

**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
5-6 February 2016

We seek to light the way to Christ as a strong military Catholic community of faith guided by the Holy Spirit and on fire with God's love.

JBM-HH Catholic Community  
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**Mass:** 5PM Saturday Vigil, 9AM Sunday, Noon M-F.

**Daily Mass:** Noon in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel

**Reconciliation:** 11:30-11:45AM Tuesday-Friday in Room 112

**Catholic Coordinator:** Pam Ortiz

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**Registration:** Forms available on website or from an usher

**Sacraments and Sponsor Letters:** Requires registration. Fr.

Fred has pastoral jurisdiction only for active duty military and their family members

**E-Bulletins:** Available on website; e-mailed each Thursday.

Please add [@jbmhhcatholicparish.com](mailto:@jbmhhcatholicparish.com) to "safe sender" list.

Contact Pam with registrations changes or to Opt Out of

receiving the e-bulletin.

**Our Mission:** We, the Catholic Community of Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall, serve to advance the spiritual growth and resilience of all bonded by love of Christ, and share experiences of service to country. Guided by our military chaplain, we actively participate in the living Body of Christ and persevere in our Savior's mission. We are grateful stewards of the gifts we have received and eagerly use them to show our love for God and for one another. Jesus' life and teachings direct our lives as Christian disciples.

**Clergy Notes by Deacon Joe**

On this Sunday we are presented with Isaiah, Paul and Peter - all are chosen by God. Like us, they are humble enough to admit that they are too sinful to fulfill God's choice. But God makes up for what we lack. Isaiah says, "How can I, a man of unclean lips living among people of unclean lips, proclaim the Lord." Jesus demonstrates how we can all become fisher of men (and women) by our actions.

The Nicene Creed was written centuries ago to help Christians remember the important beliefs of the faith. In the Nicene Creed we identify the four marks of the Church: One, Holy, Catholic and **Apostolic**. As we prepare ourselves to enter into the Season of Lent this Ash Wednesday, let us rally with our Pontiff in uniting our Church.

Have a blessed week.

**February 6 through February 26, 2016**

SAT & SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	
<b>6</b> 7 <i>Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Scout Sunday Name Tag Sunday 1030 CRE, EPIC	<b>8</b> 1800 RCIA	<b>9</b> 1100 Bible Study	<b>10 ASH WEDNESDAY</b> Masses: Noon – Memorial Chapel & NDU 1800 - Memorial Chapel	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> Training Holiday 1000 Exposition Noon Mass 1800 Stations of the Cross 1830 Soup Dinner	
<b>13</b> <i>Anointing of the Sick – Sat &amp; Sun</i> <i>D.O.: Luke's Wings – Sat &amp; Sun</i>	<b>14</b> <i>First Sunday of Lent</i> 1030 Finance Committee Meeting 1030 CRE, EPIC	<b>15</b> Washington's Birthday – Federal Holiday Chapel Closed NO Noon Mass 1800 RCIA	<b>16</b> NO Bible Study Pastoral Council meeting RSVPs close	<b>17</b> 1900 Fr. Fred's Adult Ed on World Religions – Blessed Sacrament Chapel	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> 1800 Stations of the Cross 1830 Soup Dinner
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> <i>Second Sunday of Lent</i> 0815 ALP Team Meeting 1030 Pastoral Council Meeting	<b>22</b> Lenten Mission 1800 Light Meal 1900 Mission	<b>23</b> Lenten Mission 1800 Light Meal 1900 Mission	<b>24</b> Lenten Mission 1800 Light Meal 1900 Mission	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> 1800 Stations of the Cross 1830 Soup Dinner

**Offertory for 30-31 January 2016**

1700 Vigil Mass: 146 \$1,602.98

0900 Mass: 247 \$3,119.00

**Total: 393 \$4,721.98**

Please make checks payable to C.T.O.F.

