

Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church



Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 5, 2017

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PARISH MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday— Friday: 6:45 a.m.* & 8:30 a.m.
*(There is no 6:45 a.m. Mass on Federal Holidays.)

Saturday: 8:30 a.m.
5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., &
12:15 p.m.

Holy Days: As Announced

DEVOTIONS:

Adoration: Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Holy Hour: Thursdays from 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Rosary: Following the 8:30 a.m. Daily Mass

CONFESSIONS:

Thursday: 7:30 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m.
and by Appointment

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.

*"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)

MASSES OF THE WEEK

Sunday, February 5:

7:30 p.m. In Thanksgiving
9:00 a.m. +John Bobay by the Crew Family
10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners
12:15 p.m. +Robert Williams by Patrick Kennedy

Monday, February 6: St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs

6:45 a.m. +Charles Crate by Chris Wszolek
8:30 a.m. +Dr. Peter Edward Hanlon by Dan Whalen

Tuesday, February 7:

6:45 a.m. +Rita Pickett by John Daly
8:30 a.m. +Robert Elliott by John Daly

Wednesday, February 8: St. Jerome Emiliani, St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin

6:45 a.m. The Bauer Family by Bethany Sargis
8:30 a.m. +Mary Bonnette by Trish & Tom Daquano

Thursday, February 9:

6:45 a.m. +Clara Dugan by the Saunders Family
8:30 a.m. Mrs. Pauline Saunders and Kristin Grasson by Greg & Mary Gagne

Friday, February 10: St. Scholastica, Virgin

6:45 a.m. Kristin Grasson by Joe & Barbara Orandello
8:30 a.m. Michael Primanzon by OLOH School

Saturday, February 11: Our Lady of Lourdes

8:30 a.m. The DiMatteo Family by the Smith Family
5:00 p.m. +Thomas J. O'Connor by the O'Connor Family

Grieving the Loss of a Loved One?

There's hope. Seasons of Hope is a six-week, Biblically-based, Christ-centered program designed to help those who've lost a loved one in a confidential, group setting. Program materials are free of charge, and all are welcome. Our current series started on February 4, 1:30 p.m. at the Holy Spirit Parish Center, at 8800 Braddock Rd, in Annadale, VA.

General Parish Information

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.

Baptism & Baptism Class

To begin the process of having a child baptized, please contact the parish office for information. There is paperwork (Godparent forms/Information Sheet for the Sacramental Register) as well as a baptism class for parents to complete. Baptisms are held on Sundays at 1:30 p.m.

The baptism class is held monthly on Saturdays at 11:00 a.m. Please call the office to pre-register for the next available class, which will be February 25.

First Communion

For Children: Generally, First Communion is received when a child is in Second Grade. Students in the RE Program are required to be registered for both first and second grade to begin preparation for the Sacrament. Please contact the Religious Education Office with questions.

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..

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Altar Servers:	Jeff Grado	477-9177
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Area Agency on Aging:	Rich Payne	887-9765
Birthright:	Mary Lynn Linzmeyer	431-2247
Boy Scouts:	Al Pacifico	727-7773
Cub Scouts:	Michael McIntosh	444-2316
Culture of Life:	Fran Black	726-1643
CYO Sports:	Raynelle Araque	404-3442
Girl Scouts:	Tricia Kershaw	450-0685
Gift Shop	Sherry Grasson	571-213-4620
Homeschoolers:	Stacy Byrne	948-7845
Jr. High Youth:	Stacy Byrne	948-7845
Knights of Columbus:	Paolo Verrone	240-994-8082
Ladies of Hope:	Marie Kennedy	433-0864
Lectors:	Paul Gilmore	444-2293
Legion of Mary:	Deborah Baird	430-8554
Mom's Group	Christina Bongiovanni	917-301-3287
Parish Service Partnership:	Tess Torres	571-278-5736
Seniors:	Therese Bracken	444-1977
Ushers:	John Grzechowiak	444-0023
Young Adults:	Josh Bickl	618-830-2399

A Time of Devotion and Renewal

Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary as set forth by St. Louis de Monfort is a beautiful exercise to increase your spirituality and ability to truly serve our Lord Jesus Christ. Consecration consists of a 33-day period of prayerful preparation beginning on February 20th, followed by the actual Act of Consecration itself on March 25th, the Feast of the Annunciation. The daily meditations and prayers take approximately 15 minutes per day. Pick up a prayer booklet after Masses on Feb. 11 & 12. Join Fr. Farrell for Total Consecration talks at 7:00 p.m. on Thursdays, February 16 & March 9. If you have done the Total Consecration in previous years, join us again and re-consecrate yourself to Jesus through Mary. For more information, go to ourladyofhope.net and look under "Faith Formation" for the "Total Consecration" web page.

