

PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Culpeper, Virginia 22701
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Parish Hall – CCD Office
540-825-1339

Epiphany Catholic School
540-825-9017



MASSES

Saturday: 6:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
4:00 p.m. (SPANISH)
Daily: 8:30 a.m.
Holy Days: 8:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Anselme Malonda-Nkuanga, CICM, Pastor
Ramon Tirado, Deacon
Patricia Hetrick, Office Manager
Alison Windland, Office Assistant
Patricia Reed, Director of Religious Education
Miriam Medina, Director of Liturgy
Hannah Masson, Director of Music
Theresa Watson, Choir Director
John Flemming, Heritage Choir Director
Robert Wiersberg, Director of R.C.I.A.
Mary Flemming, Youth Director
Wendy Murphy, Principal, Epiphany School
Barbara Terry, Director, Epiphany Pre-School
Anne Schuyler, Office Manager, Epiphany School

REGISTRATION

A warm welcome is extended to new parishioners. New members can register with the parish office during office hours. Registration forms are also available in the Church vestibule and can be dropped in the collection basket during Mass. Parish registration is required for reception of the Sacraments (Baptism, Confirmation and Matrimony) and letters of eligibility to serve as godparent or sponsor.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

is available on Saturday: 4:30–5:30 p.m. and any other time upon request.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Registered parishioners who are requesting baptism for their child should contact the parish office to sign up for the required pre-baptismal classes.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

is celebrated after a period of preparation of not less than six months. Registered parishioners who wish to marry at Precious Blood should contact the parish office during office hours before making any other arrangements.

CCD CLASSES

Sunday: 9:30 – 10:45 a.m. (K-6)
12:15 – 1:30 p.m. (7-12)

EPIPHANY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Preschool: 3 & 4 year old
Elementary: K-5
Middle School: 6-8

February 3, 2013

“ Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time “

LORD HEAR THE PRAYER FOR OUR SICK,



especially Mrs. Betty Fyrberg, Dennis Olson, Alex Green, Hope Crocker, Theresa Wise, Angelo DiFonzo, Jackie Fancher, Tracey Toomey, Elizabeth Carlton Occhiogrosso, Grayson Savery, Leo Buckley, Frances

Anderson, Kristie Wells, James Berger, Rosa Ramirez, Bryan Lorenz, Isaac Corbett, Rosa Coch, Ines Sanchez, Roberto Sanson, Donna Boyer, Jerry Roy, Barbara Noonan, Sean Peet, Eileen Hunter, Joseph Andrews, Jan Adams, Cheryl Weagle, Michael Pugh, Peg Logan Sue Doetzer & Ric Barklund. May they feel God's protective hand and return to good health. **Call the rectory if you want a name to remain after six weeks.**

MINISTRY TO THE SICK : Ordinarily the priest will visit Culpeper Hospital twice a week. Please notify the rectory if you wish to have someone visited. Arrangements should also be made with the rectory for an Extra-ordinary Minister to bring Holy Communion to shut-ins on a regular basis. Emergency sick calls can be arranged at any time.

PRO-LIFE: History shows that when civilizations degenerate morally, the strong and powerful begin to victimize the weak and defenseless. Abortion victimizes the most vulnerable of all, the unborn child.

COFFEE & DOUGHNUTS, are provided by the Knights of Columbus, each Sunday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass, during the CCD school year. All are invited.



MASS INTENTIONS:

Feb. 04 - Art Crocker (dec)
Feb. 05 - Souls in Purgatory
Feb. 06 - Pro Populo
Feb. 07 - Frank Parater (dec)
Feb. 08 - Gladys Coffey (dec)
Feb. 09 - 8:30 a.m. - Souls in Purgatory
Feb 09 - 6:00 p.m. - Marianne Stoy Calvano (dec)
Feb. 10 - 8:30 a.m. - Segura Anifaif (special intentions)
Feb. 10 - 11:00 a.m. - Leo Gumina (dec)

PIANO OR KEYBOARD PLAYERS are **still needed** in our music ministry for our liturgies. Call Hannah Masson, 825-9650, if you can help us.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION (01-27) \$ 8,432.45
(Our weekly budget is \$11,500.00)

BUILDING FUND (01-27)	170.00
EPIPHANY SCHOOL	110.00
CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA	1,363.53

OFFERTORY PRAYER: Help us, God of joy and peace, always to give happily, always to give generously, and always to be thankful.

THE HOLY SPIRIT INTERACTIVE DISCIPLESHIP PROGRAM



will meet on Wednesday, February 6th, 7:00 p.m., at the annex building.

FAITH DIRECT: Now is the time to enroll in our automatic electronic offertory program with **Faith Direct**. Electronic giving is simply the easiest way for you to make, and Precious Blood to receive, your weekly offering. You can enroll by picking up a form in the foyer/office, or visit www.faithdirect.net. Our code is **VA226**.

