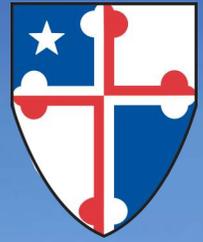


# Sacred Heart Parish



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**CELEBRATING CHRIST SINCE 1873**

**April 15, 2018 ♦ Third Sunday of Easter**

## PASTORAL STAFF

**Rev. Msgr. Lloyd E. Aiken, V.F.**

*Pastor*

**Rev. Canisius T. Tah**

*Associate Pastor*

**Rev. Hilario Avedaño**

*Associate Pastor for Hispanic Ministry*

**Mr. James A. Ryan**

*Retired Deacon*

**Mr. James Nuzzo**

*Deacon*

**Sr. Cecilia Cyford, SSJ**

*Director of Religious Education*

**Sr. Helen Wiegmann, SSJ**

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**Mrs. Jeanne Cossentino**

*Principal*

**Mrs. Anne Purnell**

*Assistant Middle School Principal*

**Mrs. Georgeann Gurkovich**

*Assistant Principal*

**Sr. Karen Washabaugh, SSJ**

*Teacher Assistant*

**Mrs. Kathy Whitelock**

*Director of Development*

**Mrs. Michele Hunter**

*R.C.I.A.*

**Rev. Mr. James Smith** 4th Year Theology

**Mr. Mark Dunmire** 3rd Year Theology

**Mr. Maurice Sunde** 1st Year Theology

**Mr. Will Cook** 1st Year Theology

**Mr. Peter Kiamo-Oh** 1st Year Theology

*Seminarians*

## ASSISTING CLERGY

**Rev. Santhosh George, O.S.S.T**

**Rev. James McKearney, P.S.S.**

**Rev. Gilbert J. Seitz**

## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

**Weekend Masses:** Saturday: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 7:30 (Quiet), 9:00, 10:30 AM (Choir);

12:00 (Contemporary Choir) & 5:00 PM

**Misa en Español:** Sabados: 7:00 PM (Little Church)

Domingos: 1:45 PM (Main Church)

**Weekday Masses/Communion Service:**

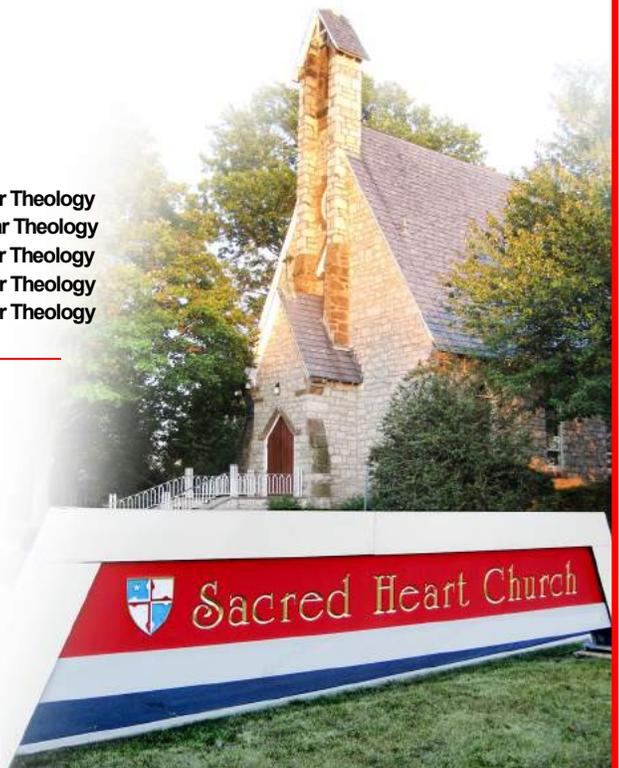
Monday-Friday: 7:00 & 9:00 AM (Little Church)

Saturday: 8:00 AM (Little Church)

**Holy Day Schedule:** Consult bulletin

**Eucharistic Adoration:**

First Fridays: Exposition following the 9:00 AM Mass,  
concluding at the 8:00 AM Mass Saturday (Little Church)





**Weekly Liturgical  
Schedule**

**Prayer and Worship**

**Sacred Heart  
Parish Mission  
Statement**

We, the people of God in the parish of Sacred Heart, are constantly attempting to become a faith community of those who, believing in Jesus, proclaim God's Kingdom and share the mystery of faith by worshipping the Father, enabling all members to grow in their relationship with each other through the Son, and witnessing our gifts through active service to others in the Spirit.



