

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

FOR THE EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME / YEAR C



Readings in *Worship* hymnal at #1132

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: Ps 18:19-20

The Lord became my protector.
He brought me out to a place of freedom;
he saved me because he delighted in me.

READING I: SIR 27:4-7

This part of the Wisdom literature is an observation on human behavior and the moral imperative. Our worth as humans is to be assessed from our words and deeds, just as “the fruit of a tree shows the care it has had.”

PSALM RESPONSE: PS 92

This psalm is a hymn of praise and thanks for God’s faithful deeds.

The just are likened to trees growing in the sacred precincts of the Temple, which is often seen as the source of life and fertility because of God’s presence.

READING II: 1 COR 15:54-58

The resurrection of Christ is not just the first instance of a final resurrection, but also one that will make all other resurrections at the end possible.

But, this resurrection life is not just a mere resuscitation, it is an elevation to a new mode of existence with a new spiritual body.

GOSPEL: LK 6:39-45

Becoming better leaders, as well as better disciples, requires us to carefully choose our words and deeds, and ensure that our discipleship bears fruit.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: Ps 13:6

I will sing to the Lord who has been bountiful with me, sing psalms to the name of the Lord Most High.

Entrance Hymn *In This Place Your Word Is Planted* | #595
(Sun. 5 pm) *Gather Us In* | #836

Gloria from *Congregational Mass* | #324
(Sun. 5 pm) from *Storrington Mass* | #257

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 92: *Lord, it is good to give thanks to you* | #1132
(Sun. 5 pm) Psalm 40: *Here I am, Lord* | Rory Cooney



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Gospel Acclamation *Alleluia* | Robert Twynham



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(Sun. 5 pm) from *Storrington Mass* | #258

Preparation of the Gifts *O Radiant Christ, Incarnate Word* | #589
(10 am) *Locus iste* | Philip W.J. Stopford

Locus iste a Deo factus est,
inaestimabile sacramentum,
irreprehensibilis est.

This place was made by God,
a priceless sacrament;
it is without reproach.

(Sun. 5 pm) *Christ, Be Our Light!* | #584

Preface Acclamation from *Mass in Honor of St. Ignatius* | inside *Worship* back cover
(Sun. 5 pm) from *Storrington Mass* | #260

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

Great Amen from *Mass in Honor of St. Ignatius* | inside *Worship* back cover
(Sun. 5 pm) from *Storrington Mass* | #264

Fraction Rite from *Mass in Honor of St. Ignatius* | inside *Worship* back cover
(Sun. 5 pm) *Lamb of God* from *Storrington Mass* | #265

Communion Procession *I Receive the Living God* | #923
(Sun. 5 pm) *Take and Eat* | #940

Hymn of Thanksgiving (10 am) *Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life* | Harold Friedell
(Sun. 5 pm) *Open My Eyes* | Jesse Manibusan

Concluding Hymn *Let All Things Now Living* | #636
(Sun. 5 pm) *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus* | #953

LENT IN OUR PARISH

ASH WEDNESDAY

This Wednesday, March 6, is Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent. Masses will be celebrated at 8:00 am, 11:00 am and 7:30 pm. Ashes will be distributed during each Mass.

FASTING & ABSTINENCE

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence (only one full meal for those age 18-59, and no meat for those age 14 and above). All Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence for those age 14 and above. On weekdays during Lent, there is no obligation to fast, however, voluntary acts of self-denial are recommended.

CARPPOOLING WITH CHRIST

"Carpooling with Christ," a holy hour with Eucharistic Adoration, will take place each Wednesday of Lent from 2:00 – 2:45 pm in the church. All are welcome to come in for a few minutes of prayer, or to stay the entire time!

CONFESSIONS

This Lenten season, each Catholic parish in the Archdiocese of Washington will have confessions available every Wednesday evening (except Ash Wednesday) 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.thelightison.org. Confessions are also heard at St. Jane each Saturday, 3:45-4:45 pm.

SOUP, SAINTS, & STATIONS

Join us on Fridays of Lent (except Good Friday) for Soup, Saints, and Stations. The evening begins in Caulfield Hall, with a lite meal of soup and bread served at 6:30 pm, and a presentation on a saint beginning at 6:50 pm. The evening concludes with Stations of the Cross at 7:30 pm in church.

CRS RICE BOWL: ENCOUNTER LENT

Join our faith community—and nearly 14,000 Catholic communities across the United States—in a life-changing Lenten journey of encounter with CRS Rice Bowl. Pick up your family's CRS Rice Bowl beginning Ash Wednesday. During the 40 days of Lent, as companions on the journey, we will encounter our neighbor.

