

## THE ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT / YEAR C

### Entrance Antiphon

Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her.  
Be joyful, all who were in mourning; exult and be satisfied at her consoling breast. (Is 66:10-11)

Entrance Hymn..... *This Is the Time of Fulfillment*..... #472

Penitential Rite ..... *Kyrie eleison* ..... #205  
(12 pm & Sun. 5 pm) *Lord, have mercy from Black Mountain Liturgy*..... #266

Reading I.....Joshua 5:9a, 10-12

Responsorial Psalm..... Psalm 34: *Taste and see* .....#1038  
(12 pm & Sun. 5 pm) Psalm 34: *Taste and see*..... #945

Reading II..... 2 Corinthians 5:17-21

Gospel Acclamation..... *Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ*.....Russell J. Weismann



(12 pm & Sun. 5 pm) from *Storrington Mass*..... #259

Gospel..... Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

Preparation of the Gifts..... *Amazing Grace!* ..... #650  
(10 am) *Greater Love Hath No Man*..... John Ireland  
(12 pm & Sun. 5 pm) *Now We Remain*..... #764

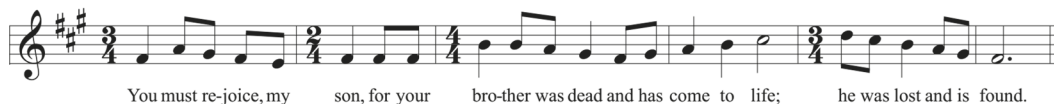
Preface Acclamation..... *Sanctus from Cantus Missae* ..... #304  
(12 pm & Sun. 5 pm) *Holy, Holy, Holy from Storrington Mass*..... #260

Memorial Acclamation ..... *We proclaim your death from Mass in Honor of Saint Ignatius*..... inside back cover  
(12 pm & Sun. 5 pm) *We proclaim your death from Storrington Mass*..... #261

Great Amen.....from *Mass in Honor of Saint Ignatius* ..... inside back cover  
(12 pm & Sun. 5 pm) from *Storrington Mass*..... #264

Breaking of the Bread ..... *Agnus Dei from Cantus Missae*..... #311  
(12 pm & Sun. 5 pm) *Lamb of God from Storrington Mass* ..... #265

Communion Antiphon ..... Lk 15:32: *You must rejoice, my son* .....Russell J. Weismann



Hymn of Thanksgiving ..... *Yes, I Shall Arise* ..... #964  
(10 am) *Jesus, So Lowly* .....Harold Friedell  
(12 pm) *Make of Our Hands a Throne* ..... Steve Warner

10:00 am Marian Antiphon..... *Ave Regina caelorum*

Concluding Hymn ..... *Our Father, We Have Wandered* ..... #963  
(12 pm & Sun. 5 pm) *All Are Welcome* ..... #833

**MUSIC AND LITURGY NOTES**

In 1973, an experiment was conducted at the Colorado Woman's College in Denver to determine how different styles of music affect plants. Using the school's biotronic control chambers, the researchers placed plants in identically controlled chambers along with speakers through which they played music. Their results are published in the book, *The Sound of Music and Plants*. It is a really interesting read and opens up a lot of questions on music's effect as an art form through nature. What I find most compelling in the book are the examples of the kinds of music that either killed plants or stunted their growth compared with the kinds of music that caused the plants to grow, and even, in some cases, wrap their leaves around the speakers. Sorry to say, but in the chambers where rock music was played, the plants either died, or at least bent away from the speakers. Alternatively, in the chamber where specifically the organ music of J.S. Bach was played, the plants flourished and grew strong, even bending towards the speakers, and in one case, wrapping around them. Other forms of "positive music" (tonal classical music, chant, and indigenous Indian music, to name a few) also garnered similar healthy results in the plants. This is just a small overview of the experiment, but I mention it so that you can better appreciate the organ prelude at the 10:00 am Mass this Sunday.

The prelude will be J.S. Bach's monumental setting of *Vater unser im Himmelreich* (*Our Father in Heaven*), the German musical setting of the Lord's Prayer. Positive music has beneficial qualities that can uplift our emotions and spirits. It is also mentally stimulating and can offer healing attributes to our physical body and mind, as well. For J.S. Bach, music was prayer. After every piece that he composed, he wrote the words "Soli Deo Gloria" (To God alone be glory) after the last note. Perhaps this invocation of a higher power caused the plants to react pleasingly to his music. In *Vater unser im Himmelreich*, Bach demonstrates his mastery of music by writing the melody of the Lord's Prayer in complete canon between the left and right hand. Against a ground of persistent bass notes and two other musical lines played in the hands to adorn the canon, the melodies grip one another in a heaving canonic stranglehold, which suggests that this prayer is no sinecure. The succession of laboriously hiccupping figures and chromatic motifs ensures listeners that the recitation of the Lord's Prayer should never be taken lightly, for it requires continuous prodding of the soul to find a deeper meaning in the words that Jesus himself taught us. Please try to make the prelude at the 10:00 am Mass part of your prayer this morning. Happy listening!

