

OUR LADY OF NAZARETH CATHOLIC CHURCH, ROANOKE, VA

LITURGY SCHEDULE
&
MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, MAY 9

5:30 pm (†) Marie Brown

SUNDAY, MAY 10

7:30 am Our Parish Family

9:30 am (†) Maurice Angermeier and the
deceased members of the Lill &
Angermeier families

11:30 am (†) Maria Teresa Naeter

MONDAY, MAY 11

12:10 pm (†) Dick Conway

TUESDAY, MAY 12

6:45 am (†) Mary Strickler

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13

NO EUCHARISTIC LITURGY

Morning Prayer 8:30 am

Evening Prayer 5:30 pm

THURSDAY, MAY 14

NO EUCHARISTIC LITURGY

FRIDAY, MAY 15

8:30 am (†) Jean Webber

SATURDAY, MAY 16

5:30 pm (†) Richard Zanella

SUNDAY, MAY 17

7:30 am (†) Karen Hardesty

9:30 am (†) Margaret Osborne

11:30 am Our Parish Family

REGULAR COLLECTION 05/03/09

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SCRIPTURE PASSAGES
FOR SUNDAY LITURGY

Readings for May 10

1st Acts 9: 26-31

2nd 1 John 3: 18-24

Gospel John 15: 1-8

Readings for May 17

1st Acts 10: 25-26, 34-35, 44-48

2nd 1 John 4: 7-10

Gospel John 15: 9-17

Question of the Week
John 15: 1-8

What helps me stay rooted in Jesus?

ST. FRANCIS HOUSE is in need of RAMEN NOODLES OR MACARONI & CHEESE. Please be generous in helping those less fortunate in our valley.

* VIRTUS TRAINING

All volunteers, 18 years old and older, who work or come in contact with children and youth under the age of 18 years, must complete the VIRTUS training as mandated by the Diocese of Richmond. The next training session will be this **Monday, May 11th from 6:00 until 9:00 pm**. Go to www.virtusonline.org or contact the Parish Office for information on how to sign up for a VIRTUS training. Sign up if you will be working at the pool or working at Faith Camp this summer.

* MAY SENIOR LUNCH is planned for **Tuesday, May 12th from 11:00-1:00 pm**. The topic this month will be on Elder Hostels and our speaker is Dennis Crowley. Lunch will be provided. For reservations, please contact Maggie at 774-0066 ext. 19.

* COME CELEBRATE this season of Spring with the group *Unconditional* and friends as we Praise and Worship our Lord Jesus Christ. Come prepared to enjoy a night full of joyous Christian Contemporary music on **Saturday, May 16th at 7:00 pm** here at OLN. Refreshments will be served. The proceeds from this concert will support our youth who will be attending the Catholic Heart Workcamp in June. For any questions, please contact the parish office at 774-0066. Hope to see you there!

SENIOR THEATER TRIP

Maugham's "*Of Human Bondage*" is a play being presented at The Star City Playhouse on Williamson Road until **May 17th**. The OLN van will be taking any seniors interested in seeing this wonderful production on Sunday afternoon, **May 17th at 2:00 pm**. Contact Rita in the parish office at 774-0066 ext. 10 to reserve your seat or for more information

DR. DAVE WIGGINS, a local marriage and family counselor, will present ADHD "It's more than you think it is". **Time and Date to be announced**. Please call Maggie at 774-0066 ext 19.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER the faithfully departed, **Ray Land**, father of Greg Land. Our support is with his family in this time of sorrow.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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CALENDAR

SUNDAY, MAY 10—MOTHER’S DAY

9:30-11:30 pm Inquiry

MONDAY, MAY 11

3:30-5:00 pm Mustard Seed Atrium

3:30-5:30 pm True Vine Atrium

6:00-9:00 pm Virtus Training *

7:00-8:00 pm Prayer Group

TUESDAY, MAY 12

11:00-1:00 pm Senior Lunch *

3:30-5:00 pm Mustard Seed Atrium

3:30-5:30 pm True Vine Atrium

3:30-5:30 pm Golden Thread Atrium

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13

3:30-4:45 pm Mustard Seed Atrium

3:30-5:30 pm True Vine Atrium

3:30-5:30 pm Golden Thread Atrium

6:30-7:30 pm Children’s Choir

7:00-8:30 pm Life In The Spirit

THURSDAY, MAY 14

10:00-2:00 pm Crafty Ladies

3:30-5:00 pm Mustard Seed Atrium

7:00-9:00 pm Adult Choir

7:00-9:00 pm RCIA

FRIDAY, MAY 15

9:30-11:00 am Mustard Seed Atrium

SATURDAY, MAY 16

4:00-7:00 pm RCIC

7:00 pm Concert with “Unconditional” *

SUNDAY, MAY 17

9:30-11:30 pm Inquiry

ADULT CHRISTIAN FORMATION SERIES

“Religion & Science: Friend or Foes”?

Join Deacon Mike Ellerbrock on **Monday, May 18th** from **7:00-9:00 pm** as he presents an overview of the historical and current relationship between faith and reason. Dr. Ellerbrock will address several topics: the nature of knowledge, types of truth, deism vs theism, and creation vs evolution. He will also discuss Papal teachings on intelligent design vs creation science, and Catholic understanding of scripture, nature and source of evil. Participants will learn Catholic principles about what light science sheds on religion and vice versa.