**Saturday Vigil Mass, April 14**

4:00 PM Mass Cynthia Rubenstein  
7:00 PM Sp. Mass Julia Aguirre

**Sunday, April 15**

7:30 AM Mass Parishioners of Sacred Heart  
9:00 AM Mass John Stephenson  
10:30 AM Mass Ann E. Grande  
12:00 PM Mass Becky Grothe  
1:45 PM Sp. Mass Hany Eid  
5:00 PM Mass Fannie Demandante

**Monday, April 16**

7:00 AM Mass Theodore A. Imbach  
9:00 AM *Communion Service*

**Tuesday, April 17**

7:00 AM Mass Mary Lou Mayhew  
9:00 AM Mass Eugene Galeza

**Wednesday, April 18**

7:00 AM *Communion Service*  
9:00 AM Mass John Reihl

**Thursday, April 19**

7:00 AM Mass Frank Lafata  
9:00 AM Mass Ferdinand Anicoche

**Friday, April 20**

7:00 AM Mass Shirley Fathi  
9:00 AM Mass George Rond, Jr.

**Saturday, April 21**

8:00 AM Mass Harry Harper

**Saturday Vigil Mass, April 21**

4:00 PM Mass Wayne Thomas  
7:00 PM Sp. Mass Esperanza Lucero

**Sunday, April 22**

7:30 AM Mass Josephine Feustle  
9:00 AM Mass Parishioners of Sacred Heart  
10:30 AM Mass Regina Ann Horvath  
12:00 PM Mass Carl Oakman  
1:45 PM Sp. Mass Maria Asuncion Lozano  
5:00 PM Mass Ruth DeHoff

**Presiders' Schedule: April 22, 2018**

4:00 PM Mass Fr. Canisius  
7:00 PM Sp. Mass Fr. Hilario  
7:30 AM Mass Msgr. Aiken  
9:00 AM Mass Msgr. Aiken  
10:30 AM Mass Fr. Canisius  
12:00 PM Mass Fr. Canisius  
1:45 PM Sp. Mass Fr. Hilario  
5:00 PM Mass Fr. Canisius

**Scripture Readings: April 22, 2018  
Fourth Sunday of Easter**

Acts 4:8-12 • Ps 118:1,8-9, 21-23,26, 29  
1 Jn 3:1-2 • Jn 10:11-18

Jesus is the "cornerstone rejected by the builders which has become the cornerstone" (1, Ps). He is the good shepherd who laid down his life for us (3). Through his paschal mystery we have become children of God (2).



*He stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." Then he said to them, "Why are you troubled? And why do questions arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself." Lk 24:36;38-39*

# Parroquia del Sagrado Corazón

III Domingo de Pascua

15 de Abril de 2018

## Celebrar la Resurrección

El misterio de la Resurrección recorre todo este tiempo. Se lo contempla bajo todos sus aspectos durante los 50 días. La buena nueva de la salvación es la causa del regocijo de la Iglesia. La Resurrección se presenta a la vez como acontecimiento y como realidad omnipresente, como misterio salvador que actúa constantemente en la Iglesia. Así se deduce claramente del estudio de la liturgia pascual. Comenzando el domingo de Pascua y su octava, advertimos que los evangelios de cada día nos relatan las varias manifestaciones del Señor resucitado a sus discípulos: a María Magdalena y a las otras mujeres, a los dos discípulos que iban camino de Emaús, a los once apóstoles sentados a la mesa, en el lago de Tiberíades, a todos los apóstoles, incluido Tomás. Estas manifestaciones visibles del Señor, tal como las registran los cuatro evangelistas, pueden considerarse el tema mayor de la liturgia de la palabra. Así es ciertamente en la octava, en la que cada día se nos presenta el acontecimiento de pascua bajo una luz nueva.

