

Mass Intentions for the Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time

Monday, June 13th: Saint Anthony of Padua

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Anthony Amanyeiwe (Living)**
 Eucharistic Adoration 6:00 - 8:00 PM
 Confessions 7:00 to 8:00 PM
 Benediction 8:00 PM

Tuesday, June 14th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Mrs. Victoria Egboma (Living)**

Wednesday, June 15th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Dolores Krawczewicz**

Thursday, June 16th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Juliet Manlapaz (Living - Birthday)**

Friday, June 17th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Ed Densmore**

Saturday, June 18th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **People of the Parish**

The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, June 18th

Vigil 5:00 PM: **Father's Day Novena**
 Spanish Mass 7:00 PM: **Father's Day Novena**

Sunday, June 19th

8:00 AM: **Father's Day Novena**
 10:30 AM: **Father's Day Novena**
 6:00 PM: **Father's Day Novena**

Readings for The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Zechariah 12:10—11; 13:1
 2nd Reading: Galatians 3:26—29
 Gospel: Luke 9:18—24

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

Margie Baker; Jacqueline Bhola; Nancy Borders; Muriel Brown; Ronnie Davis; Norma Florimbio; Amanda George; William Halbe; Jack Jordan; Kay Kaderabek; John and Joan Kodak; Joe Makowski; Darin Nichols; Dick O'Connor; Florence Nwonye-Nwoko; Phyllis Sczuka; John Schmidt; Marian Thomas; Kay Villemi; Crystal VanBuren; Earl White Madeline White; Sister Giustina Zanin; Zaria Zanin; Eugene Zehner, Mick Zehner

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

-For our military, protect them from all harm.

-For all the faithful departed, may they rest in peace.

Stewardship Report: Revenue

June 5 th	11,908.00
Faith Direct	2,338.00
Total Offertory	14,246.00
Last Year:	11,344.00

We are grateful for your generosity

Looking Ahead

Teen Youth Mass will be held this Sunday, June 12th at 10:30 AM. All teens are encouraged to attend and celebrate the Eucharist together. We will provide a special recognition of our 2016 high school graduates listed below;



After Mass, our last teen meeting for the school year will be held in the Hughes Center from 12:00-2:30 PM. Eighth graders are also invited to attend the meeting.

Senior	High School	College/University
Daniel Adekoya	Lanham Christian School	University of Maryland
Ihuma Chikere	Fairmont Heights H.S.	Prince George's C.C
Obinna Chikere	Duval H.S.	Prince George's C.C.
Marianne de la Cuesta	Bowie H.S.	College—TBD
Angelica Eke	Bowie H.S.	Prince George's C.C.
Julia Hawkins	Elizabeth Seton H.S.	Frostburg State College
Chinenye Onyima	Eleanor Roosevelt H.S.	University of Maryland
Cyristal Okolo	Bowie H.S.	University of Maryland
Julia Kalshoven	Bishop McNamara H.S.	United States Naval Academy
Justin Muoneke	Flowers H.S.	Coppin State University
Maximu Onuoha Jr.	Eleanor Roosevelt H.S.	College—TBD
Oscar Olwaroa	Friendship H.S.	Undecided

SCHOOL NEWS

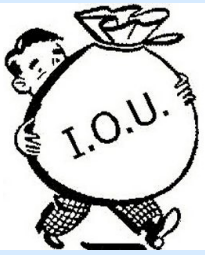
The Academy of St. Matthias the Apostle: Spread the good news and encourage your friends and neighbors to consider enrolling their children for the 2016-2017 school year. For more information, please call 301-577-9412, or mblackburn@stmatthias.org

School Raffle: Congratulations to Marsha Blackburn, winner and seller (\$350) in the June 6th drawing.

The Last Day of School is Wednesday, June 15th. We wish our teachers, staff, parents, and students a safe and happy summer!



THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Family Connection

Families are familiar with the concept of an IOU. Children especially are in the habit of borrowing from one another and owing something to someone. In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus tells a story of two people who owe different amounts of money to a creditor. One owes a small amount and the other owes a large amount. It doesn't take a rocket scientist to figure out which person will be happier about having the debt forgiven!

