

Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church



THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

May 13, 2018

PARISH CLERGY:

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The Rev. Joseph W. Farrell, Parochial Vicar

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PARISH MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday, Wednesday & Friday:

6:45 a.m.* & 8:30 a.m.

*(There is no 6:45 a.m. Mass on Federal Holidays.)

Tuesday & Thursday:

8:30 a.m. & 5:15 p.m.

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 5:00 p.m.
Benediction: 5:00 p.m.

Rosary: Following the 8:30 a.m. Daily Mass

CONFESSIONS:

Thursday: 7:00 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

*Altar flowers donated in loving memory of
+Betty Altman by the Altman Family*

Sunday, May 13:

7:30 a.m. +Marlene Kennedy by Renee Williams
9:00 a.m. Mother's Day Novena
10:30 a.m. Living and Deceased Parishioners
12:15 p.m. +Betty Altman by the Altman Family

Monday, May 14: *St. Matthias, Apostle*

6:45 a.m. Sarah & Matt Trebby by the Barshop
Family
8:30 a.m. Mother's Day Novena

Tuesday, May 15: *St. Isadore*

8:30 a.m. Rev. William P. Saunders by Kathy
Byrnes
5:15 p.m. Mother's Day Novena

Wednesday, May 16:

6:45 a.m. +Aloysius Warnecki by Adams-Green
Funeral Home
8:30 a.m. Mother's Day Novena

Thursday, May 17:

8:30 a.m. +Anna Oliveri by Peter & Carol Oliveri
5:15 p.m. Mother's Day Novena

Friday, May 18: *St. John I, Pope & Martyr*

6:45 a.m. +Dinh Viet Hoang by the
Lewandowski Family
8:30 a.m. Mother's Day Novena

Saturday, May 19:

8:30 a.m. Mother's Day Novena
5:00 p.m. +Jack Latino by Barbara Principe

*Altar flowers for the week of May 6 were donated in honor of
Rosaleen Edoro Onuoha by the Onuoha Family*

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, 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 or electronic giving such as Faith Direct. 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.

Preparing for the Sacraments

Baptism & Baptism Class

To begin the process of having a child baptized, 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.

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.

Sacramental Preparation for Adults (RCIA):

Adults who wish to receive Baptism, First Communion and/or Confirmation or enter the Church, are encouraged and invited to join the Inquiry Class, taught by Father Saunders, on Thursday evenings. Please contact the Parish Secretary or visit the website to register for this class.

2018 Dates Available



Do you have a loved one, birthday, or anniversary you would like remembered at Mass? Donating altar flowers is a lovely way to do this. Donations and intentions will be listed in the weekly bulletin. Altar flowers are \$150 and all donations are tax deductible. For more information, please contact the Parish Office at (703) 433-6770 or email secretary@ourladyofhope.net.

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Parish Group Coordinators

Altar Servers:	Jeff Grado	477-9177
Altar Society:	Alfonso & Janeth Pena	571-375-2650
American Heritage Girls:	Diane Harvey	406-6040
Area Agency on Aging:	Rich Payne	887-9765
Birthright:	Mary Lynn Linzmeyer	431-2247
Boy Scouts:	Mark Lavery	202-302-5260
Cub Scouts:	Michael McIntosh	444-2316
Culture of Life:	Fran Black	726-1643
CYO Sports:	Raynelle Araque	404-3442
Empty Nesters & Seniors:	Therese Bracken	444-1977
	Donna Bongiovanni	443-6963
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:		
	Adam Stanislawski	657-3400
Girl Scouts:	Tricia Kershaw	450-0685
Gift Shop	Sherry Grasson	571-213-4620
Homeschoolers:	Heather Ward	571-331-4394
Jr. Legion of Mary:	Virginia Rowell	629-4168
Knights of Columbus:	Tom Hohn	406-2721
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
	Liz Andersen	571-269-5193
Parish Service Partnership:	Tess Torres	571-278-5736
Ushers:	John Grzechowiak	444-0023
Young Adults:	Josh Bickl	618-830-2399



Our Lady of Hope Catholic School

A National Blue Ribbon School

Have you thought about a Catholic education for your children? Our Lady of Hope School offers a fun, faith-filled education! We also have many exciting events and programs to offer such as:

- Choir
- Band
- Father/Daughter Dance
- Mother/Son Cookoff
- Family Talent Night
- Christmas Pageant
- PTO Bingo Nights
- Restaurant Nights
- Soccer & Flag Football
- CYO Sports

529 plans can now be used to pay for elementary and secondary school tuition without incurring federal taxes. Additional details on the 529 savings program and recent changes made, including Virginia specific details, can be found on www.529k12facts.org.

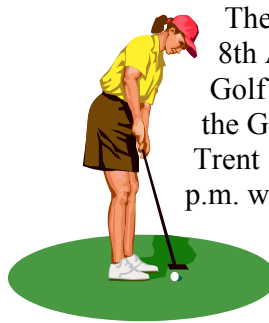
Are you being called?



