

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Bushwood, Maryland – Founded 1755

Rev. Samuel Plummer, Administrator

Deacon Joseph Lloyd

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Rectory Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Masses: Tuesday & Friday 7:00 a.m., Sunday 6:30 and 8:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration: After the Tuesday 7 a.m. Mass

Confessions: Saturday, 2:45 – 3:15 p.m.

Baptisms: By appointment.

Weddings: Six months advance notice.

CCD Classes: Sunday, 9:05 a.m., Holy Angels Sacred Heart School.

Emergency Phone: 301-904-7750

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon.	Sept.	10	7:30 a.m.	Mass at Holy Angels
Tues.	Sept.	11	7:00 a.m.	Holy Souls
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Wed.	Sept.	12	7:30 a.m.	Mass at Holy Angels
Thurs.	Sept.	13	NO MASS	
Fri.	Sept.	14	7:00 a.m.	Sue Gibson
Sun.	Sept.	16	6:30 a.m.	Parishioners of Sacred Heart & Holy Angels
			8:00 a.m.	Christine Menotti

Dear Parishioners,

Two weekends ago when I returned from El Salvador, I spoke at the end of Mass about how I intended to come up with a spiritual plan for Holy Angels and Sacred Heart in response to the scandals we are facing in the Church. I have come up with a plan and look forward to your participation in this plan.

Beginning this Tuesday, September 11th, I am instituting an evening Mass at Holy Angels at 7pm. This will be permanent for Tuesday evenings going forward. The Masses on Tuesday evening will be for the purpose of praying for the Church during this difficult time. Up until now, we had Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesday nights from 7-8 pm. However, this Tuesday I am now bumping up Eucharistic Adoration to 6-7pm. Additionally, Confessions will be available during Adoration as well.

In addition to the new Tuesday evening schedule, I am also designating Tuesday as a day for us to fast. Obviously, due to some people's age and health conditions, fasting may not be a prudent thing to do. For those whose health would allow for fasting, I am proposing foregoing dinner to attend Adoration and Mass on Tuesday nights. However, fasting does not always have to be in the form of food. Perhaps fasting from television or the internet or some other activity could take the place of a fast from food.

Lastly, I intend to meet with the Parish Councils of both parishes over the next week or two to discuss the scandals. Please relay your concerns and questions to those on the Parish Council or come and meet with me personally.

God Bless,
Fr. Sam Plummer

ALTAR FLOWERS: The flowers on the Main Altar were given by Kitty Swann in memory of Dylan Brown

SECOND COLLECTION: The second collection next weekend will be our monthly School Support collection.

MCA NEWS: Every Saturday Bingo at MCA. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and early bird games start at 6:00 p.m. \$5000 jackpot! Script Cards- Please consider purchasing Script cards for your everyday needs. We have cards for gas, groceries, clothing, and food. MCA receives a percentage of the value of each card sold. Please contact the school for more information. Thank you for your continued support of Catholic Education at Mother Catherine Academy.

HOLY ANGELS CHURCH SEAFOOD DINNER: On Sunday, September 10th from 11:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m., Holy Angels Church in Avenue, MD, will be serving a delicious Seafood Dinner. The menu includes: Fried Oysters, Steamed Spiced Shrimp, Crab Balls, Fried Chicken, Parsley Potatoes, Green Beans, Cole Slaw, Pickled Beets, and all the trimmings! Served buffet style -- all you can eat! Adults - \$28.00; Children (12 to 6) - \$8.00; and Children (5 & under) - Free. Carry-outs are available at \$26.00 each. There will be delicious homemade desserts and a craft table! The Raffle Prize is for a total of \$1,500 in cash! The First prize is \$1,000 and the second prize is \$500. You do not need to be present to win. For more information to purchase advanced tickets, please call the rectory at 301-769-3332 or email holy01angels@aol.com.

FRIED CHICKEN DINNER: The 7th District Volunteer Rescue Squad Auxiliary will be having a Drive-thru Chicken Dinner on Sunday, September 16th, from 11 a.m. – until sold out. The menu will include fried chicken, parsley potatoes green beans, roll, & homemade dessert.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES OUR LADY OF SORROWS FEAST MASS: The Catholic Cemeteries of the Archdiocese of Washington (CCAW), Southern MD Regional Office, will be hosting its Annual Feast Day of Our Lady of Sorrows Mass on Saturday, September 15, 2018 at the St. Mary's Queen of Peace Cemetery in Helen, MD. The Rosary and Mass is offered for the deceased members of our community and the Church especially encourages people who have recently suffered the loss of a loved one to participate. The Rosary and Mass will begin at 9:00 a.m. with Rev. Robert G. Maro (St. Francis Xavier Church in Compton) as our celebrant. An enclosable tent will be erected for everyone's comfort so the Mass will be held in the cemetery rain or shine. For additional information, please contact CCAW at (301) 475-5005/5006 or (301) 932-1766.

YARD SALE: The Seventh District Volunteer Rescue Squad Auxiliary will be hosting a Yard Sale on Sat., Oct 6th from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. and on Sun., October 7th from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Annex Building located beside the Rescue Squad. Tables are available, call Trisha at 301-769-3214. They are accepting donations of gently used, clean items. No large furniture or picture tube TV's. Bring you items to the Annex Building on Fri., Oct. 5th, from 12 to 5 p.m.

ST. IGNATIUS CHURCH YARD SALE: St. Ignatius Church, Hilltop, is having its annual yard sale on Saturday, October 6th from 7 a.m. – 2 p.m. There will be a bake sale table, raffle table and numerous bargains and treasures. Breakfast and lunch items will be available at reasonable prices. Spaces for rent are available at \$15 each. To rent a space, call John Minichino at 301-743-3514.

REQUEST FOR INTERCESSORY PRAYER: Sick: C.C. Gravetts, Joann Beavers, Johnny Williams, Matthew Quade, Larry Hill, Rholand & Mary Ann Hayden, Ken Cheseldine, David Hill, Mike Bailey, Elizabeth Graves, Virgie Banagan, Bill Finegan, Ginny Guy, Aloysius Butler, Harrison Robrecht, Bert Dean, Bernie & Anne Marie Quade, Melanie Gibson, Elaine Frederick, and Jr. Farrell.

SEPTEMBER VOTIVE INTENTIONS

Blessed Mother Altar – In memory of Charlotte Cooke, given by grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Sacred Heart Altar – In memory of Steve Mattingly given by Helen Hewitt.

St. Joseph Altar – In memory of George Quade, Jr., given by Diane Quade.