JUNE 26, 2016

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesdays 11:30am-7pm

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 5-5:30pm Saturday 4:15-5:15pm

THIS WEEK ...

Sunday, June 26th

 Wish Lisa Directo-Davis farewell after the 10:30am Mass.

Wednesday, June 29th

Eucharistic Adoration—11:30am in the church

Thursday, June 30th

• Choir Rehearsal — 7:30pm

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.

PASTORAL STAFF

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13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST READING: 1 KINGS 19:16B, 19-21

Elijah the prophet followed God's instruction to appoint a man named Elisha as his successor. Elijah threw his cloak over Elisha, who went and said good-bye to his family, then followed Elijah without question.

SECOND READING: GALATIANS 5:1, 13-18

Paul reminds us that people were freed from the old law through Christ. But he makes it clear that this freedom does not mean giving in to evil desires. Instead, we must be guided by the Spirit and most importantly love our neighbor as ourselves.

GOSPEL: LUKE 9:51-62

Jesus set out for Jerusalem, and passed through a town where he was not welcomed. He reprimanded his disciples for desiring vengeance against the town. One man wanted to follow Jesus when he had finished his duties at home. Jesus expressed that a man who begins a task, but constantly looks back is unfit for the reign of God.

PRAY WITH SCRIPTURE...

Monday Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday Am 3:1-8, 4:11-12; Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Gal 1:11-20; Jn 21:15-19

Day: Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

Thursday Am 7:10-17; Mt 9:1-8

Friday Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Mt 9:9-13

Saturday Am 9:11-15; Mt 9:14-17

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, 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.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

In the second collection today, we are supporting Pope Francis in his charitable works. The Peter's Pence Collection is taken up worldwide to support our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. In this Jubilee Year of Mercy, the collection is an opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous in today's collection.

CONTEMPLATIVE/CENTERING PRAYER

SAVE THE DATE-SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2016

WORKSHOP OFFERED BY CONTEMPLATIVE OUTREACH OF MARYLAND AND WASHINGTON DC

"Be still and know that I am God." Psalm 46:10

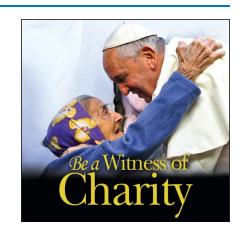
Annunciation is hosting a one day Centering Prayer Introductory Workshop offered by Contemplative Outreach of Maryland and Washington DC (COMW) on Saturday, September 24, 2016 from 9:00am to 3:00pm. The workshop familiarizes participants with the method of Centering Prayer and its conceptual background and offers two opportunities to experience the prayer. The workshop will be followed by four continuing sessions in several locations in the metro area which will provide support, more background and the time needed to establish a personal Centering Prayer practice.

"Centering Prayer is a receptive method of silent prayer that prepares us to receive the gift of contemplative prayer, prayer in which we experience God's presence within us, closer than breathing, closer than thinking, closer than consciousness itself. This method of prayer is both a relationship with God and a discipline to foster that relationship.

"Centering Prayer is not meant to replace other kinds of prayer. Rather, it adds depth of meaning to all prayer and facilitates the movement from more active modes of prayer -- verbal, mental or affective prayer - into a receptive prayer of resting in God. Centering Prayer emphasizes prayer as a personal relationship with God and as a movement beyond conversation with Christ to communion with Christ." Father Thomas Keating O.C.S.O., founder of Contemplative Outreach.

We invite you to visit the Contemplative Outreach website www.contemplativeoutreach.org to learn more about contemplative prayer/centering prayer and about Father Keating. Please contact either Sister Kathleen Griffin (griffin@annunciationdc.org) or Martha Johnston (martha@marthajohnston.com) for additional information about the workshop and/or centering prayer.

Sister Kathleen and Martha currently facilitate a small group of parishioners who meet twice a week on Monday and Thursday at 4:00 to share 20 minutes of silent prayer. Contact either one of us if you would like to attend and/or discuss.





