

Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Hail Mary, full of grace. Our Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.







"To know, to love, and to serve God"

Rev. Father Dennis W. Kleinmann, Pastor Rev. Father Michael C. Isenberg, Parochial Vicar

> Deacon J. Paul Ochenkowski Seminarians: Mr. Nick Schierer and Mr. C. William Nyce



September 3, 2017 - Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacramental Information

Marriage: Congratulations on your engagement! Please contact the parish office at least six months prior to the wedding date. It is best for us to hear from you as soon as you become engaged to set up your initial appointment.

Baptisms: We welcome your new addition! Generally, baptisms take place at 12:15 pm the first and third Sunday of each month, with some flexibility based on circumstances. Baptism preparation instruction is required for first-time parents or parents who have not previously attended a class. Please call the parish office to begin the process of scheduling the baptism.

Holy Communion & Anointing of the Sick: God bless you! If you or someone you know would like to receive Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick at Fair Oaks Hospital, Sunrise Assisted Living at Fair Oaks, Dulles Health & Rehabilitation Center, The Crossings at Chantilly, Arbor Terrace Fairfax in Chantilly, or at home, please call the parish office to arrange a visit.

Parish Registration: Welcome! To register as a parishioner of St. Veronica, please pick up a registration form in one of the church vestibules or in the parish office. Upon completion, you may drop the form in the Sunday collection basket, or mail it. If you are moving out of the parish or have a change of address, please let the parish office know.

Initiation of Adults and Children: The RCIA process leads older youths and adults into full communion with the Catholic Church. Please call the parish office or email <u>RCIA@stveronica.net</u> for details.

Parish Office

Address: 3460 Centreville Road Chantilly, VA 20151 Phone: 703-773-2000 Fax: 703-773-2001 Website: www.stveronica.net

E-mail Address: info@stveronica.net

Office Hours:

Monday-Friday: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Closed: 12:15 pm - 12:45 pm Saturday: 9:00 am - 12:00 noon Mrs. Mary Sadick, Office Manager Mrs. Kathy Bean & Mrs. Kitty Lochbaum, Receptionists

Mrs. Diana Acker, Parish Apostolates Coordinator & School Liaison

Parish School

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Office Hours:

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Mass Schedule*

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm & 7:00 pm (Vietnamese) Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:45 am & 5:00 pm 2:00 pm & 7:00 pm (Vietnamese)

Weekdays: Monday—Friday 8:30 am & 12:15 pm Wednesday & First Friday 7:30 pm Friday (except First Friday) 7:00 pm (Vietnamese) Saturday 8:30 am

Holy Hour Schedule*

Wednesday: 7:00 pm (includes Exposition, Holy Rosary, Benediction & Mass)

Confession Schedule*

Monday and Friday: 11:30 am—Noon Wednesday: 6:30 pm through the Holy Hour Saturday: 9:00 am—10:00 am & 3:30 pm—4:30 pm First Friday of the Month: After the 8:30 am Mass & 6:30 pm

Eucharistic Adoration*

Monday: 9:00 am-Saturday: 8:00 am

* Please listen to pulpit announcements & parish office recordings, and consult current bulletin & website homepage for schedule changes.



Week at a Glance

Sunday, September 3: Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Pancake Breakfast Hosted by Knights—Parish Hall 2:00 pm Charismatic Prayer Group/Our Lord's Flock—A. Chapel

Monday, September 4: Parish Office & School Closed 8:30 am Holy Mass No 11:30 am Confessions

No 12:15 pm Holy Mass

Tuesday, September 5:

8:30 am Holy Mass 9:00 am 50 & Over Bible Study—Acolyte Room 12:15 pm Holy Mass

7:00 pm Legion of Mary—Acolyte Room

Wednesday, September 6: 8:30 am Holy Mass 12:15 pm Holy Mass 6:30 pm Confessions

7:30 pm Holy Hour w/ Exposition, Holy Rosary and Benediction 7:30 pm Holy Mass

Thursday, September 7:

8:30 am Holy Mass 12:15 pm Holy Mass

4:30 pm Children's Choir—P208
7:00 pm St. Mother Teresa Outreach—Acolyte Room
7:00 pm Knights of Columbus—P209

7:30 pm Adult Choir—P208

Friday, September 8: 8:30 am Holy Mass 11:30 am Confessions 12:15 pm Holy Mass

6:00 pm Youth Apostolate Adult Team—Catacombs & Kitchen 7:00 pm Holy Mass in Vietnamese

Saturday, September 9:

8:30 am Holy Mass

8:30 am Catéchists Training—Church & Parish Hall

9:00 am Confessions

3:30 pm Confessions

Bulletin Deadline

10:00 am Friday, 9 days prior to the Sunday publication Announcements should be sent to bulletin@stveronica.net.