FORMED Bible Study

Beginning Feb. 6, "LECTIO:PETER-Cornerstone of Catholicism" from the FORMED series, will take place at a parishioners home. It will run for 10 weeks. If interested, contact Chris Wszolek at 703-406-0743 or at chriswsz@verizon.net.

2017 Diocesan Women's Conference

Please join us for the Annual Women's Conference on March 11, 2017 at St Joseph's in Herndon. This year's Conference is entitled "Breaking Free Through Forgiveness" with speaker Immaculee Ilibagiza – author and survivor of the Rwandan Genocide. The day also includes Confession, Breakfast, Lunch, and Mass with Bishop Burbidge. To register, please go to www.arlingtondiocese.org/women. Registration begins January 1, 2017. For any questions, please contact the Office for Family Life 703-841-2550 or Liz Schiavone 703-471-4047.

2017 Diocesan Men's Conference

The 2017 Diocesan Men's Conference will be held on March 4 at St. Joseph's in Herndon (750 Peachtree St.) Featured speakers will be Bishop Burbidge, Dr. Scott Hahn, Dr. Ralph Martin, and Fr. James Searby. The cost is \$55 through February 1 and \$65 after that. Registration is open until March 2 and there is no registration at the door. There is limited parking, so car-pool if possible, please. For more information, call 703-841-2550 or go to www.arlingtondiocese.org.

Religious Education 703-433-6564

The Religious Education Office is closed on Fridays.

Youth Ministry

703-433-6770 Youth@ourladyofhope.net

Upcoming High School Youth Group Events

Each Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., the youth group meets in the school gym for a half-hour of fun and fellowship followed by a topical presentation and discussion. Then, from 9-10 p.m., open gym is available for anyone wishing to stay.

Mother Teresa Mondays:

Meet at the school at 5:45 p.m. 8th Graders are welcome to join the High School Youth Group for these events.

February 6: Visit Falcons Landing

February 20: Activities with Adults with Disabilities

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April 17: Activities with Adults with Disabilities

May 1: Visit Falcons Landing

May 15: Activities with Adults with Disabilities

June 5: Falcons Landing

June 19: Activities with Adults with Disabilities



Parish Food Drive

We collected 2,194 pounds of food during the drive in January. The collection was provided to Catholic Charities. Thank you for your generous support and bringing back your blue bags. The next parish food drive is this weekend. Thank you for your support.

Faith Direct

Please consider enrolling in Faith Direct today. Participation in this program for automatic electronic giving expresses the willingness of the faithful to be a regular part of the mission and ministry of Our Lady of Hope. You may visit www.faithdirect.net to enroll and our parish code is VA79. You can also pick up an enrollment form in the parish office.

Weather Alert!



When Loudoun County Schools close because of inclement weather, the 6:45 a.m. Mass will be cancelled. Please know that the scheduled intentions will be offered privately.

Matching Gift Campaign

Seminarian Education Endowment Fund (SEEF)

Support our seminarians through the Seminarian Education Endowment Fund (SEEF). SEEF's income provides funding for expenses such as room, board, tuition, health insurance, and books, totaling almost \$40,000 per seminarian. Please give generously and take advantage of a \$100,000 matching gift! Make checks payable to *Foundation for the CDA – SEEF*. Mail to The Foundation, 200 N. Glebe Road, Suite 811, Arlington, VA 22203. Contact Bob Mueller at r.mueller@arlingtondiocese.org or (703) 841-2545 with questions.

2016 Tax Letters

The 2016 tax letters were mailed on January 17, 2017.



Now is the time to join the exciting educational ministry that brings women together to pray, study, and learn. Enjoy faith and fellowship; each class is 8-10 weeks long and there is no homework! Our study will be "On The Dignity and Vocation of Women." There will be two groups: Wednesday Mornings from 9:15 a.m. to 11 a.m. (babysitting provided) or Tuesday Evenings 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. To learn more or to register for this study, email Marie Kennedy at deken5854@aol.com or call 703-433-0864. Endow will begin on January 24th (Tuesdays) or January 25th (Wednesday sessions).

