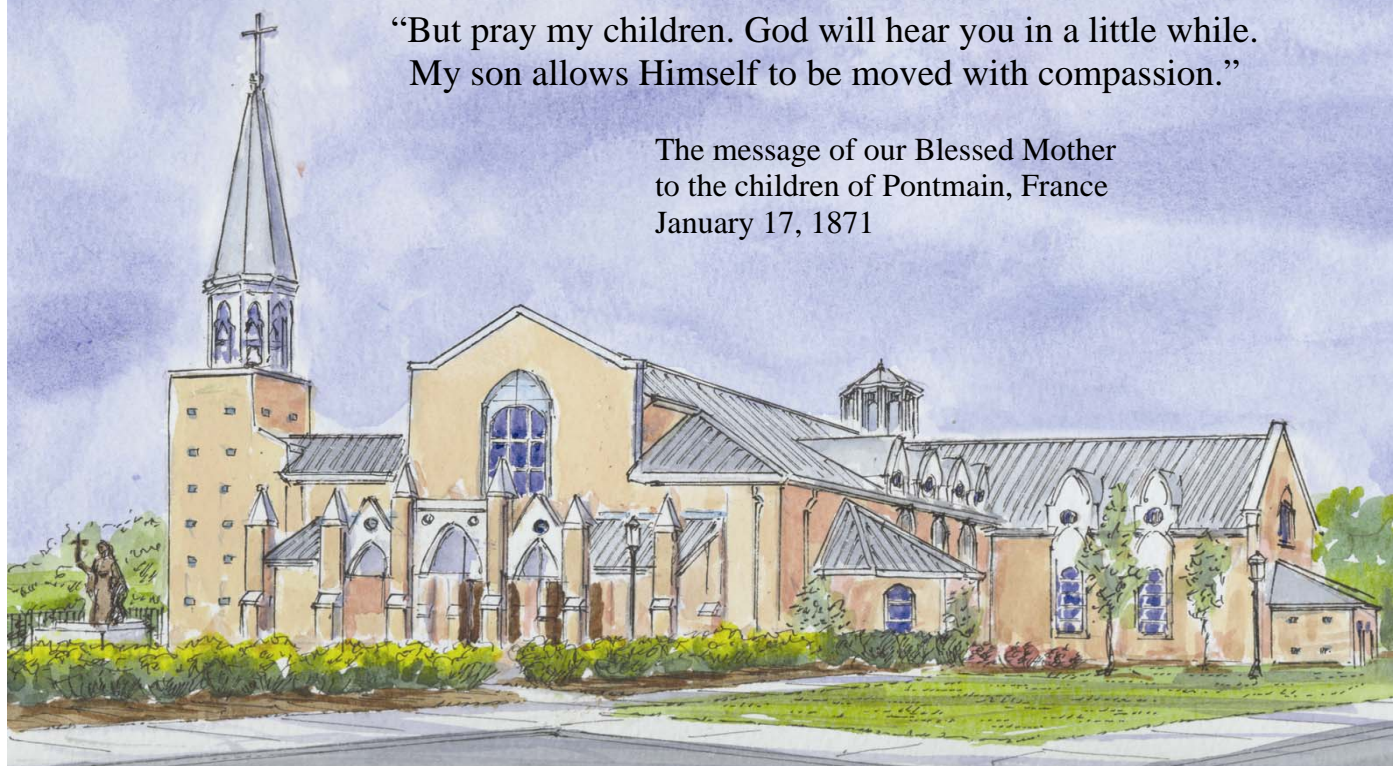


Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church

“But pray my children. God will hear you in a little while.
My son allows Himself to be moved with compassion.”

The message of our Blessed Mother
to the children of Pontmain, France
January 17, 1871



Parish Staff

The Rev. William P. Saunders, Pastor
The Rev. William B. Schierer, Parochial Vicar
Cathy Plummer, Director of Religious Education
Cathy Barshop, Religious Education Assistant
Monica Clarke, Youth Ministry Assistant
Pat Sabas, Business Manager
Ben Zumdahl, IT Manager
Alfonso Pena, Facilities Supervisor
Michael Galdo, Director of Music
Suzanne Yerks, Assistant Director of Music
Nancy Burgess, Parish Secretary

The Church & Parish Office

Address: 46639 Algonkian Parkway
Potomac Falls, Virginia 20165
Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.,
Monday - Friday
Telephone: 703-433-6770
Website: www.ourladyofhope.net

Parish Registration

We invite you to register and become part of our parish community. Forms are available at the parish office or on the table in the narthex.