Después de la octava, no se pierde de vista la Resurrección, sino que se la contempla desde una perspectiva diferente. Ahora se destaca sobre todo la presencia activa en la Iglesia de Cristo glorificado. Se lo contempla como el buen pastor que desde el cielo apacienta a su rebaño, o como el camino que lleva al Padre, o bien como la fuente del Espíritu y el que da el pan de vida, o como la vida de la cual obtienen la vida y el sustento los sarmientos.

Considerada, pues, como acontecimiento histórico y como misterio que afecta a nuestra vida aquí y ahora, la resurrección es el foco de toda la liturgia pascual. Es éste el tiempo de la Resurrección y, por tanto, de la nueva vida y la esperanza.

Y como este misterio es realmente una buena nueva para el mundo, es preciso atestiguarlo y proclamarlo. Los

evangelios nos presentan el testimonio apostólico y exigen de nosotros la respuesta de la fe. También hay otros escritos del Nuevo Testamento, como los Hechos de los Apóstoles, que han consignado para nosotros el testimonio que los discípulos dieron de la Resurrección del Señor Jesús.

## Lecturas Dominicales

22 de Abril de 2018

1ª Lectura: Hechos 4:8-12

Salmo: 118:1,8-9, 21-23,26, 29

2ª Lectura: 1 Jn 3:1-2

Evangelio: Jn 10:11-18

### Exhortación Apostólica “Gaudete Et Exsultate” del Papa Francisco

Alegraos y regocijaos» (Mt 5,12), dice Jesús a los que son perseguidos o humillados por su causa. El Señor lo pide todo, y lo que ofrece es la verdadera vida, la felicidad para la cual fuimos creados. Él nos quiere santos y no espera que nos conformemos con una existencia mediocre, aguada, licuada. En realidad, desde las primeras páginas de la Biblia está presente, de diversas maneras, el llamado a la santidad. Así se lo proponía el Señor a Abraham: «Camina en mi presencia y sé perfecto» (Gn 17,1).



«¿Por qué os alarmáis?, ¿por qué surgen dudas en vuestro interior? Mirad mis manos y mis pies: soy yo en persona. Palpadme y daos cuenta de que un fantasma no tiene carne y huesos, como veis que yo tengo.»

## Sacramental

**Bautizos:** Se celebran cada segundo sábado del mes (excepto durante la cuaresma). Los padres y los padrinos requieren asistir a una clase de preparación que se realiza el tercer domingo de cada mes y los padrinos deben haber recibido todos los sacramentos de iniciación cristiana (Bautizo, Confirmación y Eucaristía). Favor llamar a la oficina para mayor información.

**Matrimonio:** Las parejas que están planeando en casarse deben contactar el sacerdote o el diacono por lo menos seis meses antes de la fecha planeada para este sacramento. Todas las parejas comprometidas deben de tomar el cursillo prematrimonial.

**Unción de los Enfermos:** En caso de emergencia llamar a la oficina parroquial o a la rectoría. Por favor notificar a la oficina si sabe de alguien que se encuentre en el hospital y necesite de este sacramento.

**Sacramento de la Reconciliación:** El sacramento de la confesión se celebra los sábados de 5:30 pm a 6:45 pm



April 15, 2018

# Sacred Heart of Glyndon

## Third Sunday of Easter



### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday:  
8:30 AM—12:30 PM  
1:15—8:30 PM

Saturday-Sunday:  
8:30 AM—4:00 PM

### PHONE NUMBERS

Parish Office/Rector's  
410-833-1696

Hispanic Ministry  
410-830-1862

Development Office  
410-833-4933

Sacred Heart School  
410-833-0857

Religious  
Education Office  
410-833-8515

Sacred Heart  
Youth Ministry  
410-833-7639

Convent  
410-526-1327

**BULLETIN DEADLINE.**  
Notices must be  
received in the parish  
office TEN days  
(Thursday) before  
the bulletin date  
requested.