If you haven't heard Deacon Mike before you will not want to miss his dynamic and enthusiastic style of presenting.

Youth Ministry

May 10

No Edge

May 13

6:15-8:30 pm—Youth Group

May 17

11:00-1:00 pm—Confirmation 1

6:30 pm—Youth Ministry Potluck Dinner

Confirmation 1

On Sunday, May 17th, the Confirmation 1 class will be performing community service around the church and church grounds. Please come to class dressed for working outside, jeans and tennis shoes are recommended.

Faith Camp Volunteers Needed

Anyone in grades 6-12 can sign up now to volunteer for Faith Camp, Opportunities available in crafts, games, music, drama, and being buddies with preschool, ages 5-6, 7-8 and 9-10. This is a wonderful opportunity to complete over 10 hours of community service as well as to complete the community service requirements for Confirmation II. Contact Victoria at 774-0066 ext 20 or email at youth@oln-parish.com to sign up. Camper registrations will be coming soon!

Mark your Calendars—Summer Events

June 10: Youth Group

June 12: Regional Youth Celebration at OLN

June 19-21: Box City

July 17: Youth Overnight

July 24-26: Diocesan Youth Conference in Williamsburg, VA

August 12: Youth Group



OLN POOL SET TO OPEN FOR 21ST SEASON

Did you know that as a registered Catholic at OLN, you can enjoy the best in summer fun at your very own pool with just a donation? Yes, that's right! The OLN Pool will open for its 21st season on **Memorial Day** weekend and we want you to be part of the fun. As a member you'll enjoy a summer of safe, family-oriented fun; and great Catholic fellowship. Our pool has no initiation fees or dues. All we ask is a donation. Visit our website olnpool.com and download a registration form. Fill it out and send it in along with your donation. Call the parish office at 774-0066 for any questions.

OLN PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

You can now sign up online to schedule a time for your family's directory pictures. Go to www.signup.olanmills.com and follow the instructions. You can then choose which date and time is convenient for your family. We will begin taking pictures on **Tuesday, June 9th**.

There are also other ways to make an appointment. You can sign up at the table after all masses, call Rita in the parish office at 774-0066 ext 10 or contact Olan Mills at 1-800-866-2263. Your entire appointment will normally take less than one hour. Many ways to make it easy for you. Any questions, just contact Rita at the above number. **Volunteers are still needed to help during the time that pictures are being taken.**

ROANOKE VALLEY INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK

is hosting its fourth annual fundraising walk-a-thon on Sunday afternoon, **May 17th** from **2:00-4:30 pm**. It will be held on the grounds of the VA Medical Center on Roanoke Boulevard in Salem, VA. Please join the OLN team as a walker or a sponsor. The proceeds will support IHN in its efforts to help families overcome the challenges and barriers of homelessness. Contact Nancy Rahsman at 774-6430 or Colleen Hernandez at 387-1712 for more information.

THANK YOU to all who helped with the packing, shipping and supplies to pack up the 13 computers going to Papaye Normal School in Haiti. They are on their way! Sr. Jeanne has been notified and she is thrilled as they are in great need. The computers will arrive in a couple of months.

Thank you again, Eileen Highberger

THANK YOU OLN PARISHIONERS for your prayers, cards and food that was delivered to me during my recent surgery and recovery. It was truly appreciated. A special thanks to Maggie for staying with my girls and helping to keep the grandchildren entertained. My thanks to Don Feick for everything he did for me during this time.

God Bless all of you, Harry Cheney

Disability Advocacy Update



* **May is National Mental Health Awareness Month. We join our prayers with all the Church for increased sensitivity and awareness of the barriers in our communities to those with emotional disabilities. We pray especially for members of our communities and families touched by the loss of a loved one through suicide.**

* **Catechetical Sunday is September 20th: the theme is Catechesis and Proclamation of the Word. Special emphasis will be placed on disability specific resources for catechesis. If you have a particular interest/need in this area, Please call-**

* **We are in the beginning stages of developing a Young Life Capernaum program in our area. This is a program for young people with intellectual and physical disabilities that has met with great success in other parts of our diocese. Interested?**

* **A L'Arche home is in the formation stages for the Richmond/Glen Allen area; these are caring homes where person with and without disabilities lives with comfort, spirituality, and respect. Interested?**

For more information on anything mentioned above or with any questions concerning issues related to the full inclusion of persons with disabilities in our communities, please call Dick Surrusco 989-5313.

"My house will be a house of prayer for all people." Isaiah 56

TO MY PARISH FAMILY OF NAZARETH

Words cannot express the gratitude and love I have in my heart for you. The love and support you gave me touches my life immensely. Thanks to everyone for making the benefit dance so much fun and such a success; for a memory that will always be with me. Thanks to all who came and shared the evening and to all who worked so hard to make the evening happen. I know that I had a wonderful time and hope that you did as well. Thank you Joey and the Jaguars for the gift of your time and talent and for giving me the blessing of playing together again!! A heartfelt "thank you" to all who contributed, even though you were unable to attend—we missed you! Your thoughtfulness and generosity is making a big difference in my life. Again, I humbly thank you all and pray that Christ's blessings will be yours.

Your brother in Christ, Mark Seidell