

OUR LADY OF NAZARETH CATHOLIC CHURCH, ROANOKE, VA

LITURGY SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14
5:30 pm (†) Chuck Surat
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15
7:30 am (†) Dominic Rinaldi
9:30 am (†) Anthony Pennino
11:30 am Our Parish Family
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16
12:10 pm (†) Margaret Russo
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17
6:45 am (†) Jim Neirmeyer
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18
Morning Prayer & Mass
8:30 am (†) Vincenta Abasolo
Evening Prayer 5:30 pm
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19
8:30 am (†) Annie T. Bass
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20
NO EUCHARISTIC LITURGY
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21
5:30 pm (†) Jimmy Downs
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22
7:30 am Our Parish Family
9:30 am (†) Noreen Dornbrock
11:30 am (†) Frank Graybar

REGULAR COLLECTION 11/98/09
\$20,885.73
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS 11/08/09
\$1,276.50

SCRIPTURE PASSAGES FOR SUNDAY LITURGY

Readings for November 15
1st Daniel 12: 1-3
2nd Hebrews 10: 11-14, 18
Gospel Mark 13: 24-32
Readings for November 22
1st Daniel 7: 13-14
2nd Revelation 1: 5-8
Gospel John 18: 33b-37

Question of the Week
Mark 13: 24-32

Does it seem odd to me that our hope for eternal life lies in enduring the stress, pain, hardship of this life?

Family Question: The gospel tells us that we must always watch for Jesus to return AND to be ready for him by living as he taught us. What are some things we can do everyday to be ready for Jesus to come again?

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

- David C. Downing (Iraq)
Alma Pine (Iraq)
Will P. Klos
Crista Birmingham Yazzie (Middle East)
Kara Gettings (Afghanistan)
Ethan Surrusco (Afghanistan)
Larry Fischbach, Jr. (Korea)
Ed Kawamura (Iraq)
Charles Elliott (Iraq)
James H. Bohon (Iraq)
Zachary Osborne (Afghanistan)
Andrew Ferguson (Afghanistan)
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.

THE BOY SCOUTS OF TROOP 7 are participating in the national program, "Scouting for Food". The Scouts distributed bags after the liturgies this weekend and ask that you return their bags next weekend (November 21/22). Those of us who have plenty are asked by Christ to share our bounty with the less fortunate.

THE LIFE IN THE SPIRIT GROUP will lead a Praise Celebration on Monday, November 16th. All are invited to join us for prayer and song in the Chapel at 7:00 pm.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER the faithfully departed, Richie Evans, brother of Joan Keating Our support is with his family in this time of sorrow.

ST. FRANCIS HOUSE is in need of SPAGHETTI NOODLES AND SAUCE. Please be generous in helping those less fortunate in our valley.

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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# CALENDAR

## SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15

### Newcomer Registration Weekend

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

## MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16

- 3:30-5:00 pm Mustard Seed Atrium
- 3:30-5:30 pm True Vine Atrium
- 6:30-7:30 pm Elementary Catechesis
- 7:00-8:00 pm Prayer Group/Life in the Spirit
- 7:00-9:00 pm Parish Pastoral Council Mtg.

## TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17

- 7:30 am Scripture Reflection \*
- 11:00-1:00 pm Senior Lunch \*
- 9:00-11:30 am C.H.A.I.N. Gang \*
- 3:30-5:00 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

## WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18

- 10:00-12:00 pm Adult Bible Study
- 3:30-5:00 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, NOVEMBER 19

- 3:30-5:00 pm Mustard Seed Atrium
- 4:00-5:00 pm Elementary Catechesis
- 7:00-9:00 pm Parish Choir
- 7:00-9:00 pm RCIA

## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20

- 9:30-11:00 am Mustard Seed Atrium

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21

## SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22

- 9:30-11:30 pm Inquiry
- 9:30-11:30 am Children's Catechumenate
- 4:00-5:30 pm Single Now
- 7:00 pm Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service \*

## Youth Ministry Calendar

### November 15:

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

### November 22:

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

### \* ECUMENICAL THANKSGIVING SERVICE

This year's Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service will be held at OLN on **Sunday, November 22nd at 7:00 pm**. This is a wonderful opportunity to join us in fellowship with our area churches in giving thanks for the bountiful blessings we have received. The homilist will be our very own Fr. Joe. Hope to see you there!

### ADVENT WREATH MAKING

Everyone is invited to gather in Advent peace as a parish family to begin the Season together. Make your Advent Wreath on **Sunday, November 29th** beginning at **4:00 pm** in the Fellowship Hall. Bring your own greenery and all other materials will be provided. There will be a Blessing of the Advent Wreaths ceremony followed by a spaghetti dinner. RSVP is absolutely necessary so we know how much material to provide. Please RSVP by November 23rd by calling 774-0773 or email sec.cf@oln-parish.com.

