

AUGUST 7, 2016

19th 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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesdays 11:30am-6pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:15-5:15pm

THIS WEEK ...

Wednesday, August 10th

- Eucharistic Adoration—11:30am in the church

Thursday, August 11th

- Baptism Class—6:30pm in the parish conference room
- 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.

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19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST READING: WISDOM 18:6-9

In this excerpt, the Israelites are reminded that they were warned before God sent an angel to slay the first born of the Egyptians. God called on them to have courage, and then rewarded them by punishing their enemies and leading them from captivity.

SECOND READING: HEBREWS 11:1-2, 8-19

Faith is described as true belief even toward things we cannot see. Abram's faith in God was so deep that he wandered through a foreign land, convinced God's promise of a homeland was sincere. God honored his promise to give Abram many descendants, and was proud of the deep faith Abram and his people possessed.

GOSPEL: LUKE 12:32-48

Jesus encourages us to be prepared for his return at all times, for he will come when we least expect him. He tells of a master who entrusts his home to his servants, and fully expects them to be awaiting his return. In the same manner, Jesus can arrive at any moment and expects us to be prepared for his return.

PRAY WITH SCRIPTURE...

Monday	Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday	Ez 2:8—3:4; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wednesday	2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26
Thursday	Ez 12:1-12; Mt 18:21—19:1
Friday	Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Mt 19:3-12
Saturday	Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Mt 19:13-15

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.

BACK TO SCHOOL PROJECT

BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR CHILDREN IN NEED

Cash donations will allow the Social Concerns Committee to purchase 160 brand new backpack kits for elementary and middle school students. \$20.00 will buy one of these kits which includes:

1 - Backpack

- 1 - Pencil Sharpener
- 1 - Ruled Filler Paper, 100ct
- 2 - Ruled Spiral Notebooks, 70ct
- 1 - 0.28oz (8g) Glue Stick
- 1 - 4oz White Glue
- 1 - 24 Premium Crayons or
12 Premium Color Pencils
- 1 - Ballpoint Black, Blue & Red Ink Pens, 10pk
- 1 - Broadline Washable Markers, 8pk or Highlighter Assorted Colors, 4 pk
- 1 - Pink Bevelled Eraser
- 1 - #2 HB Pencil, 12pk
- 1 - 12" Plastic Ruler
- 1 - 5" Precision Tip Scissors or 7" Pointed Tip Scissors
- 4 - 2-Pocket Folder, Assorted Colors



DONATIONS' DEADLINE: MONDAY, AUGUST 8, 2016

Donations can be sent to the Rectory (attn.: Sr. Kathleen) or placed in the collection baskets IN AN ENVELOPE MARKED **BACK TO SCHOOL PROJECT**. Checks should be payable to Annunciation Church indicating "**BACK TO SCHOOL PROJECT**" in the memo line.

Your generosity will be greatly appreciated.

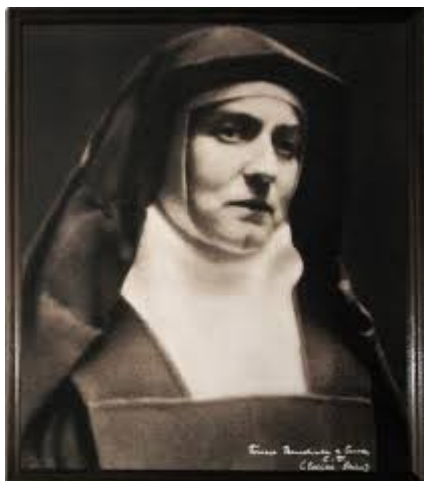
Support the Collection for the
CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

The collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) provides funding for groups that make lasting change and uplift the poor in the United States. CCHD's grants improve education, support economic development, and create affordable housing in low-income neighborhoods. Help us continue to defend human dignity and build communities of solidarity. Please give to the CCHD Collection.



Let us pray to
Our Lady of Guadalupe
for justice, that those living in
poverty will be comforted and
lifted up, and that they will
receive a lasting opportunity to
preserve their human dignity
through meaningful work.

SAINT OF THE WEEK



TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE
CROSS—ALSO KNOWN AS
EDITH STEIN

1891-1942

Feast—August 9th

The youngest of 11 children of a devout Jewish mother in Wroclaw, Poland, Edith was an atheist by her teens. After studying philosophy in Germany, she was deeply affected by reading the autobiography of St. Teresa of Avila. Baptized a Catholic in 1922, she joined the Discalced Carmelites in Cologne in 1933, taking the name Teresa Benedicta of the Cross. Fleeing the Nazis, she moved to a convent in Echt, Netherlands, but was arrested with non-Aryan Christians after the Dutch bishops protested Nazi deportations. She was martyred at Auschwitz.

—CNS Saints

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, August 7 – *Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7:30 a.m.	Langlois	Benefactors	Intentions
9:00 a.m.	Songy	Vocations	Intentions
10:30 a.m.	Maro	Parishioners	Intentions
12:30 p.m.	Hall	Geraldine Matthews	In Memory

Monday, August 8 – *Saint Dominic, Priest*

8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Anthony Chrysakis	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Lockman	Joseph Chrysakis	In Memory

Tuesday, August 9 – *Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin, Martyr*

8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Mark Mattison	Intentions
11:00 a.m.	Maro	Eugene F. Tietjen	In Memory

Wednesday, August 10 – *Saint Lawrence, Deacon, Martyr*

8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Deacon Reginald Thomas	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Maro	Father Jacques Hamel	In Memory

Thursday, August 11 – *Saint Clare, Virgin*

8:00 a.m.	Marchese	Forgotten Souls	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Maro	Colin Courtillet	Intentions

