

MAY 29, 2016

## The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

# ANNUNCIATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## MASSES

Saturday: 9am, Vigil 5:30pm

*Miraculous Medal Novena* after the  
Saturday 9am Mass

Sunday: 7:30am, 9am, 10:30am, 12:30pm  
*Children's Liturgy of the Word* at the  
Sunday 9am Mass

Monday-Friday: 8am, 11am

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesdays 11:30am-7pm

## RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 5-5:30pm

Saturday 4:15-5:15pm

## CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENTS

**BAPTISM:** The sacrament joyfully celebrates the entrance of members into our Catholic community. Baptisms are celebrated on Saturday mornings at 9:45am or by appointment, following preparation of the parents. Baptisms for adults take place through the RCIA process.

**CONFIRMATION:** "Through the sacrament of confirmation, the baptized are more perfectly bound to the church and are enriched with a special strength of the Holy Spirit." Confirmation is offered to adults through the RCIA process, and annually for our eighth-grade students. As with the other sacraments of initiation, preparation is involved.

**MATRIMONY:** Couples should contact the parish office as soon as possible or at least six months in advance of the desired wedding date to make arrangements for preparation.

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS:** For those who are interested in finding out more information about the Catholic faith and/or interested in becoming Catholic. Please call the parish office.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Our parish continues Christ's ministry of making whole the members of our community who suffer physical or emotional ills with Anointing of the Sick. Please call the parish office if you would like to receive this sacrament.

### THIS WEEK ...

- Parish Office closed  
on Monday
- YA Dinner &  
Discourse on  
Thursday

## PASTORAL STAFF

### PASTOR EMERITUS:

Rev. Msgr. V. James Lockman

### WEEKEND ASSOCIATES

Rev. Michael Hall, O.S.B.

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## THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

### FIRST READING: GENESIS 14:18-20

Melchizedek, a priest of God, prayed that Abram would be blessed by God. He also praised God for delivering Abram's foes into his hands.

### SECOND READING: 1 CORINTHIANS 11:23-26

Paul describes Jesus' actions during the last supper. Jesus broke bread and said it was his body given for us, asking that we do the same in remembrance of him. He then passed the cup and called it his blood. Jesus then asked us to break bread in this manner to remember his death until he returns.

### GOSPEL: LUKE 9:11B-17

Jesus spoke to a large crowd when his disciples asked that he dismiss the people to give them a chance to find food and lodging. Jesus asked the disciples to give the crowd something to eat, but they had only five loaves of bread and two fish. Jesus then blessed and distributed the food, which fed about 5,000 people. Twelve baskets were then collected from what was left over.

## PRAY WITH SCRIPTURE...

<b>Monday</b>	2 Pt 1:2-7; Mk 12:1-12
<b>Tuesday</b>	Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Lk 1:39-56
<b>Wednesday</b>	2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Mk 12:18-27
<b>Thursday</b>	2 Tm 2:8-15; Mk 12:28-34
<b>Friday</b>	Ez 34:11-16; Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7
<b>Saturday</b>	2 Tm 4:1-8; Lk 2:41-51

## WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

If you are new in the area, you are encouraged to register with your parish. Registration forms are available on our website: [www.annunciationdc.org](http://www.annunciationdc.org), in the foyer or by request from the parish office. Completed forms can be placed in the collection basket or the 24-hour drop box outside the parish office.

New parishioners are invited to attend our coffee reception after Mass to meet members of the parish. Please let us know if you are relocating so we can update our records.

## SHARE MERCY WITH PEOPLE IN NEED

Catholic Charities, the social service arm of the Church, welcomes you, the Church, to share mercy by serving people in need. Come make a difference in someone's life – and your own! Sign up for a one-time event or make a bigger commitment: be a mentor to someone returning from prison, welcome people arriving at a shelter for the night, or help provide 1,000 people with dental care at the Southern Maryland Mission of Mercy (clinical and general volunteers needed for this event July 28-30 in Waldorf). Get information and get started by visiting [www.CatholicCharitiesDC.org/volunteer](http://www.CatholicCharitiesDC.org/volunteer).



Would you like to receive Monsignor Antonicelli's weekly email?

Simply send an email to [pastor@annunciationdc.org](mailto:pastor@annunciationdc.org) to sign up.

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## GET INVOLVED!

### BE A VOLUNTEER — MAKE A DIFFERENCE

We are always in need of help as our parish continues to grow.

Prayerfully consider assisting in any of our children's programs: Religious Education sessions, Children's Liturgy of the Word, Faith Fun, children's retreats, Friday night Community Service for our Confirmation students.

Our Adult Formation programs also need volunteers.