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening Vigil: 5:00 p.m.
Sundays: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m.

Daily Masses

Monday - Friday at 6:45 & 8:30 a.m.
Saturday: 8:30 a.m.
On Federal Holidays Mass is at 8:30 a.m. only.

Sacrament of Penance

Confessions are heard on Saturdays after the 8:30 a.m. Mass during the Thursday evening Holy Hour, and by appointment.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Thursday from 9:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.

Holy Hour

Thursday evening from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Our Lady of Hope Catholic School

Mary Beth Pittman, School Principal
Angela Sus, Administrative Assistant
Address: 46633 Algonkian Parkway
Potomac Falls, Virginia 20165
Telephone: 703-433-6760
Website: www.school.ourladyofhope.net

MASSES OF THE WEEK

Sunday, June 24th: Nativity of St. John the Baptist

7:30 a.m. ☩ Francis Zawalick by the Zawalick Family
 9:00 a.m. ☩ Barbara Blondin by Therese Magnotti
 10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners
 12:15 p.m. Father's Day Novena

Monday, June 25th

6:45 a.m. ☩ Gerardo Z. Jose by the Basco Family
 8:30 a.m. Father's Day Novena
 (Mass in Latin)

Tuesday, June 26th

6:45 a.m. ☩ Maurice Regan by the Dodge Family
 8:30 a.m. ☩ Phyliss Boudreau by the Pittman Family

Wednesday, June 27th: St. Cyril of Alexandria

6:45 a.m. ☩ Ben David Eichelberger, III by Cathy Plummer
 8:30 a.m. ☩ Charlotte Falk

Thursday, June 28th: St. Irenaeus

6:45 a.m. ☩ Francis Messina by the Granata Family
 8:30 a.m. ☩ Charles Coyle by The Ladies of Hope

Friday, June 29th: Ss. Peter & Paul

6:45 a.m. ☩ Opal Peterson by Barbara Principe
 8:30 a.m. ☩ Dolores Boehm by the Kelly Family

Saturday, June 30th: First Martyrs of the Holy

Roman Church

8:30 a.m. ☩ Willie V. Hubble by the Kelly Family
 5:00 p.m. ☩ Michael Ronayne by the Ronayne Children

Sunday, July 1st: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Special Intention by Laura Danbom
 9:00 a.m. ☩ Vincent Belcik by William M. Pruzensky
 10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners
 12:15 p.m. Mae Grand by Vincent & Marie Buscema

PARISH GROUP COORDINATORS

Altar Flowers:	Jennifer McCabe	404-5580
Altar Servers:	Jeff Grado	477-9177
Altar Society:	Alfonso & Janeth Pena	406-9835
American Heritage Girls		
	Diane Harvey	406-6040
Birthright	Marsha Slick	433-0034
Book Club	Linda Neri	430-3952
Boy Scouts:	Gina DeCrisci-Farmer	406-2341
Columbian Squires:		
	Jon MacGoy	887-3107
CYO Sports:	Ralph Peluso	729-3385
Girl Scouts:	Jennifer McCabe	404-5580
Homeschoolers:	Stacy Byrne	948-7845
Knights of Columbus:		
	John Jorgensen	282-3874
Ladies of Hope:	Peggy Kearney	444-1341
Lectors:	Paul Gilmore	444-2293
Legion of Mary	Deborah Baird	430-8554
Outreach:	Donna Bongiovanni	346-1152
Pro-Life:	Maureen Whalen	669-4457
St. Joseph's League:		
	Mike & Vicki Egan	430-2651
Ushers:	John Grzechowiak	444-0023
Young Adults:	Jennifer Wilson	401-4440

Sacrament of Baptism

Parish Registration and the Baptism class are required. Baptisms are held every Sunday of each month at 1:30 p.m. in the Church Baptistry. Please contact the parish secretary to register for the Baptism classes. Plan to attend the classes before the birth of the child.



What does it mean to be an active Catholic?