Join us in saying goodbye to Lisa Directo Davis, our Young Adult Minister, who is moving to Cyprus with her husband, Glen Davis, who will serve at the US Embassy. Come wish her well after the 10:30am Mass on Sunday, June 26th, in the Parish Center.

SAINT OF THE WEEK



APOSTLES PETER AND PAUL

First Century

Feast-June 29th

These apostles share a feast as founders of the church in Rome. Peter, a Galilean fisherman chosen by Christ as one of the Twelve Apostles, became the undisputed leader of the fledgling church after Pentecost. Paul, a Pharisee and Roman citizen who had persecuted Christians, became after his dramatic conversion the church's greatest missionary, its "apostle of the gentiles." By tradition both were martyred in Rome. Their adventures are recounted in the Acts of the Apostles, and letters from them are included in the New Testament.

—CNS Saints

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, Jur	ne 26 – Thirteenth S	unday in Ordinary Time	
7:30 a.m.	Maro	Natalia Bolanos	In Memory
9:00 a.m.	Songy	Lynn Holmes	In Memory
10:30 a.m.	Antonicelli	Parishioners	Intentions
12:30 p.m.	Lockman	Filomena Oredina	In Memory
Monday, Ju	ne 27 — Saint Cyr	il of Alexandria, Bishop, Doctor	r of the Church
8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Mark Mattison	Intentions
11:00 a.m.	Lockman	Virgin of Lourdes	Intentions
Tuesday, Ju	ne 28 – Saint Irena	eus, Bishop, Martyr	
8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Lauro Barbi	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Maro	Oswald Casary	In Memory
Wednesday	, June 29 – Saints F	Peter and Paul, Apostles	
8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Rosa Maria Trujillo	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Maro	William E. Cassidy	In Memory
Thursday, J	une 30 — The Firs	t Martyrs of the Holy Roman C	Church
8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Josephine Allies	Intentions
11:00 a.m.	Maro	Graciela Lugo	In Memory
Friday, July	1 – Saint Junípero	Serra, Priest	
8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Anthony Aloi	Intentions
11:00 a.m.	Maro	Amanda Lugo	In Memory
Saturday, Ju	ı ly 2 – Saturday of	the Thirteenth Week in Ordina	ry Time
9:00 a.m.	Maro	Lynn Holmes	In Memory
5:30 p.m.	Pranaitis	Clara Ferrara	In Memory
Sunday, Jul	y 3 – Fourteenth Si	ınday in Ordinary Time	
7:30 a.m.	Langlois	Tim Lanigan	In Memory
9:00 a.m.	Maro	Michael Orvos	In Memory
10:30 a.m.	Antonicelli	Parishioners	Intentions
12.20			
12:30 p.m.	Panke	Patricia Glaser	In Memory

Please continue to pray for all our parishioners who are hospitalized, home-bound 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

A NOTE FROM LISA DIRECTO DAVIS

DEAR ANNUNCIATION YOUNG ADULTS AND PARISH FRIENDS!

As most of you already know, my husband, Glen and I will be posted overseas in August in Nicosia, Cyprus where he will serve as the Chief Public Affairs Officer for the U.S. Embassy. After three and a half incredible years of serving as your Young Adult Minister, I finish my time at Annunciation Parish with sadness but more so with immense gratitude for the privilege of establishing with the young adults an engaging, intelligent and diverse community of faith. To all the exceptional and devoted young adult leaders who will carry on the ministerial outreach under the care of Fr. Rob Maro, you have my abundant thanks, blessings and prayers. I offer my deepest appreciation to Msgr. Antonicelli and Msgr. Lockman for their constant support and for entrusting me with the young adult ministry. I also give thanks to Sr. Kathleen and the Annunciation staff who have generously supported this ministry with your prayers, collaboration and guidance. And finally, may I thank all the young adults and my fellow parishioners who have expanded my faith through your desire to connect our Catholic faith to the global realities of the world, through centering prayer, through serving our DC neighbors most in need, through your gracious greeting at the beginning of mass and through your most welcomed company at the donut hour after mass.

