



Dear Parishioners,

As you read this, I will be in Rome celebrating Archbishop O'Brien's becoming a Cardinal. What a great honor for our faithful Archbishop! Yet, the least member in the kingdom of heaven is more honored by God. However, Jesus warns us to be careful about honors and recognition especially seeking them for ourselves. After all, Jesus said, "He who exalts himself shall be humbled, and he who humbles himself shall be exalted."

I know Archbishop O'Brien didn't become a priest in order to become a Cardinal; he came to humbly serve God. May we try to do the same in whatever our state in life.

Fr. Carl

What joy it is to know that when we go out of the house, we are never alone en route.

The Cure D'Ars



Rest in Peace...

Charlotte Bunn
Dorothy Weiner

Ashes will be distributed at the 8:30 a.m., 12:00 noon, and 7:00 p.m. Masses on Wed., February 22nd.

On Sunday, February 26th, the Religious Education students will be attending the 10:30am Mass. The first 10 pews on each side of the church will be reserved for the students. The handicapped seating on the Tabernacle side will still be available for those who need to sit there. Thank you for welcoming the students to Mass!

The Parish Office will be Closed on Monday, February 20, 2012 for the President's Day Holiday.

Sunday, February 19, 2012

Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

Isaiah 43:18-19, 21-22, 24b-25; 2 Corinthians 1:18-22
Mark 2:1-12

Next Sunday, February 26, 2012

First Sunday of Lent

Genesis 9:8-15; 1 Peter 3:18-22
Mark 1:12-15



Mass Intentions

- Mon., February 20th 8:30 a.m. - COMMUNION SERVICE
Tues., February 21st 8:30 a.m. - COMMUNION SERVICE
Wed., February 22nd 8:30 a.m. - Chris Schreck (Spec. Int.)
12:00 Noon - Joshua Reitz
7:00 p.m. - Daniel Ernst
Thurs., February 23rd 8:30 a.m. - John McElroy
Fri., February 24th 8:30 a.m. - Sarah Henson
Sat., February 25th 8:30 a.m. - Len Kluff (Spec. Int.)
5:00 p.m. - For The Parishioners
Sun., February 26th 7:30 a.m. - Irene Rizzo
9:00 a.m. - Msgr. Charles Muth
10:30 a.m. - Hilda Goranson
12:00 p.m. - Rosemary Geueke (Spec. Int.)

God's Plan for Giving:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Amount. Includes Parish Care: Weekend of February 12, 2012 (\$13,902.18), Children's Envelopes (\$23.70), Mass Attendance (.1123), Parish Care: Weekend of February 13, 2011 (\$13,462.00), Children's Envelopes (\$48.25), Mass Attendance (.1059).

CALENDAR OF EVENTS ...

Monday, February 20th

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

7:00 PM - Youth - "Deeper Waters" - Lower Church
7:30 PM - RCIA Class - Muth Room

Tuesday, February 21st

5:00 PM - Shrove Dinner - Parish Hall
6:45 PM - Prayer Group - Chapel
7:00 PM - Liturgy Committee Mtg. - Rectory
7:00 PM - Evangelization Committee Mtg. - Parish Center
7:00 PM - Women's Bible Study - Lower Church

Wednesday, February 22nd

1:15 PM - St. Jane Seniors - Parish Hall
2:30 PM - YCL - Parish Center
7:30 PM - Men's Evening of Reflection - Parish Center

Thursday, February 23rd

7:00 PM - "Temperment" Talk - Parish Hall

Friday, February 24th

4:00 PM - Fish Fry - Parish Hall

K – 8 Religious Education News:

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Religious Ed. Calendar

Mon., Feb. 20 – First Eucharist Prep. Class (6:15-7:30pm, School)

Wed., Feb. 22 – Ash Wednesday – Lent Begins

Feb. 26 – Catechist Mtg. 8:45am (Sch. Library)

Feb. 26 – Rel. Ed. Classes attend 10:30am Mass

Mon., Feb. 27 – First Eucharist Prep Class (6:15 – 7:30pm, School)

Mar. 4 – Religious Ed. Classes

Mon., Mar. 5 – First Eucharist Prep Class 3 (6:15 – 7:30pm, School)

Mar. 11 – Religious Ed. Classes

Mon., Mar. 12 – First Eucharist Prep Class 4 (6:15-7:30pm, School)

Mar. 18 – Religious Ed. Classes

Mon., Mar. 19 – First Eucharist Prep Class 5 (6:15-7:30pm, School)

Mar. 25 – Religious Ed. Classes

Mon., Mar. 26 – First Eucharist Prep Class 6 (6:15-7:30pm, School)

Apr. 1 – Religious Ed. Classes

Mon., Apr. 2 – First Eucharist Prep Class 7 (6:15-7:30pm, School)

Feast Day this week: St. Polycarp

February 23rd:

Imagine being able to sit at the feet of the apostles and hear their stories of life with Jesus from their own lips. Imagine walking with those who had walked with Jesus, seen him, and touched him. That was what Polycarp was able to do as a disciple of Saint John the Evangelist.

