the dates...you’ll be glad you did!!!

For more information please call Donna 443-504-5454 or Nancy 410-692-6363

PATRIOTIC ROSARY JULY 1, 2017

St. Mary’s Parishioners will join the Harford Area Parishes to Pray the Patriotic Rosary on Saturday, July 1st at 12 noon at Shamrock Park in Ble Air. We will be praying for the peace and preservation of our Religious Freedom. Plan a Picnic, bring a chair and umbrella and especially bring the kids. Free Parking in the Bel Air Parking Garage; Handicap parking next to the park.



COMMUNITY EVENTS

EDEN MILL NATURE CAMPS



Calling all 6-11 year olds! Join our naturalist for a week of fun! We will hike the trails through various habitats, feed and work with live animals in the nature center, explore the park, learn from the Master gardeners, play games, perform

experiments, and make crafts. For more information call 410-836-3050.

July 10 – 14 – What’s Buggin’ You? – Observe and collect insects as we take a closer look on what makes an insect and insect, life cycles, macroinvertebrates and water quality, pollinators, and much more! How and insects important to different cultures?

July 17 – 21 – Aquatic Adventures – Discover the world of water. Let’s scoop some goop, learn about the water cycle, and study the special animals and plants that call our watery places their home.

July 24-28 – Tracks and Trails – Join us as we explore the trails at Eden Mill. We will learn about, and search for, the

many signs that animals have left behind. Beaver chews, feathers, tracks, scat, you never know what we mind find!

EVENING OF PRAYER & MUSIC WITH AUDREY ASSAD AND HER BAND

Edge of Dawn Tour – Sunday,
August 20th at 7 PM, - St.

Ignatius – Hickory.

Tickets are now on sale: \$20.00 per individual - \$60.00 per family of 3 or more. Available on line or in our office @ www.stignatiushickory.org or www.audreyassad.com.



THE ARK ENCOUNTER & CREATION MUSEUM AUG. 28TH – SEPT. 1, 2017

Join our sister parish St. Edwards for a fun time. Trip includes 4 nights lodging, 8 meals: 4 breakfasts and 4 dinners. Admission to the Ark and Creation Museum. Diamond Tours Dinner Party with Entertainment. Admission to Newport Aquarium and Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Gardens and much more. Will depart from St. Edwards Church, 901 Poplar Grove St. Baltimore Md at 8:00 a.m. Only 9 sets left. For more information or to book you seat call Bessie Butcher at 443-621-9171.



NUN RUN

SATURDAY, SEPT. 9, 2017

Please join the Little Sisters of the Poor for their 4th annual NUN RUN at the Cathedral of Mary Our Queen, 5200 N. Charles Street! Start time for the 5K and 1 mile run/walk is 8:00 a.m. Visit www.littlesistersofthepoorbaltimore.org for additional information. Register at www.charmcityrun.com or Contact 410-744-9367 ext. 126 with questions. If you are “dreaming of running, but sleeping in,” consider a donation to the Little Sisters or participate in a “Virtual Run” at your convenience. Encourage your friends/family to pledge their monetary support as YOU participate in the Nun Run. Forms available on our website.



SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA OCTOBER 2017

100th Anniversary Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima 10 Day Pilgrimage to Portugal offered over three dates in October, 2017. We can be departing your Airport and at the all land inclusive cost of \$2,149.99 in twin accommodations with single accommodations also available. Call for the special air price from your city. We will be visiting Lisbon, Fatima, Santarem Portugal, Lourdes France and Barcelona Spain. For further information please call Mr. James Adair at 1-855-564-1008 or e-mail llmadair@thecatholictour.com.

