

Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church



PENTECOST SUNDAY

May 20, 2018

PARISH CLERGY:

The Rev. William P. Saunders, Pastor
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
+Lawrence Howe by Denise Howe*

Sunday, May 20:

- 7:30 a.m. +Adelaide & Phillip White by
Melanie White
9:00 a.m. +Rev. William Dunn by Bill Hegedusich
10:30 a.m. Living and Deceased Parishioners
12:15 p.m. Mother's Day Novena

Monday, May 21: *St. Christopher Magallanes, priest, and Companions, martyrs*

- 6:45 a.m. +Vicki Chase by the Blackburn Family
8:30 a.m. Mother's Day Novena

Tuesday, May 22: *St. Rita of Cascia, Religious*

- 8:30 a.m. +Margaret M. Duncan by Tom &
Fran Duncan
5:15 p.m. +Nguyen Nga by the Lewandowski
Family

Wednesday, May 23:

- 6:45 a.m. +Carol Ignac by Aaron Greb
8:30 a.m. Kristin Grasson by the Parish Staff

Thursday, May 24:

- 8:30 a.m. +Stanley Plummer by Cathy Plummer
5:15 p.m. Mike Hanna by Cheli VanBellegham

Friday, May 25: *St. Bede the Venerable, Priest & Doctor of the Church; St. Gregory VII, Pope; St. Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi, Virgin*

- 6:45 a.m. Chris Emmons by Pam & Lou Skojec
8:30 a.m. +Louis Principe by Barbara Principe

Saturday, May 26: *St. Philip Neri, Priest*

- 8:30 a.m. Chris Emmons by Pam & Lou Skojec
5:00 p.m. +Rose Buccieri by Pete & Diane Buccieri

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 considered a Catholic education for your children? Our Lady of Hope School offers a fun, faith-filled education, as well as many exciting events and programs, 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.

Bishop O'Connell Honor Roll

Congratulations to the following parishioners of Our Lady of Hope named to the third quarter Honor Roll at Bishop O'Connell High School! Distinguished Honors (A- or above in all subjects): Margaret Jones (12); First Honors (B+ or above): Thomas Cook (12), Charles Stabolepsky (10); Second Honors (B- or above): Alessandra Alarcon-Vigorita (11); Leka Bucaj (12), Shpresa Bucaj (10), Philip Klote (11). Keep up the great work!

A Big Thanks

The collection for the Catholic Home Missions Appeal was \$3,241.10. Thank you for your generosity & support.

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 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

Next Week at a Glance

Sunday, May 27:
 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 28: Memorial Day
No 6:45 a.m. Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
 7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary
 7:30 p.m. Fiat Young Adults

Tuesday, May 29:
 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 30:
 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 31:
 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, June 1:
 6:45 a.m. Holy Mass
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass

Saturday, June 2:
 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass and Confessions
 5:00 p.m. Holy Mass

Are you being called?

“When the Spirit of truth comes, He will guide you into all the truth.” Will you let the Holy Spirit lead you to your true vocation in the Risen Lord...perhaps as a priest or consecrated religious? The annual discernment retreat for women (ages 18 and up) is June 15-17. The retreat will be led by the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal (CFRs), 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 is available if needed). Call Father J.D. Jaffe with questions or to register by June 1. Fr. Jaffe: (703)841-2514 or j.jaffe@arlingtondiocese.org.



Vocations

Celebrate and Pray for our Future Priests!

The ordinations of men to the priesthood and diaconate are beautiful and inspiring events for our entire diocese, and all are welcome to witness them. Both events are at the Cathedral of St. Thomas More starting at 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, June 2: Mass of Ordination to the transitional diaconate for seminarians Nicholas Blank, Edouard Guilloux, Sean Koehr, Will Nyce and James Waalkes.

Saturday, June 9: Mass of Ordination to the Priesthood for Deacons Michael Folmar, Nicholas Schierer and Christopher Tipton.

There is also a Holy Hour Vigil with Bishop Burbidge and the seminarians on Friday June 8 at 7:00 p.m. at the Cathedral, followed by a light reception. Come and pray for our future priests!

