

OUR LADY OF NAZARETH CATHOLIC CHURCH, ROANOKE, VA

LITURGY SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29

5:30 pm (†) Bridget Keeney

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30

7:30 am (†) Manuel Faustino

9:30 am (†) John LeBlanc

11:30 am Our Parish Family

MONDAY, AUGUST 31

12:10 pm In Thanksgiving for Cabell Berge

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

6:45 am (†) Geraldine McKnight

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

Morning Prayer & Mass

8:30 am (†) Adrienne Bishop

Evening Prayer 5:30 pm

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

NO EUCHARISTIC LITURGY

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

8:30 am (†) Bob Canfield

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

5:30 pm (†) Living and Deceased Members of the Canary & Rowe Families

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

7:30 am Our Parish Family

9:30 am (†) Nicole Cagle

11:30 am (†) Lusie Lako

Question of the Week Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23

The challenge of the faithful life is to keep one's heart focused on God. What commandments, teachings, rituals help me to stay focused on God? What distracts my focus?

Family Question: When is it easy to keep my thoughts on God? When is it difficult?

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS PARISHIONERS OR FAMILY MEMBERS SERVING OVERSEAS in the troops or as civilians.

- Larry Fischbach, Jr. (Korea) Ed Kawamura (Iraq) James H. Bohon (Iraq) Zachary Osborne (Afghanistan) Peter Shelton (Iraq) Andrew Ferguson (Afghanistan) William Kavanaugh, III (Iraq) Landon Woody (Afghanistan) Brian Mason (Iraq) David Aumiller (USS George Washington)

If you have a loved one overseas that you would like us to remember in prayer, please contact the Parish Office at 774-0066.

REGULAR COLLECTION 08/23/09

..... \$15,832.44

SCRIPTURE PASSAGES FOR SUNDAY LITURGY

Readings for August 30

- 1st Deuteronomy 4: 1-2, 6-8 2nd James 1: 17-18, 21b-22, 27 Gospel Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Readings for September 6

- 1st Isaiah 35: 4-7a 2nd James 2: 1-5 Gospel Mark 7: 31-37

NEW BIBLE STUDY SERIES

Each book in the Threshold Bible Study series is designed to lead you through a new doorway of biblical awareness, to accompany you across a unique threshold of understanding. The characters, places and images that you encounter in this study will help you explore fresh dimensions of your faith and discover richer insights for your spiritual life. We will study "Advent Light" beginning September 9th through November 18th, on Wednesdays. The morning session meets from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon and the evening session from 7:00 - 9:00 pm. Registration will take place in the Fellowship Hall the this weekend or contact Donna at 774-0773 or sec.cf@oln-parish.com. Please join us!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER the faithfully departed, Parishioner, Virginia Canfield. Our support is with her family in this time of sorrow.

ST. FRANCIS HOUSE is in need of OATMEAL OR DRY CEREAL. Please be generous to those less fortunate in our valley.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- Pancake Breakfast—October 11 Craft Fair & Bake Sale—October 17/18

sun mon tue
2 3 4
9 10 11

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30

9:30-11:30 pm Inquiry

MONDAY, AUGUST 31

7:00-9:00 pm Adult Formation Session *

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

12:00-6:00 pm OLN Blood Drive *

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

10:00-2:00 pm Crafty Ladies

7:00-9:00 pm RCIA

7:00-8:15 pm Mystery of Faith *

7:00-9:00 pm Parish Choir practice

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

9:30-11:30 pm Inquiry

4:00-5:30 pm Single Now

*** ADULT FORMATION SESSION**

The Word in the Life & Mission of the Church

Join us on **Monday, August 31st** at **7:00 pm** in the Fellowship Hall as Dr. Dick Surrusco helps us better understand our Church history/teachings and what our leaders do.

Overview: What is a synod? Why does the Church hold synods? What role does the Pope and Bishops play? What documents come out of a synod? Why a synod on Scripture now, at this time in the life of the Church? What did the Synod do? Of the 55 proposals made, which will most affect women in the Church? Our relationship with the Jewish people? How does this impact how we as Catholics live the mission of the Church in the world?

*** THE OLN BLOOD DRIVE** will take place this



Wednesday, September 2nd from **12:00 until 6:00 pm.** Contact Maggie in the parish office at 774-0066 ext. 19 to register.

*** JOIN OUR NEXT MYSTERY OF FAITH SESSION** which is scheduled to meet this

Thursday, September 3rd at **7:00 pm** in Room 1. This week's topic is "*Eucharist*". Nursery will be available on request. Please RSVP by calling the Christian Formation Office at 774-0773 or register online at www.olin-parish.org under Parish Events. Come and explore the core truths of Catholicism.

Youth Ministry

September Youth Group

Youth group will be hosting dinner at the Ronald McDonald House on September 9th. Due to the very limited number of people that can go the Ronald McDonald House, we are asking that anyone who is planning to come to the September Youth Group contact Victoria at youth@olin-parish.com or 774-0066 x20 to sign up in advance. This youth group will be earlier than usual, we will be leaving OLN at 4:45 pm to go to Ronald McDonald House and returning about 7:15 pm.