Thank you for sharing your spiritual lives with me and allowing me to be your companion along the way. Wherever we are in the world, I place my hope firmly in the knowledge that we are always connected by God's Almighty and Loving Spirit in Christ Jesus. May we live as Pope Francis' calls us, "to #Encounter Mercy, to live differently and to love boldly."

"I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now..." Philippians 1:3-5



YA Leaders 2016: (L) Patrick Son, Marie Selvanadin; (Front) Andrea Proaño, Mary Selvanadin (Back)



YA Leaders 2016: Sean Skinner, Mia Ferrara, Katelen Walsh, Tom Keenan, Allie Terpeluk, Lisa Directo Davis, Emma Sullivan



YA Leader 2016: (Front) Stephanie Eichmann - #WalkwithFrancis



POPE'S CORNER

PRAYER FOR OUR FAMILIES

And all families, we need God: all of us! We need his help, his strength, his blessing, his mercy, his forgiveness. And we need simplicity to pray as a family: simplicity is necessary! Praying the Our Father together, around the table, is not something extraordinary: it's easy. And praying the Rosary together as a family is very beautiful and a source of great strength!

And also praying for one another! The husband for his wife, the wife for her husband, both for their children, the children for their grandparents ... This is what it means to pray in the family, and it is what makes the family strong: prayer.

• Homily, October 27, 2013

Reflection: All of us have different family situations, but in each one we can pray for our family members. Take time to pray an Our Father right now. Ask that each one of your family members can experience God's mercy more deeply.

MONSIGNOR'S WEEKLY EMAIL

Want to stay connected? Send an email to pastor@annunciationdc.org to Sign up for Monsignor Antonicelli'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; parish code is DC 43 or call 866-507-8757 for a registration form.

SECOND COLLECTION

July 3rd: 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

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Congratulations to our 8th graders! Graduation was June 10th. We wish them the best of luck in their next journey.

Maria Azurin — Georgetown Visitation High School

Amber Brown — St. John's College High School

Samantha Esparza — St. John's College High School

Zekarias Fikre — St. John's College High School

Bettina Henares — Elizabeth Seton High School

Kyle Kiptoo — St. Anselm's Abby High School

Joseph Mitchell — St. John's College High School

Raymond Shelton — DeMatha Catholic High School

Ian Shuler — Gonzaga College High School

Dimingus Stevens — Bishop O'Connell High School

Jordan Williams — DeMatha Catholic High School

SUMMER HOURS

June 20th - 30th — Monday to Friday from 8:30am to 1pm

Closed July

August 1 to 19th — Monday to Friday from 8am to 3pm

ANNUNCIATION YOUNG ADULT EVENTS



DC THEOLOGY ON TAPTALKS—THIS TUESDAY, JUNE 28TH 6-7PM HAPPY HOUR/TALK!

Heroic Faith, Superheroes, and Holiness, Carlos Taja The Francis Revolution: How to live in the culture and transform it, Kate Bryan

DCCatholic and the Catholic Information Center present their rooftop Summer Theology on Tap series: Theology on TAPTalks. Join us Tuesday evening, June 28th 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. To Join the Annunciation YA's contact Stephanie Eichmann or Emma Sullivan at stephanie.eichmann@gmail.com.

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 | www.adw.org/tot or email Jonathan Lewis at DCCatholic@adw.org.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES with Annunciation Volunteers! Contact **Tom Keenan, YA Service Chair** if you have any questions: 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

YOUNG ADULTS CONTACT: Lisa Directo Davis 202-362-3323 x16 youngadults@annunciationdc.org



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

Simply send an email to pastor@annunciationdc.org to sign up.



PLAYGROUND SAFETY!

The weather is beautiful—perfect for outdoor play. Please be mindful of the children playing on the playground and basketball court. Parents, please keep an eye on your children. We'd like to keep everyone safe!