

"The one who plants and the one who waters are equal, and each will receive wages in proportion to his labor.

For we are God's co-workers, you are God's field, God's building."

September 5, 2021

1 Cor 3:8-9



OUR LADY of GOOD COUNSEL
CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Administered by the Oblates of St. Francis de Sales

Mass Schedule

Mon-Sat - 8:30am, holidays are at 9am

Saturday Vigil 4pm

Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am,

12pm (en español), 5:00pm

Office Hours Mon - Fri 9am - 4:30pm,

closed 12-12:30pm for lunch

Chapel open for prayer Mon - Fri 9am - 5pm

Confessions Saturdays 9-9:30am or by appt

Join the Parish www.olgcva.org/register

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www.olgcva.org/about-us/facilities

Add Item to Bulletin/Media

www.olgcva.org/about-us/communications

Mass Intention Request

www.olgcva.org/liturgy-worship/devotions/mass

- Pastor** Rev. Matthew Hillyard, OSFS.....frhillyard@olgcva.org
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Moving Forward Together in the Service of God
Avanzando Juntos en el Servicio de Dios

Welcome to Our Lady of Good Counsel

We, as members of Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish, strive to witness to the Good News of Jesus Christ by proclaiming our faith, educating ourselves and our children, sharing our persons, resources and gifts in the care and service of one another. We are called to foster an environment of hospitality in accordance with the Spirituality of St. Francis de Sales.

Mass Intentions/Intenciones de la Misa

Saturday September 4, Vigil / Sunday September 5, 2021

Presiders Fr Metzger, Fr Kumar, Fr Hillyard, Fr Hillyard, Fr Extejt Brian Beatty

+ Justino Samson

+ Austin Lowe

+ Anthony B. Jung

+ Mark Manalo

Monday, September 6, 2021—Presider Fr Hillyard

9:00am For All Working Men & Women

Tuesday, September 7, 2021—Presider Fr Kumar

8:30am + John F. Meehan

Wednesday, September 8, 2021—Presider Fr Kumar

8:30am + Catherine Howard Hoosier

Thursday, September 9, 2021—Presider Fr. Metzger

8:30am + Sr. Margaret McGonigle

Friday, September 10, 2021—Presider Fr. Metzger

8:30am For All Living and Deceased Service Members

Saturday, September 11, 2021—Presider Fr Hillyard

8:30am + June Taylor

Sat. September 11, Vigil / Sunday September 12, 2021

Presiders Fr Hillyard, Fr Hillyard, Fr Metzger, Fr Celso, Fr Extejt

+ Stephanie Garcia

+ Saxon-Zdancewicz Families

+ Theresa M. Bruno

+ Mr. & Mrs. Dinka

+ Lynn & Paul Kowal

Please keep the deceased in your prayers Manuel Jofre, cousin of Juana Lourdes Jofre; William H. Emerson, Jr., father of Billy Emerson and grandfather of Amanda, Haley & William; and Paul O'Hop.

OLGC Funerals: www.olgcva.org/liturgy-worship/funerals.

Weekly Prayer of Faithful: www.olgcva.org/liturgy-worship.

Book of Prayer Intentions: Names can be added to our book of intentions located in the Church and please pray for those in the book.

Devotional Candles: www.olgcva.org/liturgy-worship/.

Church - In Loving Memory of Christine Johnson

Chapel - Special intention for Michael Sicola

Our Lady - Special intention for Frances Sicola

Readings for the Week/Lecturas de la Semana

Readings for the Week of September 5, 2021

Sunday

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 35:4-7a; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10; Jas 2:1-5;

Mk 7:31-37

Monday

Col 1:24—2:3; Ps 62:6-7, 9; Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday

Col 2:6-15; Ps 145:1b-2, 8-9, 10-11; Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday

Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6ab, 6c;

Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23

Thursday

Memorial of Saint Peter Claver, Priest

Col 3:12-17; Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 6:27-38

Friday

1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14; Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 11;

Lk 6:39-42

Saturday

1 Tm 1:15-17; Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7;

Lk 6:43-49

Sunday

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 50:4c-9a; Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9;

Jas 2:14-18; Mk 8:27-35

Wedding Banns

No Weddings at this time.