“And they went out and proclaimed the good news everywhere, while the lord worked with them.” If you are discerning a vocation to proclaim the Gospel as a priest or consecrated religious, call Father J.D. Jaffe at (703)841-2514, or write:

j.jaffe@arlingtondiocese.org.

2018 Knights & Crusaders Golf Classic



The Knights of Columbus will hold its 8th Annual Knights and Crusaders Golf Classic on Wednesday, May 23 at the Golf Club at Lansdowne (Robert Trent Jones Course) beginning at 12:30 p.m. with a shotgun start. Proceeds from the tournament will support the Council's Scholarship Program and Our Lady of Hope Catholic School. Players, sponsors, and

volunteers are needed! Cost is \$125/player and includes range balls, 18 holes of golf with cart, prizes and giveaways, and a post-tournament dinner.

There are numerous sponsorship opportunities available. For more information, to sign up to play, or to be a sponsor, please visit

www.KnightsCrusadersGolf.com, or contact Bob Carmack at bcarmack@yahoo.com or (240) 505-4600.



This Week at a Glance**Sunday, May 13:**

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. Confirmation Meeting

Monday, May 14:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary
 7:30 p.m. Fiat Young Adults

Tuesday, May 15:

8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 3:30 p.m. Junior Legion of Mary
 4:15 p.m. RE Classes—Last Class
 5:15 p.m. Holy Mass
 6:00 p.m. RE Classes—Last Class
 7:30 p.m. Youth Group—School Gym

Wednesday, May 16:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 3:15 p.m. Children's Choir
 4:15 p.m. RE Classes—Last Class
 7:00 p.m. Rehearsal: 10:30 a.m. Sunday Choir
 7:30 p.m. Bible Study

Thursday, May 17:

8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 9:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration
 5:00 p.m. Benediction
 5:15 p.m. Holy Mass
 7:00 p.m. Rehearsal: 9:00 a.m. Sunday Choir
 7:00 p.m. Confessions

Friday, May 18:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass

Saturday, May 19:

8:30 a.m. Holy Mass and Confessions
 5:00 p.m. Holy Mass

Empty Nesters & Seniors (50+)

Our next event is Wednesday, May 16—Lunch at O'Faolain's Irish Restaurant at 11:30 a.m. Please RSVP to Donna Bongiovanni (dbongiovanni1@verizon.net) Therese Bracken (tkbracken@gmail.com) by May 14 if you plan to attend.

**Next Week at a Glance****Sunday, May 20:**

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

Monday, May 21:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 5:45 p.m. Mother Theresa Monday
 7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary
 7:30 p.m. Fiat Young Adults

Tuesday, May 22:

8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 3:30 p.m. Junior Legion of Mary
 5:15 p.m. Holy Mass
 7:30 p.m. Youth Group—School Gym

Wednesday, May 23:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 3:15 p.m. Children's Choir
 7:00 p.m. Rehearsal: 10:30 a.m. Sunday Choir
 7:30 p.m. Bible Study

Thursday, May 24:

8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 9:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration
 5:00 p.m. Benediction
 5:15 p.m. Holy Mass
 7:00 p.m. Rehearsal: 9:00 a.m. Sunday Choir
 7:00 p.m. Confessions

Friday, May 25:

6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass

Saturday, May 26:

8:30 a.m. Holy Mass and Confessions
 5:00 p.m. Holy Mass

Retreat for People Facing a Serious Illness

A retreat for people facing a serious illness will be held at the San Damiano Center in White Post, June 1-3, 2018. The retreat begins on Friday at 1:30 p.m. and ends on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Fr. Tuck Grinnell and Fr. Bill Korpi will serve as Spiritual Directors along with a retreat team of doctors, nurses, and helpers. The retreat has been held for the past 40 years and is now a ministry of Catholic Charities. The retreat is FREE for all retreatants. To register or for more information, call Catholic Charities at (703) 841-3830 or email retreat@ccda.net.



Religious Education • 703-433-6564
 The Religious Education Office is closed on Fridays.

Upcoming events: May 15 & 16:
 May Crowning (Last Class)

registration

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Registration for the 2018-2019 school year is now open. Parents may register their students by visiting www.ourladyofhope.net and clicking on the link in the red banner.

Men: Are You Ready to Accept the Challenge?



Our communities need strong Catholic men to answer the call to lead with faith, protection of families, service to others and to defend our values. For over one hundred years, Knights of Columbus have done exactly that, standing up for the Church, serving the least among us, & strengthening our parishes & families.

Eligible Catholic men can now join the Knights of Columbus online in a simple, streamlined process. As a member, you join a worldwide community of nearly two million men, including almost 30,000 here in Virginia, who stand together. Men have a duty to lead, protect, serve and defend. The world needs more committed, unified Catholic men to answer the call. Will you answer?

