

Our Vision: 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.

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

JBM-HH Catholic Community

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Registration: Forms available on website or email the Catholic Coordinator.

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 to "safe sender" list. Contact the Catholic Coordinator with registration changes or to Opt Out of receiving the e-bulletin.

Daily Mass: M – F, 1200, Blessed Sacrament Chapel **Reconciliation:** T – F, 1130 – 1145, Room 112
Please visit the website calendar to view full event information and to check for schedule updates.

18 June through 1 July

SAT & SUN		MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
18 1700 Vigil Mass	19 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Happy Father's Day! 0900 Mass 1030 Pastoral Council Meeting	20 RCIA resumes in August	21 1100 Bible Study	22	23	24
25 1700 Vigil Mass	26 Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time 0900 Mass 1030 Fr. Fred's class 1030 Baptism Instruction Class	27 0930 – 1200 VBS RCIA resumes in August	28 0930 – 1200 VBS 1100 Bible Study	29 0930 – 1200 VBS	30 0930 – 1200 VBS	July 1 Chapel Open Training Holiday 0930 – 1200 VBS

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Offertory Week 9-10 June 2016

1700 Vigil Mass: 122 \$2,238.62
0900 Mass: 237 \$2,432.35
Total: 359 \$4,670.97

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

Next Designated Offering: 9-10 July, Peter's Pence Collection

Online Resources

[Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA](#)
[Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception](#)
[Jubilee Year of Mercy](#)
[The Holy See](#)
[United States Conference of Catholic Bishops \(USCCB\)](#)

Clergy Notes – Weekend of 18-19 June

Dear Catholic Community,

In our Gospel reading today, Jesus asks His disciples an important question as to who He was to His disciples. As we reflect on the identity of our Lord, Jesus Christ, we are invited to reflect and identify who we are. On this Twelfth Sunday of the Ordinary Time, we also celebrate the Father's Day. An essential part of Christianity is to live a life of sacrificial love and Jesus' sacrifice on the cross reconciled us to God. To deny the self, we are called to make a choice for God. Few are called to be martyrs, but all of us are called to a life of sacrificial love. The Cross is the daily choice to deny those things that keep us from God. Our parents exemplify that love.

Happy Father's Day!

Deacon Joe

Readings – Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Zechariah 12:10-11

The prophet Zechariah preached after the Jews returned from exile. This brief passage we will hear today is puzzling. A person is depicted as suffering and dying for the people, but we don't know who it is. In the Gospel of John, this passage is applied to Jesus on the Cross, pierced with a lance.

My soul is thirsting for you, O lord my God. Psalm 63

Second Reading: Galatians 3:26-29

Today we hear one of the most famous passages from Paul's letter to the Galatians. In that culture and at that time, it was a remarkable statement against any form of ethnic, religious or gender discrimination.

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: Hamlin Ortiz Zapata (father of Ham Ortiz)

Healing: Alfred Prados, Jim Egan, Len Trahan, Bob Bowen, Kevin Tighe, Bob Schaaf, Alexis Coffey, Frank Bernardo, John Bikus, Suzie Kumashiro, Randy Krug, Jack Doyle, Virginia Hoh, Jeff Lepak, Al and Marilyn Hanson, Russell Plaisance, Warren Krug, Betsy Plowman, Warren Efting, Barbara Nastro, Joe Franklin, Bill Daknis, Bob Daknis, Millie Nash, Maria Miani, Amanda Ciccone, Richard W. Kalb, Fran DeLoatche, Babs Clare, Mike Marshall, Finian Lalime

Community News

Fr. Fred's pre-RCIA class "**Practice Makes Catholic**" will meet on Sunday, **26 June**.

Vacation Bible School begins next Monday, **27 June**, and ends on Friday, **1 July**, Fellowship Hall. Classes begin at 0930 and end at noon.

Attention Youths: Any young people interested in training to become an Altar Server, please let Fr. Fred know. Remember that you must have received your First Communion.

Fr. Fred is looking for married couples who would be willing to assist him in preparing Engaged Couples for the **Sacrament of Matrimony**. Fr. Fred will provide the training for you to be involved in this ministry. The requirement is a willingness to meet 5 to 6 times with a couple for approximately one and a half to two hours each time. Fr. Fred is particularly looking for couples who have been married between 10 and 25 years. If interested, please contact Fr. Fred by email at:

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The next **Designated Offering** is the weekend of **9-10 July** for the Peter's Pence Collection. The national collection to support Peter's Pence provides the Holy Father with the financial means to respond to those who are suffering throughout the world as a result of war, oppression, natural disaster, and disease. Monies collected are sent to the Archdiocese of the Military Services, USA, which will forward them through the Apostolic Nunciature to the Holy See.