### November 14, 2021

**Confessions** Saturdays 9-9:30am or by appt



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Saturday Vigil 4pm	Schedule an Event
Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am,	www.olgcva.org/about-us/facilities
12pm (en español), 5:00pm	Add Item to Bulletin/Media
Office Hours Mon - Fri 9am - 4:30pm,	www.olgcva.org/about-us/communications
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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

Sat. Nov. 13 / Sun. Nov. 14—Presiders Fr Kumar, Fr Hillyard, Fr Jean Marie, Fr Kumar		
+ Mr. & Mrs. L. Anthony Lopez		
+ Rev. Fr. Donell Lowe		
+ Mary Hart		
+ Dr. Danilo Gutierrez Lee		
+ Joseph Lopez Monday, November 15, 2021 – Bresider Er Hillward		
Monday, November 15, 2021—Presider Fr Hillyard		
8:30am + Joseph Murphy		
Tuesday, November 16, 2021—Presider Fr Hillyard		
8:30am Brenda DeForest		
Wednesday, November 17, 2021—Presider Fr Metzger		
8:30am + Ethan Hart		
Thursday, November 18, 2021—Presider Fr Kumar		
8:30am Siu Family		
Friday, November 19, 2021—Presider Fr Kumar		
8:30am Laudie & Mary Buresh Family		
Saturday, November 20, 2021—Presider Fr Kumar		
8:30am The OLGC Community		
Sat. Nov. 20 / Sun. Nov. 21—Presiders Fr Kumar, Fr Extejt, Fr		
Metzger, Fr Hillyard, Fr Hillyard		
+ Ambrose Ramella		
+ Theresa M. Bruno		
+ Fernando Vicente Barrios		
+ Geneve Desmarais		

+ George Robert Lamb

Please keep those listed in the prayer intention book, Book of the Dead and the recently deceased in your prayers including Isaula Hernández Moran and Richard J. Wickham, Jr. brother of Tim Wickham.

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

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

**Devotional Candles:** <u>www.olgcva.org/liturgy-worship/</u>. Church - In Loving Memory of +Nestor Pino-Martinez Chapel - For the healing of Anselmo Senseng Our Lady - For the healing of Cindy Boyce

#### Readings for the Week/Lecturas de la Semana

Readings for the Week of November 14, 2021		
Sunday	Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	
	Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11; Heb 10:11-14,	
	18; Mk 13:24-32	
Monday	Saint Albert the Great	
	1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63; Ps 119:53, 61,	
	134, 150, 155, 158; Lk 18:35-43	
Tuesday	Saint Margaret of Scotland; Saint Gertrude	
	2 Mc 6:18-31; Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 19:1-10	
Wednesday	Memorial of Saint Elizabeth of Hungary	
	2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15;	
	Lk 19:11-28	
Thursday	The Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter	
	and Paul; Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne	
	1 Mc 2:15-29; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Lk 19:41-44	
	Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6;	
	Mt 14:22-33	
Friday	1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11abc,	
	11d-12a, 12bcd; Lk 19:45-48	
Saturday	1 Mc 6:1-13; Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19;	
	Lk 20:27-40	
Sunday	Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of	
	the Universe Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8;	
	Jn 18:33b-37	

#### Wedding Banns None at this time.

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

NOV 14, 2021	Retired Religious Fund
Nov 21, 2021	Camp for Human Development
Nov 25, 2021	Thanksgiving-St. Vincent de Paul

October Monthly Collections		
Fiscal Year July 2021—June 2022		
Offertory	184,962.88	
Total Budgeted	<u>223,270.00</u>	
Variance	(38,307.12)	
YTD Received	710,178.76	
Budget YTD	777,772.00	
Variance	(67,593.24)	



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Quote of the week: "We have a heart! Let us follow it. God doesn't make a mistake with his creation. He has laid treasures of love and tenderness in this heart, each according to the vocation he has called people to." -Bl. Louis Brisson Cita de la semana: "¡Tenemos corazón! Sigámoslo. Dios no se equivoca con su creación. Ha depositado en este corazón tesoros de amor

y ternura, cada uno según la vocación a la que ha llamado a las personas". -Beato Louis Brisson