Mass Intentions

First Saturday, September 2 8:30 am Helena Szulc + 5:00 pm Guy Fleming +

Sunday, September 3: Twenty-Second Sunday in

Ordináry Time 7:30 am Michael John Defazio + 9:00 am Hollanda Evangelista + 10:45 am The People of St. Veronica 5:00 pm Donald Brantley +

Monday, September 4 8:30 am George Flood +

Tuesday, September 5 8:30 am Alicia Acker Damon 12:15 pm Kate Quastler

Wednesday, September 6 8:30 am Kevin Kelly + 12:15 pm Leonard Sanders +

7:30 pm Gene Macatuno +

Thursday, September 7 8:30 am Kate Garofalo +

12:15 pm Michael DeLafleur

Friday, September 8: The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 am Barbara Rouck + 12:15 pm Sarah Guy +

Saturday, September 9: Saint Peter Claver

8:30 am Donald Eugene Berman + 5:00 pm Gregory J. Vaz and Fidelia Fernandes ++

Sunday, September 10: Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:30 am Deacon Leonard Malinowski + 9:00 am The People of St. Veronica

10:45 am Fidel Ramos 5:00 pm William Holmes +

Pray the Rosary Daily Pray the Rosary Every Day

Parish Volunteer Contacts & Facilitators

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Worship

From Green to Gold — September 3, 2017

Last week here I was commenting about the Green Bay Packers and that "local team," who played each other two weekends ago. I mentioned how my Packers had earned a victory over the Redskins. Because it is preseason that game meant little other than giving us a glimpse of how the regular season may play out. I further commented that the Packers were looking rather good and that other team a bit shaky. I also said I didn't know what last weekend would bring. Well, Green Bay lost, and Washington won. Despite their win the Redskins still look like they have a ways to go if they hope to make it to the playoffs come January. The Packers revealed a few weak spots themselves last week. No doubt there is always hope, but both teams have to do their part. Spiritually, we encounter something very similar. It is always wise to determine where we are weak in regards to becoming more holy. We should want to take an honest look at our lives and then respond to that evaluation by really trying with God's grace to work at overcoming those weaknesses so that we are truly prepared for heaven someday. The Packers played their last preseason game against Los Angeles this past Thursday, the 31st (after this column was written). Washington played Tampa Bay Thursday night as well. The real fun begins next Sunday for both teams as Washington goes against the Eagles and the Packers face off against Seattle. I hope for a great season but more importantly I hope and pray that each of us continues to grow in holiness with God's grace and all that we do here at St. Veronica's to make that grace more available, particularly as we have now begun the month of September and quickly approach the fall season.

This Monday is Labor Day, which seems to be the unofficial end of summer. I pray everyone has a relaxing, enjoyable, blessed holiday. Although we quickly approach fall, it doesn't start until September 22nd. Nevertheless, Labor Day typically is the day most associate with the turn of seasons as school has started for nearly all students and things kind of ramp up here at the parish. Our youth events begin next Sunday. Other groups that take a hiatus for the summer return, such as RCIA, which will have its first session next Monday for any of those who aren't Catholic but are thinking about becoming so or for adult Catholics who want a refresher course. That also includes our CCD classes for those who aren't in a Catholic school. Classes begin September 18th and 19th. In addition our choirs at Mass and other groups return.

St. Veronica's School did indeed open last Monday. We welcomed about 400 students to a new year. They started the day by attending the 8:30 Mass that morning with their parents. It was a spirit-filled church with their excitement all too obvious. It is important that we do pray for one another as we move forward with these and other opportunities to increase our faith and come together as a rather diverse group of parishioners who are united by our belief in the one Triune God with Jesus Christ as Our Savior and with the Holy Spirit and the Church guiding us. Hopefully you have marked your calendars and are planning on attending other events that will soon be upon us. That includes the Food, Farm, and Faith dinner on the evening of Sunday, September 17th. It begins at 6:00 pm at Clyde's Willow Creek Farm restaurant in Ashburn. This is the fifth one. I have attended the two most recent ones and am quite impressed with the wonderful evening of good food, good drink, some interesting speakers, and a great chance to socialize with fellow parishioners. There is a cost of \$65.00, which covers everything and is not a bad price for all that is included. The following Sunday is our parish's Oktoberfest. This is again sponsored by the PTO and our parish Knights of Columbus council. It will be similar to our festival last year with a wonderful upgrade—the brats are from Lothar's Gourmet Sausages in Purcellville. I hope to see you there! ~ In Christ, Fr. Kleinmann

The Holy Father's September Prayer Intention

Evangelization: Parishes at the service of the mission
That our parishes, animated by a missionary spirit, may be places where faith is communicated and charity is seen.