**LENT IN OUR PARISH****LENTEN FOOD DRIVE**

Bags for the annual archdiocesan Lenten Food Drive will be distributed after all Masses this weekend, March 5/6. The collection of food will take place the following weekend, February 13/14. When you bring your bag to church, please deliver it to Caulfield Hall.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

The public celebration of the Way of the Cross will be held every Friday during Lent: on March 11 at 7:30 pm, on March 18 at 8:00 pm, and on Good Friday (March 25) at 12:00 noon and 3:00 pm. All will take place in the church.

**SACRED MUSIC IN A SACRED SPACE**

Join us for our next event in Sacred Music in a Sacred Space. On Friday, March 18 at 8:00 pm, we will present a screening of the 1905 film, *The Power and the Passion of Christ*, offered with live musical accompaniment by world-renowned French organist, Thomas Ospital. No admission charge. This is an event for the entire family!

**CONFESSIONS**

This Lenten season, each Catholic parish in the Archdiocese of Washington will have confessions available every Wednesday evening from 6:45-8:00 pm. If you have been reluctant to come to the sacrament, have been away for some time or just found it difficult to get to a Saturday

afternoon confession time, this is a wonderful opportunity to reconnect with Christ and His Church. Learn more at [www.the-light-is-on.org](http://www.the-light-is-on.org). Confessions are also heard at St. Jane each Saturday afternoon, 3:45-4:45 pm.

**CRS RICE BOWL: HUNGERING TO LEARN**

We journey with CRS Rice Bowl to the Central American country of Honduras, where we meet students who are learning that it's better to help your neighbor learn and grow than to leave him or her behind. To whom are we called to extend a hand this week? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) for prayer resources and activities to use during dinner, in the car on the way to school or whenever you have just a few moments to gather together, pause and pray.

**IN OUR PARISH****WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS**

St. Jane de Chantal Parish welcomes those who have recently registered in our parish:

- ◆ Chip & Sherry Brennan     ◆ Ann Castro
- ◆ Gregory & Raener Douge & Family
- ◆ Kevin & Mary Dunmire & Family
- ◆ Robert & Melanie Heitkamp & Family
- ◆ Kevin Kappeler     ◆ Merlene Varughese

If you attend Mass at St. Jane Frances de Chantal regularly, we encourage you to register as a member. Please complete a registration form and drop it in the collection basket when you attend Mass.

**THAT MAN IS YOU**

The Spring semester has begun, but it is never too late to start the program. Come Saturday mornings in Caulfield Hall for light breakfast and fellowship from 6:30-7:00 am, followed by program material and discussion from 7:00-8:00 am. Topic for March 12: "Reading Signs from God." For more information, contact Tim Gleeson (240-338-2899).

**PARISH ANNIVERSARIES MASS & BRUNCH**

Are you celebrating a milestone wedding anniversary of 25, 40, 50, 60+ years in 2016? If so, you are invited to a special anniversary Mass on Sunday, April 10, at 10:00 am, at St. Jane Frances de Chantal Church. Following Mass, a brunch will be held in your honor, hosted by our pastor, Father Giese. If you would like to attend, contact Leslie Donaldson (301-972-9660) by Friday, April 1. This event is sponsored by Sodality.

**USED CLOTHING DROP-OFF SHED**

St. Jane de Chantal Parish has contracted with a new vendor to provide a used clothing drop-off shed. Items accepted: all clothing, sneakers, belts, purses, blankets, sheets, pillowcases, drapes, and stuffed toys. Help keep your donation clean and dry by placing items in plastic bags. Items not accepted: rags, fabric scraps, toys, and household goods; understand that these items are expensive to dispose of. The accepted items will not be cut up or shredded, and will benefit people in the U.S. and in third-world countries. After the first two pick-ups by the new vendor, our parish received a stipend of \$153.36, which will benefit the Msgr. Christopher Scholarship Fund.

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

. . . those who are sick, and all those in our nursing homes and hospitals, especially Mary Cahill, Susan Tise, Dianne Fay Dickinson, and Pat Krisko.