**We welcome the following who were recently baptized in the Graces of Baptism and became members of our Christian Community:**

Damien Michael Dickerson, Ifechizitelu Valencia Ekeh,  
Hazel Jane Schmidt



### Please Remember the Sick in Your Prayers

Lucy Angerer, Mary Ellen and Mike Berry, Tom Bond, Frank Chengery, Mon Etter, John Fiore, Troy Heiner, Dennis Helm, Gerry Kleiman, Maria Victoria Londono, Carlyle Montanye, Scott Moser, Socorro Ortiz, Beth Ralston, Berta Rodriguez, Pamona Sardillo, Ryan Shriver, George Stifler, Hafeez Syed

### Names will remain on the Sick List for 5 weeks

If there is a need to have the name of your loved one on the list for a longer period of time, we will be happy to accommodate you. Please contact the Parish Office at 410-833-1696 to make this request.

**DO YOU KNOW** that we are supposed to remain in Church until *after* the priest has left? Do you know why we do this? The Latin words "*Ite missa est*" have been poorly translated into English as "*The Mass is ended. Go in peace.*" The Latin verb from which "*missa*" comes means "*sent forth, go forth.*" Therefore, we are being **sent forth** from our celebration to bring the Gospel to all whom we meet. We "*go forth*" behind the Cross and the priest who has led us in our Eucharistic celebration and who now leads us into the world to proclaim the Good News!

### Charismatic Prayer Meeting



The Life in the Spirit Charismatic Prayer Meeting is held every Wednesday at 7:30 PM in Room 103. Individual prayer will be held from 7:00 – 7:30 PM. Come and share in our singing and giving thanks to God, and hear what the Lord is saying to us through His gifts of the Holy Spirit. Call Ruby Wilson at 410-833-0812 for more details.

### Contemplative Prayer and Adoration

Please join Fr. Canisius on most **Monday evenings** at 7:00 PM in the Little Church for an hour of prayer, reflection, and adoration. Come experience *hope* that lifts, embraces, and moves through the power of the Holy Spirit as Christ's loving presence encourages, directs, and releases our source of eternal hope. Please give yourself some quiet time with God at least once a week.



### Sacred Heart Sodality

Sodality members are available to pray the Rosary with the family of the deceased. To schedule the Rosary, please call Mary Lee Ports at 410-833-7270.

### Reminder: Dressing Properly for Church

As the weather finally begins to get warmer, please make an effort to dress modestly when coming to Mass. Formal dress is certainly not expected, but out of respect for the Blessed Sacrament, for fellow worshippers, and reverence for our sacred space, please refrain from wearing overly casual dress, such as beach attire, halter-tops, and short shorts. Thank you.

### Sick or Homebound: Requests for Visits

If you or someone you know desires anointing of the sick, a communion visit, or a hospital visit, please call the parish office at 410-833-1696 and leave your contact information. A trained Pastoral Visitor will be in touch to schedule a visit.

## Our Stewardship

*Sharing the gifts we have been given*

### Weekly Offering

Offertory (April 8, 2018) .....	\$21,914.65
Envelopes .....	\$18,487.50
Loose .....	\$3,427.15
Maintenance .....	\$4,739.00

### Electronic Fund Contributions 4/02/18 – 4/08/18 (Not included in above total)

Offertory .....	\$1,095.80
Maintenance .....	\$57.50

## Christian Formation and Evangelization

*Watch this space to learn more about the Legion of Mary!*

### What is the purpose of the Legion of Mary?

The primary purpose of the Legion is to lead people to Jesus Christ so they can benefit from the love and mercy of God. Specifically, the Legion of Mary seeks to lead the people we encounter in our works to a greater knowledge and faith in God and to increase the faith and holiness of our own members through prayer and service to Our Lord. To learn more, come as a most welcome guest to our open house meeting on **Saturday, May 5** at 9:00 AM in Room 105.



*Next week in this space: What sort of work does the Legion do?*

### National Day of Prayer: Pray for America



Everyone is invited and encouraged to participate in the non-denominational **National Day of Prayer** on **Thursday, May 3** from 7:00 – 8:00 PM. This year's local host is Northwest Baptist Church at 300 Westminster Road in Reisterstown. Join together with fellow Christians in one voice to honor and cry out to God through His Son, Jesus Christ. For more details, call Diana Hunt at 410-526-6770 or go to [www.nationaldayofprayer.org](http://www.nationaldayofprayer.org).