We could always use a hand with our Refreshment Teams on Sunday Mornings. In the fall, we would like to start serving refreshments after the 12:30pm Mass once a month on Sundays.

Our Altar Flower Committee is always looking for new people. Get to know your community by volunteering to help with our bazaar or any of our yearly events.

Called to assist at Mass? Consider serving as a Lector, or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion. Aramatheans are also needed to assist at funeral masses.

For more information or just to have a conversation, contact: Patrice Morace at [morace@annunciationdc.org](mailto:morace@annunciationdc.org) or 202.362.3323 ext 13, or Tina Lindberg at [lindberg@annunciationdc.org](mailto:lindberg@annunciationdc.org) or 202.362.3323 ext 15.

BROTHER JUNIPER



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### THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

#### Monday, May 30th

- Parish Office closed

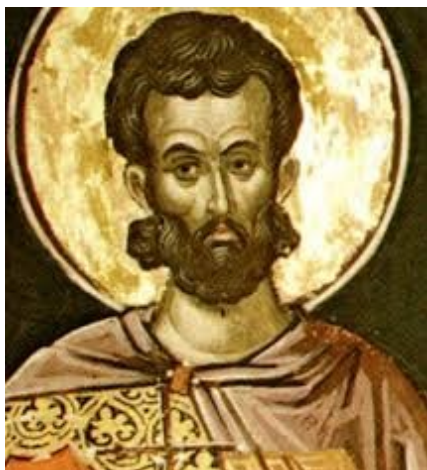
#### Wednesday, June 1st

- Eucharistic Adoration—  
11:30am in the church

#### Thursday, June 2nd

- YA Dinner & Discourse—  
6:45pm in the Parish Office
  - Choir Rehearsal—7:30pm
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## SAINT OF THE WEEK



## ST. JUSTIN THE MARTYR

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Feast—June 1st

Born to Greek parents in Samaria, Justin received a classical Greek education but became a Christian around 135. He saw Christianity as the fulfillment of Plato's highest aspirations. After teaching Christian philosophy at Ephesus, he went to Rome, where he engaged in public debates, opened a school of Christian philosophy and wrote major works in apologetics and philosophy. About 165, during the reign of Emperor Marcus Aurelius, Justin was scourged and beheaded with six other Christians after he refused to sacrifice to idols.

—CNS Saints

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Sunday, May 29** – *The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)*

7:30 a.m.	Maro	Thomas Flood	In Memory
9:00 a.m.	Keeler	William E. Cassidy	In Memory
10:30 a.m.	Antonicelli	Parishioners	Intentions
12:30 p.m.	Lockman	Jacob &	In Memory

**Monday, May 30** – *Monday of the Ninth Week in Ordinary Time*

9:00 a.m.	Marchese	Roberto Casas	In Memory
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**Tuesday, May 31** – *The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Francesca Castro	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Maro	Eugene & Pauline McMahon	In Memory

**Wednesday, June 1** – *Saint Justin, Martyr*

8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Tim Lanigan	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Maro	Jorge Pardo	In Memory

**Thursday, June 2** – *Saints Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs*

8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Forgotten Souls	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Maro	Thomas Clement	In Memory

**Friday, June 3** – *The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus*

8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Tim Lanigan	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Maro	Antonin Scalila	In Memory

**Saturday, June 4** – *The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

9:00 a.m.	Maro	Netty Keer & Petrus Kusaeri	In Memory
5:30 p.m.	Lockman	Bernardo & Elvira Velasquez	In Memory

**Sunday, June 5** – *Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7:30 a.m.	Lockman	Mark Mattison	Intentions
9:00 a.m.	Maro	Josephine Gerber	In Memory
10:30 a.m.	Antonicelli	Parishioners	Intentions
12:30 p.m.	Hall	Maria Thomann	Intentions

Please continue to pray for all our parishioners who are hospitalized, homebound or living in care facilities.

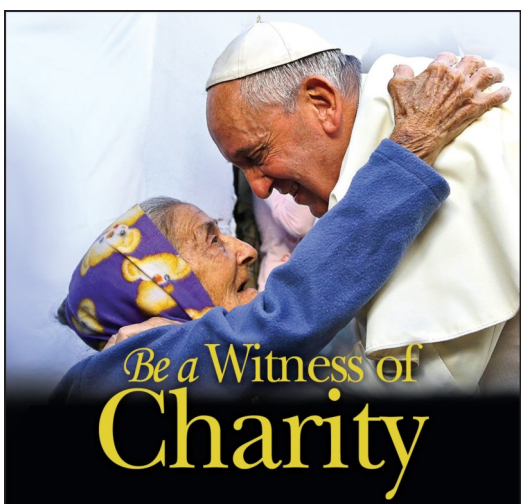
If you or a loved one would like a visit at home, in the hospital or in a care facility please contact Sister Kathleen Griffin at 202-362-3323 x22 or [griffin@annunciationdc.org](mailto:griffin@annunciationdc.org)