Weekly & Second Collections drop off in boxes in Narthex, parish office, mail, use QR Code or give online via Faith Direct membership.faithdirect.net/VA875 or Text \$ amount to **703.810.7674**. Thank you for your support.

Sep 2020 [Facility Improvement Offering](#)

Sep 05, 2020 [Catholic University](#)

Sep 12, 2020 [Religious Education CCF](#)

Sep 19, 2020 [Special Kids Special Needs](#)

July Monthly Collections

Fiscal Year July 2021—June 2022

Offertory 154,804.22

Total Budgeted 170,616.00

Variance (15,811.78)

YTD Received 154,804.22

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Variance (15,811.78)



Scan QR Code to donate online

Quote of the week: "Perfection does not lie in avoiding the world, but in not clinging to it." – St. Francis de Sales
Cita de la semana: "La perfección no radica en evitar el mundo, sino en no aferrarse a él". - San Francisco de Sales

Mark your
calendar



MONDAY SEPTEMBER 6

Labor Day Holiday-No School & Offices Closed

Holiday Mass 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM Church

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 7

CCF Parent Mtg. (Elem & JH) 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Zoom

K - Gr 2 Back To School Night-Virtual 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Music Ministry (Hemmingson) 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM Church

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 8

School Mass 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM Church

BS 976 Mtg 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM School-Counsel Rm

Music Ministry (Jones) 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Church

RCIA Catechumenate 7:30-9PM St Joseph Ctr-Brisson Rm

Small Faith Sharing 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM Zoom

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 9

Prayer Shawl Ministry 9:30-11AM St Joseph Ctr-Brisson Rm

CCF Parent Mtg. (Elem & JH) 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Zoom

Music Ministry (Hall) 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Church

Preschool Back To School Night-Virtual 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Rosary-Persecuted Christians 7:00 PM - 7:45 PM Virtual

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 10

Last Day To Register For CYO Track

GS Troop 50118 3:30-4:30 PM St Joseph Ctr-Brisson Rm

Open Mic Night 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM DeSales Hall

Serenata Choir Practice 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM Church

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 11

Elem CCF 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM School & Counsel Rm

Adult Co-Ed Softball Tournament & Picnic Field-Lower

Confessions 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM Reconciliation Room

Elem CCF 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM School & Counsel Rm

Baptisms 11:00 AM - 1:30 PM Church

Outreach Giving (CHO) 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM After Mass

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 12

Outreach Giving (CHO) 7:30 AM - 1:30 PM After Masses

Christ House Food Collection 9:30AM-1PM Parking Lot

Outreach Giving (CHO) 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM After Mass

Jr High CCF 6:15 PM - 7:45 PM School & Counsel Rm

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 13

Scantron Testing Gr3-7

Lamb Ctr Breakfast 6:45-7:00AM Parking Lot-Bell Tower

Little Rock Scripture Study 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM Zoom

Rosary Makers 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM St Joseph Ctr-Aviat Rm

Our Lady's Quilters 10:30AM-3PM St Joseph Ctr-Brisson Rm

Our Lady Quilters Rosary 11:30AM-12:30PM Mary's Garden

CYO Track & Field Practice 3- 4:30 PM Parking Lot & Fields

GS Troop 50198 4:15-5:45 PM St Joseph Ctr-Brisson Rm

Lector/EM Ministry Update 7-8:00 PM Church & Narthex

Drafts W/DeSales 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM DeSales Hall

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 14

Tuesday Bible Study 9:30-11:30AM DeSales Hall

Divorced/ Separated Ministry 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Zoom

Lector Training 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Chapel

Pastoral Council Mtg 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM DeSales Hall

Music Ministry (Hemmingson) 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM Church

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 15

School Mass 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM Church

Salesian Presentation 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Chapel

BS 976 Mtg 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM School-Counsel Rm