*“Miracles happen. But prayer is needed!  
Prayer that is courageous, struggling, and persevering,  
not prayer that is a mere formality.” – Pope Francis*

## Sacred Heart Youth Organization

### Confirmation

During the next couple of weeks, please keep our 75 parish youth in your prayers as they finalize their requirements and their Confirmation journey comes to a close.

*O gracious and holy Father, give us wisdom to perceive you, intelligence to understand you, diligence to seek you, patience to wait for you, eyes to see you, a heart to meditate on you, and a life to proclaim you, through the power of the Spirit of Jesus Christ our Lord.*

*—Prayer of St. Benedict*



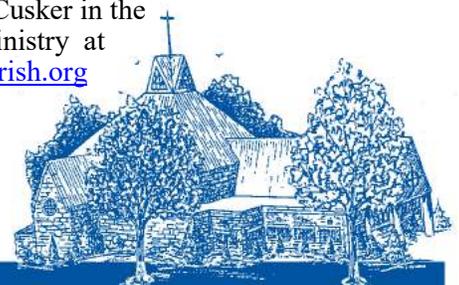
The Sacrament of Confirmation will be on **Saturday, May 5** at 1:00 PM and will be presided by Most Reverend Bishop Denis J. Madden. Pews will be reserved for our candidates and sponsors. Please be mindful that seating is limited and each family of the candidates is limited to five (5) guests.

For more information about Youth Ministry activities, events and/or programs, please see the Youth Ministry page on the parish website: [www.shgparish.org/youth-ministry.aspx](http://www.shgparish.org/youth-ministry.aspx). Or, contact the Office of Youth Ministry at [youthministry@shgparish.org](mailto:youthministry@shgparish.org).

### STAND / Worthy of the Call

Are you 14-17 years old? Are you or will you be volunteering for GAP and/or Vacation Bible School?

If the answer to any of these questions is “YES,” you will need to complete the required volunteer training — *Worthy of the Call*. Our next *Worthy of the Call* training is scheduled for **Wednesday, May 9 at 6:00 PM in Room 112**. Please remember that this training is part of the STAND process and is mandatory in order to volunteer for the parish and/or school. Please visit our website ([www.shgparish.org/stand-youth.aspx](http://www.shgparish.org/stand-youth.aspx)) for all requirements and complete all paperwork *prior to* the training date. Should you have any questions or if you would like to **RSVP** for said training, please contact Mrs. Mary Lee McCusker in the Office of Youth Ministry at [mmccusker@shgparish.org](mailto:mmccusker@shgparish.org) or 410-833-6877 **before May 8**.





**Service & Social Justice**

**SACRAMENTAL MINISTRY**

**BAPTISMS:**

Third Saturdays at noon and within the celebration of Mass (except during Lent). Parents are required to attend a Preparation Class held on the 2nd Monday of the month. Please call the Religious Education Office to arrange for both Preparation Class and Baptism.

**RECONCILIATION:**

Confessions are heard on Saturdays from 3:00 – 3:45 PM (Little Church) and by appointment. Parish Reconciliation Services are held during Advent and Lent.

**MARRIAGE:**

Couples planning to be married should contact a priest or deacon at least six months before the anticipated date. All engaged couples must take a Marriage Preparation Course. Do not set a date until you have met with the priest or deacon.

**COMMUNION TO THE SICK:**

If someone is in the hospital or homebound and unable to attend Mass and wishes to receive communion, please contact the Parish Office. Mass is celebrated at FutureCare-Cherrywood Nursing Home on the 2nd Wednesday at 10:30 AM.

**Sharing Christ's Love with the Future Care Residents**

The Respect Life Committee and Faith in Action invite you to share the love of Christ by singing with the residents of Future Care Cherrywood Nursing Home (located on 12020 Reisterstown Road) on **Tuesday, April 17** from 6:30 – 7:30 PM. We will meet in the lobby at 6:25 PM. We will be distributing spring cards and pictures to the residents. As we thank God for the sacred gift of life, we will also sing “Happy Birthday” to each resident who has a birthday in April. Please call Denise Blair-Nellies at 410-795-6852 for more information.