**IN OUR LITURGY & MUSIC MINISTRIES**

*Visit the Music Ministries page at*

**[www.stjanedechantal.org/ministries/music-ministry](http://www.stjanedechantal.org/ministries/music-ministry)**  
for information on the many music ensembles at St. Jane.  
*"Like" the Saint Jane Frances de Chantal Music Ministry on Facebook, and see the list of music for Sunday and information on upcoming events.*

**IN OUR FAITH FORMATION PROGRAMS**

*Visit the Faith Formation page at*

**[www.stjanedechantal.org](http://www.stjanedechantal.org)** for information on the various programs, registration forms and calendars.

**YOUTH MINISTRY STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

Youth Ministry participates in the living Stations of the Cross during Lent; this year we are scheduled for Friday, March 11 at 7:30 pm. Teens are invited to help us prepare by playing a role or reading from a script. You can receive service hours for the rehearsals and the event. A practice will be held this Monday, March 7 at 7:00 pm in church. To

participate, email [sally.daniel@stjanedechantal.org](mailto:sally.daniel@stjanedechantal.org) or call 301-530-1640.

**YOUTH NIGHTS IN MARCH**

How has Lent been so far and are you striving to fulfill your Lenten promises? Youth group at St. Jane's is a great way to hold firmly to your faith and journey with others toward holiness in the Church. Join us in March and get motivated to love and live as Jesus taught us. This Sunday, March 6, SMASH includes a "So You Think You Can Dance" theme, with contest and prizes. On Sunday, March 13, acquire your own "Battle Plan" and learn how a routine of prayer leads to Christian action. On Sunday, March 20, we learn how St. Joseph accomplished God's will as we glean from our 'Handyman' saint of the Holy Family. Join us at the Seton Center, 6:00-8:00 pm.

**VACATION BIBLE CAMP**

St. Jane's will be having a Vacation Bible Camp June 20 – 24 from 9:00 am – 12:15 pm. Children finishing grades K – 2 are welcome to join the camp. Registration forms can be obtained by calling the Seton Center at 301-530-1640 or visiting [www.stjanedechantal.org/faith-formation/religious-ed-k-8/register](http://www.stjanedechantal.org/faith-formation/religious-ed-k-8/register).

**IN OUR YOUNG ADULT FELLOWSHIP**

*For single Catholics, ages 22-35. Meet monthly for spiritual and social events. Find us on Facebook (St. Jane's Young Adult Fellowship) or email [stjaneyaf@gmail.com](mailto:stjaneyaf@gmail.com).*

**YOUNG ADULT MASS & PIZZA SOCIAL**

All young adults are invited to the third Sunday of the month YAF Mass and Pizza Social. Join us at the 5:00 pm Mass on Sunday, March 20; meet at the back of the church before Mass and we will sit together in the section of pews in front of the cry room. After Mass, all are invited to Caulfield Hall to enjoy pizza, drinks, and fellowship.

**IN OUR BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL**

*Check out the St. Jane de Chantal School website at [www.dechantal.org](http://www.dechantal.org) to get information on admissions, see what each classroom is studying, and more.*

**NATIONAL ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS**

Seventh and eighth grade students participated in the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution national essay contest. This year's competition focused on "A Colonial Family's Reaction to the Stamp Act." Cecelia Swartz's (8th) essay was selected as the winner for the state of Maryland. Her essay now advances to the regional competition.

**SCIENCE FAIR**

All students participated in the de Chantal annual Science Fair. From 100 day projects, to habitats of endangered animals, to the discovery of sugar amounts in popular drinks, every class researched different topics for the Science Fair. Sixth, seventh, and eighth graders presented

their individual projects in front of a panel of judges. The winners of the 2016 Science Fair are: 1st: Jack Rhea, 2nd: Peter D'Antonio, and 3rd: Cece Swartz and Cady Hyde. Congratulations to all who participated.

## IN OUR ARCHDIOCESE

*For more information on education, family, youth, social concerns, & other events in the Archdiocese of Washington, visit [www.adw.org](http://www.adw.org). The website also has a media center, which includes social media tools, a YouTube channel, and apps.*

### CATHOLIC BUSINESS NETWORK

The Catholic Business Network of Montgomery County will hold its March Networking Breakfast on Friday, March 11, 7:30-9:00 am at Timpano's Italian Chophouse (12021 Rockville Pike). The speaker will be Geoff Gonella, the President of Cornerstone Government Affairs. Cost: \$20 for pre-registered guests and \$30 on the day of the event. Register at [www.cbnmc.org](http://www.cbnmc.org). The Annual Scholarship Luncheon will be held on Friday, March 18. The Catholic Business Network of Montgomery County will award need-based grants for Catholic elementary school students, and announce its eighth-grade essay competition scholarship winners at this event. For tickets, visit [www.cbnmc.org](http://www.cbnmc.org).