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

Dear Parishioners:

Sadly, we say, “Farewell,” to Cathy Barshop, our Director of Religious Education. She and her husband, Paul, will be moving to Singapore, where he has a new job assignment. Cathy has served in our Religious Education program for 14 years as a catechist, Assistant DRE and Youth Ministry Assistant (4 years), and as DRE for the past three years. We are grateful for her enthusiastic and dedicated service. May the Lord bless her and her family as they begin this new adventure of life.

Jackie Regan, the present Assistant DRE, will succeed Cathy as DRE. Liz Long, who has been the Youth Ministry Assistant will also become the Assistant DRE.

May God bless you,

Rev. William O. Saunders
 Fr. William Saunders

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.

Knights Day at Nationals Park

The Knights of Columbus is hosting the 13th Annual Knight Family Day with the Washington Nationals on Sunday, June 24, 2018 vs the Philadelphia Phillies. This event is open to all parishioners.

Game time is 1:35 p.m.; Section 111; Lower Box (third base side); under cover. The cost is \$63/person, which includes reserved tickets to the game and round-trip coach transportation. Individual game tickets are also available for \$40 each. Checks may be made payable to “Our Lady of Hope Council.”

Please contact Andy Altman at altman5@msn.com with questions or to sign up!

St. John’s Pre-School Teachers Needed

St. John the Apostle preschool is seeking two part time teachers for the 2018-2019 school year. For more information, contact Jane Taylor at jane@stjohnleesburg.com.

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 Eucharist** on Monday, May 28th, 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: June 2: Bring your favorite board game and a dish to share for game night in the St. Thomas More room following 5:00 p.m. Mass.

Summer Pilgrimage: June 10: Fiat will be visiting the National Shrine of St. Alphonsus Liguori in Baltimore, followed by lunch. Email Laurie at secretary@ourladyofhope.net for more details.

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.

Save the Date!



Sunday, June 3 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., Rain or Shine! Come join your fellow parishioners for Our Lady of Hope’s Annual Parish Picnic—tons of fun, food, and entertainment! Bring the whole family!



WorkCamp Corner

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.

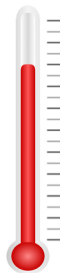
8 Still Contractors Needed!

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 have home improvement knowledge, skills, and experience. They are assigned projects that match their skills. You do not have to be a licensed contractor to volunteer! To 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.



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.

A Big Thanks from Catholic Charities

Dear Father Saunders,

I want to once again thank you, the Knights of Columbus, and the parishioners of Our Ladies of Hope for the outstanding support you have given to our food pantry in Leesburg. During the second half of 2017, Our Lady of Hope and the Knights have donated more than 13,600 pounds of food and \$265 in donations to help feed the hungry families of Loudoun County. These donations allowed us to feed an estimated 400 families from the months of July-December 2017, delivering sustenance to those in need.

Again, thank you and the Knights for all your support.

Respectfully,

Kenna Cuomo
Pantry Administrator; Leesburg

THREE TO *Stay* MARRIED Marriage Enrichment Program

Whether you've been married 6 months or 60 years, it's a good idea to step back and make sure you are both still headed in the same direction. Our Lady of Bethesda is offering two two-day programs that offer practical and spiritual instruction for married couples. Visit www.ourladyofbethesda.org for more information and to register.

July 13-14: Solving the Mystery of Prayer in Your Marriage: The perfect solution for couples seeking deeper spiritual intimacy in their marriage.

October 12-13: Three to STAY Married Enrichment Weekend: The signature marriage program. A "back to basics" weekend that covers many of the topics presented in the marriage prep program.

March 2019: Fan the Flame: Practical Tools for an Exceptional Marriage: Take your love up a notch with this practical retreat to deepen your love for each other.

**Please note that these are not overnight programs; however, staying overnight is optional for an additional fee.*

Watch the OLOH 10:30 a.m. Mass Live

A live video stream of the OLOH Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass is available with a link located on the home page of the church website.