**Sacred Heart Respect Life Committee Needs You**

The Respect Life Committee invites you to join us for a **rosary for life** and planning meeting on **Thursday, April 19** in Room 112. We will pray a rosary for life from 6:30 – 7:00 PM, and the planning meeting will take place from 7:00 – 8:00 PM. We welcome you to join us in planning ways we can spread awareness for respect for the sacred gift of life from conception to natural death. Please call Denise Blair-Nellies at 410-795-6852 for more information.

**Message from Your Six-Month-Old Spiritually Adopted Baby**



*“Thank you for your prayers! I'm 6 months old now. I just opened my eyes – before today they were sealed shut for protection. I wonder what you look like? I can hear sounds, too! It's great to have someone praying for me.*

*Love ~ Your Spiritually Adopted Baby”* **Month 6 – “I'm sitting up straight now!”**

We are now at the end of the second trimester! Thank you for your prayers! Your spiritually adopted baby is developing quite beautifully now. Her weight is approaching 2 pounds. She sits up straight now to accommodate her internal organs which have moved into their final place in her little body. Babies born prematurely at this time have a very good chance of surviving. The medical advances in caring for extremely small newborn infants are extraordinary indeed. Don't forget to pray for your baby. Abortion is legal through all nine months and her mom might still feel pressure to abort. If you would like information about spiritually adopting a pre-born baby, please contact Denise Blair-Nellies from the Respect Life Committee at 410-795-6852.

**Seeking Donations for Pro-Life Pregnancy Center**

The Respect Life Committee invites you to bring in a donation for the *Center for Pregnancy Concerns*, a pro-life pregnancy center. Please drop off donations (e.g. baby shampoo, diapers, wipes, Similac Advanced formula, new and gently used baby clothes [size infant – 4T]) in the bins located in the main lobby of the church during the weekends of **April 14/15** and **April 21/22**. We give thanks to God for the sacred gift of life and pray all will respect life from conception to natural death. *“Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me.”* (Mt 25:40)

**Thank You from Apostleship of the Sea Ministry**

“Dear St. Vincent de Paul Society ~ Thank you so much for your donation to assist our ministry to seafarers calling the Port of Baltimore. During their time at sea they may encounter long days and nights alone, and this enables us to reach out to them in many ways. We are so grateful for your fellowship and continued commitment to the Apostleship of the Sea. May your hearts be warmed by knowing that your support of seafarers brings them warm welcomes, encouragement, friendship, consolation, needed advocacy, prayerful experiences, and cherished contact with their families and loved ones. Please continue to pray for seafarers, and know that you are in our daily prayers also. In Mary, Star of the Sea ~ Rev. Msgr. John L. FitzGerald, Ph.D.”

## Parish Life

### Respect Life Prayerful Sing Along

The Respect Life Committee invites people of all ages to join us for song, prayers, fellowship, and refreshments at the Respect Life Prayerful Sing Along on **Friday, April 20** from 7:15 – 9:15 PM in the Mother Seton Room. Our theme is “*Walking with Christ.*” We invite you to bring a donation for the pro-life pregnancy center (e.g. diapers, wipes, baby shampoo, new and gently used baby clothing [size infant - 4T], etc.). Child care is provided. Children will make pictures for senior citizens, play games, and then join us for songs, fellowship, and snacks. Please call Denise Blair-Nellies at 410-795-6852 for more information.

### Blood Pressure Screenings TODAY

Nurses will be available for blood pressure screenings in Room 103 on **Saturday, April 14** after the 4:00 PM Mass and **Sunday, April 15** from 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM.

### Prayer Shawl Ministry

Prayer Shawls are made for folks who are seriously ill or who have a serious disability. Our Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet on the third Tuesday of the month (**April 17**) in Room 103 from 1:00 – 2:00 PM. Are you interested in helping to crochet or knit? Would you like to learn either of these skills? Would you like a prayer shawl for someone? Please contact Sister Helen at [helenwiegmann@yahoo.com](mailto:helenwiegmann@yahoo.com) or 410-833-1696.