Music Ministry (Jones) 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Church

Salesian Presentation 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Chapel

RCIA Catechumenate 7:30-9PM St Joseph Ctr-Brisson Rm

Small Faith Sharing 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM Zoom

SVDP Mtg. 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM DeSales Hall

Men's Basketball 8:30 PM - 10:00 PM Fr Brisson Gym

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 16

Prayer Shawl Ministry 9:30-11AM St Joseph Ctr-Brisson Rm

Seasoned Citizens' Luncheon 12PM DeSales Hall

GS 50012 Troop Mtg. 3- 5 PM St Joseph Ctr-Brisson Rm

Music Ministry (Hall) 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Church

Rosary-Persecuted Christians 7:00 PM - 7:45 PM Virtual

Men's Basketball 8:30 PM - 10:00 PM Fr Brisson Gym

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 17

Last Day To Order Hot Lunch

Lamb Ctr Lunch 10-10:15 AM Parking Lot-Bell Tower

Serenata Choir Practice 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM Church

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 18

Elem CCF 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM School & Counsel Rm

Confessions 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM Reconciliation Room

Elem CCF 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM School & Counsel Rm

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 19

Jr High CCF 6:15 PM - 7:45 PM School & Counsel Rm

Are you following the church and school on Social Media?

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SCHOOL - [Facebook](#) @OLGCSchoolVA | [Twitter](#) @olgcschoolva | [Instagram](#) @olgcschoolva

YOUTH MINISTRY - [Facebook](#) @OLGCYouthMin | [Twitter](#) @olgcym | [Instagram](#) @olgcyouthministry

YouTube Channel - www.youtube.com/channel/UCjlaNF7IY4rWCgSVzVtDw



Parish Events & Updates

There is no School and the offices are closed Monday, September 6 for the Labor Day Holiday. Mass will be at 9am in the Church and then the Church will be closed.

On Wednesdays, the Parish 8:30am Mass will be in the Chapel and the School Mass will be celebrated in the Church. Unfortunately at this time only students and faculty are able to attend the School Mass. We ask parishioners to enter through the main doors of the Narthex as we will be using the side entrances for the students.

The Sunday 10am Mass and the Wednesday 8:30am School Mass are live-streamed. Participate virtually on our website www.olgcva.org/live or on our YouTube Channel www.youtube.com/channel/UCjlaNF7IIY4lrWCgSVzVtDw.

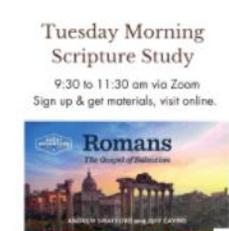
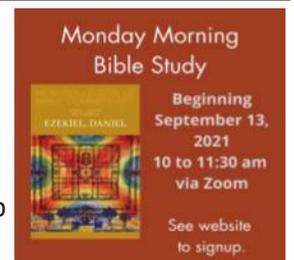
We ask you to prayerfully consider wearing a mask when attending Mass, including individuals fully vaccinated against COVID-19, as the number of COVID-19 cases continues to increase with the spread of the Delta variant, the number of breakthrough cases rising, and due to children under the age of 12 unable to be vaccinated.

CYO Fall Track & Field is back! Deadline: Fri. Sept 10th Join OLGC's award-winning Track & Field Team! Register online at www.olgcva.org/fellowship/athletics/track-field. OLGC School and CCF students 3rd through 8th grade. CCF students may participate in the meet even if they can't make the practices. Participate in a real meet - NVJCYO Track & Field Meet. Practices will be Mondays. The Track Meet will take place in late October/early November at Bishop O'Connell High School. For questions please contact Rachel McCarthy, rachelmccarthy2003@gmail.com.



OLGC Open Mic Night is back! Friday, September 10th 7—10pm It is scheduled for the 2nd Friday of every month (except during Lent - moved to 2nd Saturday). An open mic is a live show in which individuals perform on stage for up to 20 minutes. Performances can range with a variety of talents from poetry, acting, comedy, singing, playing instrumentals, or duo/trio bands. All ages are welcome to participate or come and enjoy. Light refreshments are served. See website for more details www.olgcva.org/news-post/~board/news/post/open-mic.