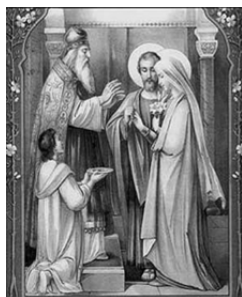
Frequently, those seeking to celebrate Marriage, have children baptized, or serve as sponsors for Confirmation or Baptism request a letter stating that they are parishioners and active, practicing Catholics. *To receive such a letter, one must be registered in the parish for at least 3 months, attend Mass regularly, and be committed to a stewardship of time, talent, and treasure.* We encourage all parishioners to become active in one of the parish organizations. In a community as large as Our Lady of Hope, one means of verifying participation is through the use of parish offertory envelopes. If you choose not to participate in the support of the parish, or are unable to contribute at this time, please at least note your prayerful support on your envelope and place it in the weekly offertory. We will then be aware of your continued participation, and you will not be noted as "inactive" on our parish roster.

Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for July

General Intention: Work Security. That everyone may have work in safe and secure conditions. **Missionary Intention:** Christian Volunteers. That Christian volunteers in mission territories may witness to the love of Christ.



Sacrament of Matrimony



In accordance with the regulations of the Bishop of Arlington, couples must contact a priest and begin preparation at least six months prior to the wedding. Parish registration and active participation for a minimum of 3 months is required *before* preparation may begin. Living together before marriage is sinful and harmful to the future marriage. Couples who are living together will be asked to live separately during the preparation time.



Ask Your Pastor
Fr. Saunders

“Was Saint Peter married?”

St. Matthew recorded in the gospel, “Jesus entered Peter’s house and found Peter’s mother-in-law in bed with a

fever. He took her by the hand and the fever left her.” (Matthew 8:14-15) Note that the passage does not mention St. Peter’s wife, only his mother-in-law. The gospels make no mention of a wife, living or non-living. Therefore, St. Peter’s wife must have died before Jesus called him to be an apostle.

Fortnight for Freedom

At the request of Bishop Loverde, our diocese is participating in the “Fortnight for Freedom” from June 21-July 4. There will be various events and activities during this “special period of prayer, study, catechesis, and public action” throughout the Diocese of Arlington and the Archdiocese of Washington. For more information, please visit www.fortnight4freedom.org.



Would you be allowed in St. Peter’s Basilica?



As the temperatures climb, there is the temptation to “dress down” for Mass. Clothing that is best suited for the beach or the ball field should not be worn at Mass. Clothing may not make a person, but everyone knows how we look does show respect for ourselves and God.

Augustine’s Brothers

Augustine’s Brothers is group for Catholic men who find it difficult to free themselves from the chains of pornography and other sexual behaviors. It is a group of men helping and supporting each other to overcome this powerful force. The group meets each Thursday night in Reston at St. John Neumann at 7:30 p.m. in classroom B9. For more information or questions contact Tim at augustinesbrothers@hotmail.com or 727-207-2856.

Second Collection

The Catholic Communications Campaign collection was \$1,856.10. Thank you for your support and generosity.

Arlington Catholic HERALD Summer Schedule

The Arlington Catholic HERALD will switch to its bi-weekly print schedule for the summer months of June, July and August but its website will be updated on a daily basis. Visit www.catholicerald.com for current news and information. You can follow the HERALD via Twitter and Facebook as well.

Volunteers Needed at the Basilica

Are you looking for an opportunity to grow in your own faith and extend that gift to others through your personal witness and service to the Church? We invite you to become a volunteer docent or receptionist at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Hours and days are flexible and training will be provided. We also need volunteer nurses or doctors to assist at large events at the Shrine. Anyone interested please contact Sister Miriam, R.S.M., at the Basilica at visitorservices@bnsic.org or 202-526-8300, ext. 111.

Catholic Charities’ Needs ESL Volunteers

Hogar is in need of volunteer ESL (English as a Second Language) teachers, citizenship teachers, and site coordinators for classes at Our Lady of Angels in Woodbridge, All Saints in Manassas, **Christ the Redeemer in Sterling, St. Joseph in Herndon**, and in Falls Church and Alexandria! Training and materials for volunteers are provided by Hogar Immigrant Services. You only need to know English to teach ESL! If interested, contact Lisa Ehm Waller at lwaller@ccda.net or call 703-534-9805, ext. 238

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers are in celebration of Paul and Betty Altman’s 57th Anniversary with best wishes from sons Paul, Mike, Stephen, Andy, and all the grandchildren.



Flyers in the Parking Lot

There have been some instances of people putting flyers on vehicles in our parking lot. Under no circumstances is this permitted, especially for political, business, or personal motives. If you ever see anyone placing flyers on cars, please ask the person to stop and if necessary, tell Fr. Saunders or call the police.

