

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT (YEAR C)

April 7, 2019

Today's Bible Readings: Isaiah 43:16-21; Psalm 126:1-6; Philippians 3:8-14; John 8:1-11

Themes of the Readings: To the exiles in Babylon, Isaiah foretells a new exodus, when the Lord will lead his people from captivity to freedom. True freedom is rooted in the person of Jesus, not in observance of the Law. It is he who challenges us to examine our own hearts before self-righteously judging others.

THIS WEEK'S LITURGY AND MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

Sunday:	Bible Study	8:30 A.M. (Deacon Thompson Room)
	Mass	9:45 A.M. (Church)
	Women of <u>NAS</u>	12:00 P.M. (Rosa Parks Room)
	Youth Ministry	12:00 P.M. (Deacon Thompson Room)
Monday:	Pastoral Council	6:30 P.M. (Rectory Conference Room)
Tuesday:	Mass	8:30 A.M. (Chapel)
	Legion of Mary	10:30 A.M. (Deacon Thompson Room)
	Prayer Group	11:00 A.M. (Chapel)
	Senior's on the Move	12:00 P.M. (Church Hall)
	Liturgical Dance (Youth)	6:30 P.M. (Church Hall)
Wednesday:	Mass	12 P.M. (Chapel)
	Lenten Bible Study	12:30 P.M. (Upper Meeting Room)
	Liturgy Practice for <i>Holy Thursday</i>	6:00 P.M. (Church)
Thursday:	Mass	8:30 A.M. (Chapel)
	Liturgy Practice for <i>Holy Friday</i>	6:00 P.M. (Church)
	Liturgical Dance (Adult)	6:30 P.M. (Church Hall)
	Choir Rehearsal	7:00 P.M. (Music Room)
Friday:	Mass.....	8:30 A.M. (Chapel)
	Liturgy Practice for <i>Easter Vigil/ Easter Sunday</i>	6:00 P.M. (Church)
	Stations of the Cross	6:30 P.M. (Church)
Saturday:	Liturgy Practice for <i>Palm Sunday</i>	10:00 A.M. (Church)
	Mass	4:00 P.M. (Church)

PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING:

- ❖ PLANNING TO GET MARRIED? Arrangements should be made per the Parish Office at least six months in advance.
- ❖ INFANT BAPTISM: Baptism Preparation Conferences are required of parents and god-parents. To make arrangements contact the Parish Office at 410-542-0445 or e-mail:office@naschurch.org.
- ❖ ILL AND HOME-BOUND: Is a fellow parishioner in the hospital or unable to attend Mass? Please notify the Church office so that contact can be made for visits and reception of the sacraments.
- ❖ MEDICAL EMERGENCIES: Entering the hospital for a medical procedure? "Anointing of the Sick" may be administered prior to medical procedures. Contact the Parish office or see clergy when at church.

This Weekend's LITURGY NOTES

- *Hymnal: African American Hymnal*
- *Response to Psalm 126: The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.*

This weekend: Special Collection for St. Frances Academy Annual Appeal: For Repairs. *Envelopes are in the bulletin for your donation. Kindly take time to fill in the information requested. God will surely reward you for your generosity and support of this great cause.*

Special Lenten Spiritual Opportunities (LAST WEEK)

- Sunday: 8:30 a.m. **Bible Study**
- Wednesday: 12 noon **Lenten Mass**
12:30 p.m. **Lenten Bible Study**
- Friday: 6:30 p.m. **Stations of the Cross**

PARISHIONERS IN NURSING HOMES & HOSPITALS:

Sister Trinita Baeza (St. Agnes Hosp.); Louise Bankins (Augsburg); Barbara Bess (Paradise Assisted Living); Donald Evans (Augsburg); Sharee Fegens (Johns Hopkins Hosp.); William "Bill" Fields (Balto.-Wash.Med. Center); Franklin Fitzgerald (Lorien Mays Chapel); Doris Johnson (Future Care Cherrywood,

Reisterstown); Sr. Mary Margarita Musquera, OSP, (St. Elizabeth Rehab & Nursing Center); Laura Thomas (Northwest Hosp.).

SHUT-IN PARISHIONERS: William Baker; Vanessa Bullock; Sandra Brice; Lionel Desbordes; William Garrett; Bernadette Leeds; Pat Mitchner; Anita Parker; Godfrey Smith; Jeanette Sterling.

"AILING" PARISHIONERS": Rhaiyanna Allen; Vicki Barry; Mary Bevans; George Brown; Marie Brown; Sylvia Buchanan; Patricia Bullock; Joseph Campbell; Charles Coates; Christine Coates; Elvard Cooper; Belinda Cornish; Anne Davis; Loretta Davis; Marge Dorsey; Margaret Fernandez; Carolyn Gray; Charles Griffin; Susie Harding; Janet Hall; Barbara Harris; Martha Henley; Donna Hunter; Margaret Hunter; Catherine Johnson; Toba King; Aubrey Knox; Gwendolyn Lindsay; Charlotte Malinowski; Genevieve Massey; Denise Matthews; Alvin Moore; Emily Moore; Betty Morton; Marcia Morton; Vanessa Nelson; Marion Russell; Maxima Shay; Theresa Sisco; Jerry Stamper; Donald H. Stokes, Sr.; Laura Thomas; Carla Thompson; Margaret Wallace; Gerald White, Sr.; Gerald White, Jr.; Wanda White; Betty Williams; Jean Williams.

