

Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church

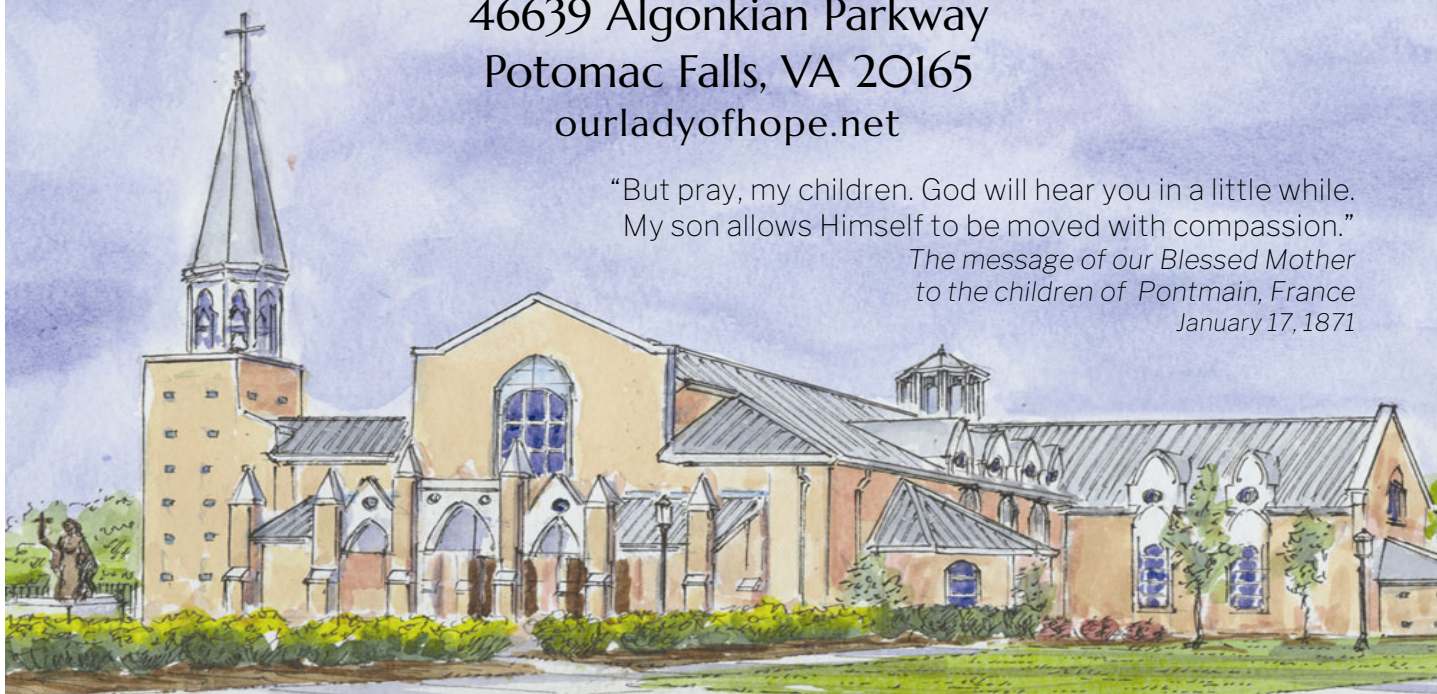
46639 Algonkian Parkway

Potomac Falls, VA 20165

ourladyofhope.net

"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*



13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 27, 2021

Pastor

Reverend Anthony J. Killian

Parochial Vicar

Reverend Jordan M. Willard

Deacon

Deacon Marco M. Rajkovich

Parish Office

Monday-Friday

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

703-433-6770

Religious Education Office

Monday-Thursday

703-433-6564



**Our Lady of Hope
Catholic School**

A National Blue Ribbon School

46633 Algonkian Parkway

Potomac Falls, VA 20165

703-433-6760

ourladyofhopeschool.net

school@ourladyofhope.net

Principal

Mary Beth Pittman

Office Manager

Angela Matzke

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Evening

5:00 p.m. (Vigil)

Sunday

7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.

12:15 p.m.