## Calendar (Subject to change, see website for up to date schedule www.olgcva.org/about-us/calendar)

#### **SUNDAY NOVEMBER 14**

Christ House Food Collection 9:30AM-1PM SJC Parking Lot OLGC School Open House 10:30AM-1PM School/Preschool Nightlife 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM DeSales Hall

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

#### **MONDAY NOVEMBER 15**

Little Rock Scripture Study 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM Zoom Our Lady's Quilters 10:30 AM - 3:00 PM St JoesCtr-Brisson Altar Server Training 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM Church House/CYO BB-Practices 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM Fr. Brisson Gym Finance Council Mtg 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM DeSales Hall

#### **TUESDAY NOVEMBER 16**

Tuesday Bible Study 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM Zoom Technology Club-Group 1 3-4 PM Multimedia Center Shakespeare Club 3:15 PM - 4:30 PM DeSales Hall House/CYO BB-Practices 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM Fr. Brisson Gym Women's Book Study 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Zoom Youth Holy Hour 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Chapel Music Ministry (Hemmingson) 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM Church WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 17

School Mass (Rm 12 Host) 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM Church Salesian Presentation 10-11 AM Church & Recorded The Sacraments (Barron Series) 10-11 AM St. Joes Ctr Aviat Debate Club 3:15 PM - 4:30 PM School Multimedia Center YM Chess Club 3:45 PM - 4:30 PM Picnic Tables House/CYO BB-Practices 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM Fr. Brisson Gym BS 976 Mtg 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM School-Counsel Rm Music Ministry (Jones) 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Church The Sacraments (Barron Series) 7-8PM St. Joes Ctr - Aviat RCIA Catechumenate 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM St JoesCtr-Brisson

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 NOVEMBER 18** 

Technology Club-Group 2 School Multimedia Center Prayer Shawl Ministry 9:30–11 AM St Joseph Ctr-Brisson Seasoned Citizens' Luncheon 12PM - 2PM DeSales Hall GS 50012 Troop Mtg. 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM Offsite House/CYO BB-Practices 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM Fr. Brisson Gym CS 976 Wolf Den Mtg. 6:30-8:30 PM School-Counsel 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 NOVEMBER 19** 

Lamb Ctr Lunch 10-10:15 AM Parking Lot-Bell Tower Battle Of The Books Meeting 3-4 PM Multi-media Center House/CYO BB-Practices 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM Fr. Brisson Gym Serenata Choir Practice 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM Church

#### **SATURDAY NOVEMBER 20**

CYO BB-Games 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM Fr. Brisson Gym Confessions 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM Reconciliation Room Altar Server Training 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM Church CS 976 Rocket Launch 9:30 AM - 3:30 PM Field-Lower Funeral: Jeanne L. Ryan 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Chapel KofC Christmas Card Sales 4-5:30 PM Outside of Church RCIA Sacraments Of Initiation 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM Church RCIA Reception 5-7 PM St Joseph Ctr-Brisson Rm YM Homeless Campout 6:00 PM - 11:55 PM DeSales

### Monthly Outreach Project: Thanksgiving Dinner Baskets Dinner drop off is Tuesday, November 23rd

#### This month's outreach drive is the 8th Annual Thanksgiving Dinner

Drive. In these unprecedented times, our dedication to these local families is greatly appreciated. Last year, with the extraordinary generosity of the OLGC community, we provided 252 Thanksgiving Dinners. Due to the ongoing impact of the pandemic, we will continue to support four local Fairfax County Public Schools and OLGC's Society of St. Vincent DePaul. What makes the dinner drive so special is that each basket is unique to the family that creates the box. Please use this SignUpGenius link to signup to



provide a dinner and for details of what should be in the basket www.signupgenius.com/go/30e044ea8a72ea7fc1olgcs. Volunteers are also needed on Tuesday to collect and deliver. As a reminder:

- All Thanksgiving Dinner baskets will be for a family of 6. •
- Please include a \$25 Walmart gift card so they can purchase a turkey and other fresh items. A \$25 card is • recommended, but additional cards, in \$25 increments, can be donated to help support the family's needs.
- We are asking all donor families to use plastic Tubberware bins, laundry hampers, etc. to collect their food. ٠
- OPTIONAL add your family's favorite Thanksgiving dish. We are encouraging donor families to add a family recipe, with all the ingredients, to pass along their traditions to another family.
- Basket drop-off is scheduled for Tuesday 11/23 and a detailed description of the time and procedures will be emailed • out to all the participants. Please email Meg Gillespie mmgillespie@fcps.edu if you are unable to drop-off on Tuesday.

### Parish Updates & Events



#### School Open House: Sun. Nov. 14th 10:30am-1pm Take a tour of our school and facilities and meet some of our current school parents and students. Speak with our dynamic, experienced teachers and observe the safe and secure environment we offer. OLGC students score well above the diocesan averages in all areas including math, reading and language arts. There will be a presentation by the Principal at 11:30am. Registration opens on Monday, November 15, 2021, and openings fill quickly. Visit our Admissions webpage www.olgcschool.org/admissions.

**The Ministry of Altar Servers:** Altar Servers assist the priest and, in particular, lead the Opening and Closing Processions, assist with the Ritual Binder, prepare the vessels and altar at Mass. Servers are also needed at funerals and weddings. The role of server is integral to the normal celebration of the Mass.

All young men and women, grade 3 through 8 are invited to become an altar server. Servers should be mature enough to understand their responsibilities and to carry them out well and with appropriate reverence. They should have already received 1st Holy Communion and usually receive the Eucharist whenever they participate in the liturgy. Servers are prepared for this ministry

through initial training and on-going formation offered in the parish. Training will take place on Mon. Nov. 15 at 3:30pm and on Sat. Nov 20 at 9:30am in the Church. Only one session is required and at least one parent must attend. Please register as a server <a href="https://tinyurl.com/OLGCaltarserver">https://tinyurl.com/OLGCaltarserver</a> and sign up for a training session <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E044EA8A72EA7FC1-altar">www.signupgenius.com/OLGCaltarserver</a> and sign up for a training session <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E044EA8A72EA7FC1-altar">www.signupgenius.com/OLGCaltarserver</a> and sign up for a training session <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E044EA8A72EA7FC1-altar">www.signupgenius.com/OLGCaltarserver</a> and sign up for a training session <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E044EA8A72EA7FC1-altar">www.signupgenius.com/</a> go/30E044EA8A72EA7FC1-altar</a>. Contact: Gerard Hall <a href="mailto:ghall@olgcva.org">ghall@olgcva.org</a>, 703.896.7411.

Mass Intentions for 2022: Beginning Monday, November 15th at 9am, we will accept Mass intentions for 2022. Because of the limited number of Masses celebrated at OLGC and the overwhelming requests for Mass intentions every year, each household is limited to <u>3 intentions</u> for Masses celebrated at OLGC. There are however unlimited intentions for Masses celebrated by the Oblates at the DeSales Center Residence in Childs, MD. The suggested donation is \$10 per Mass.

For Weekend Masses in 2022, there will be 5 Mass intentions per weekend. The intentions will be announced at the beginning of all weekend Masses. The intentions are not assigned to particular Masses. Intentions for Daily Mass will remain at 8:30am and during Lent at the 12:10pm Mass. Masses on federal holidays are at 9:00am.

Requests will be handled on a first-come-first-served basis.

Mass intention request forms will be available:

- on the <u>website to be printed</u>
- through an <u>online form</u> starting on November 15<sup>th</sup> at 9am
- in-person requests will be accepted on November 15<sup>th</sup> at 9am in DeSales Hall in order to ensure physical distancing

After November 15<sup>th</sup>, requests will be accepted in the Administration Office. For more information, please contact Maria Romero at 703-896-7419 or <u>welcome@olgcva.org</u>.

