

OUR LADY OF NAZARETH CATHOLIC CHURCH, ROANOKE, VA

LITURGY SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

5:30 pm (†) Jack Hanna

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

7:30 am Our Parish Family

9:30 am (†) Chuck Surat

11:30 am (†) Tom Canary

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

Eucharistic Adoration 1:00-7:00 pm

12:10 pm (†) Bill Shufflebarger

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

6:45 am (†) John LeBlanc

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

Morning Prayer & Mass

8:30 am (†) Sr. Clara Mae Lill

Evening Prayer 5:30 pm

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

8:30 am (†) Topper Franka

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

NO EUCHARISTIC LITURGY

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

5:30 pm (†) Bridget Keeney

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

7:30 am (†) Karen Hardesty

9:30 am Our Parish Family

11:30 am (†) Betty Collins

REGULAR COLLECTION 09/06/09

..... \$20,408.58

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS 09/06/09

..... \$1,266.00

SCRIPTURE PASSAGES FOR SUNDAY LITURGY

Readings for September 13

1st Isaiah 50: 4c-9a

2nd James 2: 14-18

Gospel Mark 8: 27-35

Readings for September 20

1st Wisdom 2: 12, 17-20

2nd James 3: 16-4:3

Gospel Mark 9: 30-37

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER the faithfully departed, parishioner, Ed Mitchell, Bransen Jones, father of Gary Jones and Estelle Merriam, mother of Margaret Tomasik and grandmother of Anna Tomasik . Our support is with their families in this time of sorrow.

Question of the Week Mark 8: 27-35

“Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself and take up his cross.” What is my response to this?

Family Question: Jesus tells Peter that being a true follower of Jesus will not always be easy. How do I feel about this?

ST. FRANCIS HOUSE is in need of PEANUT BUTTER, JELLY AND APPLE BUTTER. Please be generous to those less fortunate in our valley.

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY

Our Lady of Nazareth parish will join parishes across the country in celebrating Catechetical Sunday. The annual event spotlights the importance of the formal teaching ministry in the church. The theme of this catechetical year is “The Word of God in the Life and Mission of the Church.”

Currently, more than half a million catechists serve in 19,000 Catholic parishes, missions, and schools across the country. They are instrumental in introducing more than four million children and youth to the faith and traditions of the Church. In addition, these catechists provide opportunities for study, reflection, and faith enrichment to a large number of adults.

OLN will have a formal blessing of catechists during all masses this weekend. You should have received a name of a catechist to hold in prayer during this catechetical year. Indeed, we offer prayers for all these men and women who continue Jesus’ ministry of evangelization and the building up of the Kingdom.

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

- Larry Fischbach, Jr. (Korea)
Ed Kawamura (Iraq)
Charles Elliott (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.

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# CALENDAR

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13**

**Newcomer Registration Weekend**

9:30-11:30 pm Inquiry  
4:00-5:30 pm Single Now

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14**

9:30-11:30 am Creation Care Group \*  
1:30-3:30 pm Prayer Shawl Ministry \*  
3:30-4:30 pm Mustard Seed Atrium  
3:30-5:30 pm True Vine Atrium  
6:30-7:30 pm Elementary Catechesis

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**

8:00-10:00 am Cholesterol Screening \*  
3:30-4:30 pm Mustard Seed Atrium  
3:30-5:30 pm True Vine Atrium  
3:30-5:30 pm Golden Thread Atrium  
4:00-5:00 pm Elementary Catechesis  
7:00-9:00 pm Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Training \*

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16**

10:00-12:00 pm Adult Bible Study  
3:30-4:30 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  
7:00-9:00 pm Adult Bible Study

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17**

10:00-2:00 pm Crafty Ladies  
3:30-4:30 pm Mustard Seed Atrium  
4:00-5:00 pm Elementary Catechesis  
7:00-8:15 pm Mystery of Faith \*  
7:00-9:00 pm RCIA  
7:00-9:00 pm Parish Choir

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18**

9:30-10:30 am Mustard Seed Atrium

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19**

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20**

9:30-11:30 pm Inquiry  
9:30-11:30 am Children's Catechumenate  
4:00-5:30 pm Single Now

## Youth Ministry Calendar

September 13th:

11:00-1:00 pm—2nd Year Confirmation  
6:30-8:00 pm—The Edge

September 20th:

11:00-1:00 pm—1st Year Confirmation  
6:30-8:00 pm—The Edge

\* **THE NEXT PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY** meeting will be on **Monday, September 14th from 1:30-3:30 pm** in Room 1.

\* **THE OLN CREATION CARE GROUP** will meet on **September 14th at 9:30 am**. We begin with prayer and reflection centered in God's call to care for the earth, share what we have been about, and then continue to explore our parish's environmental assessment process. Everyone is invited. Join us!

\* **OLN CHOLESTEROL SCREENING** will take place this **Tuesday, September 15th from 8:00-10:00 am**. Join us for an educational health screening event focusing on cholesterol, blood pressure, body mass index (BMI), body fat and nutritional information and make sure your health is in check. The cholesterol screening requires a 10-hour fast and includes readings of total cholesterol, HDL and LDL, triglycerides and fasting glucose. Cost is \$15.00. Please call Carilion Clinic at 266-6000 for more information and to register by **Monday, September 14th at 5:00 pm**.