Daily Masses

Monday-Saturday

8:30 a.m.

The following Masses are available via
live stream at ourladyofhope.net/stream

Sunday: 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.

Monday-Saturday: 8:30 a.m.

Sacrament of Penance

Thursdays

7:00 p.m. until line ends

Saturdays

9:00 a.m. until line ends

By appointment:

Call the office to schedule.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursdays 9:00 a.m.—8:00 p.m.

Rosary

Preceding the 8:30 a.m. daily Mass

Parish Registration

If you are not registered, please pick up a form in the parish office or
from the information rack in the narthex.

Text-to-Give: Text the amount you would like to give to 703-343-9211.

MASSES OF THE WEEK

Sunday, June 27

7:30 a.m. Peter & Fran Bendo by Andrea & Peter Bendo
9:00 a.m. Mass for the People of Our Lady of Hope
10:30 a.m. +Sylvester Skrapits by the Hartmann Family
12:15 p.m. Father's Day Novena

Monday, June 28: St. Irenaeus

8:30 a.m. Father's Day Novena

Tuesday, June 29: Ss. Peter and Paul

8:30 a.m. +Florrie McKenna by the Gilmore Family

Wednesday, June 30: The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

8:30 a.m. +Kathleen McGuth by Bill McGuth

Thursday, July 1: St. Junipero Serra

8:30 a.m. In Thanksgiving to the Holy Spirit

Friday, July 2:

8:30 a.m. James Ford by Katie Doud

Saturday, July 3: St. Thomas

8:30 a.m. +Vicki Chase by Barbara Principe
5:00 p.m. +Rosemary Salito by Diane and Peter Buccieri

The 2022 Mass book is now open. For more information on requesting a Mass, please visit ourladyofhope.net/mass-intentions

PARISH STAFF

Pastor

Fr. Anthony Killian
frkillian@ourladyofhope.net x138

Parochial Vicar

Fr. Jordan Willard
frwillard@ourladyofhope.net x128

Director of Religious Education

Jackie Regan
jregan@ourladyofhope.net x124

Religious Education Assistant

Lisa Orosa
lorosa@ourladyofhope.net x129

Business Manager

Pat Sabas
psabas@ourladyofhope.net x140

Facilities Manager

Alfonso Peña
apena@ourladyofhope.net x131

Director of Music

Suzanne Yerks
syerks@ourladyofhope.net x134

Parish Secretary

Laurie Berstene
secretary@ourladyofhope.net x126

Youth Ministry Assistant

Shaun Silk
ssilk@ourladyofhope.net

OFFERTORY GIVING ALERT

"...as a matter of equality your abundance at the present time should supply their want, so that their abundance may supply your want, that there may be equality." - 2 Corinthians 8:14

One of the tenants of living a grateful and generous lifestyle is giving without expecting anything in return. It is important that we not only grow, nurture and share our gifts; but that we also teach our children and encourage others to do the same. This is the communal aspect of our Catholic faith. We are the "Body of Christ". We are called to be dependent on each other and not live in isolation.

The parish relies on your stewardship; particularly to the offertory. Our thanks to all who regularly support our parish. If you have been unable to make in-person weekly offerings, we prayerfully request that you consider signing up for Faith Direct and setting up your recurring offertory donation. You can use Faith Direct from your computer, phone or tablet for recurring and one-time gifts. Sign up today by visiting membership.faithdirect.net/VA79, or text *Enroll* to (703) 343-9211.

Those seeking to celebrate Marriage, have children baptized, or have a letter signed to serve as sponsors for Confirmation or Baptism should be parishioners and active, practicing Catholics. **To be considered active, one must have been registered in the parish for at least three months, attend Mass regularly, and be committed to a stewardship of time, talent, and treasure.** Please visit ourladyofhope.net or contact the parish office for more information.

Baptism: Parents desiring baptism for their child should call the office to begin preparation, preferably before the baby arrives. Parish registration is required, as well as a preparation class for parents.

Marriage: Please contact the office at least six months in advance of your desired date. Couples must have an initial meeting with the priest *before* setting any date or making any reservations for reception venues or with other churches.