Weekly Readings



Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday

Jer 20:7-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27

Monday

1 Thes 4:13-18; Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday

1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday

Col 1:1-8; Lk 4:38-44

Thursday

Col 1:9-14; Lk 5:1-11

Friday

Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23

Saturday

Col 1:21-23; Lk 6:1-5

Sunday

Ez 33:7-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20

From the Parish Office

Personal Items Drive Coming Soon

Veronica's Knights of Columbus sponsoring another personal items drive to support MESA (Madison Emergency Services Association, Inc.) in Madison County, VA. We will be collecting the following items: soap, shampoo, tooth brushes, toothpaste, dental floss, deodorant, feminine products, diapers (sizes 4, 5, 6), baby wipes, toilet paper, tissue, laundry detergent, dish washing liquid (NOT for dishwashers), Lysol, multipurpose cleaners, trash bags (large), adult incontinence items, antiseptic cream and band aids. Gas cards (BP, Exxon and Shell) in any increments are greatly appreciated. You can leave the gas cards at the church office or drop them in mail slot located in the parish Hall. Other items should be dropped off at the church in or near the wooden bins in either vestibule from Saturday, September 16th through noon Next Sunday, September 10th our Parish Sunday, September 24th. If you have any Library, located in the Parish Hall, will reopen questions please contact Paul Chadowski, paulc29@verizon.net or 703-467-8377.

Celebrating a Silver or Golden Wedding **Anniversary This Year?**

Were you married in 1967 or 1992? Then join Bishop Michael F. Burbidge for the 2017 Marriage Jubilee Mass to be celebrated on Sunday, October 15th at 2:30 pm at Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church in Potomac Falls, Va. Contact the parish office to register no later than Friday, September 22nd. For more information, visit www.arlingtondiocese.org/MJM.

Food, Farm and Faith Dinner



ST. VERONICAT Join as we celebrate the Fifth Anniversary of the Food, Farm and Faith Sunday, September 17th, from 6:00-9:00 pm. We will again enjoy a three course meal

under the stars at the Clyde's Willow Creek Farm Restaurant in Ashburn, Va. On hand will be Catholic farmer Jesse Straight of Whiffletree

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK **Destiny's Tree Service**

"See our reviews on Angie's List™"

Please see their ad in the back of the bulletin and support all those who make this bulletin possible. We are grateful for their support of our parish.

Farm and acclaimed butcher Lothar Erbe of Lothar's Gourmet Sausages, sharing their story on the intersection of food, farms and faith. Tickets are \$65 per person, tax and gratuity included. There will be a cocktail reception, followed by a seated dinner—truly a night not to be missed. For more information contact farmdinner@stveronica.net. Tickets purchased on the St. Veronica Church website or by check through the parish office.

Schedule Changes on Labor Day

In keeping with our policy regarding federal holidays, there will be only ONE Mass at 8:30 am on Monday, September 4th. There will be NO 11:30 am confessions or 12:15 pm Mass. The parish office will be closed. Happy Labor Day!

Parish Library to Reopen Next Sunday

after all the morning Masses. Come browse and borrow some of the many interesting, enlightening and entertaining book and media titles our library has to offer. Any materials checked out over the summer should be returned then.

Second Collection Next Weekend

The Second Collection next weekend, **September 9th and 10th**, is for the Catholic University of America, the national university of the Catholic Church located in Washington, D.C.

CORNERSTONE

Sunday Offertory Last Weekend 8/26-27/2017 Faith Direct 4 weeks* Total Offertory	\$ 8,598.86 \$12,501.59 \$21,100.45
Monthly Mortgage Payment Last Weekend 8/26-27/2017 Faith Direct 4 weeks* Total Monthly Mortgage Payments	\$ 2,102.20 \$ 3,154.50 \$ 5,256.70
Special Collections Poor Box/St. Mother Teresa Outreach Total Special Collections	\$ 116.79 \$ 116.79
Capital Campaigns Build-a-Legacy/Mortgage Principal Faith Direct Anniversary Campaign/Renovations Faith Direct Total Capital Campaigns	\$ \$ \$ 6,583.00 \$ \$ 6,583.00
343 Families Donating through Faith Direct	

Thank you, and may God bless you for your continued support and generosity.

