

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)

January 27, 2019

Today's Bible Readings: Nehemiah 8:2-4, 5-6, 8-10; Psalm 19:8-10, 15; 1Corinthians 12:12-30; Luke 1:1-4,4:14-21
Themes of the Readings: Ezra proclaims the word of the Lord which gives spirit and life. Jesus proclaims himself the fulfillment of the Law and the prophets. In him we have become one body with many members.

THIS WEEK'S LITURGY AND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Sunday:	Mass	9:45 A.M. (Church)
	Usher Ministry	11:30 A.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)
	Liturgical Dance (Youth)	6:30 P.M. (Church Hall)
Wednesday:	Mass	8:30 A.M. (Chapel)
Thursday:	Mass	8:30 A.M. (Chapel)
	Liturgical Dance (Adult)	6:30 P.M. (Church Hall)
	Choir Rehearsal	7:00 P.M. (Music Room)
Friday:	Mass.....	8:30 A.M. (Chapel)
Saturday:	Mass	4:00 P.M. (Church)
	Confirmation Preparation	10:00 A.M. (Rectory Conference Room)
	Lector Training	10:00 A.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 the clergy when at church.

Today's LITURGY NOTES

- *Hymnal:* Lead Me, Guide Me
- *Response to Psalm 19:*
Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life.
- *Sunday Mass Intention:* In memory of the late LUCILLE WHITE, mother of parishioner Shirley Johnson.

PARISHIONERS IN NURSING HOMES & HOSPITALS: Louise Bankins (Augsburg); Barbara Bess (Paradise Assisted Living); Belinda Gordon-Bullock (Future Care, Scotts Level); Franklin Fitzgerald (Lorien Mays Chapel); Doris Johnson (Future Care Cherry-wood, Reisterstown); Sr. Mary Margarita Musquera, OSP, (Jenkins, St. Agnes Hosp.).

SHUT-IN PARISHIONERS: Sylvia Buchanan; Vanessa Bullock; Sandra Brice; Lionel Desbordes; Donald Evans; William Garrett; Shirley Hargrove; Bernadette Leeds; Pat Mitchner; Anita Parker; Godfrey Smith; Jeanette Sterling.

"AILING" PARISHIONERS: Rhaiyanna Allen; Vicki Barry; Mary Bevans; George Brown; Marie Brown; Patricia Bullock; Joseph Campbell; Charles Coates; Christine Coates; Elvard Cooper; Belinda Cornish;

Anne Davis; Loretta Davis; Marge Dorsey; Jewel Duggins; Margaret Fernandez; William "Bill" Fields; 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; Karen Moore; Betty Morton; Marcia Morton; Vanessa Nelson; Marion Russell; Maxima Shay; Theresa Sisco; Jerry Stamper; Donald H. Stokes, Sr.; Carla Thompson; Margaret Wallace; Gerald White, Sr.; Gerald White, Jr.; Wanda White; Betty 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; 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.; Irene Shelton; Adia Y. Stokes; Jacobi K. Stokes; Dorothy Taylor; Sue Tiggie; Harriet Tribble; Barbara Wade; Isabella Walker; Stephanie Walker; Betty Whidby; Jerome White

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

January

- 26 Angela Harris; Dorothy Taylor
27 Wildred Berry; Maria Bryant;
Norma Johnson; Jerome McKoy;
Sandra Pinkney; Craig Simms
28 Angela Brown, Imani Carson,
Cornelius Jacob; Meshon Smith;
Gertrude Watts
29 Shirley Acquah-Asare; Angelina
Benjamin; Mark Haynesworth;
Nicollette Taylor
30 Lawrence Barber; Joann Brown;
Leteia Harris; Elaine Shaw
31 Reginald Allen; James Cassell;
William Robertson; Nicolas Waters

February

- 1 Derek Shepherd

The **2019 Offertory Envelopes** are available for pick-up: "A-H" at the front church vestibule; "I-Z" at the rear hallway.

The **NAS Parish Council Meeting** will meet on Monday, January 28th at 6:30 p.m. in the Rectory Conference Room.

The Women of **NAS** Ministry has designated **Sunday, February 10th as "Go Red, Wear Red Sunday" for Heart Awareness.** A healthy heart is a family affair; a healthy heart brings love and happiness. All are invited to wear a touch of red to Mass.

Lenten Bible Study will resume on March 3, 2019. Interested participants are asked to meet with Nathaniel Smith after the 9:45 a.m. Mass on Sunday, February 3rd for 15 minutes to discuss a schedule of times and days that best meet participates availability. Thank you.
Nathaniel Smith

Rite of Christian Initiation: RCIA: Do you want to follow Christ as a Catholic? Are you a person who has never been baptized? Were you baptized into another faith tradition, but would like to become a Catholic now? Were you baptized a Catholic, but never received Eucharist or Confirmation? Are you a Catholic that would like to know more about your faith? Check out the **RCIA** Program this fall. If you have questions please contact Emily Moore 410-205-0643 or Ruth Dawkins 443-810-9187.

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. Please include

ministries that you are affiliated with. Additionally, the weekly church bulletins can be viewed at www.NASChurch.org or **My Parish** app.

Baltimore City Grief Ministry: *Are troubled by the tragic loss of life in Baltimore City, and wondering how you can help?* Please consider volunteering for a new ministry the Archdiocese is creating to offer support and healing to families in Baltimore City who have lost a loved one to violence. In conjunction with other agencies and nonprofits, the Archdiocese is launching a Grief Ministry through which parish communities can provide assistance, such as prayers, sympathy notes, food, baby items and other support as needed to families. An additional aspect of the ministry will be to create online memorials of loved ones. Volunteer training will be provided. To learn more or to sign up, go to www.archbalt.org/grief-ministry, or contact Mary Ellen Russell at mrussell@archbalt.org.

The Maryland State Council of the Knights of Columbus sponsors several High School Scholarships. There are two scholarships currently available: (1) The Fredrick M. Gossman Memorial H.S. Scholarship and (2) The William J. O'Brien Jr., Memorial Catholic H.S. Scholarship. *The application period ends February 1, 2019. Interested parents and students can visit the website at: www.kofc-md.org to obtain information.*

"GO Northwest" Home Buying Workshop: Learn How To Get Money For Down Payment and Closing Costs on Saturday, February 9th, Community Baptist Church of Walbrook, 2311 Garrison Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21216, 8:45 a.m. – 3 p.m. Registration \$50 (lunch included). Information on building credit, choosing a lender, local communities, homeowners insurance and more! *To register, visit www.go-northwesthrc.org, email Grace Parker: gparker@go-northwesthrc.org or call 410-947-0084 ext. 101.*

Please join us on **A JOURNEY OF FAITH TO THE HOLY LAND** benefitting the cause for canonization of Sister Thea Bowman, FSPA (1937-1990), October 21st – November 1st, 2019. The trip includes hotel accommodations, tour guides, coach buses, breakfast and dinners, airfare and all gratuities are included in the price of the trip. The price quoted \$4,795 p/p in a double room. **The final payment is due July 24, 2019.** *For information and to register for the Holy Land tour, contact Tracy Singer – Operations Manager. Ya'lla Tours USA, Inc. 503-977-3758 x106 / 800-644-1595 x106; fax (503)977-3765*