Monday Morning Little Rock Scripture Study - Ezekiel and Daniel to start Sept 13th! The books of Ezekiel and Daniel provide some of the most memorable stories and images of the Old Testament. Join the Monday Morning Little Rock Scripture Study from 10 am to 11:30 am via Zoom as they explore the Books of Ezekiel and Daniel in preparation for an exploration of the Book of Revelation next year. Sessions resume Monday, September 13th. For more information including a link to order materials, check out our website at www.olgcva.org/faith-formation/adults. To sign up or for any questions, please contact Mike Plett at mike.plett1@gmail.com.



Tuesday Morning Scripture Study—Romans: The Gospel of Salvation For the Fall semester, come and explore the Book of Romans: The Gospel of Salvation from Ascension Press. "This fascinating book reveals that salvation is not merely the removal of a guilty verdict; it is about entering into Christ's life, death, and resurrection and sharing in his divine life." This study begins with a Meet and Greet in DeSales Hall on Tues. Sept. 14th from 9:30 to 11:30 am and will continue to meet via Zoom in the weeks following. To purchase the Study Pack, please visit: <https://ascensionpress.com/products/romans-the-gospel-of-salvation-study-set>. To sign up or for any questions, please email Fran Davenport at bwdavenport@cox.net or call her at 703-242-7440 (home phone).



Divorced/Separated Catholic Ministry OLGC parishioner John R. Heard will be hosting a six-week program that addresses concerns of divorced or separated Catholic men and women. It offers much-needed support and helps to answer questions. The sessions will take place on Tuesdays 9/14 to 10/19 from 7 pm - 8:30 pm via Zoom. Topics include Prayer, Grief, Healing, Forgiveness, Letting Go, and Hope. Register by filling out this form www.olgcva.org/faith-formation/adults/divorcedseparated. Zoom details will be emailed to you after registration. Contact John Heard olgcds@gmail.com for more info. Texts to purchase are *The Joy of You: Your Life After Divorce* by W. E. Rabor and *Divorced. Catholic. Now What?* by L. Duffy & V. Frese

Parish Updates & Events

Seasoned Citizen Luncheon: Thurs. Sept. 16th 12noon Plans are in the works for the first luncheon for OLGC Seniors in a very, very long time. It's going to be "Cibo e Amici – Food and Friends", yes, an Italian theme that's always been a popular one during our gathering season. As always, it will be in DeSales Hall on Thursday, September 16th. Doors open at 12Noon. We are trying a new way to RSVP. Since many of you are used to SignUpGenius. Please use this link to RSVP www.signupgenius.com/go/30e044ea8a72ea7fc1-seasoned or email Heidi at Heidi.snyder@verizon.net or call/text her at 703.919.7382.



This will be a wonderful time for us to reconnect with one another with plenty of time for visiting, and hope you'll join us for the first of what we hope will be a full season of events.

Funeral Luncheon Volunteers: Our Martha Ministry of providing Funeral Luncheons is reemerging and evolving after a hiatus during the Covid crisis. Would you like to participate in this lovely ministry of service to the grieving? There are two ways you can serve; either baking or providing a dessert and volunteering to serve at the luncheon or both. Most funerals are held midday on weekdays with an occasional Saturday funeral. This ministry gives families some peace of mind at a time of sorrow and distress. OLGC will provide sandwiches, and vegetable and fruit platters for our guests. Please use this link to be added to our Funeral Luncheon Ministry Roster www.signupgenius.com/go/30e044ea8a72ea7fc1-funeral5.