# Masonry Repair Project Updates

**Construction Update:** The project started Mon. Nov. 8th. Please note that safety is the first priority on the job site. The bell town circle is fenced off, the sidewalk is accessible, and the bells have been turned off until December 21st. Mass attendees can be dropped off near the handicap spaces near the Chapel or in the Preschool parking lot. <u>Updates will be provided on the website</u>.



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**Laudato Si - Care for our Common Home:** The earth's resources are being plundered because of short-sighted approaches to the economy, commerce and production. The loss of forests and woodlands entails the loss of species which may constitute extremely important resources in the future, not only for food but also for curing disease and other uses. Different species contain genes which could be key resources in the years ahead for meeting human needs and regulating environmental problems. Q: Have you considered planting a pollinator garden to attract valuable insects such as butterflies and bees? Contact Jack Dausman jack@leadershipbynumbers.com.





Dining for Dollars Fri. & Sat. Nov 19th & 20th 11am - 10pm

312 Maple Avenue W. Vienna, VA Mention OLGC when ordering for dine-in or carry out and we will receive a percentage of sales.

Visit <u>www.olgcva.org/live</u> or go to our <u>YouTube Channel</u>

**OLGC 20th Annual Golf Classic**: Thank you to our Sponsors, Golfers, Volunteers, and Friends who made the 20th Annual OLGC Golf Classic a HUGE SUCCESS! Thank you most especially to Robin and Greg Bernhard for their tireless efforts as our Golf Chairs. The sun was shining bright for our special day of fellowship, sportsmanship, and fun. We are overwhelmed by the generosity of our community and thrilled to have had the opportunity to come together to support Tuition Assistance for OLGC School. Congratulations to all of our winners and thank you again for joining us! See more photos at <u>olgcviennava.smugmug.com/Parish/2021-Golf/</u>.



1st place winners Greg Bernhard, Paul Maggiano, Barton Bishop, Craig Gavin

2nd place winners David Wiley, Tom Ulrich, Brian Plombon & William Arendt

**Thank you to our wonderful Family Flag Sponsors:** Bernhard Family, Kinyon Family, Flanigan Family, (Tom & Rachel) McCarthy Family, Plombon Family, Wiley Family, Desmarais Family, Jopp Family, Antonino Family, Robb Family, Matta Family, Dinn Family, Anonymous for The Jewett Family, Flores-Hernandez Family, Partridge Family, McVey Family, Dragisich Family, Anonymous for The Williams Family, and Anonymous for The Bliven Family. Your support is amazing!!!

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Did you know that Tommy Miossi, OLGC Parish Receptionist plays soccer and basketball for Special Olympics? Last weekend his GMU soccer team "Gold Rush" won gold in the Virginia Beach tournament. Tommy is in the middle with the sunglasses. Congratulations Tommy & his team!



#### Support OLGC and its organizations while shopping for Christmas!



**Ornaments & Advent Candles:** The OLGC Parish Office is selling the White House Historical Association's 2021 Official White House Christmas Ornament commemorates the presidency of Lyndon Baines Johnson. Also the cloisonne and clay Our Lady of Good Counsel Ornaments for \$10, and Advent candles for \$5. Last year's

Official 2020 White House Christmas Ornaments honoring John Fitzgerald Kennedy \$20. Check, cash & credit card accepted, stop by parish office M-F 9am - 4:30pm or call 703.938.2828 or email Maria Romero welcome@olgcva.org. If Sunday Welcome Desk is staffed you can purchase there as well.

**Christmas Wreaths:** OLGC's Boy Scout Troop 976 will be selling festive Christmas wreaths before and after all Masses on December 4th & 5th. The beautiful greenery is fresh from a Maryland farm and the proceeds help keep dues accessible for many boys. Wreaths are \$28 each. Online orders are being accepted and contactless delivery by a Scout if you live in the OLGC area (~ 5 mile radius) for pre-orders again this year. Wreaths usually sell out, so don't delay! If you order ahead, you can pick up your wreath at our stand in the parking lot before or after Masses on Dec. 4th or 5th. To order, visit <a href="https://www.olgc976.org/node/5763">https://www.olgc976.org/node/5763</a>.