**Scheduled Designated Offerings**

13-14 February Luke's Wings

19-20 March Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA

25 March (Good Friday) Holy Land Collection

**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; Ginny Ortiz, Peace Corps

**Deceased:** Gigi Goode, Eileen Gay (grandmother of Patrick Saluke)

**Healing:** Jeanmarie Jonston, Alfred Prados, Jim Egan, Len Trahan, Bob Bowen, Kevin Tighe, Bob Schaaf, Alexis Coffey, Frank Bernardo, Nimpa Bautista, John Bikus, Suzie Kumashiro, Hamlin Ortiz (father of Ham Ortiz), Randy Krug, Jack Doyle, Virginia Hoh, Jeff Lepak, Al and Marilyn Hanson, Russell Plaisance, Warren Krug, Betsy Plowman, Warren Efting, Barbara Nastro, Joe Franklin, Bob Daknis, Millie Nash

~ Please contact Pam to remove names from Deployed and Healing lists~

**Introduction to the Readings**

**First Reading: Isaiah 6:1-8** The prophet Isaiah lived about 750 years before Christ. His enthusiastic response to God's call led to a prophetic career that lasted over 40 years. In this brief passage, we find not only the source for the "Holy, Holy" in the Mass, but also the prayer before reading the Gospel (asking God to cleanse one's lips), and finally the refrain from a frequently used contemporary hymn.

*In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.*

Psalm 138

**Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11** We continue our reading from Paul's first letter to the Corinthians. Some members of the community had questioned the bodily resurrection of Jesus, and our own resurrection as well. This passage is Paul's response. It pre-dates the Gospels and is the oldest written record of the Church's core tradition about Christ's resurrection.

**Community Notes**

**Scout Sunday is** this Sunday, **7 February**, where we will recognize our community's Boy and Girl Scouts. Scouts, please come to the 0900 Mass wearing your uniform. Congratulations to those who have worked so diligently to earn their religious awards this year!

**Designated Offering: Luke's Wings** has been rescheduled for the weekend of **13-14 February**. Luke's Wings is dedicated to the support of service members who have been wounded in battle. By purchasing travel agency services and travel tickets, family members so they can be together with their loved one during hospitalization and rehabilitation. For more information, including other services provided by this organization, please visit their website at [www.lukeswings.org](http://www.lukeswings.org)

**Ash Wednesday Mass schedule:** Noon Masses at Memorial Chapel and NDU, Ft. McNair; 1800 Mass at Memorial Chapel

**Lenten Fridays:** 1800 Stations of the Cross in Memorial Chapel sanctuary; 1830 meatless supper in Fellowship Hall. February ministry sponsors: EMHC – **12 February**; Lectors – **19 February**; Altar Servers & the Knights of Columbus – **26 February**.

**Baptisms:** Reminder that Fr. Fred does not celebrate baptisms during the Lenten Season except for emergencies. Lent begins on **Wednesday, 10 February**. For future baptisms, please schedule either before Lent or beginning in the Easter Season which starts on 26 March. Please contact Fr. Fred if you have questions or need more information.

**Lenten Mission 2016 - February 22, 23, and 24, "Everyday Holiness: Living Well Today,"** facilitated by Mrs. Susan Gardner and Fr. Michael Murray, OSFS. Each evening begins at 1800 with a light meal in Fellowship Hall; the mission begins at 1900 in the chapel sanctuary.

**Italian Renaissance Collection Tour** at the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D.C. on **20 February**. Meet in the Gallery Rotunda at 1145 (free coat check available), have lunch at the Cascade Café, and return to the Rotunda at 1315 for a 1330 tour. The tour is free and lasts one hour. Lunch is on your own. Or just meet up for the tour if you don't want to have lunch. Please RSVP to Tom Dundzila at [tomasmya@gmail.com](mailto:tomasmya@gmail.com) or (703) 507-3048.

**Meals on Wheels:** chapel communities have long supported this most worthwhile organization which brings meals to shut-ins in Arlington County. We cover three routes on the second Wednesday of each month and are in need of more volunteers. If you think this service calls you, please contact Nancy Jackson at (703) 534-1956 or Richie Wright at (703) 971-3305.

**Volunteers for S.O.M.E. (So Others Might Eat)** On the second and fifth Friday of each month, chapel volunteers help feed over 400 homeless people at S.O.M.E. in the District by cooking breakfast. If you'd like to help, the group meets at 0545 in the Memorial Chapel Fellowship Hall to carpool to D.C. For further information, please call Betsy Hendrix at (703) 696-6635.

**Flower Dedication:** A flower chart is posted on the wall in Betsy Hendrix's office. You can request to have the flowers on a particular Sunday dedicated in honor of a loved one. There is no charge for the flower dedication. If you wish, you may add a bit to your regular donation.