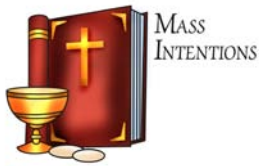


# Divine Mercy Sunday

## April 19, 2009



Monday	<i>No 7:30 a.m. Mass</i>
9:00 a.m.	Katharine Murray †
Tuesday	<i>No 7:30 a.m. Mass</i>
9:00 a.m.	John Freitag †
Wednesday	9:00 a.m. Julia Berlecky †
	<i>No 6:30 p.m. Mass</i>
Thursday	<i>No 7:30 a.m. Mass</i>
9:00 a.m.	Marianna Bettendorf
Friday	9:00 a.m. Turner Family
	<i>No 7:00 p.m. Mass</i>
Saturday	9:00 a.m. Christian Breeding
	5:00 p.m. William Ignatuck Sr. †
	7:00 p.m. Sr. Rosaria Sillitti
Sunday	7:30 a.m. People St. William of York
	9:00 a.m. Sara Breeding
	10:30 a.m. Audrey B. Clemente †
	12:15 p.m. Dori Henderson
	5:00 p.m. Priest Intentions

This week, Mon. – Fri. we will be on a Modified Mass Schedule while one of our Priest are away.

## † Confession Schedule

**April 20 – April 25<sup>th</sup>:**

Tuesday:	9:30 a.m.
Thursday:	9:30 a.m.
Saturday:	9:30 a.m.
Saturday:	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.*
Saturday:	6:30 p.m. (Spanish)

(\* The penitent in the confessional at 4:30 p.m. will be the last confession heard.)

## Sunday Collection for 4/12/09

Offertory:	\$15,914.00
Debt:	\$ 4,488.00
Holy Land Shrines:	\$ 1,276.00
Easter Sunday:	\$ 9,375.00
Total:	\$31,053.00
Electronic Offering for March:	\$17,259.00

**Thank you and may God bless you for your continued support and generosity!**

## Catholic Home Missions Appeal

The Archdiocese of Anchorage has 11,500 registered Catholic families, 140,000 square miles, and only 30 active diocesan priests. Sadly, such shortages occur often in United States mission dioceses. The Catholic Home Missions Appeal supports religious education and seminary training to bring increased pastoral care to our home mission parishes. Please give generously in next week's appeal, our regularly scheduled second collection for Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>.

## Little Sisters of the Poor

St. Joseph's home for the Aged works under the guidance of The Little Sisters of the Poor. The sisters care and address the growing need for seniors on limited income to live as independently as possible for as long as possible while offering them the assurance that help is there when needed. Sister Marie Edward, a Little Sister of the Poor, called Father DeMartino recently to ask if they could possibly visit our parish next weekend to appeal for our support and help. Another parish that the sisters were scheduled to go to had to change their commitment to the sisters and Father DeMartino said that they could come here instead. Their appeal will not compete with next week's second collection for the Catholic Home Mission Appeal. The sisters will be at the doors next weekend after Mass to greet us with baskets in hand.

## Conscience and Ethical Dilemmas in Catholic Healthcare

The Archdiocese of Baltimore is hosting a symposium for Catholic medical professionals on "Conscience and Ethical Dilemmas in Catholic Healthcare" on May 9<sup>th</sup> from 1 to 4:30 p.m. at St. Joseph Medical Center in Towson, Md. Speakers will include Dr. Janet Smith, Fr. Michael J. McGivney, Mark Rienzi, Esq., Dr. John Bruchalski and Dr. John Brehany. Those interested in attending should RSVP by calling (410) 547-5537 or to johanna.coughlin@archbalt.org by May 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Baptismal Preparation Class

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on Wednesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:30 p.m. in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 a.m. in the Brent Room. It is mandatory that all parents register with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

# **International Fall Festival**

Anyone interested in helping with this year's IFF please contact Frank Santana at (540) 446-1869.

## Religious Education

We have First Communion items for sale in the religious education office.