Talk as a family about times that various family members have borrowed from one another or owed something to one another. Share with your children the realities of being a homeowner and owing money on a house, a car, and other possessions. With these realities in mind, read aloud Luke 7:36—8:3. Discuss what it would feel like to have your debts forgiven. Talk about how, because of the forgiveness of sins we receive from Jesus, we owe a debt of gratitude to God.

Conclude by praying together the Lord's Prayer. Emphasize that the words, "forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us" are sometimes translated as "forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors."

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Items of Note

Volunteers are needed to assist with meal preparation at the priests' residence, June 17th-30th. If you are able to provide a dinner for four, please contact Pat Ford at 301-459-4814 x 201 to schedule a date. Thank you.

Votive and Memorial Candles: Coming soon, votive and memorial candles will be available in the Church and in the Adoration Chapel. Suggested minimum offering to light a votive candle is \$1.00. Memorial candles may be reserved for a term of one year. Each candle burns continuously for the entire year and will have a personalized plaque commemorating your loved one. Introductory cost is \$300 per year, through Sept. 30th, 2016. For more information or to reserve your memorial candle, please contact Thad Ereme at 301-459-4814 x 207 or tereme@stmatthias.org.



Father's Day Novena: This year the Novena for our Fathers will be held from June 18-26, with a Mass offered each day for the intentions received. The Knights of Columbus will sell Father's Day cards after all Masses this weekend. We ask that you make a \$5.00 offering for each name listed.

The Uhuru Quilters' Guild meets in Friendship Hall the third Saturday of every month from 10:00 AM until 2:00 PM. To join the guild, or for more information, please visit their website at www.uhuruquiltersguild.org/

Adult Faith Formation:

✠ St. Matthias is offering a weekly DVD series in the Hughes Center on Wednesdays, from 7:00-8:30 PM. *The Bible Timeline* is a fascinating study that takes participants on a journey through the entire Bible.

✠ St. Matthias is offering an adult DVD series on *The Science Before Science: A Guide to Thinking and Believing* by Dr. Anthony Rizzi. The weekly presentations are held in the Hughes Center on Tuesday mornings at 9:10 AM. Please join us as we watch the DVD and discuss afterward. For more information, please contact Catherine Tolnay at 301-459-4814 x 205.

Have you applied for BOOST Scholarship Program?

Eligible, low-income families can apply for a tuition scholarship to attend Catholic school for the upcoming 2016-2017 school year. For more information, please contact Brian Radziwill in the Catholic Schools Office at 301-853-5357 or radziwillb@adw.org.

The Saint Matthias Church Directories are available for purchase. Each Directory is \$20. Preordered copies and a limited number of extra copies may be purchased in the parish office during regular business hours.



Reminder: New carpet, tile, and wood flooring will be installed in the church this month. Work is expected to begin June 20th and will last approximately 3 weeks.

Weekday Masses (Monday through Saturday) will be held in the Hughes Center at 8:30 am.
Weekend Masses will be held in Friendship Hall.

**Schedule for Lectors, EMCH, & Altar Servers
June 18/19**

	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>EMCH</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>
5:00 pm	P. Stevenson	J. Flynn, C. Green, C. Kosko, J. Murray	A. Boafo A. Amanyeiwe
7:00 pm	R. Martin	TBD	E. Enrique Diaz B. Barahona L. Martinez
8:00 am	R. Johnson	D. Aitcheson, P. Buan, J. George, S. Keleti	J. Adekoya E. Adekoya D. Adekoya
10:30 am	R. Aitcheson B. Nwadije	African Men	H. Taylor, D. Morfaw F. Garcia
6:00 pm	K. Holmes-Johnson	D. Self, R. Galicinao	J. Onuohaa A. Akem

**Celebrant Mass Schedule for the
Weekend of June 18/19**



5:00 pm Father Milt
 7:00 pm Father John
 8:00 am Father Milt
 10:30 am Father Canice
 6:00 pm Father Nick