**Boon Supply Co. Fundraiser** Get a head start on holiday shopping with the OLGC PTO. After great success last year, we are again offering hundreds of eco-friendly, waste-free products to purchase for your own use or to give as gifts. Boon Supply has added hundreds of additional products. From kitchen gadgets to electronics accessories and candles to eco-friendly cleaning products, there is something for everyone on your list. OLGC PTO will receive an amazing 40% of the profit from items sold. Check out the direct link to the OLGC online catalog right here www.boonsupply.com/1144518. Happy shopping! Last day to order is December 17th!

Christmas Cards: The Knights of Columbus are selling Christmas cards and magnets. Send religious Christmas cards this year and remind everyone that Christmas is about celebrating the birth of Jesus. All profits are donated to support seminarians as they conduct their studies. Help the Knights support this worthy cause. Place your order online at <a href="https://kofc4654.square.site/">https://kofc4654.square.site/</a> and cards will be delivered to your home. Knights will also be selling outside after Masses the weekend of Nov 20 & 21st. There are limited quantities. If you have any questions, email grandknight4654@knightsvienna.org.



Please visit the link provided here or go to the Mabel's Labels website and be sure to click on the "Support a Fundraiser" tab and enter Our Lady of Good Counsel School (VIENNA). Happy labeling <a href="https://mabelslabels.com/en\_US/fundraising/support/">https://mabelslabels.com/en\_US/fundraising/support/</a>.





### Youth Ministry High School Students Derek Rogers youth@olgcva.org

Friends are welcome to all events! Check out all events and register to be on the email list at <u>www.olgcva.org/faith-formation/children-youth/youth-ministry</u>. Sunday Nightlife after 5pm Mass in DeSales Hall or other weekend excursions, see calendar and website for details.

### OLGC School Preschool-8th grade <u>www.olgcschool.org</u> 703.938.3600

Congratulations to Mrs. Bourne's First Grade! They won our pumpkin decorating contest and received their prizes from the Student Council.







## Community & Diocesan Updates

**St. Paul VI Catholic High School, 42341 Braddock Rd, Chantilly is hosting it's fifth annual Sip and Shop on Wednesday, November 17 from 6-8 p.m.** Get a jump start on your holiday shopping with vendors featuring hand-made crafts, jewelry and cookies to your favorites Pampered Chef, Discovery Toys and 31 bags and see the new school. Please join us for an evening of fellowship, shopping and supporting local businesses! <u>www.paulvi.net/News-Detail?pk=1201989</u>

The Saint John Neumann Racial Justice Ministry invites you to a Service of Prayer and Reflection on Racial Justice on Wednesday, November 17 at 7 PM. This prayer service, "Create in Me a Clean Heart, O Lord!" follows the Lament Prayer Service held in May. This is an opportunity for us as a community and individuals to reflect on and repent racial injustice in our country, our Church, and even ourselves. We can seek forgiveness and move forward in hope and action seeking God's healing for our community and ourselves. The service will be held in person in the church & live-streamed. No reservation is required. Live stream link is <a href="https://boxcast.tv/view/create-in-me-a-clean-heart-o-lord-305732">https://boxcast.tv/view/create-in-me-a-clean-heart-o-lord-305732</a>.

**Prospective Teacher Information Sessions** Meet with school representatives to explore teaching in one of the diocesan schools serving 18,000 students. Register at <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/aWU5LzKH43">https://forms.office.com/r/aWU5LzKH43</a>. In person session will be held on Monday, November 15 and virtual sessions on Wednesday, November 17 and Thursday, November 18.

**Bishop O'Connell Theatre presents "Radium Girls," on stage Nov. 19-21.** Showtimes are Friday, Nov. 19 at 7:00 PM, Saturday, Nov. 20 at 2:00 PM and 7:00 PM, and Sunday, Nov. 21 at 2:00 PM. For ticket information and more visit <u>bishopoconnell.org/theatre</u>. Bishop O'Connell is located at 6600 Little Falls Rd. in Arlington.