Catholic Youth Day at Busch Gardens will be Saturday, September 26th. We will be taking a bus to Busch Gardens, leaving from OLN approximately 6:00 am and returning approximately 2:00 am (September 27). Sign up now on the youth bulletin board. Deadline for sign ups is September 14th, cost is \$65 for registered OLN parishioners and their guests.

CATHOLIC HEART WORKCAMP

2010: Interested in participating in a week of service, prayer, and fun next summer? Are you a youth entering the 10th grade in the fall of 2010 or older? Forms with all the details are available in the parish office. The deadline is **Sunday, September 6, 2009**. Any questions contact Dan and Nikki Lieber at youthministry@olphsalem.org or Beth Derringer at dederringer@comcast.net. Nazareth had 4 youth participate last year and they had a great time. Don't delay, act today!

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 on **Tuesday, September 8th** from **5:00 until 8:00 pm**. Go to www.virtusonline.org or contact the parish office for information on how to sign up for a VIRTUS training. Everyone is invited to register..

COME AWAY AND REST!

OLN will have Eucharistic Adoration every Monday beginning **September 14th**, The Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, starting after the **12:10 Mass** until the evening prayer group begins at **7:00 pm** in the chapel. All who are interested in having some quiet time with the Lord with the intention of praying for our priests are asked to call Maggie Davies at 342-4047 or email at Myekrope@cox.net (please put the words Eucharistic Adoration in the subject line). Let us all take an hour out of our busy week to rest in the Lord and pray for the intentions of our priests.

FAMILY FUN DAY PICNIC

The OLN Family Fun Day Picnic to be held on **Sunday, September 27th** from **1:00-4:00 pm**. There will be hot dogs, hamburgers, fixin's and fun for the whole family! This picnic will benefit St. Francis House, so please bring any non-perishable food items, including baby food and diapers. If you are unable to attend, please bring your non-perishable food items to the Commons the week of **September 20th**. Please RSVP to the parish office at 774-0066 ext. 10. Volunteers are appreciated..

ADULT VOLUNTEERS ARE STILL NEEDED

for Fall Youth Programs Adult (21+) help is needed for fall youth ministry programs. Programs include: The Edge, Wednesday Youth Group, Halloween Trunk or Treat, SAM, and others. Working with youth will change your life, no experience necessary! For more information contact Victoria at youth@oln-parish.com or 774-0066 x20.

FLU SHOTS

OLN and Preventa Health has partnered to bring the **influenza and pneumococcal vaccinations here on Saturday, October 24th** after the 5:30 pm mass and **Sunday, October 25th** after all masses. Flu and pneumonia shots are a 100% covered service of original Medicare Part B, Medicare Advantage (MA), PFFS and PPO's. We cannot accept Medicare Advantage HMO's. Please bring in your Medicare or Medicare Advantage card. For non-Medicare recipients, the cost is \$25.00 for the seasonal flu shot, \$30.00 for the FluMist seasonal flu nasal mist and \$45.00 for the pneumonia shot. The Centers for Disease Control has recommended that all children receive the seasonal flu vaccine. Children, ages 2-18, who meet the criteria (not allergic to eggs, have no wheezing problems) are eligible for the FluMist.

Cash or checks are accepted. A receipt will be given for those who wish to file for reimbursement from their insurance carrier.

The Justice & Peace Journal



1) Refugee and Immigration Services (RIS) will be sponsoring the "Labor of Love" walk event at the Greenway on Labor Day, September 7th. The event will benefit the School Liaison program which helps over 1000 refugee and immigrant children in the local education environment. The walk will begin at the Wasena Park Shelter beginning at 10 :00 am. Registration fees will be \$15 per individual, \$10 per student and \$40 per family. For more information call the RIS office at 342-7561.

2) "Genuine health care reform that protects the life and dignity of all is a moral imperative and a vital national obligation." according to Bishop William Murphy in his letter to Congress on behalf of the U.S. Catholic Congress of Bishops. For more information see the Bishops' website usccb.org/healthcare

3) The next Justice and Peace meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 8rd at 7 :00 pm in Room 2. Please join us.

4) The next J&P book discussion will be held on Tuesday, October 13th at 7:00 pm in Room 2. We'll be discussing The Sunflower, On the Possibilities and Limits of Forgiveness, by Simon Weisenthal.

MUSIC NOTES

Children ages 7-11 are invited to actively participate in the liturgy by joining the Children's Choir. Rehearsals are on **Wednesday nights from 6:30-7:30 pm** in the Centrum. If your child is interested in joining the Children's Choir, please contact me at the Parish office (774-0066) ext. 13 or email, music@oln-parish.com. Rehearsals will begin **Wednesday, September 2nd**. It is a pleasure to hear children's voices in church, and I am looking forward to developing your child's musical skills this coming year.

Attention Parish choir members!

Rehearsals will resume **Thursday, Sept. 3rd** from **7:00-9:00 pm**. **Youth ages 12 and up are encouraged to attend.** Bring your water bottles!

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK the OLN Community for your most generous response to our ministry Cross International Catholic Outreach during my weekend visit on May 16/17. Your donations of \$20,564.00 will have a direct impact in the lives of the poorest of the poor.

Sincerely, Msgr. Ted Bertagni