Our Lady of Hope Young Adults (FIAT)

All young adults are invited to join Fiat for a Wine & Cheese Bible Study on Mondays from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. in the St. Thomas More meeting room, ending the night with chanted Compline in the church. All young adults 18 and older are invited, but must be at least 21 to have wine. All you need to bring is your Bible. For more information, contact Fiat Young Adults at youngadults@ourladyofhope.net.

This Week at a Glance

Next Week at a Glance

Sunday, February 5:

7:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 9:00 a.m. Holy Mass
 10:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 12:15 p.m. Holy Mass
 1:30 p.m. Baptisms

Monday, February 6:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 5:30 p.m. CYO Basketball –School Gym
 7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary– SEAS Room
 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts #572 - Hall
 7:30 p.m. Young Adults –STM Room

Tuesday, February 7:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 3:30 p.m. Junior Legion of Mary –STM Room
 4:15/6:00 p.m. RE Classes –School
 5:30 p.m. CYO Basketball –School Gym
 7:00 p.m. Rehearsal- 9:00 a.m. Sunday Choir –Music Office
 7:30 p.m. Youth Ministry – School Gym
 7:30 p.m. Endow-Parish Hall

Wednesday, February 8:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 9:00 a.m. Endow– Parish Hall
 3:00 p.m. Children’s Choir –Loft
 4:15 p.m. RE Classes—School
 5:30 p.m. CYO Basketball—School Gym
 7:00 p.m. Rehearsal- 10:30 a.m. Sunday Choir –STM Room
 7:30 p.m. Bible Study—Parish Hall

Thursday, February 9:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 9:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration
 5:30 p.m. CYO Basketball –School Gym
 7:30 p.m. Inquiry Class—St. Thomas More Room
 7:30 p.m. Holy Hour & Confessions

Friday, February 10:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 5:30 p.m. CYO Basketball—School Gym

Saturday, February 11:

8:30 a.m. Holy Mass and Confessions
 9:00 a.m. CYO Basketball –School Gym
 5:00 p.m. Holy Mass
 6:00 p.m. Festa Italiana—Parish Hall

Sunday, February 12:

7:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 9:00 a.m. Holy Mass
 10:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 12:15 p.m. Holy Mass
 1:30 p.m. Baptisms
 2:00 p.m. SPRED-EAS Room and STM Room

Monday, February 13:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 5:30 p.m. CYO Basketball –School Gym
 7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary– SEAS Room
 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts #572 - Hall
 7:30 p.m. Young Adults –STM Room

Tuesday, February 14:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 3:30 p.m. Junior Legion of Mary –STM Room
 4:15/6:00 p.m. RE Classes –School
 5:30 p.m. CYO Basketball –School Gym
 7:00 p.m. Rehearsal- 9:00 a.m. Sunday Choir –Music Office
 7:30 p.m. Youth Ministry – School Gym
 7:30 p.m. Endow-Parish Hall

Wednesday, February 15:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 9:00 a.m. Endow– Parish Hall
 3:00 p.m. Children’s Choir –Loft
 4:15 p.m. RE Classes—School
 5:30 p.m. CYO Basketball—School Gym
 7:00 p.m. Rehearsal- 10:30 a.m. Sunday Choir –STM Room
 7:30 p.m. Bible Study—Parish Hall

Thursday, February 16:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 9:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration
 5:30 p.m. CYO Basketball –School Gym
 7:30 p.m. Inquiry Class—St. Thomas More Room
 7:30 p.m. Holy Hour & Confessions

Friday, February 17:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 5:30 p.m. CYO Basketball—School Gym

Saturday, February 18:

8:30 a.m. Holy Mass and Confessions
 9:00 a.m. CYO Basketball –School Gym
 5:00 p.m. Holy Mass



4th Annual Festa Italiana at Our Lady of Hope will be held on February 11, 2017. Come enjoy great food, drinks and dance the night away to the music of Jerry Vale, Dean Martin, Frank Sinatra, Al Martino and many more in Piazza Bongiovanni.

DOORS OPEN at 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall

\$25.00 per Adult

Tickets may be purchased after Masses this weekend



Lasagna

Angelina's Sausage and Peppers

Meatballs, Salad and Italian Bread

Italian Desserts

Italian Wine and Beer

Soft Drinks and Water

Music and Dancing in Piazza Bongiovanni

Door Prizes

Special Guest performance by Father Farrell