But being part of the second generation of Church leaders had challenges that the first generation could not teach about. What did you do when those eyewitnesses were gone? How do you carry on the correct teachings of Jesus? How do you answer new questions that never came up before?

With the apostles gone, heresies sprang up pretending to be true teaching, persecution was strong, and controversies arose over how to celebrate liturgy that Jesus never laid down rules for.

Polycarp, as a holy man and bishop of Smyrna, found there was only one answer -- to be true to the life of Jesus and imitate that life. Saint Ignatius of Antioch told Polycarp "your mind is grounded in God as on an immovable rock." (www.catholic.org)

SOUPER BOWL SUNDAY Collection was a huge success! The Young Catholic Leaders (with a bit of help from the High School Youth) collected \$621.50 for NCEON. Thank you to all who were so very generous in your giving.

DAILY READINGS

MON

Weekday

2/20

Reading: Jas 3:13-18
Gospel: Mk 9:14-29

TUE

St. Peter Damian

2/21

Reading: Jas 4:1-10
Gospel: Mk 9:30-37

WED

ASH WEDNESDAY

2/22

Reading: Jl 2:12-18
Gospel: Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

THU

St. Polycarp

2/23

Reading: Dt 30:15-20
Gospel: Lk 9:22-25

FRI

Lenten Weekday

2/24

Reading: Is 58:1-9a
Gospel: Mt 9:14-15

SAT

Lenten Weekday

2/25

Reading: Is 58:9b-14
Gospel: Lk 5:27-32

Youth Ministry

Claire Horvath (410) 255-4646, Ext. 1418

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High School Events:

Drop Ins continue on Sunday evenings from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. Join us!

Do you want real answers to the real questions you have about your faith, the church and the world around you? Well, we have an app for that! Not really, we just have a small group called **Deeper Waters** who meet once or twice a month to sort through these questions. **The next meeting will be on Monday, Feb. 20th at 7:00 p.m. in the lower church.**

SAVE THE DATE: SUNDAY, APRIL 22ND

Longaberger Basket Bingo to benefit Youth Ministry. Doors will open at 12:30 p.m.; Games will begin at 1:30 (after Noon Mass). Join us for a fun afternoon of Bingo and Baskets! Early bird Tickets will be \$20. Questions? Contact Claire at chorvath@stjane.org.

Middle School Youth

The Young Catholic Leaders Group meets again on **Wednesday, the 22nd of February**. All middle school youth from the parish are encouraged to join us as we play, pray and learn together.

Vocations Corner

If God Should Call One of Your Sons or Daughters

Pope Pius XII, March 25, 1942

God has blessed your marriage and given you children.... If the Divine Master comes and asks for "His part"—one of your children, whom He has called to be a priest, a religious or a nun—what will you do? What will become of the holy inspirations that have spoken to their hearts, and His voice whispering to them: "Do you love Me? Will you follow Me?" In God's name I beg you not to stifle in their souls their openness to the Divine Call. How deep will your Christian spirit really be if you back away from the honor of cooperating and helping in the work of spreading the Faith and the Catholic Church not merely with material help but also with the very precious gift of your children that God is asking of you? Dear married couples, help the Church, the Spouse of Christ; help Christ, the Savior of men, with the fruit of your marriage. Give God the portion of your blessing He is asking for out of your home. (http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/vocations/voc_parents.php)

*"I was hungry and you gave me
something to eat."*

Please continue to help keep hope alive in the hearts of others through your generous donations to NCEON and Our Daily Bread. In addition to your generosity, please remember to keep those who are less fortunate than us in your prayers. Thank you.

Deacon Robert



K.O.C CORNER

KOC BINGO –The **NEXT BINGO** will be on **Monday, February 20, 2012**. Doors open at 6 p.m. Games start at 7 p.m. Food and drinks available for purchase.

