

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 and for one another. Jesus' life and teachings direct our lives as Christian disciples.

JBM-HH Catholic Community

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Suicide Prevention Lifeline: (800) 273-8255 | [Veterans Crisis Line](#)

Catholic Coordinator: Pam Ortiz info@jbmhhcatholicparish.com

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.

Daily Mass: M – F, 1200, Blessed Sacrament Chapel **Reconciliation:** T – F, 1130 – 1145, Room 112
Please visit the [website calendar](#) for dates, locations, event details and for schedule updates.

4 March through 17 March 2017

SAT & SUN		MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
4 1700 Vigil Mass	5 1st Sunday of Lent Name Tag Sunday 0900 Mass 1030 Adult Ed; CRE	6 1000 Living Word 1800 RCIA	7 1100 Bible Study 1830 Town Hall, Fellowship Hall	8	9 1130 Daily Mass 1200 Concert & Lunch 1900 Adult Ed – World Religions	10 Lenten Friday 1800 Stations of the Cross 1830 Penitential Supper
11 Anointing of the Sick – Sat & Sun 1700 Vigil Mass	12 2nd Sunday of Lent 1030 Baptism Class; CRE 1030 Town Hall meeting Daylight Saving Time Begins!	13 1000 Living Word 1800 RCIA	14 1100 Bible Study	15	16	17 Lenten Friday 1800 Stations of the Cross 1830 Penitential Supper

Connect with us! In addition to our [website](#), we are on [Facebook](#) and on [Twitter @JBMHHCatholics](#)

Offertory Weekend 25-26 February

1700 Vigil Mass: 153 \$1,432.00
0900 Mass: 268 \$2,668.00
421 \$4,100.00

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

Next Designated Offering: 14 April 2017; Holy Land Collection

We are seeking motivated children of this wonderful congregation to join the Altar Server ministry group. To be an Altar server you must have received First Communion.

The primary role of the altar server is to assist the priest in the celebration of the liturgy during Mass.

If you would like to learn more, come to our training on Saturday, **18 March 2017** at 1500 at the Old Post Chapel.

For more information email Maria & Joel Waugh at: altarservers@jbmhhcatholicparish.com



Readings for the weekend of

4-5 March 2017

First Reading: Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7

The account of the sin of Adam and Eve is a classic example of how everyone sins. The author recognized that there is a standard pattern: We toy with temptation...we fall...then we make excuses.

Second Reading: Romans 5:12-19

Paul's letter to the Romans is his most detailed and important theological work. His purpose in this passage is not to teach about original sin, but to contrast Adam and Christ. From Adam we inherited a strong pull toward sin. From Christ (the "new Adam") we received a gift that is incomparably stronger: Divine Grace.



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; for our deceased; and, for those who are lonely or in crisis:

Deployed: FC2 Joseph Reed, USN; Ginny Ortiz, Peace Corps; AE3 AJ Ortiz, USN; Harold Miller, Jr., DoD; Deborah & Panakkal David, Foreign Service

Healing: Alfred Prados, Jim Egan, Len Trahan, Bob Bowen, Kevin Tighe, Bob Schaaf, Alexis Coffey, Frank Bernardo, John Bikus, Suzie Kumashiro, Jack Doyle, Bill Hoh, Virginia Hoh, Jeff Lepak, Al and Marilyn Hanson, Russell Plaisance, Warren Krug, Warren Efting, Barbara Nastro, Joe Franklin, Maria Miani, Richard W. Kalb, Fran DeLoatche, Finian Lalime, John Bian, Lina Czugas, Mary Masserini, Carol Crain, Chaplain (MAJ) John Gabriel, Caroline "Tiger" Davidowich

Lonely or in crisis: If you need to talk to someone, please call 1-800-273-TALK (8255) Option 1; text 838255; chat live at [Veterans Crisis Line](#).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Baptisms and Lent: Except for emergency situations, during the penitential Season of Lent, there will be NO baptisms. Baptisms will begin again on Easter and during the Easter Season.

Town Hall Meetings – Chaplain (MAJ) John Barkemeyer of the Army Chief of Chaplains Office will hold two town hall meetings to discuss and answer questions regarding transitional changes within the JBM-HH Catholic community. The meetings are on Tuesday, **7 March** at 1830 in Fellowship Hall; and, on Sunday, **12 March** at 1030 at the Education Center, Room 110. The Education Center is located in the Combined Operations Facility (Building 417) at 239 Sheridan Avenue.

Lenten Concert & Lunch Series – Thursdays, **9 & 23 March**, and **6 April**. Concerts begin at noon in the chapel sanctuary followed by lunch and devotional in Fellowship Hall. Daily Mass on these days only will be celebrated at 1130.

The **World Religions** class will host Chaplain Mark Worrell, Captain, U.S. Army, to discuss **Protestantism After Martin Luther** on **March 9 and 23**. Please note that this is a change in the schedule, which originally listed this class as March 9 and 16. All are welcome to join us.

The **Catholic Mysticism** class will meet again this Sunday, **March 5**, to study **St. Angela of Foligno**. Special note to those who traveled with Fr. Fred this past September to Italy: St. Angela is the newly canonized (2013) saint that we learned about when we visited the Basilica Cattedrale di San Feliciano in Foligno. Please consider coming to the class to learn more about this remarkable woman known for her spiritual writings and as the founder of a new religious community to care for those in need, which is still active today.

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