**Gonzaga College High School invites you to their Open House Sun. Nov. 21st from 10am—2pm.** As Washington, DC's only Jesuit high school, Gonzaga blends education with conscience to help young men develop strength of faith, intellect, and character. Learning inside and outside the classroom - including learning that deeply engages the world beyond the campus - prepares young men for college success and for lives of integrity, purpose, and service to others. Come find out more! Learn more at <u>Gonzaga.org/Admissions</u>

Bishop Burbidge invites you and your family to join him for Solemn Vespers with Exposition and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament inaugurating Preparation Year I of the Diocesan Golden Jubilee. Vespers will take place at 4:00 pm on Sunday November 21, 2021 the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. The Cathedral of Saint Thomas More, Arlington, Virginia.

### Información Parroquial en español

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

• El domingo 29 de noviembre se inició el Adviento, período que termina el 24 de diciembre, en la víspera de la

**Navidad.** El Adviento consiste en una preparación espiritual para la Navidad, así como la preparación del creyente para la segunda venida de Cristo. El Adviento marca el inicio del año litúrgico en el cual es la organización de los diversos tiempos y solemnidades durante el año. Durante el Adviento es tradicional que los fieles tengan en sus hogares las denominadas "Coronas de Adviento", coronas de ramas y flores con cuatro velas, una por cada semana. Tradicionalmente las familias cristianas rezan todos los domingos alrededor de estas y encienden la vela correspondiente como parte de su preparación.

• Navidad: Tenemos en la oficina parroquial y en el centro de bienvenida después de la misa los adornos navideños de la Casa Blanca por \$25, los adornos de la parroquia por \$10 y las velas de Adviento por \$5.



• Libro de los difuntos Se le anima a inscribir el nombre de

sus seres queridos que hayan fallecido. Recordaremos todos los nombres en la Oración de los Fieles.

• Mesa para recordo Coloque una fotografía de un ser querido fallecido, en la Mesa del Recuerdo ubicada en el atrio de la iglesia. La mesa permanecerá todo el mes de noviembre.

• **Confesiones:** Durante el mes de noviembre las confesiones en español serán los sábados 6 y 27 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 <u>frhillyard@olgcva.org</u>. No se escuchan confesiones los domingos en ninguna de las misas ni antes o después de la Misa.

• **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 6 meses, entre otros requisitos. Para registrase en la parroquia, visite nuestro sitio web <u>www.olgcva.org/register</u>.

• Formación de Fe/Catequesis: para adultos, niños y bautismo de niños mayores de 6 años comunicarse con Guadalupe Saenz <u>ccfofficeassist@olgcva.org</u> - 703.896.7415 igualmente comuníquese con ella para inscribir niños de preescolar a octavo grado para la catequesis.

• Sacramento de matrimonio: Completar por lo menos 6 meses antes el formulario en el enlace siguiente <u>https://</u>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, <u>https://www.olgcva.org/sacraments/baptism</u> una vez completada esta y entregado los documentos requeridos le confirmaremos su fecha del bautizo. Igualmente se puede comunicar con Maria Romero al 703.896.7419 o <u>welcome@olgcva.org</u>.

• Línea de asistencia 703.938.3210 ó 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 <u>berrioscg@gmail.com</u>.

• 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. <u>https://</u> www.fairfaxcounty.gov/covid19/spanish/blog/indoor-maskin.

• **COVID:** Por favor, no venga a las instalaciones si está enfermo o ha estado cerca de alguien que está enfermo. Le pedimos por favor consideren usar sus mascarillas cuando asista a misa, incluyendo las personas completamente vacunadas contra COVID-19, dado que el número de casos de sigue aumentando con la propagación de la variante Delta. Les recordamos que los niños menores de 12 años no pueden ser vacunados, por caridad hagamos todos lo posible para protegerlos.

• 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) 390-2349.