FELLOWSHIP

PLEASE COME AND JOIN US **TODAY, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19th**, AFTER ALL MASSES, IN THE PARISH HALL FOR SOME FUN, FOOD, AND FELLOWSHIP. WE WILL BE HAVING DONUTS, JUICE, COFFEE, TEA AND MILK, ALONG WITH SUGAR FREE COOKIES. COME OVER TO THE HALL, ENJOY THE REFRESHMENTS, AND HAVE SOME GOOD CONVERSATION. SEE YOU THERE!

PARISH EVENTS

Men's Evenings of Reflection continue on Wednesday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 in the Parish Center. All men of the parish are welcome to join us as we grow as Men of Faith. Each evening includes a Gospel Reflection, discussion and refreshments. For more information, contact Dave Horvath at 301-213-1197.

SHROVE TUESDAY FAMILY CELEBRATION

**Tuesday, February 21, 2012, 5:00 – 7:00 PM
Parish Hall**

Menu: Pancakes, Sausage, Hot dogs, Chips, Fruit Salad, Beverages, Dessert.

Activities for Children!!

Adults: \$5, Children 5-12: \$3; Under 5: Free
(Admission Required for Entrance)

For more information, please call Sue Hager (410) 439-9023 or Mary Jo Cleckner (410) 255-2283.

K.O.C. LENTEN FISH FRYs

Fridays, Feb. 24, Mar. 2, 9, 23, & 30.

4:00 – 7:00 PM, Parish Hall

Main Menu will feature choice of Coddie Platters OR Butterfly Shrimp, and choice of two side dishes, PLUS roll, coffee, iced tea, and condiments.

Adults: \$10; Children under 12: \$7.50

Other items for sale will include: coddies by the dozen, fish sandwiches, sodas, clam chowder, macaroni & cheese, pizza and desserts.

For further info: Don Sparklin 410-255-5080.

PRAYING THE ROSARY FOR OUR PARISH, SCHOOL AND PASTOR

Parishioners are encouraged to continue their private praying of the Rosary for our parish, school and pastor. Then, on **Friday, March 2, 2012** we will have **Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m.** followed by **recitation of the Scriptural Rosary** for our parish, school and pastor. Teams will also be available to pray with anyone desiring spiritual or physical healing and a deeper sense of God's presence and help in their daily lives.



THANK YOU!

The junior high students of St. Jane School would like to thank the **Knights of Columbus** of St. Jane's for providing the bus that took them to the March for Life in Washington D. C. on January 23. Though the weather was cold and rainy, knowing they were standing up for the rights of all children kept them going. The students joined hundreds of other young people for Mass at the National Shrine of the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception too. Thanks Knights!!

SAVE THE DATE---The Department of Faith Formation will hold a bus trip to Atlantic City on March 27, 2012.

We will be going to Resorts, and will receive \$20 in free slot play. The bus will leave from the front of St. Jane Frances Church at 9 a.m. and will return at 9 p.m. The cost is \$40 per person. Danish and juice will be provided on the trip to Atlantic City and snack bags will be provided on the trip home. Please call Ellen Lesniewski 443-691-4156 if you have any questions.

"Christ is the light which illumines the way"

(Blessed John Paul II)

The Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe illuminates the way for the people of the region by helping Catholic organizations provide food, shelter, medical care, and compassion for the depressed and lonely, in addition to pastoral care and catechesis. Your donation helps to reinforce the Christian ideals of charity, family values, and kindness in a place struggling in the aftermath of 70 years of atheistic Soviet rule. Please be generous to the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe on **Ash Wednesday, February 22nd**.

With **Ash Wednesday** approaching, please take a few minutes a day, and use *Five Minutes with The Word* to grow closer to the Lord throughout Lent. Spending just a few minutes a day reading this booklet is one great way to prepare for Holy Week and Easter. Copies, provided by the parish, are located at church exits. Please pick one up for your family and start a new Lenten tradition!

AROUND TOWN

St. Athanasius Church, Curtis Bay is holding a **Sour Beef & Dumpling Dinner / Roast Beef Dinner** on **Sunday, Feb. 26th**.
Two seatings: 12:00 – 2:00 pm & 3:00 – 5:00 pm
Tickets: Adults: \$15; Children 7-12: \$7;
Age 6 and under: Free.
Call Eleanore at 410-360-1318 or Chris at 410-859-1512 for further information.