Godparent or Confirmation Sponsor Certificates: Those seeking a sponsor certificate should call the office to set a time to come and sign the form in the presence of a priest.

Sacramental Preparation for Adults (RCIA): Adults who wish to receive Baptism, First Communion, and/or Confirmation are invited to attend the Inquiry Class on Thursday evenings. Please contact the Parish Secretary or visit the website to register.

The altar flowers are offered to the glory of God
and in honor of

Albert & Susie Bos and Bob & Wyni Taylor

by Barbara & Brian Taylor

Find us on social media!

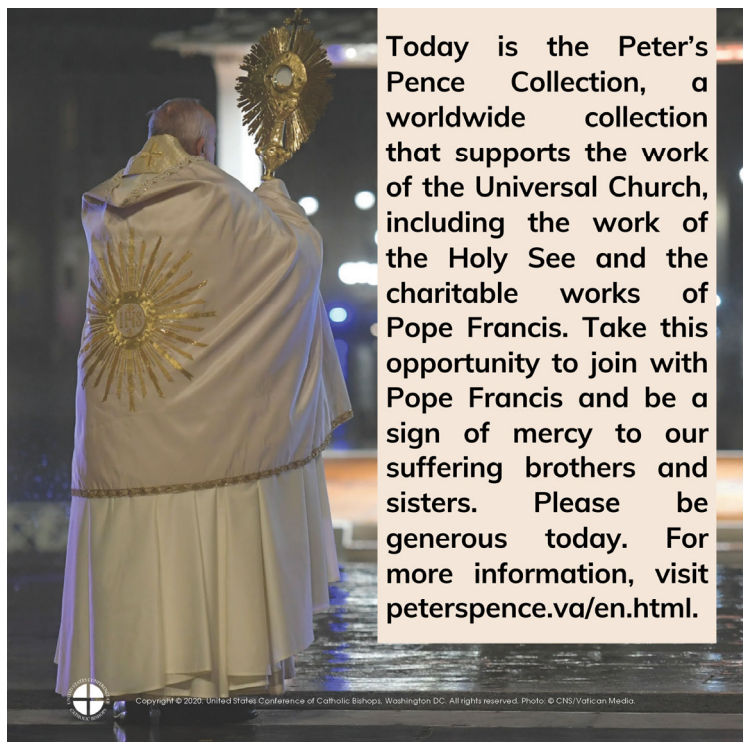
 @OLOHChurch
@OLOH_Crusaders

 @OLOHChurch
@OLOHSchool

 @OLOHChurch

 Our Lady of Hope
Catholic Church

 @OLOHChurch



Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Francis. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit peterspence.va/en.html.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Encounters is a new series of resources designed for families or small groups to learn about the Faith in a non-classroom environment. These can each be done during the pandemic at a time when young people are exhausted with virtual learning. Some of them require a short trip to a local Catholic site, while others can happen right in your own kitchen! Parents have the greatest impact on the faith lives of their children. Why not take a few minutes to skim through the various Encounters we have created and then make plans for your family to do one together this weekend? Visit arlingtondiocese.org/encounters to plan an Encounter for your family!

SUMMER CAMPUS MINISTRY AT GMU

The Campus Ministry at George Mason University is hosting events every Thursday in June and July for all college students and graduated high school seniors. Our first event had over 90 students and 14 schools represented! Come out to gather with old friends and meet new friends. Events will be held at the St. Robert Bellarmine Chapel at 7 p.m. every Thursday in June and July (except July 1). To stay up to date on our upcoming events, like us on Facebook @College Summers with GMU CCM or follow us on Instagram @catholic.patriot. Find out more at gmuccm.org or email gmuccm@gmail.com.



