

Tenth Week in Ordinary Time

Monday, June 11th

Saint Barnabas, Apostle

Daily Mass 8:30AM: Lina Manlapaz (D)

Tuesday, June 12th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: Martin Nzeffili (D)

Wednesday, June 13th

Saint Anthony of Padua

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: Francis Greenfield (L)

Thursday, June 14th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: Juliet Manlapaz (L)

Friday, June 15th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: Ed Densmore (D)

Saturday, June 16th

Daily Mass 8:30: Juana Maria Moscoso (D)

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, June 16th

5:00 PM: Father's Day Novena

7:00 PM: Father's Day Novena

Sunday, June 17th

8:00 AM: Father's Day Novena

9:30 AM: Father's Day Novena

11:30 AM: Father's Day Novena

6:00 PM: Father's Day Novena

Readings:

Ex 17:22-24

2 Cor 5: 6-10

Mark 4: 26-34

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

Belinda Brewington; Elaine and Melvin Brooks; Muriel Brown; Yvette Butler; Patricia Castellano; Al Craig; Anne Dorsch; Nancy Femrite; Walter Fletcher; Norma Florimbio; Vilma Gilchrist; Francis and Genevieve Greenfield; William Halbe; Helen Jacik; Brenda Jackson; Janet Kinard; John and Joan Kodak; Carmen Kosko; Carole Anne New; Charlotte Palm; June Provini; Kay Villemi; Debby Walter; Mae Young; Sister Giustina Zanin; Zaria Zanin; Rita and Eugene Zehner

***For our military, protect them from all harm.
For the faithful departed, especially Isaiah Brown-Adams, may they rest in peace.***

Names will be placed on the Sick List for 4 weeks. Please contact Pat at the parish office to add or remove a name.
301-459-4814 or pford@stmatthias.org.

Stewardship Report

May 27

Offertory 8,824

Faith Direct 2,816

Total 11,640

Last Year 10,107

June 3

Offertory 12,825

Faith Direct 2,816

Total 15,641

Last Year 13,331

We are grateful for your generosity.

Items of Note at St. Matthias



Attention, Parishioners: If you have not used your offertory envelopes from January—May of 2018, we have removed your name from the envelope mailing list. If you would like to begin receiving envelopes, please contact Pat Ford at 301-459-4814 x 201 or pford@stmatthias.org.

Adult Bible Study: We meet in the Hughes Center on Wednesdays from 7:00-8:30 PM. Please come and bring a friend!

The St. Matthias Prayer Group meets in the church every Sunday immediately after the 11:30 AM Mass. All are welcome.

The Catholic Women's Association meets after the 11:30 AM Mass on the second and fourth Sundays of the month.

Save the Date: The Parish Social Life Committee invites you to a **Multicultural Festival** on Saturday, September 8th. More information will be posted in upcoming bulletins.



Celebrant Mass Schedule for June 16/17

5:00 PM Father Jack
7:00 PM Father Jacek
8:00 AM Father Jack
9:30 AM Father Casimir
11:30 AM Father Canice
6:00 PM Father Albert

Family Connection

Families are places of beginnings. Within our family, we first learn what it means to be part of a community. We share a closeness and experience mutual understanding and support. We learn how to love one another, how to ask for and receive forgiveness, and how to apply all these lessons to the world outside our homes.

As you gather as a family, talk about what makes your family special. Share some of the lessons you have learned together about love, forgiveness, and understanding. Then read today's Gospel, Mark 3:20-35. Jesus wants us to understand that by doing God's will, we are part of a bigger family. Choosing to follow Jesus, being his disciple, means we must treat one another with kindness and mercy. We must become a family. Conclude by asking God to bless your family and to help you do God's will by seeing all his people with the same kind of love and compassion. Pray together the *Lord's Prayer* and the *Hail Mary*.

Around the Archdiocese

Quo Vadis Camp for Young Men: From July 15-18 at Mount Saint Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, MD, the Office of Priest Vocation's annual Quo Vadis Camp is for mature high school age young men who desire to grow in holiness. The four-day camp includes daily Mass, prayer, Eucharistic Adoration, recreation, sports, and fraternity. More information is available and registration is open at www.DCpriest.org. Please contact the Office of Priest Vocations at vocations@adw.org or 202-636-9020 with any questions.

Fiat Camp for Young Women is open to rising 9th-12th grade students. The camp will be held from July 27-29 at Mount St. Mary's University in Emmitsburg, MD., and it includes prayer, talks, discussions, games, and sports. The fee is \$150 (sibling discounts and scholarships are available). For details and registration, go to www.quovadisfiat.org.

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Father's Day Novena at St. Matthias

Our annual Father's Day Novena will begin with the 5:00 PM Vigil Mass on Saturday, June 16th, and will conclude with the 6:00 PM Mass on June 24th. A thoughtful way to remember fathers, living and deceased, is by listing names on a Father's Day envelope. Names will be read at each Mass that is celebrated throughout the Novena. A Father's Day envelope is included in your regular weekly envelope packet. Additional envelopes and cards will be available from the Knights of Columbus after Masses this weekend. You may also stop by the parish office during regular business hours. A suggested offering is \$5.00 per name listed.

Faith Formation

Faith Formation Classes 2018-2019: St. Matthias is in great need of Catechists to help our young people learn the faith and grow in their personal relationship with Jesus. Classes meet on Monday nights beginning in September. Help is available to prepare for this important ministry in the Church. Please call Catherine Tolnay, Director of Faith Formation, at 301-459-4814 x 205 to discuss the possibility of volunteering.

Adult Bible Study began last Wednesday evening. This summer we are focusing on the Gospel of Matthew. We meet in the Hughes Center on Wednesday evenings from 7:00 - 8:30 PM. Please join us and bring a friend!



The Academy of Saint Matthias

Enrollment for the 2018-2019 school year: For information, please contact Mrs. Ann O'Hare, Admissions Director at 301-577-9412.

Congratulations to the Academy of Saint Matthias Class of 2018: Aderomoke Adenuga, Karys Amatie, Kimani Ames, Abigail Asfaw, Idriss Diarra, Jeremiah Elliott, Venessa Francis, Turner Jenkins, Jamaal Kamara, Divine Obidike, Jaylene Sotelo, William Washington, Trinity Williams, and Maya Wilson.

School Raffle Winners: Congratulations to Nickita Smith, winner and seller, \$ 350, in the June 4th drawing.

School is out for Summer: We thank our teachers, staff, and families for a successful school year.

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