SICK FAMILY & FRIENDS: Francine Allen; Essie Bell; Eric Brice Jr.; Carolyn Campbell; Audrey Carter; Florine Carter; Marybelle Carter; Judith Daniel; Marvin Dawkins; Fabian Desbordes; Sara Gray; Monica Thomas-Green; Vera & Lawrence Hall; Dennis Hamlin; Michelle Humphrey; Benjamin Jones; Robin Martin; Raymond E. Matthews; Bertha White-May; Josephine McCoy; Zahara Moor; Angeline Mosby; Robert Quarles; Jacob T. Sims, Jr.; John Simms; Teresita Simms; Irene Shelton; Adia Y. Stokes; Jacobi K. Stokes; Dorothy Taylor; Sue Tiggle; Harriet Tribble; Barbara Wade; Isabella Walker; Stephanie Walker; Betty Whidby; Jerome White

April HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

- 6 Tyrone Cole, Jr.; William Alexander
- 7 Selam Spenser
- 8 Barbara Grier; Rao Ojeyomi; Jeffrey Owens; Derrick Robinson; Gerald White Jr.
- 9 Carole Coe; Willie Hawkins; Lee Johnson; Dominique Waters
- 10 Wilhemenia Greer; Priscilla Robinson; Elizabeth Williams
- 11 Joyce Carroll
- 12 Roseline Korie; David Lewis

The NAS PASTORAL COUNCIL Meeting will convene this Monday (4/8) at 6:30 p.m. (Rectory Conference Room).

Rum and Pound Cakes are on sale for Easter. If you would like to order a cake, please either fill out the flyer in the bulletin and hand it to Rita Martin by next Sunday, April 14th or call by that evening to 410-292-1257 to place your order. All cakes are \$20. *Proceeds will be donated to NAS Church for current projects.*

WOMEN OF NAS MINISTRY: (1) 20th ANNUAL BULL & OYSTER ROAST FUND RAISER – April 28th. Please see the insert flyer. **(2) SCHOLARSHIPS to high school seniors**, who are members of NAS Church and are planning to attend a college or university, a technical institute or military academy in September, 2019. **Criteria:** (A) Acceptance Letter from the college or university technical institute or military academy the student plans to attend; (B) Official High School Transcript; (C) “SAT” or “ACT” Scores; (D) Provision of a 500-word essay-typed. *Please contact the following person(s) for a scholarship application: Mary Collins 410-922-6008 or Marlene Downs 410-489-5947.*

Travel with “SENIORS ON THE MOVE” by deluxe motor coach **to the Tropicana Hotel/Casino, Atlantic City** on May 20th – 23rd, 2019. *For information contact: Ruth Jones 410-922-2133, Ruby Handy 410-448-1180 or Gladys Rice 410-265-5709.*

NAS Food Pantry Ministry is supporting Catholic Relief Services through the Operation Rice Bowl during the Lenten Season. Please make checks

payable to New All Saints Church. *Please put your name and amount on your rice bowl and return on Easter Sunday.* Thank you for your support! *Food Pantry Ministry.*

UPDATE YOUR NAS CHURCH SOCIAL MEDIA CONTACT INFORMATION.

Parishioners receive information via the phone, email and text from NASNotify the broadcast message system and Flocknote. Has your information changed? Please update your communication preferences and contact information. Email to NASChurchCC@gmail.com. Include ministries that you are affiliated with. Weekly church bulletins can be viewed at www.NASChurch.org or My Parish app.

The **Baltimore City Board of Estimates** is hosting its **Annual Taxpayers’ Night on Tuesday, April 9th, 6 p.m.- 8 p.m.** at the Baltimore War Memorial Building (101 N. Gay Street). Taxpayers’ Night allows citizens an opportunity to voice their thoughts and concerns regarding the proposal Fiscal Year 2020 budget before Mayor Catherine Pugh and the Board of Estimates members. *Your attendance is greatly appreciated, please confirm at Jeanine.Murphy@baltimorecity.gov.*

St. Peter Claver and St. Pius V Fish Fry Dinners on April 5th & 12th; Chicken Wing Dinner April 26th. **Crab Cake orders must be placed by Wednesdays at 6 p.m.* Doors are open 11 am – 5 pm at Fr. Henry Harper Hall, Fremont Ave. & Pressman St., (yard entrance). *For information and menu contact: Veronica Case 443-472-5893 or Rochelle Woodland 410-903-4300.*

You’re invited to the **“RECOMMITMENT CEREMONY” OF MOTHER LANGE GUILD BOARD** on Saturday, April 27, 2019 at 2 p.m. at Our Lady of Mount Providence Chapel, 701 Gun Road, Baltimore, MD. 410-242-6861. *Reception follows the ceremony. This is not a Mass.*

Burying the Ashes of those Cremated: Do you have ashes of cremated family members at home and are in need of an economical way to lay them to perpetual rest? The Archdiocese of Baltimore is initiating *The Ministry of the 14th Station: Jesus is Laid in the Tomb* to bury the ashes in sacred ground. The cost of the burial is \$300 per deceased. *For details, contact the Office of Cemetery Management 410-547-5375 or cemetery@archbalt.org.*

N.A.S. Youth member and altar server Rebecca Hairston has been accepted into membership for the Dallastown Area Middle School’s Chapter of the National Junior Honor Society. She received this distinct honor by showing leadership by example, maintaining good character, and a 3.75 GPA, and continue participation in school, church and community activities. She will be inducted on Monday, April 8th. **Congratulations!**