

Masses for the Seventh Week of Easter

Monday, May 29th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Isaac Ugo Ogbu**

Tuesday, May 30th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Felisa Felix**

Wednesday, May 31st:

The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Chuchu Amanyeiwe** (Living)

Thursday, June 1st: Saint Justin

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Anthony Amanyeiwe** (Living—
Birthday)

Friday, June 2nd: Saints Marcellinus and Peter

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Christine P. Prieto**

Saturday, June 3rd: Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Nzefili Children & Grandchildren** (Living)

Pentecost Sunday

Saturday, June 3rd

5:00 PM: **Father Milton Jordan**
(Anniversary of Ordination—Living)

7:00 PM: **Michael Barahona** (Living)

Sunday, June 4th

8:00 AM: **Cheryl Aitcheson**

10:30 AM: **Kenneth Agaptus Ezike**

6:00 PM: **Harold Self**

Readings: 1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11
2nd Reading: 12:3b-7, 12-13
Gospel: John 20:19-23

Please pray for the sick and homebound in our parish, our neighbors, family, and friends:

Lisa Allison; Elaine and Melvin Brooks; Muriel Brown; Claudia Clayton; Al Craig; Darlene Crawford; Nina Curtis; Ronnie Davis; Eleanor DeMarco, Mary Diamiano; Patricia Farland; Norma Florimbio; Paula Gambrell; Francis and Genevieve Greenfield; William Halbe; Bonnie Hess; Eugenia Ikpi; Kay Kaderabek; Marjorie Keys; John and Joan Kodak; Richard Kosko; Trudy Lewis; Linda Moore; Shirley Singleton; Mary Soh; Beulah Stewart; Kay Villemi; Mae Young; Barbara Zanin; Sister Giustina Zanin; Zaria Zanin; Eugene Zehner

For our military, protect them from all harm.

For the faithful departed, may they rest in peace.

Names will be placed on our prayer list for 4 weeks. To place a name on the list, please contact Pat Ford at 301-459-4814 x 201 or email pford@stmatthias.org

Stewardship Report

May 21, 2017	10,075.00
Faith Direct	2,611.00
Total Offertory	12,686.00
Last Year	11,221.00

Thank you for your continued support of our parish.

Items of Note at St. Matthias



Dance Ministry: The Saint Matthias Liturgical Dance Ministry will dance to “Every Praise” during the 5:00 PM Mass on Saturday, June 10th and at the 9:30 AM Teen Youth Mass on Sunday, June 11th. We pray that you will enjoy this spiritually uplifting song acknowledging that, “Every praise is to our God.” Please

support this ministry with your attendance at one of these Masses.

Hosting An Event? Friendship Hall is available for rent.

Remember your loved ones with a memorial candle that is lit for one year.

Greeters are needed beginning June 11th for the 11:30 AM Mass.

For the above items, please contact Thad Ereme at 301-459-4814 x 207 or tereme@stmatthias.org.

Our Apologies to Dr. Ike Udejiofor for omitting his name and family members on the Easter Flower Fund List. Please pray for Benjamin, Rebecca, Benedict, and Christy Udejiofor.

Parish Social Life Committee News

♦The PSLC needs your help with set-up, serving, and clean-up at Father Milt’s retirement party which will be held on Sunday, June 4th, from 12:00 - 3:00 PM. Please call the parish office to offer your assistance. 301-459-4814.



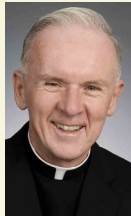
The Parish Office and School will be closed Monday, May 29th in observance of Memorial Day. The office and school will re-open Tuesday, at 8:00 AM.

Emergency Care: An Automated External Defibrillator (AED) is located in the school hall at the entrance to the library. Use the side door from the church to the school to access the AED.