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Elaine and Frank Galeone invite you to join them in a **"Married Couples" Retreat** at Priestfield, WV on one of the following weekends: **Mar.2, Mar. 9, Mar.16, Mar.23, Mar.30, Apr.27**  
For more info, call: (410) 252-5355.

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Archdiocesan Catholic Men's Fellowship (CMF) Conference is an archdiocesan sponsored organization that provides support for men's ministries in local parishes. Their annual all-day conference will be at Immaculate Conception Parish in Towson on **Saturday, Mar. 24 from 8:30 - 3:00 pm**. Carpooling will be available from St. Jane. Please contact Dave Horvath at 301-213-1197 or Ken Hess at 410-360-1076.

For more information and to register, go to <http://www.catholicmensfellowship.com/>.

Archbishop Spalding High School, Severn, MD, will host "An Evening in Paradise" Dinner and Auction - Sat., March 24, 2012.

The event will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the Athletic Center and will feature a Hawaiian themed buffet catered by Zeffert & Gold, an open bar, and plenty of bidding action in live and silent auctions. Advance tickets are \$75 per person or \$90 at the door. For further information, please call 410-969-9105, Ext. 243 or visit www.archbishopspalding.org.

BULLETIN DEADLINES

Bulletin Date: **Mar. 4, 2012** **Deadline for Submission:** **Monday, Feb.27– 9:00 A.M.**
(Items for the bulletin should be typed and either emailed to lpelesky@stjane.org Or dropped off to the Parish Office by the deadlines posted above).



School News

Important Dates:

February 20	No School – President’s Day		
February 23	Market Day Pick-Up	6pm – 7pm	Riviera Beach Elementary
	Dominos Pizza Fundraiser Night	10am – 12am	(Mountain Rd.)
	Pick-Up or Delivery – must show form to driver or at pick-up		
February 24	Bag A Breakfast		
February 27	Scrip Orders Due		
February 29	St. Patrick’s Day Bazaar Meeting	7pm	School Library

St. Patrick’s Day Bazaar – Our 62nd annual bazaar is fast approaching and we are in need of donations to make this years’ bazaar a success. Our Country Cupboard needs items such as (crocheted/sewn blankets, scarves, pillows, homemade candy, home décor, glasswear, etc.). Our Silent Auction needs gift cards from a variety of locations, gift baskets and large items to bid on. We are also in need of volunteers to work a game/wheel both day and evening hours. If you can volunteer or can donate any of these items, please contact Donna Hall at 410 255-4750 or e-mail dhall@stjaneschool.org. Next meeting February 29 at 7pm.

Restaurant Month – Help us raise money for our school and have someone else cook dinner. Dominos Pizza Fundraiser Night. 10am – 12am pick up or delivery. 2708 Mountain Rd location only. 410 437-3300. Must bring flyer to location when picking up or give to driver for delivery.

Big Bonanza Sweepstakes – Purchase a raffle ticket to win the Grand Prize of a free in-parish base tuition for the 2012/2013 school year or \$4,000 cash. Tickets are: \$40 each or \$100 for 3 tickets. See the flyer on the School News bulletin board in the church vestibule for more information. Contact the school office to purchase your tickets.

Market Day - Purchase delicious foods for your everyday meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner). Simply order on-line at www.marketday.com or pick up an order form at the school or in the church vestibule. Pick up 2/23.

Shop with Scrip Program – Purchase gift cards from school to major retailers for groceries, restaurants, gas, clothing and entertainment. Think ahead for birthdays, anniversaries or just do your weekly shopping. Visit www.shopwithscrip.com to see all the retailers available and to place your order. Next orders are due 2/27. Make checks payable to St. Jane Frances School. If you have any questions, please contact Kathy Walker at 410 255-4750 x1214 or e-mail at kwalker@stjaneschool.org.

Daily Draw – Drawings start in October and end in June. Cost is \$5 per ticket, per month. The winning ticket will be drawn each day in our school office. Winners will be notified by mail or phone. Please make checks payable to St. Jane Frances School

February:	2/1	776	2/2	864	2/3	251	2/4	468
	2/5	792	2/6	320	2/7	289	2/8	032
	2/9	934	2/10	308	2/11	439	2/12	010
	2/13	300	2/14	212	2/15	276		



Cold Hands, Warm Hearts.

Donate Blood.