IN OUR PARISH

*Can't find the bulletin you brought home from church?
Want to keep up on what's happening in the parish
even when you are away on vacation or sick in bed?
Visit our parish website, www.stjanedechantal.org
to view a copy of the bulletin and for more information
on parish events and organizations.*

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

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

◆ Debbie Meade

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.

SNOW POLICY FOR WEEKDAY MASSES

If the Federal Government is closed due to inclement weather, St. Jane de Chantal will not hold either the 8:00 am nor the 11:00 am weekday Masses. Please stay safe at home, and allow our snow removal crews to clear and treat our parking lots and walkways. If the Federal Government is opening on a delayed schedule, we will hold both the 8:00 am and 11:00 am Masses.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

. . . those who are sick, and all those in our nursing homes and hospitals, especially John and Pat Krisko.

. . . those who have died, especially Hilda Kiss.

IN OUR LITURGY & MUSIC MINISTRIES

*Visit the Music Ministries page at
www.stjanedechantal.org/ministries/music-ministry
for information on the many music ensembles at St. Jane.*

IN OUR FAITH FORMATION PROGRAMS

*Visit the Faith Formation page at
www.stjanedechantal.org for information on
the various programs, registration forms and calendars.*

IN OUR BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL

*Check out the St. Jane de Chantal School website at
www.dechantaldash2019.racewire.com to get information on admissions,
see what each classroom is studying, and more.*

DE CHANTAL DASH

Join us for the De Chantal Dash 5K and 1 Mile Fun Run on Saturday, April 13, 8:00 am We are lacing up our sneakers and hitting the pavement to raise money for our "School Safety Initiative." Upgrades to our school entrances and security will ensure our little ones and dedicated faculty are always protected and out of harm's way! We are also looking for companies, businesses, and families to consider sponsoring this popular event. Your business logo or family name can be on the back of over 600 race t-shirts! Registration closes on March 24, and sponsorships close on March 18. Want to run/walk or sponsor the race? Visit www.dechantaldash2019.racewire.com. Questions? Email Kelly Jana at kellyjana22@gmail.com.

100TH DAY OF SCHOOL

Pre-K and Kindergarten students recently celebrated the 100th day of school! The day began with a balloon and treat presented to the 100th student to enter school: Sebastian Weng, a lucky seventh grader. The day was filled with fun activities that centered around the number 100. Students competed in the 100m dash, took a nap for 100 seconds,

made a snack trail mix with 100 food pieces, and of course, counted to 100 along with many other fun games. Students presented their science fair projects: 100 of any item organized in 1's, 2's, 5's, or 10's. We are now 100 days smarter!

SONGS ACROSS AMERICA

The fourth grade classes performed their annual Songs Across America show. Dressed in blue jeans, tie-dye t-shirts and waving flags, they performed patriotic songs such as *The Star Spangled Banner* and *You're a Grand Old Flag*. They rattled off the states' names in alphabetical order as well as all of the state capitals. In between the songs, fourth grade students recited the history of the United States military, including the five armed forces: Navy, Army, Airforce, Coast Guard, and Marines. Students noted facts about the number of Americans in our military, the addition of women, and the special role dogs have played in the military. It was a great way to celebrate President's Day weekend and wrap up their social studies unit on America!

KINDERGARTEN VALENTINE'S DAY BALL

Kindergarten celebrated their annual Valentine's Day Ball in honor of St. Valentine. Kindergarten had been learning manners and proper etiquette, as well as how to dance the waltz and the Charleston. On the day of the ball, students came in their fanciest dresses, suits and ties. They were paired up to show off their dancing skills, and enjoy a Valentine themed brunch with servers dressed in tuxedos and chocolate covered strawberries! Along with more traditional dances, there were the always fun YMCA, Chicken Dance, and some more modern tunes. Parents joined in on the festivities and a fun time was had by all.

FATHER- DAUGHTER DANCE

Recently, all of the fathers and their daughters from St. Jane de Chantal school were invited to a night in Paris! The gym was transformed into a Parisian wonderland complete with Eiffel Tower and sweet treats. There was a photo booth for girls and their dads to take fun pictures, a DJ to play their favorite songs, and a raffle with great prizes! This is a bi-annual event that is cherished by all. A special thanks to the mothers who volunteered time to decorate, bake, sell raffle tickets, and organize the big event.

IN OUR ARCHDIOCESE

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

MARYLAND FETAL HOMICIDE LAW

Maryland's House and Senate are again considering legislation to expand our state's fetal homicide law to protect unborn children as young as eight weeks development. The Senate Judicial Proceedings committee heard testimony February 22 on the Senate version of the bill (SB 561). The House Health and Government

Operations Committee will hear testimony on its version of the bill (HB 757) on March 8. The state first took up this legislation last year, when the family of slain Howard County teacher Laura Wallen, sought to change Maryland law after Laura and her unborn son Reid were killed by Laura's then-boyfriend Tyler Tessier but the state was unable to bring charges for the death of Reid because he was only about 14 weeks in development. The bill is known as Laura and Reid's Law. Homicide is the leading cause of death among pregnant women, and in Maryland, pregnant women are victimized at a rate that is 10 times the national average. To support efforts to pass Laura and Reid's Law, www.facebook.com/LauraAndReidsLaw.