*You are invited to celebrate
Father Milt's
Retirement*

*Sunday, June 4th at
12:00 p.m.*

*Saint Matthias Parish
Friendship Hall
9475 Annapolis Road
Lanham, Maryland 20706*



Please write a note to Father Milt that expresses your gratitude for his years of service, or a special memory you may have. He will enjoy reading his cards and notes in the days ahead. Cards and gifts may be mailed or brought to the reception on June 4th.



**Happy Birthday, Father Milt! June 2nd
Happy Ordination Anniversary June 3rd**



**The Academy of
Saint Matthias**

We are Accepting Applications for the coming school year. Please contact the Director of Admissions, Mrs. Ann O'Hare, ahare@stmatthias.org or 301-577-9412.

Raffle Winner: Congratulations to Cesar Maldonado, winner of \$ 300, and to the seller, Mercedes Ortiz, winner of \$ 50 in our May 22nd drawing.

BOOST Scholarship Program: Eligible low income families may apply for a tuition scholarship to attend Catholic elementary or high school for the 2017-18 school year. For more information, contact Brian Radziwill in the Catholic Schools Office at 301-853-5357, or go to www.educationmaryland.org to apply.

The 50th Annual Memorial Day Mass at Resurrection Cemetery in Clinton, Maryland, will be held Monday, May 29, 2017, at 10:00 AM. The celebrant is the Most Reverend Roy E. Campbell, Jr. All are welcome.

Celebrant Mass Schedule for the
Weekend of June 3/4



5:00 pm Father Canice
7:00 pm Father Joseph
8:00 am Father Canice
10:30 am Father Milt
6:00 pm Father Casimir



Confirmation

St. Matthias would like to thank the confirmation Catechists, Ms. Krista Scanlan, Mr. Emmanuel Amanyiwe, and Mrs. Peg Chappell for their dedication and selfless service in preparing our class so beautifully for the sacrament of Confirmation. Let us pray for those who were Confirmed this year that they will live as faithful disciples of Jesus and allow the Holy Spirit to flow the gifts of the Holy Spirit through them to build up the Church and the world. The names of students who were confirmed last Saturday at the National Basilica of the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception: are listed below:
Tracy Aguocha-Sam, Vanessa Aguocha-Sam, Stephanie Andres, Kephren Andrews, Hilton Carroll, Ugonna Chikere, Katherine Consoli, Tristan Ferguson, Michelle Herrera, Dorian Housson, Precious Iwuji, Maya Joseph, Lydia Kalshoven, Tyler-Martin Mbanga, Dania Medel Rojas, Dave Morfaw, Christine Njinkeng, Zita Nwafor, Amaka Odidika, Jennifer Onuoha, Chigorom Onyeiwu, Anthony Osorio, Hanna Parsons, Michael Parsons, Jasmine Sotelo, Hannah Taylor.

Change in Mass Times!

Beginning Sunday, June 11th the Sunday Mass schedule will change. The new schedule is: 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:30 AM, and 6:00 PM. Saturday Masses will remain unchanged—5:00 PM and 7:00 PM. (in Spanish).

Ministry Schedules for June 3/4

<u>Time</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Greeters</u>
5:00 PM	TBD	A. Boafo, A. Boafo
7:00 PM	J. Andres, E. Diaz, R. Barahona	TBD
8:00 AM	TBD	M. Prout, L. Adekoya, M. Reeves
10:30 AM	TBD	P. Okongwu, V. Neke
6:00 PM	TBD	Y. Balogun

<u>Time</u>	<u>EMCH</u>	<u>Lectors</u>
5:00 PM	C. Green, John Murray, P. Stevenson	P. Stevenson
7:00 PM	D. Aitcheson, S. Avieta	Z. Fuentes
8:00 AM	M. Adams, B. Falls, J. George, S. Midgley	A. Taylor
10:30 AM	E. Amanyiwe, S. Ikpi, I. Onuaku, I. Udejiofor, U. Nwokeafor	R. Ihegbe
6:00 PM	A. Hawkins, D. Self, C. Sykes	Jeannette Davis