READ AND REFLECT

As always on Sundays in Ordinary Time, the Old Testament reading illumines today's Gospel. In the longer form, Jesus performs two healings; and the Book of Wisdom proclaims our God the God of life, who "fashioned all things that they might have being" and formed human beings in "the image of his own nature," to be "imperishable" (Wisdom 1:14; 2:23). People of faith, therefore, choose to live God's "undying justice (righteousness)" (1:15) in this mortal life, thus beginning, even now, the undying life for which we were created. To choose otherwise is to choose the other side: the devil and death (2:25). Mark presents the two healings as a story within a story, a "story sandwich," a literary device that reinforces his message for those who originally would have heard, not read, the story. Mark wants to emphasize an essential truth of his Gospel: that Jesus does not perform miracles to compel faith, but rather that faith precedes healing.

JUST HAVE FAITH Jairus' daughter is the child of an important, privileged man, who publicly seeks out Jesus and loudly proclaims—and demonstrates—his faith, "falling at Jesus' feet and pleading earnestly with him" (5:22-23). The anonymous woman

Continued on page 6

ATTENTION CLASS OF 2021!

The Associates of St. John Bosco invites rising college freshmen to attend a College Night at one of the following parishes:

June 30 - St. Michael's

July 7 - Nativity

July 21 - St. Mary's Old Town

(held at St. Mary's Lyceum)

July 28 - St. Mary's Fredericksburg

(held at Holy Cross Academy)

College Nights are free to all students and provide resources and support for keeping your Catholic faith when entering college this fall. Catholic student representatives from George Mason, UVA, the University of Mary Washington, William & Mary, Virginia Tech and other private and public schools will be on hand to share their experiences of being a Catholic college student. This is a great opportunity to network with other Catholic students and to receive resources for the transition to college only a few months away. The Nights begin at 7:00 PM, and students are encouraged to wear their college t-shirt to the event!

To register for one of the College Nights and for additional information, visit our website at asjb.org. Registration is limited to 50 students per night.

** Our College Nights will be held according to all Virginia Covid-19 Guidelines for social distancing and group size.*



July 7 Luncheon

THE BUNGALOW LAKEHOUSE

Are you an empty nester, retiree, or part-timer looking for fellowship and fun with your fellow seniors? Join the Empty Nesters for lunch on Wednesday, July 7 at 11:45 a.m. at Bungalow Lake House. Please RSVP by Monday, July 4 at ourladyofhope.net/JulyLuncheon

CATECHIST SPOTLIGHT

Our Lady of Hope Religious Education



CAROL VAGO
Grade 1 Catechist

Carol Vago's warm personality and generosity of spirit exemplifies our religious education volunteers. Her love for little children and the

Catholic faith led her to serve for 9 years (and counting) as a 1st grade Catechist. She and team catechist Tom Patton give their time, talent, and treasure planning lessons and purchasing crafts and little prizes for their students. They arrange a church tour every year and their students love seeing the different parts of the church, especially the sacristy and choir loft. As a Eucharistic Minister, Lector, and Catechist, Carol is a model of service to others. Mother of three and grandma to four, she has been an OLOH parishioner for 17 years. To those thinking about volunteering, she says, "Do it! It will be one of the most rewarding things you'll ever do."

FAMILY AND KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to the Knight Family of the Month for June 2021: the Neiman Family! Bob and Mary Beth are familiar faces to the Our Lady of Hope family, and they are often seen participating in a variety of parish and KofC activities. Filling the role of Deputy Grand Knight for the OLOH Council, and Admiral of the St. Pope John Paul II Assembly, Bob is a constant volunteer at many events and fundraisers. He is also a member of the 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass Usher team, the Parish Food Drive team, the Parish Family Breakfast Brigade, and the Assembly Color Corps. Mary Beth contributes her great taste and creative idea wherever they are needed. She has been instrumental in organizing the St. Joseph's Feast Day dinner, Principal Pittman's retirement gift, and coordinating the annual Pass the Gavel dinner. She's even been known to step in when volunteers are short at the pancake breakfasts.

Bob, Mary Beth, and their family offer considerable contributions to our parish family. We appreciate the gift of their time and talents, and are honored to name them Family of the Month!

Congratulations to the Knight of the Month for June 2021: John Grzechowiak! Brother John has been a Knight since 2006, and he is an avid supporter of Council and parish events, providing his support by volunteering either his time, talent, or treasure. He is a frequent attendee of the monthly Rosaries and business meetings, and serves the parish as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion. John also recently volunteered as the parish representative on the Principal Search Committee.