We currently do not have any Masses available for intentions at OLGC for the rest of 2021. The Mass Intention book for 2022 will open in November. Consider a Mass intention or enrollment at the DeSales Ctr in Child. MD or a Devotional Candle. One of the Church's earliest traditions is to burn candles to offer prayers to God. To "light a candle for someone" indicates one's intention to say a prayer for another person, and the candle symbolizes that prayer. For a donation of \$25, you have the opportunity to have the candle burn for a week contact Maria Romero, welcome@olgcva.org, 703.896.7419 or use the buttons on this webpage www.olgcva.org/liturgy-worship/devotions.

Yearly Subscription of *The Word Among Us (WAW)*. It includes daily meditations based on the Mass readings of the Catholic Church, inspirational essays, testimonies, and stories of the saints and other Christian heroes! Subscribe for the year Oct. 2021 - Sept. 2022. It is also available in Spanish. The group subscription rate is \$20 per yearly subscription. Please make your check payable to OLGC and on the memo indicate WAW/Liturgy. Please complete the form, bring it or mail it with your payment to the office.



This year we will not be ordering copies of *The Word Among Us* to mail to parishioners. We ask that if you would like a mailed subscription, please order it directly from WAW. You may visit their website at <https://wau.org/renew/>, or you may call them at 1-800-775-WORD (9673). If you have any questions contact Maria Romero, welcome@olgcva.org, 703.896.7419.

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Please make your check payable to OLGC and on the memo indicate WAW / Liturgy.

Monthly Outreach Project: Grocery Gift Card Collection for the Committee of Helping Others (CHO) September 11 & 12th

**GROCERY
GIFT
CARDS**



Committee for Helping Others

simple, loving charity for the needy of
Vienna, Oakton, Dunn Loring, and Merrifield

Monthly Outreach Project

Sat. Sept 11th 3:30-5:30pm

Sun. Sept 12th 7:30am - 1:30pm & 4:30-6:30pm



This month we are collecting grocery gift cards for **The Committee for Helping Others (CHO)**. CHO is a local interfaith nonprofit that provides food, clothing, and emergency financial services to neighbors in need. CHO has organized a Christmas Store for over 50 years to bring its clients holiday food and cheer and has helped 150-240 families (700-800 individuals) each year for the last five years. Gifts to these individuals include grocery store gift cards, and OLCG has been a generous contributor in the past. We appreciate OLCG's support and look forward to thanking you in person on September 11-12th. Contact Anne Moran Hamisevicz, amoranelm@gmail.com with any questions.

This month we will be collecting:

- Gift cards to major local grocery stores: Giant, Safeway, Aldi, Lidl, and Walmart
- Monetary donations: Make checks payable to CHO

Donations will be accepted at the Bell Tower Circle and outside the church doors at all the Masses.

- Sat. Sept. 11, from 3:30 - 5 pm
- Sun. Sept. 12, from 7:30 am - 1 pm and 4:30 - 6 pm

Volunteer Background Checks & Training If you plan to volunteer for the upcoming school year with children, you need to fill out a request form: www.olgcva.org/outreach/serve/volunteer-children. If you have any questions please contact Christine Moan, Child Protection Liaison, cmoan@olgcva.org.

- CCF (Catholic Christian Formation)
- Children's Liturgy of the Word
- Coaching/Assistant Coaching
- OLCG School Volunteers
- Scouting (Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts & Girl Scouts)
- Youth Ministry



Cub Scout Pack 976 Join Scouting Night - Friday Sept. 10th

Cub Scout Pack 976 officially starts the 2021/22 year on Friday September 10th! Join us with your K-5th grader from 5pm - 8pm at Glyndon Park in Vienna. Bring a chair to enjoy some socially distanced food & drink! We are excited to welcome all of our returning families, new scouts, and those who are getting restarted! This is our first in pack event of the year (Join Scouting Night-JSN)! Please note mask are mandatory for all kids and are strongly encourage for all adults. We hope to see you there! Please email HaveyBT@gmail.com with any questions.

OLGC School www.olgcschool.org 703.938.3600

We're getting back into the swing of things at school!