FEBRUARY IS CATHOLIC PRESS MONTH:



During the month of February, we ask all parishioners to reimburse the parish for their subscription to our diocesan newspaper, the **Arlington Catholic Herald**. The subscription is **\$22 per year**. An envelope is in your February envelope(s) mailing.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASSES will be held on February 11th & 18th, 7:30 – 9:15 p.m., in the downstairs rectory meeting room. All parents requesting baptism for their children are asked to attend (without children). Call the rectory office to register. Godparents are welcome to attend.

WE JOYFULLY WELCOME INTO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY Ethan Bennett Jones, son of Mr. & Mrs. David Jones, and grandson of Mr. & Mrs. Harold Fowler, who was baptized on January 27th.

VIRTUS TRAINING: Precious Blood will hold a Virtus Workshop for all employees and volunteers, who have not attended a session to be in full diocesan compliance.



The workshop will be February 19, 2013, from 6:00-10:00 p.m., in the Parish Hall. All must be pre-registered. Please register at: www.virtus.org.



has begun registration for 2013-2014. Registration packets are

available in the church foyer, or may be mailed to you by calling 825-9017. Classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Tuition aid is available and families are encouraged to apply through: www.factstuitionaid.com. Please call the school office for further information or a personal tour of our classes and facilities.

THE WORD AMONG US for Lent (February 21 – March 31), "Touched by Mercy, Moved by Love", is available in the church foyer. Literature payment envelopes can be put in the collection basket.



THE ALTAR FLOWERS for this weekend are in loving memory of Mr. Jorge Schneider.

2013 BISHOP'S LENTEN APPEAL BEGINS!

Next weekend, each family in our parish will be asked to complete a Bishop's Lenten Appeal (BLA) pledge form at Mass. If you have already donated through the mail or are not able to participate, there will be places to note that on the form. Please read the newsletter being distributed with today's bulletin that contains detailed information about how the BLA funds are distributed throughout our diocese. Every pledge is important! Please prayerfully consider making a pledge to support the many programs and ministries that serve the people of our diocese. The theme for 2013 BLA is **"Stepping out in Faith: Love Revealed."**

TEACHER JOB FAIR: Prospective teachers are invited to attend the Diocese of Arlington **Teacher Job Fair** on **March 9th**, at Paul VI Catholic High School in Fairfax. Over 40 principals will be available for interviews. Please visit: www.arlingtondiocese.org/catholicschools. For more information.

PRECIOUS BLOOD WEBSITE: Please visit our website at www.preciousbloodcatholicchurch.com for parish information. You will find our weekly bulletin, sacramental forms, ministry scheduler, upcoming dates and events, youth group and CCD news, and much more.

ST. STEPHEN'S FOOD CLOSET needs non



frozen individual microwave meals, rice/pasta side dishes in pouches & canned meats. Please place items within the altar area.

THE LIGHT WEIGH, ONE KING: Would you like to eat your favorite foods while you learn to lose weight? Light Weigh, One King, is a Bible Study-DVD series without weigh-ins that get you healthy, physically and spiritually. The group will meet on Sundays at 6:30 p.m., and will start soon. For questions and orientation meeting, please call Loretta Schlosser at 727-2070

SEPARATED? DIVORCED? WIDOWED? The Rebuilding Program, sponsored by the Office of Family Life, helps people who are separated, divorced or widowed and want to move on with their lives. The nine week program starts Sunday, February 24th, 5:30-8:00 p.m., at St. Martin DePorres Center, Alexandria, VA. Please call (540-628-0601) or visit www.copingrebuilding.com for more information.

CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON 2013 MEN'S CONFERENCE "Fact vs. Fiction: Knowing & Loving Your Catholic Faith", will be held on Saturday, March 2, 2013, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Herndon. Come join renowned speaker Dr. Peter Kreeft with hundreds of other men, including a group from our parish. Registration is \$45/person. For more information call 703-841-2550 or visit the following website: familylife@arlingtondiocese.org

2013 ARLINGTON DIOCESAN WOMEN'S CONFERENCE, "Encountering Jesus, Responding with Love", will be Saturday, March 9, 2013, St. Joseph Catholic Church, Herndon, VA, 9:15 a.m. – 2:15 p.m. and **3-DAY WOMEN'S RETREAT**, will be on March 21-24, 2013, at San Damiano Retreat Center, White Post, VA. Contact Office for Family Life at 703-841-2550 or visit arlingtondiocese.org/retreatforwomen. Registration for the Conference is March 7th, and the 3-day Retreat is February 22nd. See flyer in church foyer.



2013 CALENDARS, compliments of our Missionhurst Fathers and Clore English Funeral Home, are available in the church foyer.