John serves the parish as Head Usher, leading the Usher team through a difficult year among pandemic protocol changes and volunteer shortages. A true leader, he serves on the 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass Usher team, and often fills in at additional Masses.

John is quick to promote the ideals of Catholic Christian Fellowship as a means of giving back to our parish family and community through his actions. He is a proud Knight, exemplary Catholic gentleman, and exhibits strong Christian values by practicing the Catholic Faith in his actions, words, and deeds. We are thankful and profoundly grateful for John's actions and contributions to our council and our parish and name him Knight of the Month for June 2021.

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for all those who serve our community and country, and all the sick and homebound members of our parish. Please also pray for vocations and for all the priests in our diocese, especially our parish seminarians: Aaron de Sa, James Joseph, and John Meyerhofer.



For those in need of prayer: Anna Carillo, Rocina Daez, Bill and Mercy Delaney, Kristin Grasson, Rose Follett, Odette Hand, Roberto Huidor, Zachary Jefferies, Angela Nelson, JoAnn Nelson, Annabelle Nikzad, Barbara Orandello, Rose Follett, Kathy Schmitt, Marlene Skowronek, and for those whose suffering is known only to God.

For those who have died: Todd Faxon, Will Casey Purvis, and for all the Poor Souls in Purgatory.

Visit ourladyofhope.net/prayer to add a name to the prayer list.



Pregnant and need help?

Help is available through the Gabriel Project at 703-841-3810 or visit at helpforpregnantwomen.org

Want to help? Email info@h4pw.org

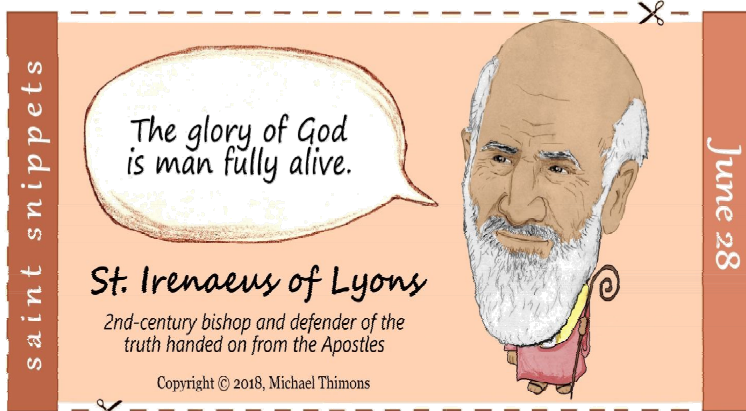
Healing after the choice?

Find compassionate, non-judgmental, confidential hope & healing through Project Rachel at 703-841-2504, or visit helpafterabortion.org

DAY OF HEALING & PRAYER

Post-Abortion Healing Retreats for Women in English and Spanish: An Entering Canaan Day of Prayer & Healing for women who have experienced abortion will be held on Saturday, September 25, 2021. Come begin your healing journey and experience God's hope and mercy. You are not alone. There is hope. There is healing. For more information and confidential registration, please contact Project Rachel Ministry (703) 841-2504 or info@helpafterabortion.org.

Para obtener más información y registro confidencial, comuníquese con el Ministerio de Proyecto Raquel y contacte a Maria Luisa al 703-841-2504.



READ AND REFLECT CONTINUED

virtually “sneaks up behind” Jesus and, though clearly filled with faith, keeps that faith to herself until Jesus draws “the whole truth” out of her after her cure (5:27–28, 33). All the more impressive, then, that Jesus delays his healing of the seemingly “more important” and younger woman for the unknown, truly marginalized older woman. Returning to the “domestic church,” so to speak, of Jairus’ house from the public setting of the older woman’s cure, Mark tells us that Jairus’ daughter has died. In the face of a hopelessness even more definitive than that of the hemorrhaging woman, people tell Jairus “why trouble the teacher any longer?” (5:35). But Jesus does not consider his response to Jairus’ faith hopeless or a bother: “Do not be afraid; just have faith” (5:36). Despite death’s apparent triumph at Jairus’ home, Jesus grasps the child’s hand—even though the law prohibited touching the dead—and bids her, “Talitha kum—Little girl, I say to you, arise!” (5:41).