Community & Diocesan Updates

Mass Honoring Military and First Responders The 6th Annual Mass Honoring Military & First Responders will be hosted by the Fr. Walter F. Malloy Assembly #1894 of the Knights of Columbus on Sunday, September 12, 2021, at 11 a.m. at St. Leo the Great Catholic Church (3700 Old Lee Hwy, Fairfax, VA), with the Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge, Bishop of Arlington, as Principal Celebrant and Homilist. All Military and First Responders are invited and encouraged to attend this Mass in dress uniform and with their families. Please RSVP to SK David J. Todd, Jr., PFN, at djtoddjr@gmail.com.

Catholic Relief Services The devastating earthquake and tropical storm that hit Haiti left many in need. Catholic Relief Services is coordinating assistance to those affected by this tragedy. If you would like to help please visit <https://www.crs.org/our-work-overseas/where-we-work/haiti>

How You Can Help Recently Arrived Afghan SIV Holders? As events in Afghanistan continue to unfold, Catholic Charities Migration and Refugee Services welcomes Afghan SIV holders (individuals who assisted US operations in Afghanistan) to Northern Virginia. If you are interested in assisting please email: lourdes.iglesias@ccda.net for more information. www.ccda.net/give-help/donate-goods-and-transportation/help-immigrants-and-refugees/

Do you have a used car
you can donate?

"WHEELS FOR WORK"



St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) has started a "Wheels for Work" initiative and is looking to partner with The Car Ministry in Falls Church to help them find cars, help pay for repairs, and get reliable cars to needy families. Reliable transportation is a key to maintaining employment. The current demand for used cars has priced them out of reach for many of those we are trying to help. If you have a good used car, even if it needs some repairs, please consider donating it to The Car Ministry. Contact SVDP at (703) 938-3210 or email us at svdepaul@olgva.org for more information.

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DeSales Weekly: A Thursday newsletter to aid readers to *Live Jesus!* How to integrate the sacred and the secular to make the ordinary events of our lives extraordinary by bringing virtue, grace, and Jesus to all we do. Visit website to subscribe <https://oblates.squarespace.com/desales-weekly#anchor>.

Spirituality Matters: Fr. Michael Murray, OSFS, of DeSales Spirituality Services offers wonderful insight on the readings and St. Francis de Sales interpretation of them. Visit website to read <https://oblates.squarespace.com/spirituality-matters>.

A Moment From De Sales: A blog by Fr. Richard R. DeLillio, OSFS, to help readers see the connection between life's everyday happenings and their growth in holiness. Visit website to read www.livetodaywell.org/.

We bring your attention to the new update from the CDC, Commonwealth, and Fairfax County and ask you to consider their latest recommendations when attending Mass at OLG. Based on updated guidance released by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) last week, the Fairfax County Health Department recommends that everyone, including individuals fully vaccinated against COVID-19, wear a mask in public indoor settings. As the number of COVID-19 cases continues to increase with the spread of the Delta variant, this recommendation is based on the Fairfax Health District moving from moderate level of COVID-19 transmission to substantial transmission. **All individuals in Virginia who are 12 or older are eligible to receive a free COVID-19 vaccine.** Appointments are available www.fairfaxcounty.gov/health/novel-coronavirus/vaccine.



Información Parroquial en español

Toda preguntas o sugerencias en español comuníquese con Maria Romero, Coordinadora de Bienvenida y/o Enlace con la comunidad de habla hispana, welcome@olgcva.org, 703.896.7419.

Registrarse en la Parroquia: Para recibir una carta de padrinos, preparación sacramental (bautismo, catequesis, matrimonio etc.), una carta de recomendación, una carta de inmigración o nuestros correos electrónicos semanales, es necesario estar registrado en la parroquia por lo menos tres meses, entre otros requisitos. Para registrarse en la parroquia, visite nuestro sitio web www.olgcva.org/register.