First Communion Retreat is Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Classes will resume today, April 19<sup>th</sup>.

## Vacation Bible School

June 22-26 adult volunteers are needed for Vacation Bible School (VBS), especially teachers and assistants. New this year—the registration for children of adult volunteers is **free!** VBS is for children in grades K-6<sup>th</sup>. Youth helpers are also needed. Contact Gillian Ramsel at 720-8954 or ramsels@msn.com for more info.

## St. Raphael Ministry

Senior Spring Luncheon will be Tuesday, April 21<sup>st</sup> in Gym from 12-2 p.m.



### Prayer Request...

Please keep everyone who is serving in Iraq and Afghanistan and their family members in your prayers.

Fr. Eric Albertson, Ralph Allison, Caesar Camacho, Daniel Castanon, Shawn Cunningham, Jason Freed, Richard Garver, Lt. Col. Richard G. de Guzman, Lt. Col. Tina Marie G. de Guzman, Keirsten Hage, Maj. Pete Houtz, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Shane Lambert, Kent Larson, Michael Luther, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Derek Rinaldo, Thomas Ryan, Christopher Schap, Justin Smarr, Daniel Stehm, Capt James Stoltz, Bobby Stone, Adam Stoyanac, Col. Rick Swengros, Capt. Richard Swengros, Chris Tolliver, Vincent Torney, Adam Wright, & Eric Wright.

*Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Amen*

If you have a relative serving in Iraq or Afghanistan and would like to have his/her name included in our prayer list, please contact the parish office.

## Pontifical Vacation Bible School

Classes will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the parish center on Thursdays starting June 4<sup>th</sup> thru July 30<sup>th</sup>. Bring your Bible and a notebook. Father Magat will lead you

through many topics from Genesis to the Passion. Look for more information in next week's bulletin.



## **St. William of York Catholic School**

### **Registration**

St. William of York Catholic School is now accepting **registrations** for the 2009-2010 school year. Please call or stop by the office for information.

### **Sunday Suppers**

Everyone is invited to the Sunday Supper following the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Join us in the parish center for a home-cooked meal.

### **Saint William of York Host “Protecting God’s Children”**

Protecting God’s Children is a seminar that is mandatory, for all volunteers who have substantial contact with children and for all employees of the Arlington Diocese. To be compliant with Diocesan policy you need to have gone to the seminar within 6 months of turning in your Virtus paperwork. Saint William of York is hosting a seminar on May 9<sup>th</sup> at 9 a.m. in the parish center. To register for the seminar go to [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org). There are only 50 slots to fill so sign up now. For more information call the parish office at (540) 659-1102.

THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC RISK RETENTION GROUP, INC.



### **Mother’s Day Rose Sale**

Roses will be available after every mass on Mother's Day, Sunday May 10<sup>th</sup>. Our lovely, high quality roses are picked fresh and shipped immediately for long lasting beauty.

Mother's Day comes only once a year, so make it special. Your mom will be happy to know you are supporting the CYO in their work for the poor. The Blessed Mother will be happy too!

## **This Week in our Parish**

### **Sunday, April 19**

8:00 a.m. K of C Pancake Breakfast (Center)  
8:45 a.m. RE Classes  
10:45 p.m. RE Classes  
6:00 p.m. Sunday Supper (Center)  
6:30 p.m. Adult Ed. (Brent Room)  
6:30 p.m. RE Classes  
6:45 p.m. Youth Group (Gym)  
7:00 p.m. Venture Crew (K of C Hall)

### **Monday, April 20**

3:10 p.m. Girl Scouts (Art Room/Brent Room)  
6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts (Art Room)  
6:00 p.m. Soccer (Gym)  
7:00 p.m. Cub Scouts (K of C Hall)

### **Tuesday, April 21**

8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Clinic (Brent Room)  
9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)  
9:30 a.m. Rosary Makers (Brent Room)  
12:00 p.m. Senior Luncheon (Gym)  
5:00 p.m. Baseball (Gym)  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (Brent Room)

