Parish Staff

**Pastor**
Reverend Milton E. Jordan ~ x 203

**Accountant**
Ms. Leslie Long O’Leary ~ x 202

**Parish Office Manager**
Mr. Thad Ereme ~ x 207

**Secretary**
Ms. Patricia Ford ~ x 201

**Director of Faith Formation**
Ms. Catherine Tolnay ~ x 205
Adult & Youth Religious Education and Sacramental Preparation

**Director of Music Ministry**
Ms. Regina Loffredo 301-464-9193

**Organist**
Ms. Deborah Kijak-Hess

**Maintenance Supervisor**
Mr. Hector Perez

---

School Office Staff

Telephone: 301-577-9412

**Principal**
Mrs. Abigail Greer ~ x 214

**Director of Development and Admissions**
Mrs. Vivian O. Richards ~ x 215

**Administrative Assistant**
Ms. Marsha Blackburn ~ x 212

---

Sunday Mass Schedule
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00, 10:30 AM and 6:00 PM

Daily Mass Schedule
Monday through Friday: 8:30 AM

Monday Devotion
Adoration and Blessed Sacrament: 6:00 to 8:00 PM
Confessions: 7:00 to 8:00 PM
Benediction: 8:00 PM

Holy Days of Obligation
*Masses at: 7:30 AM, 12 Noon and 7:30 PM
*Unless otherwise announced

Sacrament of Baptism
Parents must be registered at least six months, practicing and attend a mandatory preparation seminar, which may be completed prior to the child’s birth. Please contact the Office of Faith Formation for information and registration.

Sacrament of Marriage
Registered, practicing parishioners must contact a parish priest at least six months in advance of the wedding.

New Parishioners
Welcome! Please fill out a parish census form in the church vestibule or contact the rectory. All parishioners must be registered and practicing in order for us to serve you by issuing a Letter of Good Standing for sponsorship at the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, or Matrimony.

Moving?
Please notify us as soon as possible if you are moving or have had a change of address in order for us to update our records.
**The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

On the Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time we hear the story from *Mark’s Gospel* about the storm at sea. Jesus calms the sea and asks, “Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?”

Wednesday is the **Solemnity of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist**, with special readings. Luke’s Gospel shows us the deep faith of Elizabeth and Zechariah as their newborn son is named John. “All who heard these things took them to heart, saying, ‘What, then, will this child be?’ For surely the hand of the Lord was with him.”

The first reading all week is a three week journey through the **Book of Genesis** and begins with the call of Abram and his wife Sarai. Abraham and Lot leave each other, splitting land and herds. God makes a covenant with Abraham, who has no heir, and promises him not only a son, but that he would be the father of as many people as the stars of the sky.

This week we continue reading from **Matthew’s Gospel**. Jesus continues his challenge to follow him more completely. “Stop judging, that you may not be judged.” “Do to others whatever you would have them do to you.” “Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep’s clothing.” “Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the Kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father in heaven.” “Who do you say that I am?” When a leper asks if Jesus will cure him, Jesus replies, “I will do it. Be made clean.” On Saturday, Matthew quotes the prophet Isaiah, “He took away our infirmities and bore our diseases.”

Taken from Creighton University’s Online Ministries website: http://onlineministries.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/online.html. Used with permission.

---

**Stewardship Report: Revenue**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>June 14th</td>
<td>8,672.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Faith Direct</td>
<td>2,285.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Total Offertory</td>
<td>10,957.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Last Year</td>
<td>10,082.80</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Poor Box</td>
<td>254.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Every Penny Counts Box:</td>
<td>113.28</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Building Fund for June 2015 to date</td>
<td>1,428.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Building Fund for June 2014</td>
<td>4,616.00</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Number of Adult Envelopes: 172; Number of Children’s Envelopes: 5; Number of Faith Direct Donors: 63; Number of Regular Households: 813.

---

**The Peter’s Pence Collection:** Our second collection next weekend is for the **Peter’s Pence Collection**. This collection unites us in solidarity with Pope Francis and his works of charity to provide emergency assistance to those most in need, including victims of oppression, natural disasters, and war.

**Faith Direct:** The Lord is risen! As Christ’s disciples, we are called to go forth and spread the good news of His Resurrection. Our parish’s many ministries are examples of how many of you answer that call. Our ministries require not only gifts of time and talent, but also of financial support. Please prayerfully consider helping Saint Matthias the Apostle with electronic donations through **Faith Direct**. You can sign up online at www.fathirect.net using our church code MD41, or mail in an enrollment form from the parish office.

**Summer Stewardship:** Please remember that your parish counts on your weekly sacrifice of treasure, joyfully given to the Lord in gratitude, and that treasure is needed even when you’re away from us on vacation. Please remember to mail your offertory envelope to the rectory before you go away on a well-deserved vacation, or drop it in the collection basket the week before you leave. Thank you for being a faithful steward.

**Every Penny Counts:** Donate your loose change to the “Every Penny Counts” Box which provides funding for the annual Father E. Albert Hughes Scholarship Awards. The scholarship awards are given in the form of tuition assistance to deserving parish students.

---

**A Father’s Day Prayer**

Dear Heavenly Father,

Shower your blessing upon all fathers.

Grant them wisdom to guide their children along the right paths.

Grant them the strength to forgive when their children stray from those paths.