\* **THE NEXT MYSTERY OF FAITH SESSION** is scheduled to meet this **Thursday, September 17th at 7:00 pm** in Room 1. This week's topic is "*Reconciliation*". Nursery will be available on request. Please RSVP by calling the Christian Formation Office at 774-0773 or sign up online at [www.olin-parish.org](http://www.olin-parish.org) under Parish Events. Come and explore the core truths of Catholicism.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION BEGINS!**

Tomorrow, **September 14th**, is the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross - what a wonderful day to begin Adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament! Adoration will be every Monday from after the 12:10 Mass until the Prayer Gathering at 7:00 PM. Everyone is welcome to drop in at anytime during the hours of Adoration. If you wish to register for a scheduled hour, please call Maggie Davies at 342-4047 or send an e-mail to [Myekrope@cox.net](mailto:Myekrope@cox.net) indicating your preferred hour. Please put the words "Eucharistic Adoration" in the subject line.

**THE CANFIELD FAMILY** wishes to thank our OLN parish family for your love, prayers and support throughout this past year and most recently at the loss of my beloved wife, our mother and grandmother, Virginia Canfield. Our family was overwhelmed at the generosity of your ministry in preparing a reception after the funeral mass for our mourning family and friends. God Bless You.

**\* EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION TRAINING (Eucharistic Ministers)** will be held on **Tuesday, September 15th** from **7:00-9:00 pm** in the Centrum. This is for anyone who is interested in being part of this most important ministry. All present Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are invited to attend. Any questions, please contact Joanne Brewer at 344-5047, Lauraine Kluge at 774-8559 or Kereen Mullenbach at 343-1165.

**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 TO SIGN UP IS SEPTEMBER 14TH**. Cost is \$65.00 for registered OLN parishioners and their guests.

#### **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 or on the parish website at [www.olin-parish.com](http://www.olin-parish.com) and under News & Events.

#### **ADULT FORMATION SERIES**

What can we learn from Chinese Religion? Join us on **Monday, September 28th** at **7:00 pm** as Dr Marwood Larsen-Harris of Roanoke College shares with us "the ancient Chinese traditions, Confucianism and Taoism, which are still very much alive and flourishing in the modern day. He will explore the heart of these ways of life, discover what they can teach us as today, as well as reflect on common misconceptions about them.

Who was Confucius? Was he a religious teacher or a philosopher? What is the *Tao*? What does it mean to follow the *Tao*? What would it be like to live under these traditions? What do Taoists and Confucians believe about education, government, parenting, and the environment?

**THE OLN COUPLES' BOOK GROUP** will meet next on **Tuesday, September 29th** at **7:00 pm** at the home of Dick and Barbara Surrusco to discuss *The Nine* by Jeffrey Toobin. The next selection is *The Great Gatsby* by F. Scott Fitzgerald, date to be determined.

## Health & Safety



### HEALTH HAPPENINGS '09

#### *Scheduled Programs*

- *Saturday morning Yoga will resume on September 19th from 9:00-10:00 am; This is an 8 week class taught by Amanda Abajace. Cost is \$30.00; Lori Gonzalez regrets that she will be unable to teach Tuesday Fall Yoga this year due to prior commitments*
- *AARP driving classes( Classroom only) September. 24/25 9:00-1:00 2 day 4 hr. sessions Cost : \$10.00. Contact Maggie at 774-0066 ext. 19 to register.*
- *Flu Shots Available here at OLN on Saturday, October 24th & Sunday October 25th.*
- *Senior-cize will resume this fall if you are interested. Please call Maggie in the parish office on Tuesdays or Thursdays If you are interested.*

**THE OLN CRAFT LADIES** have been very busy getting ready for our **October 17/18** craft and bake sale. We have lots of new items which we are anxious for you to see as well as some old favorites that have proven themselves over the years. If any of you crafters have been making things at home for us, we will be happy to have them and if you have some ideas, there is still time to get them ready before the sale date. We will again be accepting your old "treasures" for our White Elephant sale, so don't throw anything away. Hang on to them until October and drop them off at church for "recycling". And as always, if you would like to join us in Room 2 each **Thursday from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm**, just bring your lunch and share your talents and fellowship. All are welcome.

#### **DO YOU HAVE A GREAT CHILI RECIPE?**

If so, then we would love for you to participate in the 1st OLN Chili Cook-off on **Saturday, November 7th**. Contact Matt Schallon at 776-0330 to put your name "in the pot"!!

**IN CELEBRATION** of the 800th Anniversary of the founding of the Franciscan Order, St. Francis Springs Prayer Center is presenting a new musical drama on the life of St. Francis of Assisi, entitled "*Francis—Everyone's Saint*". This will be held at the Carolina Theatre in Greensboro, NC. Fr. Louie Canino, who has been a preside while our priests vacationed, authored this play. There will be 4 performances, **October 2nd at 8:00 pm, October 3rd at 2:00 & 8:00 pm, and October 4th at 2:00 pm**. Call 336-573-3751 for tickets and information.