### Senior Moments: Marge Van Lierde, <u>Gitkagirl@gmail.com</u>, 571.831.3951



#### SEASONED CITIZENS

LUNCHEON – This is the last call for "Thankful Thursday," this month's luncheon for OLGC seniors to be held on Thursday, November 18, in De Sales Hall. RSVP by Mon. Nov 15th. Register online



using this link <u>www.signupgenius.com/</u> go/30e044ea8a72ea7fc1-thursday1 or visit

www.olgcva.org click "View All News" button or you may also email Dagny at <u>seasonedcitizens@olgcva.org</u> or call 703-281-5525. "Lunch will feature traditional Thanksgiving food you'll be sure to enjoy! The luncheon is free. The Book Swap Table will be up and running once again too! If you wish, bring <u>no more than five</u> books (nothing else, please!) to donate to the table; feel free to take home 2 or 3 others that may interest you.

ALL-YOU-CARE TO-EAT BREAKFASTS - The American Legion Auxiliary (ALA) has resumed having its all-you-careto-eat breakfast buffet on the third Sunday of most months. The next one will be on November 21. It's held from 8 am-Noon in the Banquet Hall at American Legion Dver-Gunnell Post 180, located at 330 Center St., N. in Vienna. Adults pay \$10 at the door, and children are \$4. Breakfast consists of made-to-order omelets, scrambled eggs, pancakes, biscuits and sausage gravy, bacon, sausage, and fruit. Orange juice, Mimosas, and coffee are also offered. This event is open to the public. Please call 703-409-3564 for reservations for parties over 8. The next breakfast will be next Sunday, November 21. This is, by far, the biggest bargain in Fairfax County! If you haven't attended in the past, give it a try...you'll be surprised to see many people there that you know!

**BETTER CARE GUIDE: THE PHONE COMPANY** – This week's tip is about how to deal with the phone company. Select "cancel service" as a last resort if you fail to get through when you call the customer service line. "That'll take you straight to a group that has higher levels of authority. Once you're in contact with someone there, you don't have to cancel service. Still, you'll have a better chance of directly reaching someone who can help you," says Brad Cleveland, a senior adviser to the International Customer Management Institute.

Ask to speak to a supervisor. If the first person you reach won't pass you through, hang up and call back. You'll likely get a different representative. Establish a connection by asking customer service reps if they have a direct number or another way that you can reach them in the future. That'll keep you from having to start all over if you need to call back. "When you get someone who knows what they're doing, it's amazing how helpful they can be," he notes. We've all had those frustrating experiences of trying to get through to talk to a real person about a business matter and being unable to do it, so this tip will prove to be helpful.

**SPOTTING IMPOSTER SCAMS** - Here are a few common scenarios to look out for and what you can do to avoid them. #1 is Family Imposters. Scammers may hack social media accounts to impersonate a relative in need. The message is usually from a "family member" asking you for money ASAP. Before sending any money, always call your relative to confirm their actual situation.

#2 involves Financial Imposters. Someone may call you from your bank, who already knows some of your personal information, asking for your access code. Scammers can spoof their caller ID number and use bits of your personal information to convince you to reveal your access code and steal your money. Don't ever share your temporary access codes or PIN with anyone who calls you unexpectedly. Your bank of the government will never ask you for this information.

#3 involves Refund Imposters. You'll get a call from an online company about a "refund" for something you don't remember. Scammers often impersonate well-known retail and tech support companies to access your personal device or bank account. Never give control of your device to a stranger. Never send money to anyone claiming to be from companies asking for payment or offering a refund for something you didn't order.

Scamming continues to rise, and because seniors are the most vulnerable victims, it's important to be cautious whenever you receive a call like those listed above or something similar. It's really important to stay aware, and you have all the power to end it by simply hanging up!

**MEET ME AT THE MOVIES** – "Harriet" is the next film to be shown at the Bow Tie Cinema in Reston Town Center on Wednesday, November 17 (note date change due to holiday). This is an extraordinary tale of Harriet Tubman's escape from slavery and transformation into one of American's greatest heroes. Her courage, ingenuity, and tenacity freed hundreds of slaves and changed the course of history. Doors open at 9:15 am; park in the green garage, voucher available for free parking in the theatre lobby. Free refreshments; door prizes are distributed before the movie begins at 10 am.

**ELDER WISDOM** – Loss brings gratitude.







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