

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.

18 March through 24 March 2017

SAT & SUN		MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
18 1500 Altar Server Training, Memorial Chapel 1700 Vigil Mass	19 3rd Sunday of Lent 1st Scrutiny 0810 ALP Team Meeting 0900 Mass 1030 Adult Ed, ALP, CRE	20 1000 Living Word 1800 RCIA	21 1100 Bible Study	22	23 1130 Daily Mass 1200 Concert & Lunch 1900 Adult Ed – World Religions	24 Lenten Friday 1800 Stations of the Cross 1830 Penitential Supper
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Connect with us! In addition to our [website](#), we are on [Facebook](#) and on [Twitter @JBMHHCatholics](#)

Offertory Weekend 11-12 March

1700 Vigil Mass: 143 \$1,706.97
0900 Mass: 197 \$2,144.00
340 \$3,840.97

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

Next Designated Offering: 14 April 2017; Holy Land Collection

“The King of Instruments & The Instrument of Kings”

Music at the Monastery
1400 Quincy Street NE, Washington, DC
Sunday March 26, 2017 at 4:00 pm

~featuring~

Chuck Seipp ~ Trumpet

Shenandoah Conservatory of Winchester, VA | The US Army Band (SGM ret.)

Randall Sheets ~ Organ

Arlington National Cemetery Ceremonial Organist

A varied program of music by Bach, Handel, Mussorgsky, Rivier, Wright and Thalben-Ball.

Concert Highlights

~ Bach/Vivaldi Violin Concerto for trumpet and organ

~ excerpts from Mussorgsky's *Pictures at an Exhibition*

~ Bach's *Sinfonia from Cantata 29*.



Readings for the weekend of

18-19 March 2017

First Reading: Exodus 17:3-7

The book of Exodus tells of the Israelites' escape from Egypt and their wanderings in the wilderness. Their trials during that time, the way they faced them and the way God responded, provided future generations with food for thought whenever they faced difficulties.

Second Reading: Romans 5:1-2,5-8

In writing to the Romans, Paul is dealing with a community he had not yet visited. Many Roman Christians were converts from Judaism who believed they would be saved by how they lived out the Jewish Law. Paul stresses here, as he does frequently in his writings, that Christians are saved not by the Law, but by faith – faith in what Jesus accomplished by his dying and rising.

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

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, Richard W. Kalb, Fran DeLoatche, Finian Lalime, John Bian, Lina Czubas, Mary Masserini, Carol Crain, Chaplain (MAJ) John Gabriel, Caroline "Tiger" Davidowich, Eric Smith, Christiana Cappelletti - Curry

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

Lenten Fridays: 1800 Stations of the Cross followed by Penitential Supper at 1830. Ministry sponsors: 24 March – Lectors & Ushers; 31 March – Eucharistic Ministers; 7 April – Adult Ed, Arimatheans, Knights of Columbus, and the Outreach committee.

Lenten Concert & Lunch Series – Thursdays, **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.

Adult Ed: The *Catholic Mysticism* class will meet on Sunday, **19 March** at 1030 in the conference room to study St. Catherine of Siena. The *World Religions* class will continue its discussion of Protestantism After Martin Luther with Chaplain Mark Worrell, Captain, U.S. Army, on Thursday, **23 March** at 1900 in the conference room. All are invited to attend.

Lenten Penance Service and Confessions – Tuesday, **28 March** at 1900. After the community penance service, there will be several priests available to hear individual confessions.

2017 AMS Chrism Mass - Each year Archbishop Broglio concelebrates with his priests the Chrism Mass, during which the priests renew their commitment and the oils intended for sacramental use on military installations and VA medical centers served by the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA are blessed and consecrated. These oils will be used for baptism, confirmation, anointing of the sick, and ordinations during the upcoming year. Archbishop Timothy P. Broglio, with the clergy serving AMS, will celebrate the Chrism Mass on **Tuesday, 4 April at 6:00 p.m.** in the Crypt Church of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. The Chrism Mass is open to the public, and the faithful of the Archdiocese are encouraged to participate.

Vacation Bible School - CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS!!!! It's time to think about volunteering for the JBM-HH VBS 2017. This is an ecumenical vacation bible school program. The dates are **26-30 June 2017**. This year's theme is Rome. We will visit a crowded Marketplace and tiptoe past Roman guards, meet the Apostle Paul and some of the first Christians. Please consider spending some time as a volunteer for this very worthwhile program. If you are interested, contact Nancy Stevenson at nancy.stevenson@aol.com. Thank you!!