**American
Red Cross**

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It may be chilly outside, but when you donate blood, you help to warm someone's heart. We invite you to brave the cold this season and join us at the blood drive below:

St. Jane Frances Roman Catholic Church Community Blood Drive

Sunday, February 26, 2012

8:00 AM to 2:30 PM

School Hall

Call Rod Devilbiss 410-437-2175
to schedule your life-saving donation

Breakfast from 8:30am-12pm

Donated by St. Jane Frances Church
Holy Name Society

Lunch from 12:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Donated by Beefalo Bob's



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For more information, or to schedule an appointment to donate,
please call 1-800-RED CROSS or visit redcrossblood.org

Calling all adults here at St. Jane's Parish

Here are two wonderful adult formation moments being offered here at the parish. Consider taking time from your hectic schedules for one or both.

Courageous Love

A Bible Study for Women!

Join us for an eight week bible study starting
Tuesday, February 21st
7:00– 8:00 pm
Lower Church

This bible study is meant for women in all stages and walks of life who want to discover and reflect on what the Holy Scripture teaches about women and our pursuit of Holiness!

Please contact us if you can to let us know you will be attending so we can have books available for everyone.
Cost is \$7 for materials

Claire Horvath– 410-255-4646
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The Four Temperaments

“Why we do the things we do”

Which can you relate to most?

Do you love perfection and organization– a place for everything, everything in it's place?

Do you avoid conflict at any cost and wonder why others spend so much energy on things they can't control?

Do you love to be the center of attention but can't remember where you parked your car?

Are you a natural leader who is annoyed by employees who don't follow your instructions to the letter?

Ever wonder WHY?

Come find out as we explore the Temperaments and why we do the things we do...!

Thursday, February 23rd
7:00pm- Parish Hall

Light refreshments to follow



Prayer That Makes a Difference

Parish Mission

St. Jane Frances

Monday, Feb 27th 7:00pm

Tuesday, Feb 28th 7:00pm

Wednesday, Feb 29th 7:00pm

Father Nicholas Amato

The goal of communication is *not* communication; it is communion. In our world of laptops, smart phones, and Kindles, we find ourselves communicating more and more, yet the bonding and communion with God, ourselves and with our spouses has not kept pace with technology. We find ourselves even less understood, cared for, or nurtured by one another.

On our parish mission, we will learn the fine art of prayerful presence where God can be experienced directly. Such a way of praying can make a difference in our relationship with Jesus Christ and particularly in our marriages. From such prayer, we are able to “put on Christ,” as our very lives begin to flow to and from God, and we discover who we are “in God.” Join us for one or three evenings of self-renewal and self-understanding as we experience first-hand how prayer can change lives, particularly ours.

Father Nicholas is a priest of the Archdiocese of Baltimore and has been ordained 40 years. He has served over 20 of them as a pastor. Father is a graduate of the Shalem Institute for Spiritual Formation and has done three-month sabbaticals in Rome, in Israel, and at Mepkin (Trappist) Abbey in South Carolina. He serves as adjunct faculty at the Shalem Institute for Spiritual Formation in Washington, D.C. and in that capacity teaches their *Personal Spiritual Deepening Program: Living in God* in the Baltimore Metropolitan Area. His full-time ministry includes directing contemplative retreats, preaching parish missions, and offering days of recollection. He has Masters degrees in both Counseling and Theology, and a Doctorate in Educational Management.

SPAGHETTI DINNER

**ST. JANE FRANCES HIGH SCHOOL
WORK CAMP FUNDRAISER**

Spaghetti with Delicious Meatballs

Fresh Tasty Salad and Bread

Homemade Deserts!

Our High School Youth are still working hard to get to Pennsylvania this summer to do **Mission Work!** We need to collect funds to help us get there and to support the work we will be doing for those who are not as well off as we are here...

Our Hoagie Sale went so well and we received so many nice comments on our tasty subs that we wanted to really impress you and provide you with a wonderful dinner! Come and see what we can do with spaghetti and meatballs!!

**SUNDAY MARCH 4TH
1-5 PM IN PARISH HALL**

**TICKETS AT THE DOOR: \$8 FOR ADULTS -\$6 FOR CHILDREN
ADVANCE TICKETS: \$7 FOR ADULTS- \$5 FOR CHILDREN
ADVANCED TICKETS NEED TO GET TO RECTORY BY SAT. 3/3**

Advanced Ticket Orders– Please put in Collection Basket or send to Rectory

Number of Adult tickets? _____ @ \$7.00

Number of Children tickets? _____ @ \$5.00

Total Enclosed? _____

Name? _____