WHY BOTHER? So Mark seems to be asking us: Like Jairus on his way home or like the woman after twelve years, will we wonder, why bother? Or keep walking in faith with Jesus? Is a silent touch of Jesus’ garment—a quiet prayer of faith—enough for us? In the face of apparent hopelessness, will we choose faith over despair despite the ridicule of the crowd, remembering that Jesus has grasped us by the hand in baptism and commanded us to rise? Note the Gospel’s ending: after bidding Jairus’ daughter rise, Jesus commands that she be given something to eat (5:43). So, too, Jesus invites us now to feast at his eucharistic sacrifice and banquet!

Catholic Cruises and Tours and The Apostleship
of the Sea of the United States of America
Take your FAITH ON A JOURNEY.
Call us today at 860-399-1785 or email
eileen@CatholicCruisesandTours.com
www.CatholicCruisesandTours.com



HOW WILL YOU BE REMEMBERED?

- Full Service Facility
- Pre-Planning
- Traditional Burial Services
- On-site Cremation Services
- Receptions
- Monument Sales & Installation

158 Catoctin Circle, SE, Leesburg, VA 20175
www.loudounfuneralchapel.com ■ 703-777-6000



Complete Auto Repairs
Customer shuttle within 3 mile radius
We're Committed to your Complete Satisfaction

46970 Community Plaza, Sterling, VA 20164
703-444-6426 • www.hoganandsonsinc.com



5% Discount on All Sale Items
10% Discount on All Non-Sale Items

Get this weekly bulletin delivered by email - for FREE!

Sign up here:
www.jspaluch.com/subscribe

Courtesy of J.S. Paluch Company, Inc.




Please Cut Out This "Thank You Ad" and Present It The Next Time You Patronize One of Our Advertisers

Thank You

Thank you for advertising in our church bulletin.
I am patronizing your business because of it!



Serra for Priestly and Religious Vocations

Bray & Scarff
APPLIANCE & KITCHEN SPECIALISTS

Cascades Marketplace in Sterling
Next to Gold's Gym and Marshalls
(571) 521-7070
Mon.-Fri. 9-8, Sat. 9-7, Sun. 11-5
jarata@brayandscarff.com



Jim Arata
Manager & Parishioner

If You Live Alone You Need MDMedAlert!

✓ Ambulance ✓ Police ✓ Fire
✓ Friends/Family

24 Hour Protection at HOME and AWAY!

FREE Shipping
FREE Activation
NO Long Term Contracts

Solutions as Low as **\$19.⁹⁵ a month**

CALL NOW! **800.809.3352**

MDMedAlert
Safe-Guarding America's Seniors Nationwide!

GPS Tracking w/Fall Detection
Nationwide, No Land Line Needed
EASY Set-up, NO Contract
24/7 365 Monitoring in the USA



As Shown GPS, Lowest Price Guaranteed!

This Button SAVES Lives!

PARCEL PLUS
Your Authorized Shipping Outlet for:
FedEx UPS DHL
Packaging Experts
Private Mailbox Rentals
Copy Center • B/W & Color Printing
In Business Since 1995
703.406.7505
Cascades Marketplace, Sterling



heaven can't wait

Serra for Priestly Vocations

Life Matters

For more information go to www.usccb.org/respectlife



POTOMAC SERVICE/LEAN MAID SERVICE
FREE ESTIMATES • FAMILY OWNED & OPERATED
\$20.00 OFF 2ND CLEANING WITH THIS AD
~ Licensed • Bonded • Insured ~
(703) 435-0409 SINCE 1989 (703) 725-7371

NOVA
PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY & ORTHODONTICS
BRINGING SMILES TOGETHER

www.NOVAsmilestogether.com
(703) 729-7005

Courtney J. Ulrich DMD
Valerie V. Woo DMD
Courtney R. Marzban DMD



ONE PARISH

Grow in your faith, find a Mass, and connect with your Catholic Community with OneParish!