### **Wednesday, April 22**

9:30 a.m. L of H Prayer Group (Brent Room)  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (Center)  
7:30 p.m. Baptism Class (Library)  
7:30 p.m. K of C Meeting (K of C Hall)

### **Thursday, April 23**

8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Clinic (Brent Room)  
9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)  
5:00 p.m. Baseball (Gym)  
6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts (Art Room)  
6:30 p.m. Cantor Practice (Church)  
7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary (Brent Room)  
7:00 p.m. Boys Scouts (Center)  
7:30 p.m. Choir (Church)

### **Friday, April 24**

6:00 p.m. Soccer (Gym)  
7:00 p.m. World of Barbara Micarelli (Center)

### **Saturday, April 25**

9:00 a.m. First Communion Retreat (Classroom/Center)  
9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)  
10:00 a.m. Bible Study (K of C Hall)  
12:00 p.m. Baseball (Outside)  
3:30 p.m. Confessions (Church)  
5:45 p.m. Spanish Choir (Brent Room)  
6:00 p.m. Cherry Blossom Auction (Gym/Center)  
6:30 p.m. Spanish Confessions (Church)

## **Vocations**

Nun Run: A Women's Vocation Day Trip to visit three convents of women religious will take place Saturday, May 10<sup>th</sup>. Single women, between the ages of 17 and 35, who are interested in going on this trip, should call the Office of Vocations at (703) 841-2514.

## **Birthright of Fredericksburg, Inc.**

Birthright will hold its next informational meeting and orientation for prospective volunteers on Monday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, at 405 Westwood Office Park from 6-8 p.m. Attendance is not a commitment but does offer an opportunity to learn more about this important pro-life work. Please email [brvolunteers@yahoo.com](mailto:brvolunteers@yahoo.com) or call Carolyn Brodeur, volunteer recruitment and training coordinator, at (540) 368-2299 to register.

## **Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

Are we like Thomas and doubt the power of God in your marriage? Learn the tools to put God in your Sacrament of Marriage. The next local Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is May 15 - 17. Early registration is highly recommended, as dates fill up quickly. For more information call John and Lorie Scali (703) 631-5289 or visit <http://wwme-nova.org/>

## **All Expectant and New Parents**

Bishop Loverde will celebrate the Expectant and New Parents' Mass at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church in Alexandria on Sunday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> at 12:30 p.m. All young parents and couples with children on the way will receive a beautiful blessing from Bishop Loverde and have an opportunity to meet with him at the reception following the Mass. "Families in Christ Jesus" continues its kindness each year by providing the amazing Filipino fare for the reception afterward. For more information contact the Office for Family Life at [familylife@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:familylife@arlingtondiocese.org) or (703) 841-2550. All families with young children are encouraged to attend.

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## **Pray for a Priest Each Day...**

This week please pray for

April 19 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Robert Lange
April 20 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Lee Gross
April 21 <sup>st</sup>	Rev. John Cregan
April 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Rev. Jerome Daly
April 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Rev. William Erbacher
April 24 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. James Haley

April 25<sup>th</sup>      Rev. Charles Merkle

O Mary, Immaculate, Mother of Jesus and Mother of  
priests, pray and intercede for (name a priest) Amen.





# *Franciscan Missionary Sisters of the Infant Jesus*

*Extend a fraternal welcome to all our parishioners  
for  
First Release of the  
Presentation Film / Documentary:*

## *“The World of Barbara”*

*The life story of the Foundress of our Franciscan Institute...  
Mother Mary Joseph of the Infant Jesus (Barbara Micarelli)*

*Come share an evening with your Franciscan Sisters as we celebrate the  
first centennial anniversary of the death of our Foundress.  
1909 - April 19 - 2009*

*Date: Friday Evening, April 24, 2009*

*Time: 7 – 9 p.m.*

*Place: Parish Center*

*Light refreshments will be served.*