

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 26-27, 2017

Today's Liturgical Readings: Isaiah 22:19-23; Psalm 138:1-3, 6, 8; Romans 11:33-36;
Matthew 16:13-20.

Themes of the Readings: As Eliakim is given authority as master of the palace, so does Jesus confer upon Peter authority to bind and to loose. To Jesus, who promised to be with his Church for all time, be glory for ever and ever!

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

- PLANNING TO GET MARRIED? Arrangements should be made by calling the Parish Office at least six months in advance.
- INFANT BAPTISM: A Baptism Preparation Conference is required of all parents. To make arrangements please call the Parish Office at 410-542-0445 or e-mail to 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 sacraments.
- MEDICAL EMERGENCIES: If one is about to enter the hospital for a medical procedure, Anointing of the Sick may be administered prior to the procedure. Please contact the Parish office or see the priest when at church before entering or undergoing a medical facility.

THIS WEEK'S CAMPUS MEETINGS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: Daily Mass 8:30 A.M. (Chapel)
Tuesday: Prayer Group 10:00 A.M. (Chapel)
 Legion of Mary 10:30 A.M. (Deacon Thompson Room)
 Liturgical Dance (Youth) 6:00 P.M. (Church Hall)
Wednesday: Ushers Meeting 3:00 P.M. (Rectory Conference Room)
Thursday: Liturgical Dance (Adult) 6:00 P.M. (Church Hall)

LITURGY NOTES

- Hymnal: African American Heritage
- Responsorial Psalm 138 (*Refrain*):
 Lord, your love is eternal; do not forsake the work of your hands.
- *Second Collection*: Parish Maintenance
- R.I.P. With faith in the resurrection of Jesus, we pray for the happy repose of parishioner **Doris T. Robinson** (92 years old). A memorial service was held at Wylie Funeral Home (Randallstown) this past Friday.
- **Wednesday (8/30), mass will not be celebrated.**

PARISHIONERS IN NURSING HOMES AND HOSPITALS: Louise Bankins (Augsburg); Naomi Berry (Future Care, Scotts Level); Barbara & George Bess (Paradise Assistant Living); Belinda Gordon-Bullock (Future Care, Scotts Level); Gladys Chambers (Keswick Rehab); Franklin Fitzgerald

(Lorien Mays Chapel); Charles Griffin (Holly Hill); Doris Johnson (Future Care-Cherrywood, Reisterstown); Genesta Lane (Augsburg Lutheran); Ola Lewis (Woodholme Garden, Pikesville); Letitia Maddox (Keswick Rehab); Sr. Mary Margarita Musquera, OSP, (Jenkins at St. Agnes Hosp.); Catherine Gloria Thomas (Sinai Hospital); Herbert Thornton (Lorien, Elkridge, MD)

“SHUT-IN” PARISHIONERS: Sylvia Buchanan; Vanessa Bullock; Sandra Brice; Donald Evans; Margaret Hunter; Pat Mitchner; Anita Parker; Godfrey Smith; Jeanette Sterling; Edmund Ward

“AILING” PARISHIONERS: Rhaiyanna Allen; Alvin Baker; Shirley Baker; Vickie Barry; Mary Bevans; William Blake; Merle Borel; George Brown; Marie Brown; Lorna Rice Byers; Marcus Carson; Charles Coates; Christine Coates; Elvard Cooper; Belinda Cornish; Anne Davis; Loretta Davis; Lionel Desbordes; Marge Dorsey; Margaret Fernandez;

William "Bill" Fields
Debbi Fowlkes; Harriett Garrett;
Carolyn Gray; Jeannette L. Hall;
Susie Harding; Shirley Hargrove;
Barbara Harris; Ivy Harris; Martha
Henley; Margaret Hunter; Catherine
Johnson; Aubrey Knox; Eileen
Magruder; Charlotte Malinowski;
Denise Matthews; Alvin Moore;
Karen Moore; Gloria Marrow;
Betty Morton; Vanessa Nelson;
Maxima Shay; Theresa Sisco;
Carla Thompson; Rita Turner;
Margaret Wallace; Gerald White,
Sr.; Gerald White, Jr.; Consuela
Wilder