Download Our Free App or Visit www.MY.ONEPARISH.com



ADAMS - GREEN FUNERAL HOME

Family Owned & Operated Since 1885 • Serving Northern Virginia
(703) 437-1764 • (703) 471-4090



The personal and professional service you deserve during a difficult time in a home-like atmosphere.

- Burial & Cremation Services
- Military, out of town, & international arrangements
- Crematory on Premises
- Formal chapel with pipe organ
- Convenient parking

Christopher J. Adams,

Owner/Funeral Director

721 Elden Street • Herndon, VA 20170

www.adamsgreen.com

Holding Hands Home Care

Companionship • Homemaking
Personal Care • Movement Disorder Care
Respite Care • Dementia Care
www.holding-handshomecare.com
leeanne@holding-handshomecare.com



Contact Lee Anne Philbin at 703-217-2434



Your
ad
could
be in this
space!

WESTLAKE LEGAL GROUP

Formerly Plofchan & Associates

46175 Westlake Dr., Ste. 320, Potomac Falls, VA 20165

(703) 406-7616

Fax (703) 444-9498



VIRGINIA SELLS VA!

703.629.4168

Call or Text anytime



www.VirginiaSellsVA.com Virginia.Rowell@CBmove.com

When it's time for a new beginning,
I'd love to help you.

VIRGINIA ROWELL, REALTOR, PARISHIONER



IPS CENTER
FOR PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES

Telehealth Appointments Available Now

Catholic • Compassionate • Affordable

703.418.2111
Sterling, VA

www.ipscenter.org
ipscenter@divinemercy.edu

Pinnacle

Home Veterinary Services
Exceptional, Personalized Veterinary
Care in the comfort of your own home.



New Clients are always welcome!
703-543-5867
careteam@pinnaclehomevets.com
www.pinnaclehomevets.com



Christina Rouse, DVM
Stephanie Twombly, LVT



Consider Remembering
Your Parish in Your Will.

For further information,
please call the Parish Office.



MICHAEL A. FOLEY
PRINCIPAL BROKER/REALTOR®
FOLEY REALTY

703-623-1390



Buyers, Sellers, Career in Real Estate
20375 Cottswold Terrace, Potomac Falls, VA 20165
www.FoleyRealtyUS.com

SERVING THE COMMUNITY FOR 40 YEARS

JOHN NUGENT & SONS

HEATING • COOLING • PLUMBING • ELECTRIC • GENERATORS

Family owned and operated since 1975!

Call 703-688-2178

to request service ANYTIME am or pm!

www.nugentsons.com



**Vocations
Don't Just Happen:
Ask
Somebody.**

Serra for Priestly and Religious Vocations

CHESTNUT GROVE CEMETERY



831 Dranesville Road,
Herndon VA 20170
703-435-3480

A Traditional Cemetery Serving Northern Virginia Since 1872

Family Sites, Estate Lots, Mausoleum
Columbarium and Cremation Gardens

Memorial Design and Sales

chestnutgrove@herndon-va.gov

Please Patronize

The Sponsors Who Appear On This Bulletin.
It Is Through Their Support That This Bulletin Is Made Possible.
Business Owners Interested In Advertising Please Call
J.S. Paluch at 1-800-945-6629



We Want Your Business To Grow
What We Can Offer
You and Your Business:

- Many ad size options to meet your budget in color or black and white
- One-on-one customer service to help build and design your ad
- The ability to change your ad up to 12 times per year

J.S. Paluch Company 1.800.945.6629



**Pray.
Invite.
Encourage.
Affirm.**

Serra for Priestly and Religious Vocations

Protecting **Seniors**
Nationwide



Medical Alert System

\$29.95/Mo. billed quarterly

- One Free Month
- No Long-Term Contract
- Price Guarantee
- Easy Self Installation

Call Today! Toll Free 1.877.801.8608



FINDaPARISH.com

Check It Out Today!

The Most Complete
Online National
Directory of
Catholic Parishes

**catholicmatch®
Virginia**



CatholicMatch.com/myVA