### WHAT'S THERE NOT TO LIKE ABOUT LUKE? Monday, November 30th, at 7:00 pm

check out our Adult Christian Formation Series as we begin Lectionary Year C, the Year of Luke. Senior Pastoral Associate, Chris Barrett, of Resurrection in Moneta will present a spirited look at "Special Luke" passages only found in Luke's Gospel. Some of the most precious Pearls in all of Scripture, will be reviewed including The Lucan Infancy Narrative, The Good Samaritan, Mary and Martha, The Rich Fool, Prodigal Son, The Rich Man and Lazarus, Road to Emmaus, these and many others will be discussed. **PLEASE BRING YOUR BIBLE. DON'T MISS THIS!!**

### DO NOT MISS THE FINAL PERFORMANCE of

*THEY CHOSE ME*, a musical about adoption on **Saturday, November 21st at 10:30 am** at Andrew Lewis Middle School Tickets are \$12.00 for adults and \$10.00 for kids 17 and under. Contact Rita at 774-0066 ext 10 to reserve tickets or email ticket requests to LogosTheatricus@cox.net.

\* **THE NOVEMBER SENIOR LUNCH** will be held on **Tuesday, November 17<sup>th</sup>** from **11:00am-1:00 pm** in the Fellowship Hall. Our Lady of the Valley will provide lunch, so reservations are important The speaker will be Deb Chappell with Virginia Tech's wellness program. The topic will be "Younger Next Year". Call Maggie at 774-0066 ext. 19 to reserve your spot.

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**FAIR TRADE SALE**

Come join us with your Christmas wish list at our annual Fair Trade Sale on **December 5th & 6th** after all masses in the Fellowship Hall. Purchasing gift items from Catholic Relief Services/SERRV and Beads for Life supports many artisans and farmers around the world living without peace, economic justice or the means to provide for their families. Help us make this season of Advent and Christmas a more joyful one for all.

**SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK**

The Catholic Campaign for Human Development is dedicated to breaking the cycle of poverty by funding community programs that encourage independence. You are essential to its success. Your generous donations will give those in poverty the support they need to make lasting changes. Together, we can make a difference in families and communities. Please donate prayerfully and generously. Thank you.

**DO YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?**

If you've been coming to mass for a while, but are not Catholic, we invite you to look deeper into the Catholic faith. Come meet some faithful Catholics who love the Lord and would consider it a privilege to get to know you. You can join these sessions to share with others the truths of the Catholic faith and the fellowship of our church family. We invite you to learn what Catholics believe in an open and welcoming environment. These sessions also are the opportunities for you to ask those perplexing and difficult questions you may have about the Church. Sessions are held on Sunday Morning . Please give us a call at 774-0066 ext 16, if you have questions or would like further information, or email us at rcia@oln-parish.com.

**\* REFLECTING ON THE SUNDAY SCRIPTURES** takes place every **Tuesday morning from 7:30-8:30 am**. Come and read, reflect and share your thoughts/questions on the readings for the Sunday to come. No experience necessary. Coffee and breakfast rolls served. Come feed your spirit and help our homilist, Fr. Joe focus his thoughts.

**\* OLN C.H.A.I.N. GANG**

You can still be a part of OLN's C.H.A.I.N. Gang (Cheerful Hearted And Industrious Nazarethians) by coming by the church on **Tuesdays from 9:00-11:30 am**. Many odd jobs need to be done around the church so what better way to help fix up our church and enjoy the company of other parishioners. Lunch is included.

**COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS STORE**

In the spirit of generosity that is part of OLN will be collecting items to be included in the inventory at The Community Christmas Store. The Community Christmas Store is made of up of volunteers throughout Roanoke County who have been providing Christmas cheer to families in since 1993. Last year 750 families were able to 'shop' at the store. **We are asking that members of the OLN family contribute dish/laundry detergent, household cleaners, hand soap, toilet paper, paper towels and facial tissues to help stock the CCS.** These items are not covered by food stamps, but needed by all families so your generosity would be appreciated. There will be a box in the Commons marked Community Christmas Store. We thank you for your generosity. If you have any questions please call Linda Crowley at 769-2166 or contact any members of the Justice and Peace Committee.

**CHRISTMAS TOY DRIVE**

The OLN Christmas Toy Drive is going on the entire month of November. The decorated collection box is in the Commons for your new unwrapped toy for a needy child. Donations will be shared with The Center for Christian Action in Pocahontas, VA, a former mining town, and with our local Immigration and Refugee Services Office. Thanks for being so generous for the past 16 years as we continue to reach out to families in need at the holiday season. Questions? Contact Nancy Keoughan @ 309-8750 or [nakeoughan57@aol.com](mailto:nakeoughan57@aol.com).

***EVENTS ELSEWHERE***

**LARCUM 2009**

Catholics, Lutherans, Episcopalians and United Methodists in the Commonwealth of Virginia have committed themselves through a formal Covenant to effectively express more fully the visible unity of the Church. Lister Lorelei Fuchs, Ph.D, S.T.D., will lead the State LARCUM Conference in Charlottesville on **December 4-5**. The Conference theme is *Ecumenical Advance: From Convergence to Consensus...Whither Communion?* Registration fee is \$35.00 (lunch included). Make checks payable to LARCUM and send to Beth Gillis, Registrar, 4853 Princess Anne Rd., Virginia Beach, VA 23462. You can also contact the parish office at 774-0066 for more information.