

Pastor: Chaplain (MAJ) John Barkemeyer  
 Sacramental Minister: Chaplain (LTC) Tim Hubbs  
 Deacon: Rev. Mr. Joe Pak  
 Catholic Coordinator: Pam Ortiz-Marty

**Mass & Confession Schedule**  
 Saturday Vigil Mass - 1700; Sunday Mass – 0900  
 Midday Mass – 1200 MON, WED, & FRI; Blessed Sacrament Chapel  
 Confessions – Saturdays at 1600; Catholic Office, Room 112

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**Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall Catholic Community**  
 101 McNair Rd, Fort Myer, VA 22211  
 703.696.5688  
 Mon-Wed-Fri from 0930 to 1300  
 Tue & Thurs from 1330 to 1600

**Emergency Contact for a Catholic Priest:** Provost Marshall Desk  
 SGT 703.696.3525

**Suicide Prevention Lifeline:** 800.273.8255 | [Veterans Crisis Line](#)

**Sacraments and Sponsor Letters:** Registration required. Priests only have pastoral jurisdiction with respect to sacraments for active duty military and their family members.

**Registration:** Registering helps us to better serve our congregants. Electronic [forms](#) available on website or via email from the Catholic Coordinator; paper forms are at the back of the chapel. Registration required for ministry volunteers and to enroll in the CRE program.

**E-Bulletins:** E-mailed each Thursday; available on website



	Attendance	Offering
Saturday, 8 July:	116	\$1,450.03
Sunday, 9 July:	171	\$2,413.00
<b>Weekend Total:</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>\$3,863.03</b>



Please make checks payable to C.T.O.F.  
 The next designated offering: 5-6 August for the Archdiocese of the Military Services



**Midday Mass Intentions**

If you would like to offer up a midday mass for an intention, please contact the Catholic Coordinator to schedule. Donations may be made by adding to your regular weekend Mass offering. Mass cards are available at either the chapel office or the Catholic office.



**Mailing Lists**

Receive announcements and information by subscribing to any one or all the following lists! To subscribe, [email](#) the Catholic Coordinator with your choices. Lists are available for the Catholic Coordinator; Finance Committee; Knights of Columbus Round Table; Midday Mass; Pastoral Advisory Council; Adult Religious Education; Children’s Religious Education; Topics in Catholicism; and Vacation Bible School.

**Calendar Notes**

Sun 16 July	1030	Baptism Instruction Class, Conference Room
Mon 17 July		No Midday Mass
Tues 18 July	1100	Topics in Catholicism, Conference Room
Wed 19 July		No Midday Mass
Fri 21 July		No Midday Mass
Tues 25 July	1100	Topics in Catholicism, Conference Room
Wed 26 July		No Midday Mass
Fri 28 July		No Midday Mass
Fri 28 July		242 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of the US Army Chaplain Corps



**This Weekend’s Readings**

**First Reading** 🌿 **Isaiah 55:10-11**

Because the Israelites were exiled in the pagan land of Babylon, the assuring words that God had previously spoken to them now seemed empty. In today’s passage, the prophet Isaiah will use an image from nature to describe how God’s word always bears fruit and comes true no matter how unlikely it may seem.

**Second Reading** 🌿 **Romans 8:18-23**

As we continue reading from the eighth chapter of Paul’s letter to the Romans, he tells us that sin affected not only human beings but also all creation, and the coming of Christ had a healing effect on *both*. It is evident that Paul is not pessimistic about this world.

**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; Deborah & Panakkal David, Foreign Service

**Healing:** Alfred Prados, Len Trahan, Bob Bowen, Suzie Kumashiro, Bill Hoh, Virginia Hoh, Jeff Lepak, Warren Efting, Barbara Nastro, Lina Czupas, Mary Masserini, Fr. Majka, Caroline “Tiger” Davidowich, Bob Schaaf, Rosemary Haddock, Bill Daknis, Finian Lalime

**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](#).

To add or remove names, please call the Catholic Office or [email](#) the Catholic Coordinator. To renew names on the *Prayers for Healing* list, contact the Catholic Office by the end of the month.



**Confession Schedule Change**

Beginning 1 August, confessions will be by appointment only. To schedule, please call the Catholic office at 703-696-5688.



**July Midday Mass Schedule**

**UPDATE: Monday, 17 July Mass has been cancelled.**

There will be no noon Mass on Wednesdays or Fridays while Fr. Hubbs is on leave; there is no change to the Monday schedule. The July schedule is posted on the Blessed Sacrament Chapel door and has been distributed to mailing list subscribers. If you would like to be on the Midday Mass mailing list, please [email](#) the Catholic Coordinator.



**RCIA**

RCIA – the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults - begins the last Monday in August, August 28<sup>th</sup>, at 1800 in the main chapel conference room across from the Catholic office. All interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about our Catholic faith are invited to attend. There will be food, too, at each class!

For more information, please call the Catholic office at (703) 696-5688 or email the RCIA coordinator at [RCIA@jbmhccatholicparish.com](mailto:RCIA@jbmhccatholicparish.com)

**Mission Statement**

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 shared 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.

*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.*

**Core Value Statements**

WE bond through shared service to our country.  
 WE welcome all to join our community’s journey with Christ.  
 WE grow continually to celebrate Christ through education, prayer, service, and fellowship.  
 WE thrive through vibrant ministries that engage all within our [JBM-HH] community.  
 WE walk with other JBM-HH faith communities to praise and serve God.