## CELEBRATING ARCHBISHOP CARROLL HIGH SCHOOL

Please join The Board of Directors of Archbishop Carroll High School for the 24th Annual Spring Benefit and Hall of Honor at The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts on Monday, June 13th, from 6-9pm. This year's inductees into the Carroll Hall of Honor are Alvin Clayton Fernandes, '79, and Tim King, teacher, ACHS 1990-1994. The Cardinal Patrick O'Boyle Medal will be awarded to Fr. Patrick Smith, Pastor of St. Augustine Catholic Church and Mackin Class of 1981. For tickets or more information call 202.529-1193.

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## PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION



On the weekend of June 25-26, 2016, the Archdiocese of Washington will take up the Peter's Pence second collection. Gifts to this annual collection help the Holy Father support victims of war, oppression, natural disasters, and others most in need of assistance. In responding to those who are suffering, Our Lord teaches us, "Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me" (Matthew 25:40). In his Bull of Indiction for

the Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy, Pope Francis states, "In each of these 'little ones,' Christ himself is present. His flesh becomes visible in the flesh of the tortured, the crushed, the scourged, the malnourished, and the exiled... to be acknowledged, touched, and cared for by us. Let us not forget the words of Saint John of the Cross: 'as we prepare to leave this life, we will be judged on the basis of love.'" Our participation in this collection gives us an opportunity to be a witness of Our Lord's love and mercy for the vulnerable and suffering around the world. Please give generously as you are able.

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## NIH/NINDS IN NEED OF HOST FAMILIES

The NIH/National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke hosts several Native American Students from reservations in South Dakota and the Arizona/New Mexico border each summer. We are in need of volunteer host families for several of our Lakota and Navajo students for some or all of the summer. If you think you can help out, please contact me by phone, 301-728-3970, or by email: [rita.devine@nih.gov](mailto:rita.devine@nih.gov).



**YEAR OF MERCY**  
ARCHDIOCESE OF WASHINGTON

"Today I wish to speak to you about the close relationship between mercy and mission. Just as we naturally seek to share with others the beautiful moments of our lives, we are called also and especially to share the joy of encountering Jesus Christ. To encounter Jesus is to experience his love, which transforms us and compels us, in turn, to share this love. We are called to be "bearers of Christ"! By being such missionaries, we come to experience more deeply the gift of mercy in our own lives. May we take seriously our call to be Christians, to live as believers, so that the Gospel may touch the hearts of all people and open them to the gift of God's love." (Pope Francis, January 30, 2016). *Find ways to share your encounter with God's mercy at [mercy.adw.org](http://mercy.adw.org).*

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## POPE'S CORNER

### OUR LADY OF READINESS

Today, at the end of the month of Mary, is the feast on which we remember her visit to St. Elizabeth. The Gospel tells us that, after the annunciation of the angel, she went in haste, she lost no time, she went immediately out to serve.

She is the Virgin of readiness, Our Lady of Readiness. She is ready right away to come to our aid when we pray to her, when we ask for her help; her protection is in our favor. In many of life's moments, when we stand in need of her help, her protection, let us remember that she does not make us wait: she is Our Lady of Readiness, she immediately goes to serve.

- Recitation of the Holy Rosary for the Conclusion of the Marian Month of May, May 31, 2014

**Reflection:** Do you have a readiness to serve like Mary? Do you hope for opportunities to help, or do you avoid serving others and seek comfort? Pray to Mary that you can have a heart like hers, a heart open to giving mercy to others.

#### MONSIGNOR'S WEEKLY EMAIL

Want to stay connected?  
Send an email to  
pastor@annunciationdc.org  
to Sign up for Monsignor  
Antoncelli's weekly email.

#### FAITH DIRECT

Support our parish offertory and second collections by signing up with Faith Direct, direct debit deductions. Enroll at [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net); parish code is DC 43 or call 866-507-8757 for a registration form.

#### SECOND COLLECTION

June 5th: Annunciation Catholic School

#### POOR BOX

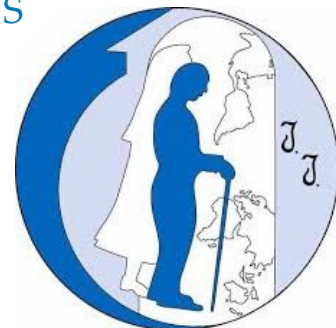
Donations for the month of June will benefit the St. Vincent DePaul Society to help the poor and homeless in our community.