QUO VADIS EXCURSION

On Sunday, March 31, all high school aged men who are interested in learning more about the priesthood are invited to the spring *Quo Vadis* Excursion. It will be a fun day filled with outdoor adventure as well as Mass and adoration, great meals, a vocation talk, and fraternity with priests, seminarians, and other high school aged young men. Save the date, and check out www.dcpriest.org/quo-vadis-excursion-spring for more information, and to see when registration is open.

THE WAY RETREAT

The Way is a three-day guided meditation and prayer program for survivors of abuse. It is an opportunity for healing and prayer and for survivors to reflect on God's plan for their lives. This retreat will be facilitated by experienced counselors, pastoral theologians, and a chaplain. This retreat is sponsored by the Archdiocese of Washington and is free of charge to participants. The retreat will be offered separately for men and women: the Men's Retreat will take place April 5-7, and the Women's Retreat will take place April 12-14. For more information, visit <https://adw.org/the-way-retreat>. To learn more or to register, contact Deborah McDonald at mcdonald@adw.org or 301-853-4466.

ANNUAL ARCHDIOCESAN JUBILARIAN MASS

The annual Jubilarian Mass honoring couples married 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, and 51+ years will be held Sunday, June 23, at 2:00 pm, at the Basilica of the National Shrine (400 Michigan Ave., NE). To register, contact St. Jane's parish office by Monday, April 22.

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO CAN'T GET TO MASS?

Since 1952, the Archdiocese of Washington has produced a weekly televised Mass for those who are homebound, broadcast from the Crypt Church of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. It is a wonderful ministry for those members of our Catholic family who are unable to be physically present with a local worshipping community for the Sunday Eucharistic Liturgy. The Mass airs every Sunday at 10:30 am on WDCW-50; no cable, Dish or DIRECTV subscribers: Ch. 50; Comcast: Ch. 23 in Washington, DC and Montgomery County, Ch. 3 in Prince George's County and Southern Maryland; RCN: Ch 15; Verizon: Ch. 3. Email communications@adw.org with

the mailing address(es) of those you know are unable to attend Mass so they can receive the free Celebrate! TV Mass newsletter.

VOLUNTEERS / ITEMS NEEDED

GABRIEL PROJECT

The Gabriel Project assists needy women and women in crisis pregnancies in Montgomery County. Women volunteers (especially bilingual Spanish speaking women) are needed to stay in touch with client mothers. This includes keeping in touch with them via phone or email during their pregnancy, bringing them needed items such as diapers, baby clothes, etc. that are provided by the Gabriel Project, and praying for them. The average time commitment would be approximately 1-4 hours per month (or less). Men are also needed to pick up donations once or twice per month. Daily prayer supporters are also needed. Donations of diapers, formula, and baby clothes are also appreciated. For more information, call or text Toni Wohleber 240-882-9893, or e-mail Carmen Rojas at gccthompson@juno.com.

2019 ANNUAL ARCHDIOCESAN APPEAL

Thank you to all who have made a pledge or gift to the 2019 Annual Archdiocesan Appeal. We ask those who have yet to do so, to prayerfully consider a generous pledge. Please make your check payable to "Annual Appeal" and send it along with your completed form to the Archdiocese of Washington, PO Box 29260, Washington, DC 20017-0260. For more information on programs and ministries the appeal supports, as well as other ways of giving to the appeal, visit <http://appeal.adw.org>.

STEWARDSHIP

*All of today's readings remind us that our works reflect what is in our hearts.
Do my words and actions reveal a heart that is grateful for — and generous in sharing — the abundance God has poured into my life?*

PARISH SUPPORT FOR FEBRUARY 17, 2019 <i>(* not including Faith Direct)</i>	
* Offertory <i>* February 18, 2018</i>	\$11,340.00 \$ 9,495.00
Attendance <i>February 18, 2018</i>	1360 1287
PARISH SUPPORT FOR FEBRUARY 24, 2019 <i>(* not including Faith Direct)</i>	
* Offertory <i>* February 25, 2018</i>	\$ 9,174.00 \$10,291.00
Attendance <i>February 25, 2018</i>	1264 1460

POOR BOX

The Poor Box next weekend, March 9/10, will benefit So Others Might Eat (SOME), which provides daily meals and other immediate needs for the homeless and those who are extremely poor. SOME also provides programs that address the root causes of homelessness and poverty, including a six-month job training; daily socialization for men and women suffering from mental-illness; addictions counseling; and affordable, service-enriched housing. For more information, visit www.some.org.