Visit kofc.org/joinus to learn more about the many benefits of membership in the Knights of Columbus. **Our Lady of Hope Council is #12791**

Women's Discernment Retreat

Could Christ be calling you to the religious life? Take a step to find out at the annual discernment retreat for women (ages 18 and up), June 15-17. The retreat will be led by the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal, and will focus on tools for discernment, as well as personal prayer time, opportunities for confession and spiritual direction, and the chance to socialize with the sisters. Cost is \$60 and includes overnights and all meals (assistance available if needed). Questions? Contact Fr. J.D. Jaffe, Director of the Office of Vocations, at 703-841-2514 or vocations@arlingtondiocese.org. Deadline to register is June 1.

Youth Ministry • High Schoolers
 (703) 433-6770 • youth@ourladyofhope.net

Upcoming 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
The next meeting will be May 21: This group meets in the lower parking lot at 5:45 p.m. Eighth Graders are welcome to join the High School Youth Group for these events.



Fiat Young Adults • 18 & Up
youngadults@ourladyofhope.net

Scripture: We will beginning a new study on **The Didache** on Monday, May 7th, meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the St. Thomas More Room.

Service: Saturday, June 9: Join us to pack food for families in need at the LINK Food Pantry in Herndon at 9:30 a.m.

Social: May 20th: Wine Tasting and Picnic at Stone Tower Winery. Join us at the 10:30 Mass, after which we will meet in the lower parking lot to car-pool to the winery.

Fiat FIFA: Come join us from 2-4 p.m. each Sunday for a casually competitive pick-up game of indoor soccer in the OLOH school gym. This event targets the 18-39 age range. Any minors must have a parent or legal guardian present for the duration of play.

Fiat serves Catholic Young Adults in the area through faith & fellowship, inspired by our Blessed Mother's "Yes" to the Lord. To learn more about this ministry, like [@FiatYoungAdults](https://www.facebook.com/FiatYoungAdults) on Facebook or email us at youngadults@ourladyofhope.net.

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Help us go green with Faith Direct! Participation in this programs lets you to schedule donations and be a regular part of the mission and ministry of Our Lady of Hope without receiving paper envelopes. You may visit www.faithdirect.net to enroll, or pick up an enrollment form from the parish office. Our parish code is **VA79**.



WorkCamp Corner

Archdiocese for the Military Services Annual Memorial Mass



The Archdiocese for the Military Services will hold its 24th Annual Memorial Mass on Sunday, May 20 at 4:30 p.m. honoring the men and women of the Armed

Forces. The liturgy will be held at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, 4th Street & Michigan Avenue, NE Washington, DC. The principal celebrant and homilist will be the Most Reverend Timothy P. Broglio, J.C.D., Archbishop for the Military Services. Parking is limited and car pooling is advised. Military personnel are encouraged to be in uniform. Dress: Civilian, business attire; Military, service dress please. To request seating or to obtain additional information, please visit: <https://www.milarch.org/memorial-mass/laity-registration/>

Time is Running Out to Return Your Tickets!

One \$5.00 ticket offers the purchaser a chance to win a vehicle or \$20,000 in cash prizes. Proceeds from our parish's sales of these tickets go towards fundraising for the teens going to WorkCamp this year. We would love to sell all the tickets that were mailed out, but you don't have to buy them all yourself! Did you know that you can sell your tickets to friends or neighbors? **Just return the stubs and payment to All Saints as is detailed in the letter you received with your tickets.** Email Joy Outten at joutten@hotmail.com with any questions or to purchase additional tickets.

Contractors Needed!

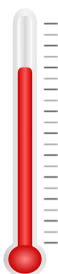
Are you handy around the house? Enjoy carpentry projects? Paint walls better than Picasso? **WorkCamp is in need of men and women skilled in basic home repair**

and maintenance to serve as project leaders during WorkCamp (June 25-28). Our contractors are volunteers

who are assigned projects that match their skills. You do not have to be a licensed contractor to volunteer! To get more information or volunteer, please contact Fr. Farrell.



Funds are rolling in steadily, but we're still striving to meet our goal! We need your help to fully fund the 60 campers representing OLOH. To make a donation or sponsor a camper, contact Joy Outten at joutten@hotmail.com. You may also mail a check made out to Our Lady of Hope directly to the Parish Office. Please note "WorkCamp" in the memo line.



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Have you checked out our parish subscription to **formed.org**? Check out some of the great new content from Fr. Mike Schmitz, Catholic Answers, & Dr. Scott Hahn, and get access to the truth, beauty, and meaning of the Catholic faith! Enter parish code **DMWYBP** on the homepage to create a free personal account.

A Big Thanks from the Knights of Columbus

The 2018 KOVAR fundraiser was a great success. Over \$8,000 was collected from parish donations, Giant Food & Food Lion patrons, and work-place giving. These donations will support those with intellectual disabilities and special needs in Virginia. The Knights thank you for your generosity and support.

Paul VI Boys Soccer Camp

Come join us at the Paul VI Boys Soccer Camp this summer from July 30-August 3! There are a limited number of spots, which means a very good camper-to-coach ratio. It's a fun and instructive camp for boys of all levels, and if your son is interested in playing at PVI, the exposure to the coaches is invaluable. Please visit paulvi.jumbula.com for more information, or contact Coach Ed Aponte at eaponte@pvipanther.net or (703) 929-9151.

Save the Date!



Parish Picnic

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