- **Sacramento de matrimonio:** Completar por lo menos 6 meses antes el formulario en el enlace siguiente <https://www.olgcva.org/sacraments/matrimony> o llamar al Sr. Hall 703-896-7111.
- **Sacramento del bautismo:** Para Bautismos de niños menores de 6 años y Charlas de padres y padrinos deben inscribirse de antemano, una vez completada esta y entregado los documentos requeridos le confirmaremos su fecha del bautizo. <https://www.olgcva.org/sacraments/baptism>.
- **Confesiones:** Durante el mes de septiembre las confesiones en español serán el sábado 11 de 9: a 9:30am y de lunes a jueves **únicamente con cita**. Puede llamar para hacer una cita con el Padre Mateo durante la semana al 703-938-2828 ext. 108. o envíe un correo electrónico a frhillyard@olgcva.org. No se escuchan confesiones los domingos en ninguna de las misas ni antes o después de la Misa.
- **Misas:** Puede ofrecer una misa en la parroquia, por fallecidos, en acción de gracias, en petición por la salud de alguien etc. la donación es de \$10.00 llame al 703-896-7419. Recuerde no se aceptan nombres los domingos. Debe reservar la misa de antemano. Velas del Santuario: Las velas están disponibles al lado del Tabernáculo en la iglesia y la capilla, y la vela azul al lado de la estatua de Ntra. Sra. del Buen Consejo. La vela se enciende durante una semana de domingo a sábado en memoria de un ser querido, una celebración de una intención especial. Las intenciones se publican en el boletín y la donación es de \$2500.
- **Formación de Fe/Catequesis:** para adultos, niños y bautismo de niños mayores de 6 años comunicarse con Guadalupe Saenz ccffofficeassist@olgcva.org - 703.896.7415 igualmente comuníquese con ella para inscribir los cursos de preparación bautismal para padres y padrinos y niños de preescolar a octavo grado para la catequesis del próximo año. ccffofficeassist@olgcva.org, 703.896.7415.
- **Asistencia:** Línea de asistencia 703.938.3210 o svdp@olgcva.org dejar un mensaje, alguien le regresará su llamada.
- **Rezar el Rosario:** Acompañemos en el jardín de Ntra. Sra. del Buen Consejo, los domingos a las 11:15am y los lunes a las 7:30pm vía Zoom. Comuníquese con Carlos Berrios berrioscg@gmail.com.
- **Departamento de Salud** del Condado de Fairfax, información sobre COVID-19 en español: 703.267.3511 <https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/covid19/spanish>.
- **Vacunas gratuitas para personas mayores de 12 años.** - No necesita hace cita, ni documento de identidad con fotografía ni un comprobante de domicilio. - Necesita documento para confirmar su nombre y la fecha de Nacimiento. Para preguntas o información llame a la parroquia de St. John Neumann con Celia Sandoval, Coordinadora hispana 703-860-8511 o Susan Infeld enfermera Parroquial, 703-390-234.
- **El Condado de Fairfax** Según la guía actualizada publicada por los Centros para el Control y la Prevención de Enfermedades (CDC) la semana pasada, el Departamento de Salud del Condado de Fairfax recomendó que todos, incluidas las personas completamente vacunadas contra COVID-19, usen mascarillas en entornos públicos cerrados. Dado que el número de casos de COVID-19 continúa aumentando con la propagación de la variante Delta, esta recomendación se basa en que el Distrito de Salud de Fairfax pasa de un nivel "moderado" de transmisión de COVID-19 a un nivel de transmisión "sustancial". <https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/covid19/spanish/blog/indoor-masking>
- **Voluntarios:** Estamos en necesidad de voluntarios ministros, lectores, ujieres y monaguillos en las misas, catequistas a partir de septiembre para enseñar en inglés, parejas para ayudar en la preparación del matrimonio y bautismo. Por favor considere donar su tiempo en uno de estos ministerios. Comuníquese al 703.896.7419.
- **Libro de Intenciones:** El libro de intenciones se encuentra en la entrada principal de la iglesia. El propósito de este libro es para pedir por nuestras intenciones personales, por los enfermos, por los que están vivos o fallecidos.