*Contributions via Faith Direct are deposited in parish bank account once a month. The total deposit designated for Sunday Offertory and Monthly Mortgage has been divided by the number of weeks for that month and added to the weekly totals.

EDUCATION, CATECHESIS AND EVANGELIZATION

Religious Education News

Registration for our Religious Education program for the 2017-18 school year is ongoing. Class sessions begin September 18th and 19th. Registration forms are in the vestibules and on cleared by 3:35 pm. Parishioners visiting the our website.

Thank you to all who have answered the call to help teach the Faith to our young people. The religious education program is still in need of a few Assistant Catechists for the school year. Volunteers are vital to the success of the religious education program. No experience is necessary. The only requirement is to be a Catholic in good standing with a desire to pass on the Faith to the . children of our parish. All volunteers are eligible for tuition discounts. We have the following openings—urgent need is in bold:

Monday

Grade 4: 2 Assistant Catechists Grade 6: 2 Assistant Catechists Grade 7: 1 Assistant Catechist

Tuesday

Grade 8: 1 Assistant Catechist for girls' Confirmation class

Searching for Strength and Understanding?

Life has many storms—distressful relationships, jobs, poor health, situations where we feel our powerlessness. If you know someone unbaptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who is searching for strength and understanding to weather such squalls, invite them to seek the perspective the Catholic Church offers. Please Join the men of TMIY on Saturday, September contact Scott Bradford, RCIA@stveronica.net, to inquire about classes held Monday evenings at that will help men grasp the depth and beauty of 7:30 pm in the Pope St. John Paul II room the Church's vision of love and marriage. We will beginning on September 11th.

Separated/Divorced Ministry Invitation

Wednesday, September 13th, after 7:30 pm Mass, "What is God's Plan for You and How Does the joining us, and see what God has in store for you. Church Help You to Live That Plan?" Please We meet at 6:30 am for breakfast in the parish sw.mccullough@outlook.com, Susan ministry.

St. Veronica School Has Started **Carpool Safety**

A new school year is upon us. School hours are from 7:55 am to 3:10 pm. All students are dropped off and picked up from the large parking | Death, Judgment, Heaven and Hell

lot on the right side of the building. Please note that morning drop off begins at 7:30 am. Afternoon carpool begins at 2:45 pm, students are dismissed at 3:10 pm, and the parking lot is church between 2:45 pm and 3:35 pm are encouraged to park on the left side of the building. For everyone's safety, if you elect to park on the right hand side of the building, please note that visitors will be asked to wait to cross to the church during this time period.

St. Veronica Catholic School Is Seeking To Fill the **Following Positions:**

Substitute Teachers

Please send resume to Leah Lagdameo, Ilagdameo@stveronicaschool.org)

Extended Day Staff

Dependable individuals who possess the values of our school are encouraged to apply for an Extended Day Teacher position. This position would be M-F for 1.5 hrs in the morning for Before Care and/or After Care from 3:00-6:00 pm. The need to work cooperatively and effectively as a team member of the Extended Day program is fundamental. Additionally, First Aid, CPR, and MAT training are preferred, but not necessary. Please contact the Extended Day Director, Mary Jo Smith, mismith@stveronicaschool.org.

That Man Is You! Fall Session Coming Soon

16th for *Unveiling of Love*, a multi-week series also learn some very practical steps to discover and overcome struggles in our spiritual life.

We invite and welcome Separated or Divorced One of the great things about TMIY is that you adults to join us in the St. John Paul II room on can join at any time: if you have never attended at all you can jump right in, or simply come to a for fellowship and Fr. Kleinmann's presentation couple of meetings to try it out. Please consider

hall followed by the presentation and small group McCullough, for more information about this discussion at 7:00. We will finish in time for 8:30 am Mass should you wish to attend. For more information, email TMIY@stveronica.net.

Catholic Doctrine Corner The Four Last Things

AROUND ST. VERONICA AND THE DIOCESE

EnCourage Meets at St. Veronica Next Week

accord with the teachings of the Catholic Church? EnCourage is a Catholic support community for parents, family, and friends who want to reach out in truth and compassion to loved ones experiencing same-sex attractions. Standing by the true teachings of the Roman Catholic Church, EnCourage members support one another and their loved ones through discussion, prayer, and fellowship. EnCourage is part of Courage, an apostolate of the Roman Catholic Church whose purpose is to minister to those with same-sex attractions and to their loved ones.