Friday, August 12 – *Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious*

8:00 a.m.	Marchese	William F. Panke	In Memory
11:00 a.m.	Maro	Keith Armistead	In Memory

Saturday, August 13 – *Saints Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs*

9:00 a.m.	Maro	Mother Angelica	In Memory
5:30 p.m.	Maro	Jacques Courtillet	Intentions

Sunday, August 14 – *Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7:30 a.m.	Pranaitis	Benefactors	Intentions
9:00 a.m.	Lockman	Ivan Zakarija	In Memory
10:30 a.m.	Antonicelli	Parishioners	Intentions
12:30 p.m.	Panke	Vocations	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



YEAR OF MERCY

ARCHDIOCESE OF WASHINGTON

“It is obvious that today’s world is in need of mercy and compassion... We are accustomed to bad news, cruel news and the worst atrocities that offend the name and the life of God. The world needs to discover that God is the Father, that there is mercy... This is the time for mercy. We

are all sinners, all of us carry inner burdens. I felt that Jesus wanted to open the door to His heart, that the Father wants to show us his innate mercy, and for this reason he sends us the Spirit.” (Pope Francis on why he called for a Year of Mercy). *Celebrate on God’s mercy with us this year at mercy.adw.org.*

PAX CHRISTI USA

HEAL THE CULTURE. STOP THE KILLING. BUILD THE BELOVED COMMUNITY.

Pax Christi USA, our section of the international Catholic peace movement, will hold its national gathering in Baltimore August 12-14. The schedule includes workshops on the intersection of racial injustice with care of the earth, immigration, Islamophobia and militarism, as well as public witness, a prayer service, and a block party in West Baltimore. To register or learn more, contact Sr. Anne-Louise Nadeau, anadeau@paxchristiusa.org, or 202-635-2471.



A CALL TO PRAYER AND ACTION

The National Black Catholic Congress (NBCC) invites Black Catholics and all people of good will to join in a time of prayer and action. We believe in the power of prayer. We also believe that we must cooperate with how God will answer our prayers. Hence, the NBCC asks you to join us in offering this prayer from now through Monday, August 15:

O God, who gave one origin to all peoples and willed to gather from them one family for yourself,

fill all hearts, we pray, with the fire of your love and kindle in them a desire for the just advancement of their neighbor,

that, through the good things which you richly bestow upon all,

each human person may be brought to perfection, every division may be removed, and equity and justice may be established in human society.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

(From the Collect, Votive Mass for the Progress of Peoples, The Roman Missal)

NEW!

Refreshments will be offered once a month after the 5:30pm Saturday evening Mass and the 12:30pm Sunday Mass starting in October. Volunteers are needed to join our teams. Commitment is once every three months.



MEMORIAL MASS FOR HELEN ELIAS

Monday, August 22nd at 11am



POPE'S CORNER

GOD'S EARS

The saints are like God's ears—one for each need of his people. We, too, can be saints in a sense. We, too, can be God's ears for our families, in our neighborhoods, where we move about, and where we work. We, too, can be people who listen to the needs of others, not merely to commiserate with them or to go and tell others, but rather to gather together all these needs and present them to the Lord in prayer.

- Homily, Feast of San Cayetano, August 7, 2006
Only Love Can Save Us

Reflection: How is listening an act of mercy? It is a sacrifice of our time, our desires, and our preferences. Be merciful this week by truly listening to others and presenting their needs to God in prayer.

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

August 14th: Social Concerns

POOR BOX

Donations for the month of August 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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RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Considering becoming Catholic? Know anyone who is interested?

Need a refresher in your Catholic Knowledge?

Our first session will begin on Thursday, September 15th at 7pm in the parish center. Schedules and registration forms are posted on our website. All are welcome! Contact Patrice Morace at morace@annunciationdc.org or 202.362.3323 ext 13 to explore the possibility.

PARISH PICNIC

September 18th — 1:30pm to 4:30pm

Fun for all ages!

Volunteers needed for set-up, serving, clean up and children's games.



ANNUNCIATION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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SUMMER HOURS

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

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL — TUESDAY, AUGUST 23RD

CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

SO MANY OTHERS ARE TALKING TO OUR CHILDREN ABOUT GOD....WHY DON'T YOU?

Wednesday Evening Program

Consider sharing your time and talent and most importantly, your love of God with our young people.

Our formal program opens September 14 and there are needs for volunteers in every grade level 2 to 8. We meet Wednesday from 7pm to 8:15pm. Because we operate in teams, the commitment would be once every three weeks or so.

Lesson plans are all done for you.

Sunday Morning Programs

- *Children's Liturgy Of the Word*

Volunteer for our Children's Liturgy Programs that run during the first half of 9am Mass for children from pre-K to 6th grade. Instructional materials provided. Commitment is one 25 minute session every 4 to 6 weeks.

- *Faith Fun*

This programs runs through the second half of the 9am Mass for Children Pre-K through Kindergarten. We explore our Faith through stories, games media and activities. Instructional material provided. Commitment is one 30 minute session every 4 to 6 weeks.

If you would like to explore the possibility Contact Patrice Morace at 202.362.3323 ext 13 or morace@annunciationdc.org.

CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION SESSIONS

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS FROM 7PM TO 8:15PM



Enroll Now

Enrollment and Re-Enrollment Forms are posted on our website for children in Grades 1 to 8. If your child is entering first grade in school this year they should be registered in Faith Formation so they will be able to

make their First Confession and Holy Communion in second grade. Confirmation is celebrated in 8th grade, a two year preparation period is required.

We also have programs (RCIC) for children and teens who have not made their sacraments.

Contact Patrice Morace at 202.362.3323 ext 13 morace@annunciationdc.org for more information.

ANNUNCIATION YOUNG ADULT EVENTS

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