One Day Abortion Recovery Retreat for Women

On Saturday, July 21st, the Project Rachel office will offer a one day retreat in a safe, confidential environment where those whose hearts have been broken by abortion can seek healing and renewal. For more information, please contact Project Rachel at projectrachel@arlingtondiocese.org or 888-456-HOPE or 888 456-4673.

Eucharistic Adoration

Our Lady of Hope offers Eucharistic Adoration every Thursday from 9 a.m.–7 p.m., followed by Holy Hour and Confessions. Please prayerfully consider becoming a scheduled adorer and spending an hour with our Lord. You may sign up in the narthex.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

703-433-6564

THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE IS
CLOSED ON FRIDAYS**Registration for Next Year**

Returning Families – The 2012-2013 Registration Forms have been mailed. Please mail or return these forms to the office as soon as possible. Registration is on a **first come, first served basis!**

New Families – All parish families with children in grades K-8 are welcome and encouraged to register for Religious Education classes for next year. Registration forms are available on the parish web site.

Consider volunteering as a catechist or aide next year to insure your choice of class day and time!

Confirmation Class 2011-2012 (8th graders)Sept. 7th – 6-10 p.m. - Confirmation RetreatSept. 8th – 9:30 a.m. – 6 p.m. – Confirmation Retreat**Please Pray For...**

The full list of the sick and homebound of our parish has moved to our website, www.ourladyofhope.net. Please use the "Parish" tab and then, "Please Pray For..." to view the full list. Please call the parish office to have a name added or removed. Please pray for **Kathleen McGeehan & Jim Young**.

Office of Vocations Events**July 15th – July 19th: Fiat Days Camp**

Registration is open for Fiat Days, our annual discernment camp, open to high school women (rising freshmen-rising seniors) and held at Mount St. Mary's Seminary, Emmitsburg, MD.

July 29th – August 2nd: Quo Vadis Days Camp

Registration is open for Quo Vadis Days, our annual discernment camp open to high school men (rising freshmen-rising seniors), held at Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, MD.

Go to www.arlingtonvocations.org to get a camp registration packet for your son or daughter. Contact the Office of Vocations for more information at 703-841-2514.

Special Intentions

The cloistered Dominican Nuns of Linden, VA, invite you to send any special intentions which you would like them to remember in their prayers. There is a life lived for God alone in prayer, contemplation, and sacrifice for the life of the Church and for our broken world. Write to: Saint Dominic's Monastery, 2636 Monastery Road, Linden, VA 22642 or you can visit their web site at www.lindenopnuns.org to email intentions.

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

703-433-6770 Ext. 142

High School Youth(9th -12th Graders)

Mother Teresa Mondays - (meet in parking lot at 5:45 p.m.)

July 2nd – Falcons Landing**July 16th** – Sportsplex**Work Camp 2012**

Please pray Fr. Schierer and all of our teens and adults attending Work Camp this week.

**Attention Young Adults!**

All young adults in their 20s and 30s are invited to join the Our Lady of Hope Young Adults For more information, contact Jenni at 703-401-4440 or OLHYoungAdults@gmail.com.

Spring Book Study – Discover Orthodoxy, by G.K. Chesterton with our book study which meets through June 28th in the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Room at Our Lady of Hope on Thursday evenings at 8:00 p.m.

Birthright – Maternity Clothes Needed

Birthright is in need of new or gently used *summer* maternity clothes to help our mothers-to-be. Your kindness and generosity is greatly appreciated by the women who come to us for assistance. If you would like to donate clothing or money, please contact Marsha Slick at chsmss2@live.com or 703-433-0034.

Knights of Columbus**Cereal for Summer**

The Knights in Columbus in Loudoun County are trying to ease the burden over the summer on disadvantaged families by sponsoring a **Cereal for Summer** campaign. Knights will be collecting cereal, cereal bars, granola bars, pudding packs, other non-perishable snacks, and juice boxes at churches throughout Loudoun County. You may drop off your donations in the bin in the narthex through **June 24th**. Please help our Knights achieve their goal of 1,000 items donated!

Mass for the Feast of St. Josemaria Escriva

There will be a Solemn Mass for the Feast Day of St. Josemaria Escriva, Founder of Opus Dei, on Tuesday, June 26th at St. Veronica Catholic Church in Chantilly. The Mass begins at 7:30 p.m. Confessions will be available beginning at 6:45 p.m., and there will be a reception following the Mass in the school cafeteria.