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WAYS TO GIVE

to St. Jane de Chantal Church:

ENVELOPES

CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO REQUEST ENVELOPES

RECURRING

THROUGH FAITHDIRECT.NET OR YOUR BANK'S BILL PAY

ONLINE


VISIT FAITHDIRECT.NET TO MAKE A ONE-TIME GIFT

TEXT-TO-GIVE

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BETHESDA MD 20814-1795



Has the cold winter weather or illness kept you from attending Mass at St. Jane Frances de Chantal on Sundays?

If so, please consider signing up with Faith Direct! By giving electronically through Faith Direct, you can ensure that our church is warm and safe for other parishioners, even if you are unable to be present.

To enroll, visit Faith Direct's website, www.faithdirect.net, or call toll-free, 1-866-507-8757; our parish code is MD30. You can also fill out and mail a Faith Direct enrollment form, which can be found in the gathering space of church.

Mother, what is the winter wind saying?

Sunday, March 3 – Saturday, March 9, 2019
For all upcoming events, visit www.stjanedechantal.org, click on "Complete Parish Calendar."

PARISH CALENDAR

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 3

10:00 am CCD: Kindergarten CH
 10:00 am CCD: FOOT SMR
 11:00 am RCIA SC
 1:00 pm CYO Basketball CRH
 3:00 pm Family Choir MR
 6:00 pm High School SMASH SC
 6:30 pm Girl Scouts Senior/Ambassador Troop 4959 DCR

MONDAY, MARCH 4

7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 461 Leadership NMR

TUESDAY, MARCH 5

9:45 am School Pre-K CH
 6:00 pm CCD: Grades 1-8 SCH
 6:00 pm Grade 8 Confirmation Session CH
 7:00 pm Bible Time-Line SC

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6: ASH WEDNESDAY

2:00 pm Carpooling with Christ C
 3:00 pm School Dance Class CH
 7:00 pm Family Choir MR

THURSDAY, MARCH 7

9:00 am Bible Time-Line SC
 9:30 am School Pre-K CH
 6:00 pm Cub Scouts Wolves DCR
 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 461 NMR
 7:00 pm Venturing Crew 461 SC
 7:00 pm Centering Prayer SC
 7:00 pm Handbell Ensemble MR
 7:30 pm Green Committee SMR
 8:00 pm Parish Choir MR

FRIDAY, MARCH 8

3:00 pm School Science Fair CRH
 6:30 pm Soup, Saints, & Stations CH/C
 7:30 pm Stations of the Cross C

SATURDAY, MARCH 9

8:00 am School Science Fair CRH
 9:00 am CCD: SPRED SC

POPE FRANCIS

"No explanations suffice for these abuses involving children. We need to recognize with humility and courage that we stand face to face with the mystery of evil, which strikes most violently against the most vulnerable, for they are an image of Jesus. [...] I make a heartfelt appeal for an all-out battle against the abuse of minors both sexually and in other areas, on the part of all authorities and individuals, for we are dealing with abominable crimes that must be erased from the face of the earth."

Pope Francis, address, at the end of the Eucharistic Celebration, on the occasion of the Meeting "The Protection of Minors in the Church," Sala Regia, 24 February 2019.

READINGS Mar. 10

Reading I
Dt 26:4-10

 Reading II
Rom 10:8-13

 Gospel
Lk 4:1-13

INTENTIONS

Sun., Mar. 3 – Sat., Mar. 9

Sunday	8:00 am	Parishioners
	10:00 am	Rose M. Mologne
	12:00 pm	Pat Siemien/D
	5:00 pm	Dr. Darla Danford/L
Monday	8:00 am	Miren Alcorta/D
	11:00 am	John Hayden/D
Tuesday	8:00 am	Robert Sturgeon/D
	11:00 am	Special Intention
Wednesday	8:00 am	Anna Lamparska/D
	11:00 am	Robert Anson/D
	7:30 pm	Denny Warner/D
Thursday	8:00 am	Casey Bowen/D
	11:00 am	Glenn Mitchell/D
Friday	8:00 am	Ruth Martin/D
	11:00 am	Peggy Murray Kernan/D
	8:00 am	Felice Theile
	5:00 pm	Lani Marquez/L

ALTAR SERVERS

Mon., Mar. 4 – Sun., Mar. 10

Monday	8:00 am
	11:00 am
Tuesday	8:00 am
	11:00 am
Wednesday	8:00 am
	11:00 am
Thursday	8:00 am
	11:00 am
Friday	8:00 am
	11:00 am
Saturday	8:00 am
	5:00 pm
Sunday	8:00 am
	10:00 am
	12:00 pm
	5:00 pm

See online
Ministry Scheduler