### EVENTS FOR MEN CONSIDERING THE PERMANENT DIACONATE

The archdiocesan Office of Permanent Diaconate Formation will begin a new cycle of recruitment and preparation of men for the diaconate. It will begin with an aspirancy program in late Fall of 2016. The initial selection process for this class will begin with a series of "Come and See" events for potential applicants and their wives. The final "Come and See" event in our area will take place Wednesday, March 16, 7:00-9:00 pm at the archdiocesan Pastoral Center (Hyattsville, MD). Applicants must be baptized Catholic men between the ages of thirty and sixty (at the time the formation program begins), active in the parish, and recommended by their pastors. RSVP to Diane Biggs at 301-853-5345 or [biggsd@adw.org](mailto:biggsd@adw.org). For more information, contact contact Deacon Desi Viktor, Director of Formation, at 301-853-4582 or [vikord@adw.org](mailto:vikord@adw.org). Additional information is also available at <http://adw.org/permanent-deacons>.

### UPCOMING QUO VADIS EVENTS

On Sunday, April 10, there will be an all-day excursion to Sugarloaf Mountain in upper Montgomery County, and the annual Quo Vadis Camp will be from June 26-29 and will again be held at Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, MD. These events are for young men in high school who may be considering a vocation to the priesthood. For more information, visit [www.dcpriest.org](http://www.dcpriest.org) or email [vocations@adw.org](mailto:vocations@adw.org).

### ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL JUBILARIAN MASS

Cardinal Donald Wuerl will celebrate the annual Jubilarian Mass honoring couples married 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 and 51+ years on Sunday, June 19 at 2:00 pm at the Basilica of

the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Please call the parish office to register by Friday, April 15.

### PHYSICIAN-ASSISTED SUICIDE

On February 25, the Maryland Senate Judicial Proceedings committee heard the misleadingly-named "End of Life Options Act," six days after a joint committee in the House listened to more than eight hours of testimony. The Maryland Catholic Conference is part of the Maryland Against Physician Assisted Suicide coalition that has come together in opposition of legislation. The organization is made up of a diverse group of members that include healthcare professionals, disability advocates, and religious leaders. There are better ways to help Marylanders improve their end-of-life care than this dangerous bill. Patients and families are at risk, especially the state's most vulnerable populations like the elderly and people with disabilities. Contact your legislators and ask them to oppose House Bill 404 and Senate Bill 418. Visit <http://stopassistedsuicidemd.org>, click on "Take Action," and use the form to draft a letter that will be emailed directly to your Senator and Delegate.

## STEWARDSHIP

*The stewardship message in the parable of the prodigal son is that it is never too late to become a good steward.*

*Blessed is the elder brother who had been a good steward all along, but blessed, too, is the prodigal, who had to lose all he had in order to understand the value of what he'd been given.*

### PARISH SUPPORT FOR FEBRUARY 21, 2016

<b>Offertory</b>	<b>\$11,002.00</b>
February 22, 2015	\$12,385.00
<b>Attendance</b>	<b>1849</b>
February 22, 2015	1664
<b>PARISH SUPPORT FOR FEBRUARY 28, 2016</b>	
<b>Offertory</b>	<b>\$11,217.00</b>
March 1, 2015	\$14,171.00
<b>Attendance</b>	<b>1585</b>
March 1, 2015	1682

### 2016 CARDINAL'S APPEAL

Thank you to all who have made a pledge or gift to the 2016 Cardinal's Appeal. We ask those who have yet to do so, to prayerfully consider a generous pledge. Please mail your pledge or gift directly to: Archdiocese of Washington, National Processing Center PO Box 6064, Albert Lea, MN 56007-6664. For more information on the appeal, visit <http://appeal.adw.org>.

### POOR BOX

The Poor Box next weekend, March 12/13, will benefit SOME (So Others Might Eat). SOME's programs address the root causes of homelessness and poverty. For more information, visit [www.some.org](http://www.some.org).