This week's bulletin is made possible by our sponsor



## LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Little Sisters of the Poor is a long-term care facility for the elderly poor. We are looking for some loving volunteers that can help with transportation or clerical work. We are located at 4200 Harewood Road NE, Washington, DC 20017. For additional information please visit our website at [www.littlesistersofthepoorwashingtondc.org](http://www.littlesistersofthepoorwashingtondc.org).



You are cordially invited to attend the

### ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY MASS

to honor the men and women who gave their lives for our country, for veterans and those still on active duty, and their families

at **HISTORIC MOUNT OLIVET CEMETERY**  
1300 Bladensburg Road NE, Washington, DC

**MONDAY, MAY 30, 2016**

Celebrant: *His Eminence, Donald Cardinal Wuerl*

## ANNUNCIATION YOUNG ADULT EVENTS

### DINNER & DISCOURSE CATHOLIC 101: 4 BIG REASONS THAT KEEP YOUNG PEOPLE FROM COMING TO THE CHURCH

Thursday, June 2 @ 6:45pm in the Parish Office

On YouTube, Bishop Robert Barron identifies and addresses the 4 Big Reasons that keep young people from believing in Christianity: **Lack of clarity about God and Atheism, deep confusion about the Bible, Religion vs. Science and Religion and Violence. What is the Catholic understanding of all this?**

Dinner & Discourse is our monthly YA night to share a simple dinner, listen to a guest speaker, watch a movie or engage in deeper questions and conversation about our Catholic faith. We look forward to great company and growing in faith together!

**To RSVP or bring a side-dish/refreshment contact Sean Skinner, YA Spirituality Chair, [skinner.sean5@gmail.com](mailto:skinner.sean5@gmail.com) for dinner planning.**

### DC THEOLOGY ON TAPTALKS—TUESDAY NIGHTS IN JUNE!

DCCatholic and the Catholic Information Center present their rooftop Summer Theology on Tap series: Theology on TAPTalks. Join us Tuesday evenings June 7, 14, 21, & 28 at the Catholic Information Center rooftop! All young adults (21-late 30s) are invited for Happy Hour from 6-7pm with a talk and Q/A to follow from 7-8pm.

**RAIN LOCATION:** Catholic Information Center bookstore on the street level. **Must have valid 21+ ID to enter.** Theology on Tap features dynamic talk on the topic of faith and Catholic Community.

Learn more at [www.facebook.com/DCCatholic](http://www.facebook.com/DCCatholic) | [www.adw.org/tot](http://www.adw.org/tot) or email Jonathan Lewis at [DCCatholic@adw.org](mailto:DCCatholic@adw.org).

**SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES** with Annunciation Volunteers!

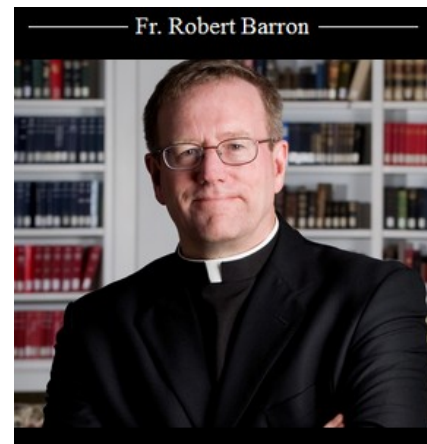
Contact **Tom Keenan, YA Service Chair** if you have any questions: [twkeenan6@gmail.com](mailto:twkeenan6@gmail.com) or 847-902-1405 .

Upcoming service events will be posted on FB/AnnunciationDCYA.

**PRAYER REQUEST FRIDAY:** Pray Wherever You Are @ 3pm. Get your Friday Prayer Reminder on email & FB - post your prayers and we'll pray for you!

For All Annunciation YA Events: [Facebook.com/AnnunciationDCYA](http://Facebook.com/AnnunciationDCYA)

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### OF NOTE

There will be a Memorial Mass for Andrea Clune on Saturday, June 18th, at 9am. A reception will be held in the Parish Center following the Mass.

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**"Singles Sunday" June 5th at National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception** Tour at 1:30pm, Mass at 2:30pm in the Immaculate Heart of Mary chapel, and dinner at 4pm at nearby Catholic University. Advance reservations required by May 24. \$17 cost for dinner. For single Catholics 21 and older. Visit <http://CatholicSinglesOfGreaterWashington.org> or call Tricia at 301-460-9195.