### Knights of Columbus: Good Catholic Men Wanted



Immaculate Lady Council #5208 of the Knights of Columbus is looking for good Catholic men to join our ranks, acting on the principles of charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism. We are engaged behind the scenes of many parish activities and in serving the wider community. If you are looking to grow as a Catholic man while putting your faith into action, look no further than the Knights of Columbus! For more information, go to [www.shgparish.org/koc.aspx](http://www.shgparish.org/koc.aspx).

### VOLUNTEER Training

Thank you for your willingness to share your time and talents with the children at Sacred Heart. Volunteers (**ages 18 and older**) for the school and/or parish need to complete all requirements before beginning their volunteer service. This process is now on-line through **VIRTUS** – a compliance management system. Please visit [www.shgparish.org/stand.aspx](http://www.shgparish.org/stand.aspx) for step-by-step instructions for **new and current volunteers**. After finishing this on-line process, contact Mary Lee McCusker at [mmccusker@shgparish.org](mailto:mmccusker@shgparish.org) so that your volunteer requirements can be reviewed and verified.

## Organizations

### BEST YEARS

The *Best Years* group welcomes adults who are 55 years of age or older without regard to religious affiliation, sex, racial or ethnic heritage, or place of residence. Members may be single, married, divorced, widows, widowers, or religious. Spouses who are less than 55 years of age may also be members. Dues are \$5.00 per member per year.

The *Best Years* was formed to bring adults together to share activities and interests and to keep members informed of current events pertaining to citizens within the age range of the group. The group addresses the needs of the whole person in body, mind, and spirit. Our activities focus on friendship, communication, and service. They encompass spirituality, recreation and social programs, health and welfare, education, culture, and service to the Church and community. For information on becoming a member, contact our President, Mary Anne Baker at 410-795-3178.

### Upcoming Events:

- **April 18** – **Lunch Bunch** at Mountain Gate in Thurmont, MD at 12:30 PM. Contact Carol Johnson at 410-526-6455 for more information.
- **April 25** – Executive Board meeting at 1:30 PM in Room 105.
- **May 2** – Best Years monthly meeting at 7:00 PM in the Mother Seton Room.
  - Guest Speaker – from Carroll County Health Dept. Topic: Opioid Overdoses
  - **Sarah's Hope Outreach** – cleaning supplies

### Adult Co-Ed Volleyball

Adult men and women of all ages and skill levels are invited to play volleyball in the gymnasium on most **Friday evenings** from 9:00 – 11:00 PM. The next volleyball dates are **April 20** and **May 4**. For more details, please visit [www.shgparish.org/adult-sports.aspx](http://www.shgparish.org/adult-sports.aspx).

## Sacred Heart School

The Sacred Heart  School of Glyndon  
*Loving. Learning. Serving.*

### Are you looking for a great start for your child's education?

Please call to inquire about our excellent Pre-K through 3<sup>rd</sup> grade program. Contact Mrs. Gurkovich, Admissions Director at 410-833-0857.

Grant money is available for those who qualify.





## Religious Education



### SACRAMENTAL MINISTRY

#### ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

In case of emergency call the Parish Office/Rectorate at anytime. Please notify the Parish Office if you know someone in the hospital or at home who wishes to be anointed. Masses of Anointing are celebrated several times a year.

#### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS:

"Thirsting for God?" Do you know someone not baptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who is thirsting for what it means to become Catholic?

Do you know someone already Catholic but has not yet received Confirmation & Communion? They may be thirsting too! The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a place to ask questions and seek understanding.

The RCIA is a church rite for adults pursuing the possibility of joining the Roman Catholic Church. If you, or someone you know, are interested or would like more information, please contact Michele Hunter 410-833-1696 or [mhunter@shgparish.org](mailto:mhunter@shgparish.org).

#### First Eucharist for RCIC and Spanish – Alleluia!

Rejoice and give thanks for the children in our RCIC class and Spanish Religious Education program. Ten children were baptized and more than 40 children received First Eucharist on **April 14!** **Congratulations!**

#### First Communion Rehearsals

The First Communion Masses for the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade are on **Saturday, April 28** at 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM. There will be a rehearsal for the 9:30 AM Mass on Tuesday, April 24 at 7:00 PM and a rehearsal for the 11:30 AM Mass on Wednesday, April 25 at 7:00 PM. Each child must be accompanied by an adult in the Main Church.

#### Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)

On most Sundays at the 9:00 AM Mass, parish children can participate in a liturgy geared toward their age and understanding. Children from age 4 through 3<sup>rd</sup> grade are dismissed with a catechist after the opening prayer, and they return before the consecration. They participate in an interactive, age-appropriate liturgy that helps them understand and integrate God's word in their young lives. Contact Sister Cecilia at [sr.cecilia@shgparish.org](mailto:sr.cecilia@shgparish.org) for more information.

#### Sunday Nursery

A free nursery service (child care) is available on most Sunday mornings for children under the age of three years old from **10:15 – 11:30 AM** in Room 126.

#### Vacation Bible School – SHIPWRECKED (Rescued by Jesus)!

Have you ever wondered who can "rescue" you when you are lonely, worried, struggling, doing wrong things, or feeling powerless? At this year's Vacation Bible School, children will discover how **Jesus** rescues us through life's storms! He came to make a way for us to live with God forever. That's how much he loves us!

*When:* **June 25 – 29**, 9:00 AM – 12:15 PM each day

*Who:* Children 3 years old through 5<sup>th</sup> grade

*More:* Details and sign-up forms can be found at the parish office, both church entrances, the school lobby, and at the parish website at [www.shgparish.org/vbs.aspx](http://www.shgparish.org/vbs.aspx). We need plenty of enthusiastic volunteers to help make this year's VBS a big success! For more information, please contact us at 410-833-8515 or [jment@shgparish.org](mailto:jment@shgparish.org).



## Community Events

#### Defend Life Lecture: Forced Abortion in China

Reggie Littlejohn, the founder of *Women's Rights Without Frontiers*, will speak on the topic "*Fighting Forced Abortion and Sexual Slavery in China*" on **Thursday, April 19** at 12:45 PM at Christ the King Catholic Church in Towson and again on **Thursday, April 19** at 7:00 PM at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church in Ellicott City. Reggie began her journey by representing a Chinese woman who had been forcibly sterilized. She will explain how forced abortion in China is still legal. A visibly pregnant woman in China who does not have a birth permit can be arrested by Family Planning Police and forcibly aborted. Reggie has testified before Congress and before Parliament. She spent 3 weeks with Mother Teresa and is known internationally for her work. This free lecture is sponsored by Defend Life, the largest pro-life group in the Maryland/DC area.

*"America you are beautiful... and blessed... The ultimate test of your greatness is the way you treat every human being, but especially the weakest and most defenseless. If you want equal justice for all and true freedom and lasting peace, then America, defend life." – Pope St. John Paul II*

# Application

## Free Home Repairs

### The Baltimore WorkCamp

Produced by Saint Anthony Shrine  
16150 St. Anthony Rd., Emmitsburg, MD 21727  
June 19 – June 22, 2018

The Baltimore WorkCamp is looking for local residents in need of home repairs. Work sites are needed so high school teens from across the Archdiocese of Baltimore can participate in a week-long service mission designed to help young people put their faith into action. The work at each home will be completed by 3-5 teens supervised by adult leaders. *All volunteer labor and materials are FREE to qualifying households.* To learn how your home might be included, please complete this confidential application and mail it to the above address.

Eligible repair projects include:

- Interior and exterior painting
- Minor porch/step repair
- Wheelchair ramps
- Basic home repairs
- Weatherization

Completed applications will be forwarded to the organizers of the Baltimore WorkCamp for review.

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Your address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be home **Monday, June 19 – Thursday, June 22** (8:30 AM – 3:00 PM) while the work is completed? Yes / No

Do you own your home? Yes / No

Describe the work you would like to have done. *Please give as much detail as possible:* \_\_\_\_\_

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*I understand that the coordinators of the Baltimore WorkCamp will contact me by phone or email to discuss the requested repairs and I will be informed by May 1<sup>st</sup> if my application is accepted.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