EnCourage normally meets on the first Monday of each month at St. Veronica, Room P203, at 7:30 pm. Because of the Labor Day holiday, however, the meeting has been moved to **September 11th**. For more information, or to reach a priest that works with EnCourage, email encourage@arlingtondiocese.org.

Race for Seminarians Team Rally and Picnic September 12th

All are invited to come learn more about the Race for Seminarians, meet other runners and walkers and get set for race day. Donors, cheerers and The Women's Apostolate to Youth invites you to a prayer warriors welcome as well. Hear training Mother-Daughter retreat (for girls in grades 7-9) tips from Ray Pugsley of Potomac River Runners entitled "God's Plan for My Life," The Vocation well as fundraising testimonials motivation. Enjoy a picnic dinner, and organize and St. Gianna Molla. The retreat will be held your cheer squads. Meet at Lacey Woods Park in September 23rd, 8:30 am-3:30pm at St. Raymond Arlington from 5:30-7:30 pm. RSVP Wednesday September 6th vocations@arlingtondiocese.org or 2514. Learn more about the Race for Seminarians details at www.ArlingtonDiocese.org/RUN.

14th Annual Diocesan Blue Mass

The 14th Annual Diocesan Blue Mass will be held at the Cathedral of St. Thomas More on Saturday, September 16th, at 5:30 pm. This Mass is to pray for the safety of all police officers, fire fighters information.

Catholic Women over 40: Register Now

Do you have a loved one experiencing same-sex The Future with Hope women's conference is attractions? Are you looking for answers in October 20th-21st at the Falls Church Marriott Fairview Park. Speakers include *Arlington* Catholic Herald columnist Mary Beth Bonacci, Pat Gohn, author of All In: Why Belonging to the Catholic Church Matters and Blessed, Beautiful, and Bodacious: Celebrating the Gift of Catholic Womanhood, and Mary Lenaburg, Blessed Is She blogger. \$149, through Labor Day; \$175, thereafter. Email <u>info@futurewithhopewomen.com</u> or visit www.futurewithhopewomen.com for more information. Sponsors include the Arlington Diocesan Council of Catholic Women.

Diocesan Young Adult Mass and Reception

All young adults (ages 21-39, single and married) are invited to join us for the 11th Annual Diocesan Mass & Reception for Young Adults at 6:00 pm on **Sunday, September 10th**, at St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church in Arlington. The Principal Celebrant of the Mass will be Bishop Burbidge, concelebrated with diocesan priests. A reception with Bishop Burbidge, local priests, and young adults will immediately follow the Mass.

Mother Daughter Retreat

and of Woman Featuring St. Gabriel the Archangel by of Penafort Church, 8750 Pohick Rd., Springfield. to The \$50 fee includes materials, breakfast and 703-841- lunch for both mother and daughter. For more t o http:// g o <u>www.womensapostolatetoyouth.blogspot.com</u>, call Angela Smith at 703-266-6756, or email daystarretreat@gmail.com. Register **September 9th.** Sorry, no registrations at the door.

Diocesan Pilgrimage 2017

and emergency personnel serving within the Join Bishop Burbidge for the 2017 Diocesan Diocese of Arlington and to pray for those who Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the Shrine of the have died in the line of duty. Bishop Burbidge Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC, on will be the principal celebrant and homilist. All Saturday, October 14th. Our Diocesan Pilgrimage are welcome. Following the Mass there will be a falls during the 100th anniversary of the reception in Burke Hall for all first responders apparitions in Fatima, when Our Lady called for and their families. Please contact the Cathedral of worldwide prayers for peace. The theme for this St. Thomas More at 703-525-1300 for more year is "Totus Tuus; We are totally yours, Mary." St. Veronica Parish will have a bus for the trip.

Apostolic Service, Prayer and Fellowship

Please Remember in Your Prayers

Please remember to pray for the safety and wellbeing of Prima Donna Baines, Chuan Alexander Chang, and Brian Czech, all deployed overseas. Contact the parish office with additional names of your relatives and loved ones to include in this prayer list.

Annual Capodanno Mass

The Memorial Mass for Fr. Vincent R. Capodanno, MM, will be held Tuesday, **September 5th** at 6:30 pm in the Crypt Church of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C. All are invited to attend the Memorial Mass on the 50th anniversary of his death. Archbishop Timothy P. Broglio of the United States Military Services will be the main celebrant. Military members are encouraged to wear uniform of the day, and business attire is appropriate for use our present time to work toward holiness. ?s, civilians. If reserved parking is necessary for our call Peg at 703-620-4945. disabled attendees, please mpreece@milarch.org. For more information, visit CapodannoGuild.org.