SEASONED CITIZENS LUNCHEON – This is the second call for the first luncheon of the 2021/22 season for OLGC Seniors, to be held on Thursday, September 16. It will be in DeSales Hall, where the doors will open at 12 Noon. The menu has an Italian theme, “Cibo e Amici” (Food and Friends), which means it will be a time for not only enjoying those delicious dishes from Italy but also visiting and catching up with your friends. The pandemic has done a number on us, for sure, and we’ve missed being able to relax and reconnect with those familiar faces. We hope you’ll come and ease back into the friendships you had in the past. RSVP online at the parish website www.olgcva.org or email Heidi.snyder@verizon.net or call/text 703-919-7382.

BEGIN SEPTEMBER WITH A SMILE – Let’s begin this new month with a little bit of fun. Someone sent this to me recently, and I’d like to share it with you. A 5th grade teacher in a Christian school asked her class to look at TV commercials and see if they could use them in 20 ways to communicate ideas about God. Here are some of the results.

God is: like Bayer Aspirin, He works miracles. Like Ford, He’s got a better idea. Like Coke, He’s the real thing. Like Hallmark Cards, He cares enough to send the very best. Like Tide, He gets the stains out others leave behind. Like General Electric, He brings good things to life. Like Walmart, He has everything. Like Alka Seltzer, try Him, you’ll like Him.

God Is: like Scotch Tape, you can’t see Him, but you know He’s there. Like Delta, He’s ready when you are. Like Allstate, you’re in good hands with Him. Like VO-5 Hair Spray, He holds through all kinds of weather. Like Dial Soap, aren’t you glad you have Him? Don’t you wish everybody did? Like the U.S. Postal Service, neither snow, nor rain, nor heat nor gloom of night keep Him from the swift completion of His appointed rounds. Like Chevrolet, He’s the heartbeat of America. Like Maxwell House, good to the very last drop. Like Bounty, He’s the quicker picker upper...can handle the tough jobs. And He won’t fall apart on you. Like the Energizer Bunny, He keeps going, going and going. The New York ad agencies who came up with slogans for all of these products never dreamed how clever fifth graders could be!

LOST WALLET WOES – Can’t remember where you left it last or, worse, think it might have been stolen, and tracing your steps turns up empty? Here’s what you should do. First thing, contact your card issuers and the bank if you have a debit card. If you contact your bank within two business days of the loss, you’re responsible for a maximum of \$50 in unauthorized purchases. After day 2 but before day 60, that liability jumps to up to \$500. Don’t delay! Secondly, submit a police report. Even if the police can’t recover your wallet, filing a report with them can help safeguard your identity. It serves as evidence of your being the victim of a crime and assists your card companies in their fraud investigation. Request a hard copy for your records.

Next, contact the credit reporting bureaus – Experian, TransUnion or Equifax – to put a free fraud alert on your account that can be in effect for 12 months. Another thing to do is to change your locks if you kept an extra key in your wallet. Next, obtain a new driver’s license. Contact the DMV to request a replacement license. If your license was stolen, you may be asked to provide a copy of the police report. Then contact your health insurer if your health insurance card was in your wallet. Request a new ID number to protect yourself from medical identity theft (yes, it’s a thing!) I write this from experience, remembering what we had to go through after my husband’s wallet was stolen while we were vacationing abroad.

Lastly, keep these precautions in mind. Never keep your Social Security card in your wallet. While the Social Security Administration may send you a new card, you likely won’t get a new number. Guard that number as if it were gold! Pare the contents of your wallet to only what you use regularly. That includes keeping your seldom-used credit cards at home. Inventory everything in your wallet and keep copies of cards to have your account and contact numbers on hand. Lastly, closely monitor your credit card and bank statements. If you notice any suspicious activity, immediately contact your card issuer

ELDER WISDOM – I miss the 90’s when bread was still good for us, and no one knew what kale was.

Come pray the rosary with Our Lady of Good Counsel. We will gather each Sunday in Mary’s Garden at 9:15am to pray the rosary in English and at 11:15am to pray the rosary in Spanish. All are welcome.





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