## PARISH CALENDAR

### Sunday, March 6—Saturday, March 12, 2016

C = Church ♦ CH = Caulfield Hall ♦ CGS = Gathering Space ♦ CLL = Church Lower Lobby  
 CRH = Christopher Hall ♦ SMR = Scanlan Meeting Room ♦ DCR = De Chantal Room  
 MR = Music Room ♦ NMR = Nalls Meeting Room ♦ RBR = Rectory Board Room  
 SCH = School ♦ SC = Seton Center for Religious Education  
 ♦ AF = Athletic Field ♦ PG = Parish Grounds

**SUNDAY, MARCH 6**

10:00 am	FOOT.....	SC
11:00 am	Family Choir.....	MR
5:00 pm	Youth Mass.....	C
6:00 pm	Youth Ministry.....	SC

**MONDAY, MARCH 7**

6:00 pm	Girl Scout Troop 4959.....	NMR
7:00 pm	Youth Ministry Stations of the Cross Practice.....	C

**TUESDAY, MARCH 8**

3:30 pm	St. Louis de France CCD Confessions.....	C
4:30 pm	Grades K-5 CCD.....	SCH
5:30 pm	Daisy Troop 4922.....	DCR
7:00 pm	Grades 6-8 CCD.....	SCH
7:00 pm	Church History Class.....	SC
7:30 pm	Lenten Book Program.....	C

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9**

6:30 pm	Cub Scouts Jr. Webelos Den.....	NMR
6:45 pm	Confessions.....	C
7:00 pm	RCIA.....	SC
7:15 pm	St. Martin's Cloak.....	SMR

**THURSDAY, MARCH 10**

6:00 pm	Boy Scout Troop 461.....	DCR
7:00 pm	Centering Prayer.....	SC
7:00 pm	Handbell Ensemble.....	MR
7:30 pm	Pastoral Council.....	SMR
8:00 pm	Parish Choir.....	MR

**FRIDAY, MARCH 11**

5:00 pm	Youth Ministry Stations of the Cross Practice.....	C
6:30 pm	Cub Scouts Sr. Webelos Den.....	NMR
7:00 pm	Girl Scout Troop 6452.....	DCR
7:30 pm	Youth Ministry Stations of the Cross.....	C

**SATURDAY, MARCH 12**

6:30 am	That Man Is You.....	CH
9:00 am	SPRED.....	SC
9:00 am	First Communion Retreat.....	C/CH/SMR

For all upcoming events & dates, visit [www.stjanedechantal.org](http://www.stjanedechantal.org) & click on "Complete Parish Calendar."

**POPE FRANCIS**

"Earnings and capital  
are not  
more important than  
the human person,  
but should be  
at the service  
of the common good."

@Pontifex

### CELEBRANTS

#### March 13, 2016

5:00 pm Vigil  
Fr. Giese  
  
8:00 am  
Fr. McKay  
  
10:00 am  
Fr. Giese  
  
12:00 pm  
Fr. Cusick  
  
5:00 pm  
Fr. Cusick

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

#### March 13, 2016

Reading I  
Is 43:16-21  
  
Reading II  
Phil 3:8-14  
  
Gospel  
Jn 8:1-11

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Sunday, March 6—Saturday, March 12, 2016

Sunday	8:00 am	Parishioners
	10:00 am	Alexander Catravas/D
	12:00 pm	Frances Faina/D
	5:00 pm	John Dever/D
Monday	8:00 am	Fr. John Fincutter/L
	11:00 am	Brady Nelson/D
Tuesday	8:00 am	John Wood/D
	11:00 am	Jeanne Forte
Wednesday	8:00 am	Joseph Park/D
	11:00 am	Marion Dacier/D
Thursday	8:00 am	Brady Nelson/D
	11:00 am	George Sirilla/D
Friday	8:00 am	John Wismer/D
	11:00 am	James Sheridan/D
Saturday	8:00 am	Eugene Pomfret/D
	5:00 pm	Moot & Kitty Sommer/D

**ALTAR SERVERS**

Monday, March 7—Sunday, March 13, 2016

Monday	8:00 am	T. McKinnon, G. Skibbie
	11:00 am	S. Owen, T. Shaheen
Tuesday	8:00 am	C. Shaheen, J. Thistle
	11:00 am	S. Quirk, S. Wolanin
Wednesday	8:00 am	M. Flynn, J. Morris
	11:00 am	M. Bailey, G. Merola
Thursday	8:00 am	C. Gotzman, M. Gotzman
	11:00 am	M. D'Avella, I. Steadmen
Friday	8:00 am	R. Dimond, 1 volunteer needed
	11:00 am	T. Shaheen, N. Wolanin
Saturday	8:00 am	I. Baldwin, S. Wolanin
	5:00 pm	J. Morris, L. Morris, B. Shaffer
Sunday	8:00 am	T. Aquino, W. Quinn, G. Relacion
	10:00 am	J. Connors, M. Flynn, S. Kish
	12:00 pm	B. Carlsen, J. Cerritelli, T. Chalfant
	5:00 pm	G. McLoughlin, M. McLoughlin, J. Thistle