CATHOLIC FAITH COMMUNITY JOINT BASE MYER-HENDERSON HALL FORT MYER, VIRGINIA 22211

Website: www.jbmhhcatholicparish.com Archdiocese Website: www.milarch.org Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 9-10 August 2014

NOTES FROM FR. FRED

Dear Catholic Community at Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall:

I really like the First Reading from the First Book of Kings. It's a reminder to us that God is a "God of surprise." We often have our expectations of God. We, too, often seek to make God into our image and likeness. We need to be reminded of the opposite. We are made in His image. God is all-powerful and yet, as in the first reading, God doesn't only come in fire and power. God comes in the tiniest whisper - the softest breeze. As in the gospel today, ultimately all of creation is subject to God's power. God can be found in everything and God has the power to overcome the elements and bring CALM AND PEACE. Oftentimes, that's the presence of God that we REALLY need. We need Him to calm our spirit because sometimes life can feel like a BIG STORM. As we pray together today, may we be people of great faith who experience God's power in our lives.

Christ's peace to you, Fr. Fred

Designated Offerings: 23-24 August for FEDS FEED FAMILIES FOOD DRIVE

6-7 September for FISHER HOUSE

Holy Day: 15 August ~ Assumption of Mary Masses at 1200 and 1800

RCIA News and Help Request

RCIA will begin on Sunday, 7 September at 1030. If you know of someone interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about Catholicism, please let us know. As mentioned at Mass, Kathy Pardue will be heading our RCIA. WE NEED YOUR HELP! We are asking for volunteers to sponsor an RCIA candidate by making a promise that you and/or your family will pray for this candidate each day. ALSO, we would like the members of our faith community to write a letter telling what his/her faith means to you. These letters can be written by both children and adults; signed or written anonymously. They will be placed in a binder

for RCIA candidates to read. Letters can be emailed to Kathy Pardue at pardue75@verizon.net or handed to Kathy at weekend Mass. THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION.

Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated at the Masses on the 2nd weekend of every month. The anointing is for anyone of advanced age or who has a serious (not necessarily life threatening) illness. IT IS A SACRAMENT OF HEALING for body, mind and spirit!!!!

LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER--for Vocations to the Priesthood and the Military Chaplaincy; for our deployed troops and their families; for our parishioners who are ill; and for our deceased:

Deployed: FC2 Joseph Reed, USN; Carol Yannarella, USAF

Healing: David Ward, 2LT Jason Pak, Marguerite Prados, Bill Daknis, Jaime Perez, Sharon Weycker, Nicholas Mararac, Renato Depaolio, John Berthiaume, Len Trahan, Babs Clare, Jeanmarie Jonston, Gigi Goode, Kelly Krug, Jim Bayer, Emma Kelly, Myrtle Bowen, Sue Higgins, Andrea White, Rodney Hoots, Jim Egan, George Fries, Jimmy Daknis, Larry Hanson, Amy Baillargeon

Deceased: Victorio Ricalde, Betty Ball, Peter Thomas Gabriel, Elaine Carolus, Anna Minassian, Molly Thomas, Regina Tocci, Mary Laney, Dianne Critchlow, Alma Hollmann, Bernie Pankowski, Arline Zbikowski, Anton Lilly, John Pellicci, Tony & Nancy DiSalvo, Robert Michael Crumley, Timothy Grinning, Sr., Walter Smith, Charles Tighe, Francis X. Towey, Margaret Towey, Helen Tighe, Midge Richardson, Marion Ulanski, Ronald Crooker, Thomas Sullivan, Jorge Justiniani, Jordan Trunfio, Joseph Nestro, Frank Then, Anna Cumpas, Leon Gamboa, COL (RET)John Graebener, USA

IF ANYONE CAN BE REMOVED FROM LIST, PLEASE LET FR. FRED KNOW

Offering for 2-3 August

1700 Vigil Mass: \$1814.02 0900 Sunday Mass: \$2649.00 **Total:** \$4463.02

ATTENDANCE: 326 Please make checks payable to "CTOF"

Parish Contact Information

Pastor: Fr. Fred Wendel 703-696-5688 or alfred.w.wendel2.mil@mail.mil

Mass: 5PM Saturday Vigil, 9AM Sunday, Noon M-F. All at Memorial Chapel. **Reconciliation:** 11:30-11:45AM Tuesday-Friday in Room 112 of Memorial Chapel.

Emergency Contact: Marshall Desk SGT 703-696-3525

Parish Registration: See usher for form.

Advance E-bulletin: Available on website; e-mailed each Thursday

Sacraments and sponsor letters: Requires registration. Fr. Fred has pastoral jurisdiction only

for active duty military and their family members.

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Confession: Tuesday - Friday

11:30 - 11:45

Room 112 Memorial Chapel

Mass Schedule: Saturday 5pm Sunday 9am Weekdays noon

Daily Readings: www.usccb.org

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
27	28	29	30	31	01	02
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	04	05	06	07	08	Anointing of the Sick
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Anointing of the Sick	11	12	13	14	Assumption of Mary Holy Day Masses: 1200 & 1800	16
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	18	19	20	21	22	Designated Offering: FEDS Feed Families Food Drive
Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time Designated Offering: Feds Feed Families Food Drive	25	26	27	28	29	30
Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time	01	02	03	04	05	Ministry Weekend and Name Tag Weekend