Grant them perseverance as they provide for the needs of their families.

May your love shelter them in times of need and expand their capacity for forgiveness, kindness, and compassion.

You, who are Father of us all, hold all fathers in your warm and generous heart. Amen.

**HAPPY FATHER’S DAY!**

www.webelieveandshare.com

---

**The Academy Raffle Winner**

Kerry Dovel, the winner of $300 Mona Perez Family, the seller won $50 for the June 15th drawing.
THE TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Items of Note

Music Ministry: You may have noticed that we have welcomed a new musician to our ministry at the Sunday evening, 6PM Masses. Mr. George Stewart will be providing music and song-leading on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of every month. Mr. Stewart is very active in Archdioecesan musical programs and serves as Director of Music at Our Lady Of Perpetual Help, Choir Director at St. Vincent de Paul and Our Lady Queen Of Peace, and accompanist at Holy Comforter.

Faith Formation Registration: Ms. Catherine Tolnay, Director of Faith Formation, asks that if your child/children do not attend a Catholic School, you register them for our Faith Formation classes (grades K-8) which will begin in September. You will find registration forms in the pamphlet rack in the vestibule of the Church. Please fill out one form for each of your children who will attend classes, include the registration fee in a sealed envelope with Ms. Tolnay’s name on the envelope and bring it to the Parish Offices. If the Offices are closed, put it in the mail slot at the bottom of the door. Please understand that children need to be in Faith Formation Classes for two years in a row to receive a sacrament. We look forward in aiding you in passing on the full deposit of the faith to your children.

Bible Study: Bible Study will not meet this Wednesday, June 24th, but will resume with the book of Revelation on Wednesday, July 1st. Please join us then in the Hughes Center beginning at 7pm. Bring your Bible and a friend.

Usher’s Closet: The usher’s closet is full and needs to be cleaned. On Friday, July 17, 2015 that area will be cleaned out, so if you are missing anything and have not look in the closet for it, please speak to an usher for assistance before the 17th. As of that date anything remaining will be donated or discarded. Thank you.

Quo Vadis Camp: The 7th Annual Quo Vadis Camp for high school-aged men will be held at Mount Saint Mary’s Seminary July 19-22, 2015. The four-day camp includes prayer, talks, sports, an opportunity to talk to priests and seminarians, and much more. If you have questions, please contact the Office of Priest Vocations at vocations@adw.org or 202-636-9020. Information is available and registration is open at www.dcpriest.org.

Volunteer Concierges Needed: The Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land is seeking volunteer concierges to welcome visitors to the historic church, shrines, gardens and conference rooms. Volunteers must be reliable, friendly and well-spoken. Contact Friar John-Sebastian, mail@myfranciscan.com or call 202-526-6800. The monastery is located at 1400 Quincy Street, NE, Washington, DC and online at myfranciscan.com.

Rummage Sale: St. Hugh’s Annual HUGE Rummage Sale will be held at 135 Crescent Road, Greenbelt MD 20770 on Saturday, June 20, 2015 from 9:00am to 2:00pm and Sunday, June 21, 2015 from 9:00am to 1:00pm. Lots of great buys and bargains, food, and bake sale!

Mass Intentions for the Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time

Monday, June 22: St. Paulinus of Nola, Bishop
8:30 am Father’s Day Novena
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Confessions
8:00 pm Benediction

Tuesday, June 23:
8:30 am Father’s Day Novena

Wednesday, June 24: Nativity of St. John the Baptist
8:30 am Father’s Day Novena

Thursday, June 25:
8:30 am Father’s Day Novena

Friday, June 26:
8:30 am Father’s Day Novena

The Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, June 28:
8:00 am Father’s Day Novena
10:30 am Father’s Day Novena
6:00 pm Father’s Day Novena

Readings for the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:
2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15
Gospel: Mark 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35-43

Please pray for the sick and homebound in our parish, our neighbors, family, and friends: Margie Baker; Melvin and Elaine Brooks; Muriel Brown; Shawn Brown; Yvonne Brown; Yvette Butler; Sylvia Conte; Al Craig; Ronnie Davis; Gali Galincia; Patricia Garner; Emma Graham; Francis Greenfield; Wonema Hammer; Salome Ilhejrka; Dorothy Johnston; Pamela Jones; Jack Jordan; Kay Kaderabek; John and Joan Kadak; Janice Lipa; Terry Looney; Ed Mahlin, Jr.; Katherine Mahlin; Joe Makowski; John Murray; Carole New; Bernice Nnannah; Molly Onwuchekwe; Raphael Onyewu; Joe Owens; William Pinchback; Marion Prout; Martin Reed; Nicole Riley; Pablo Rocha; Lisabeth Salvador; Lucille Strege; Marian Thomas; Kay Vilmus; Krystal Williams; John and Sam Zarin; Eugene Zehner and Mary Ann Zehner; may God’s healing grace be theirs. For our military serving overseas: Protect them from all harm. For all the faithful departed: Grace Buck, Amanda Hopkins & Ben Self; may they rest in peace.

Dear God, I didn’t think orange went with purple until I saw the sunset you made on Tuesday night. That was really cool. Thomas

Celebrant Mass Schedule for Sunday, June 28th

8:00 am Father Visitor
10:30 am Father Visitor
6:00 pm Msgr. Balbago