SICK FAMILY & FRIENDS: Eric Brice Jr.; Elizabeth Bunn; Carolyn Campbell; Audrey Carter; Florine Carter; Marybelle Carter; Barbara Fields; Sara Gray; Vera & Lawrence Hall; Glendia Harris; Michelle Humphrey; Robin Martin; Raymond E. Matthews; Josephine McCoy; Melinda Miller; Zahara Moor; Robert Quarles; Jacob T. Sims, Jr.; Irene Shelton; Jerry Stamper; Adia Y. Stokes; Jacobi K. Stokes; Dorothy Taylor; Sue Tiggie; Sarah Watts; Deborah Windley; Harriet Tribble; Barbara Wade; Isabella Walker; Stephanie Walker; Betty Whidby

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

August

- 26 Michele Johnson-Mallett
- 27 Roland Campbell; Madeline Lewis;
Taj Williams
- 28 Gieselle Crawley; Amy Cahill;
Leonard Cephas; Lakeia Fernandez;
Natalie Smith
- 29 Irma Browne; Zane Cephas;
Shirlene Colbert; Annette Parks
- 31 Lynnea Doggett; Addie Johnson;
Ray Wright

September

- 1 Carl Combs; William Edwards

NAS Food Pantry is seeking donations of the following items: baked beans, canned meats, canned soup, cold cereal, jelly, canned mixed vegetables, corn, peas, peanut butter, spaghetti, meat sauce, canned fruit, ravioli, ramen noodles and tuna. *Thank you for your support.*

To Father Sterling, Charisse Walker, Ruby Handy, Catherine Dorsey & Church Family: *Thank you so much for your prayers, your support, generosity and gift of self. I don't know what I would have done without you. You are truly a gift from God. I am slowly healing and with God's grace will be back on my feet again in his service. I ask God to bless each of you for your kindness. Yours in Christ,*
Marcia A. Morton

Bishop Madden invites you to join him for his next **Prayer Walk on Wednesday, August 30th at St. Ambrose** (4502 Park Heights Ave., 21215).

Join St. Edward's Parish on a **Trip to The Ark Encounter & Creation Museum Trip in Cincinnati, OH**, Aug. 28-Sept. 1, 2017. Deposit \$75. Total cost is \$499 p/p. For information & reservation contact: Bessie Butcher at 443-621-9171. *Please check the NAS bulletin board for complete information.*

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish (on the church grounds on Church Street in downtown Thurmont) is having its annual **Labor Day Festival** on Monday, September 4th, 12 p.m.-5 p.m. *For directions visit the website: www.sasolmc.org.*

St. Ambrose Parish will host "**Community Days under the Tent**", September 8th – 10th (Wylie & Park Heights Ave). Come out to enjoy "free" food, children's games, health information and giveaways. *For information contact Antoinette Williams at 1-855-597-9666 or awilliams@williamsconsultingllc.com.*

A benefit concert will be held at the Basilica of the Assumption on September 8th at 7 p.m. *Proceeds will benefit Mary's Home, a new women's shelter in Howard County which offers shelter, job training, education, counseling and child care for expectant mothers in need. Music will be provided by a Baltimore based chamber choir.*

The Office of Black Catholic Ministries (AOB) invites you to its **27th annual KEEP ON TEACHING CATECHETICAL RETREAT on September 9th**. Retreat Leaders will be Rev. Kenneth Gaddy, C.Ss.R and Deacon Paul Shelton. This year's retreat aims to **Build-Up the Believer**, to come and see, and look God's way. The retreat will be held at Holy Family Catholic Church, 9531 Liberty Rd, Randallstown, MD 21133, 9:00 a.m. – 2:45 p.m. Registration cost is \$20. *To register call: email: OBCM@archbalt.org or call: 410-625-8472.*

Come participate in the **Little Sisters of the Poor 4th Annual Nun Run** on Saturday, September 9th at 8 a.m. at The Cathedral of Mary our Queen, 5200 N. Charles Street, Baltimore, MD 21210. Sponsors, donors, runners and walkers are needed. *Register at: www.charmcityrun.com.*

The 7th Bingo Fundraiser hosted by **Roberta's House** will take place at the American Legion Hall (Towson) on Saturday, **September 9th**. Doors will open at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$25 p/p or \$225 for a table of 10. *For information call 410-235-6633 or email: info@robertashouse.org.*

The **MyParishApp** connects you to several tools that will help with your Faith Journey. You can download the **MyParishApp** from the Apple store or Google Play store. Please email NASChurchCC@gmail.com if you need assistance with setting up the app.