Date Change: Tea and Talk

Ladies, join us for an elegant afternoon tea and hear Kathleen Wilson, founder of Mary's Shelter, speak on Sunday, September 24th from 2:00 to 4:00 pm in the St Timothy School Cafeteria, 13807 Poplar Tree Rd, Chantilly, Cost is \$10. For information or to RSVP contact Marsha Jacobeen 703-378-2660. Hosted by Walking With Purpose Ladies Bible Study.

~ Fast & Pray for Persecuted Christians ~

Cemetery Plots Available

Saint Isidore the Farmer Catholic Church in Orange, VA has a new cemetery. Plots for parishioners of parishes other than St. Isidore are \$1000 each. Effective January 1st, 2018, the price for each plot will be raised to \$1500. Each plot can hold one casket, or one casket and one cremation urn, or two cremation urns. Please feel free to contact Valencia Bowman with any questions via email. stisidore2001@gmail.com or by telephone 540-672-4933, ext. 10.

Mini-Retreat/Evening of Recollection for Women St. Leo's Church, Fairfax, on September 5th, 7:00-9:00 pm. Two meditations led by a priest of Opus Dei, a talk and confessions available. Seek God's strength as the new school year begins to



Kick-Off Potluck—August 10th, 1:30 pm in the Parish Hall:

All are invited to join us for a fun afternoon of food, games, and the opportunity to learn more about what God is doing in the lives of our parish youth through our Youth Apostolate this school year. All are welcome! Parents of middle and high school youth are strong encouraged to attend as you will be receiving important information. Please bring your favorite food item to share. RSVP to by emailing youthminister@stveronica.net by September 5th.

Words of Our Lady of Fatima

"If the government of a country leaves the Church in peace and gives liberty to our Holy Religion, it will be blessed by God."

Divine Mercy Corner

Christ gave the following directives to St. Faustina: "First, do not fight against a temptation by yourself, but disclose it to the confessor at once, and then the temptation will lose all its force. Second, during these ordeals do not lose your peace; live in My presence; ask My Mother and the Saints for help. Third, have the certitude that I am looking at you and supporting you. Fourth, do not fear either struggles of the soul or any temptations, because I am supporting you; if only you are willing to fight, know that the victory is always on your side. Fifth, know that by fighting bravely you give Me great glory and amass merits for yourself. Temptation gives you a chance to show Me your fidelity." Dairy 1560.

JESUS Í TRUST IN YOU!

Pray for a Priest Each Day

We continue our daily prayers for priests by praying each day this week for:

September 3 Rev. Lewis Fiorelli, O.S.F.S.

September 4 Very Rev. Andrew Fisher, V.F.

September 5 Rev. Daniel Gee

September 6 Rev. Joseph Giordano, C.I.C.M.

September 7 Rev. Randy Gonzales, C.I.C.M.

September 8 Rev. James Gould

September 9 Rev. Paul Grankauskas

St. Veronica Parish Library

Re-opens on September 10th, Sundays: 8:30 am to 12:15 pm in Parish Hall



List of New Additions to our Library collection.

Adult DVDs:

China Cry: A True Story
Letters to God
Catholicism

Adult CDs:

Becoming the Best Version of Yourself Raising Amazing Children Lepanto: The Battle that Saved the West Eucharist

Adult Books:

52 Simple Ways to Build Your Child's Self-Esteem & Confidence Family Walk: 52 Weekly Devotions for Your Family Seasons of a Mother's Heart
Letter to a Fallen-Away
Catholic
Crash Course in Teaching
Religion
33 Days to Morning Glory
Rosary: Great Weapon of the
20th Century
Rediscover Jesus
Inside the Bible
Catholic Source Book
The Privilege of Being a
Woman

Children DVDs:

Brother Francis: The Sacraments Brother Francis: The Mass Brother Francis: Bread of Life Frozen
Toy Story
Pooh's Heffalump Movie
Pooh's Heffalump Halloween
Movie
Be My Valentine, Charlie
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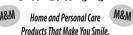
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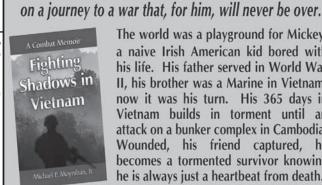
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