Tenth Week in Ordinary Time

**Monday, June 8th**
Mass 8:30 AM: St. Matthias Faculty & Staff

**Tuesday, June 9th**
Saint Ephrem
Daily Mass 8:30 AM: St. Matthias Students

**Wednesday, June 10th**
Daily Mass 8:30 AM: Students in the Class of 2020

**Thursday, June 11th**
Saint Barnabas
Daily Mass 8:30 AM Lena Manlapaz (D)

**Friday, June 12th**
Daily Mass 8:30 AM: First Responders (L)

**Saturday, June 13th**
Saint Anthony of Padua
Daily Mass 8:30 AM: John Wright (L)

**Sunday, June 14th**
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

For Parish News and Updates, Visit the Parish Website at www.stmatthias.org
Follow Father Jack (Jack Kennealy) on Facebook and on The Church of St. Matthias Facebook Page.

Join us for the live-stream 9:00 AM and 11:30 AM Sunday Masses by going to the St. Matthias Church Facebook page.

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

Florence Asonglefac; Elaine Brooks; Muriel Brown; Yvette Butler; Rose Chisefsky; Cathy Chittham; Chunyere Duru; Helen Dziduch; Patricia Farland; John Graham; Genevieve Greenfield; William Halbe; Jan Jarus; George Johnson; Joseph Johnson; Joan Kodak; Cathy Piemcier; Sorie Sankoh; Evelyn Turley; William Washington; Mae Young; Sister Giustina Zanin; Ziara Zanin; Don Zehner; Rita and Eugene Zehner

For our military, protect them from all harm.

For the faithful departed, may they rest in peace.

A Message From the Pastor

Last week, I sent a letter to all parish families that provided updates for eventual reopening of the church and some of the issues affecting our parish.

Thank you for using your envelopes or Faith Direct. Feel free to mail your contribution or drop your envelopes in the mail slot in the door to the Hughes Center.

Please pray for Fr. Canice and me and be assured of our prayers for you.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Fr. Jack Kennealy

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Stewardship Report

Thank you for continuing your support of our parish by sending your weekly contributions and giving through Faith Direct. We appreciate all that you are able to do to contribute to the support of the church.

Offertory Contributions

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We Are Grateful For Your Generosity

Sign Up for FlockNote

To receive timely news, updates, and words of encouragement from our pastor, Father Jack, sign up for FlockNote. To receive email, go to: https://app.flocknote.com/find.
The Academy of Saint Matthias

Maryland BOOST Scholarship Coalition: Broadening Options and Opportunities for Students Today (BOOST) encourages families to apply for financial aid scholarships by going to http://marylandpublicschools.org/Pages/boost/application.aspx. Children must be enrolled in TADS in order to apply. The State of Maryland has extended the application deadline to July 15, 2020.

Enrollment for the 2020-21 School Year: in Grades Pre-K3-8: Families interested in applying should email Mrs. Ann O’Hare at aohare@stmatthias.org to inquire about admission and to arrange for a school tour.

Father Hughes Scholarship: Please go to www.stmatthias.org to download an application. This scholarship is for registered qualifying parish families whose children attend St. Matthias or an accredited Catholic high school in the Archdiocese of Washington. St. Matthias students must be enrolled in TADS in order to qualify. The deadline for applying is Monday, June 15, 2020.

School Raffle Winners: Congratulations to Nneka Offah, winner and seller ($1050), in the May 15th drawing. Congratulations to Concheeta Wright, winner and seller ($1050), in the June 1st drawing.

Family Connection

Because of God’s great love for us, he sent his Son, Jesus, to save the world. Jesus, in turn, sent the Holy Spirit so that our faith in God and his love would be strengthened. The nurturing experiences of family life also help us to understand and have faith in God’s love.

Create a family poster together showing all the ways in which your family experiences God’s great love. Use symbols, pictures, and words to show how you have seen God at work in your family life and in our history. Then read together today’s Gospel, John 3:16-18. Pray together, thanking God for his gift of love. Conclude by praying the Glory Be to the Father or today’s Psalm.

"The time is always right to do what is right."

-Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Archdiocese of Washington

Archbishop Wilton Gregory released statements on the Memorial Day death of George Floyd, as well as the June 2nd plan for President Trump to visit the St. John Paul II National Shrine. Please go to adw.org to read Archbishop Gregory’s remarks.

The Archdiocesan Website, adw.org/coronavirus, is updated regularly with information, in English and Spanish. To find a listing of live stream Masses and prayers, go to adw.org/live-streamed-masses-and-prayers. The Catholic Standard and the Spanish-language El Pregonero newspapers are currently available online at cathstan.org and elpreg.org.

Archbishop José H. Gomez of Los Angeles and president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) has issued a statement on George Floyd and the protests in American cities that have taken place over the last several days. This follows the Friday statement from seven U.S. bishop chairmen of committees within the USCCB. To read these statements, go to usccb.org.

From Credit Cards to Student Loans: Managing Your Debt During COVID-19: Catholic Charities Financial Stability Network is offering a free taped webinar reviewing how parishioners can best manage student loans, credit cards, and mortgage debt. Go to https://us02web.zoom.us/rec/share/6dZ2BJ_e-19LGlhP05F-mYL4XdyiT6a8hlb-KzzxU5—6GAztW3JSgOMaixZRR?startTime=1589473289000.