

# St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church

Established as a Mission: October 6, 1957  
Building Dedicated: April 21, 1963  
Became a Parish: June, 1975

## St. Stephen Ministry Connections

<b>Altar Servers</b>	Shell Hulcher	(703)542-5124
<b>Baptism Team</b>	Pat Durkin	(571)261-3359
<b>Bulletin Editor</b>	Laura Burgess	(540)687-6433
<b>Choir</b>	Trudy Maher	(540)687-6433
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</b>		
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<b>Finance Committee</b>	Nic Jahnke	(540)687-6269
<b>Knights of Columbus</b>	Joe Pilkus	(703)327-3336
<b>Lectors</b>	Nadia Stanfield	(540)253-5356
<b>Prayer Vine</b>	Kathleen Lambiasi	(703)754-8224
<b>Adult Faith Inquiry</b>	Kathy Frick	(703)754-8444
<b>Religious Education</b>	Rose Carroll	(703)753-2429
<b>Ushers</b>		

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Dennis Pierce 703-754-8444  
[dpierce@saint-stephen.org](mailto:dpierce@saint-stephen.org)

RE classes Notre Dame Academy 9:30-11am

### Second Grade Parents

There will be a meeting **Thursday, January 28, at 7pm** at the St. Katharine Drexel Mission office. The guest speaker will be Fr. Kevin O'Neil, C.S.S.R. STD. The topic for the evening will be "Conscience: How it is Formed and Informed in the Catholic Tradition".

## All Saints Catholic School Open House

All Saints Catholic School will host Open House meetings for prospective parents on **Thursday, January 21st** and **Thursday, February 11th**. Both sessions will begin at 9:00 a.m. at All Saints Catholic School located at 9294 Stonewall Road in Manassas. After a presentation and question & answer session, tours of the facility will be provided. It's a great opportunity to learn more about All Saints Catholic School, a 2009 Blue Ribbon School of Excellence. Applications for tuition assistance through the Diocese of Arlington will be available at the Open House. Registration for new students (including Pre-Kindergarten) for the 2010-2011 school year will run from February 10 to March 3.

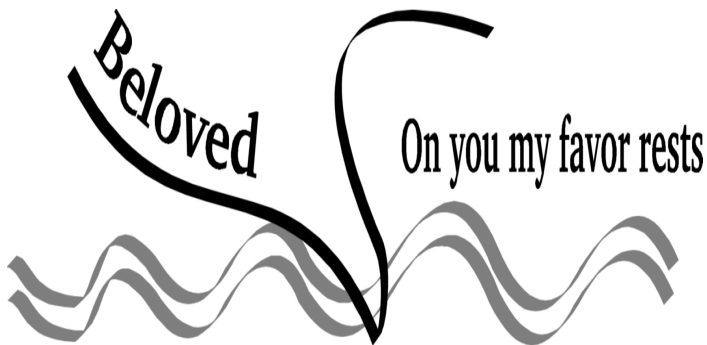
Plan to attend and experience the dynamic, Catholic environment of All Saints Catholic School. For more information, please contact Mrs. Joyce D'Eugenio, Administrative Assistant, at (703) 393-1490 or via e-mail at [deugenio@allsaintsva.org](mailto:deugenio@allsaintsva.org).



*Thank you  
SO much!*

**A wonderful thank you** goes out to all in our parish who so kindly collected and returned so generously the Angel Giving Tree items this Christmas season! We had such a wonderful collection of items from our whole Middleburg Community to offer at the "Seven Loaves Christmas Shop"!

A huge thank you also goes out to the Justice Walking Youth Group who so enthusiastically set up the entire "shop" for Seven Loaves along with the super confirmation class youth with Sue Carter.



Masses at St. Stephen the Martyr and St. Katharine Drexel can be offered for living and deceased loved ones. Please call the parish office to schedule.

Please remember **SEVEN LOAVES** when you come to Church on Sunday. Food items can be left in the baskets in the narthex. They can use soups, tuna fish, canned meat, cereal, peanut butter, canned fruit and vegetables.



**Hispanic Catholic Community**  
Lily 540-364-3131, cell 540-222-1952

**Employers Needed!** Full, part-time and by the job workers available! If you have work for these members of our community, call Lily.

**Donations?** Families in need ... any household items including dishes, pots, pans, beds, etc. We will make arrangements to pick up. Call Lily.

## In and Around Our Parish

### From the Office for Family Life New to the Area?

Are you a young adult in your 20s or 30s, married or single, who would like to get connected with other young adults? Sign up for the Young Adult Ministry's information-packed and up to date "e-newsletters" on our homepage: [www.arlingtondioces.org/yam/young\\_adults.php](http://www.arlingtondioces.org/yam/young_adults.php). We keep you informed of parish events, local retreats, educational series, dances, hikes, canoe trips, festivals, and picnics. For more info, contact Kateri Schmidt, Coordinator of Young Adult Ministry 703-841-2550 or [yam@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:yam@arlingtondiocese.org).

### Winter Theology on Tap Stumbling blocks & Stepping Stones On the Path to Heaven: Overcoming Obstacles

"ToT" is a series of talks that focus on topics of faith and contemporary issues that directly affect the lives of young adults (ages 21-39) and an opportunity for fun and fellowship! You must be 21 - please bring ID!

Pat Troy's, Old Town Alexandria  
Corner of King & Pitt Streets  
7:00pm

Monday, **January 11**  
**"Winning the Daily Battles"**

Rev. Arne Panula, Director  
Catholic Information Center  
Washington, D. C.

For more info contact Mary-Rose Lombard  
703-841-2550 or [yam@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:yam@arlingtondiocese.org)

### From Catholic Charities

#### Interested in adopting?

Adoption meetings will be held at 5294 Lyngate Court in Burke. The meetings will be from 6:30 to 8:30pm on **January 14, February 11 and March 11**. The presentation will cover Domestic, International, Interstate and Parental Placement Adoption Programs with emphasis on the home study, placement and supervision of children as well as adoption resources. Please call 703-425-0100 to register as space is limited.

#### Volunteers Needed

Christ House is in need of volunteers to work as receptionists for the Emergency Assistance Hotline. Come, volunteer one 4 hour shift mornings or afternoon to help answer calls for assistance. Training provided. A desire to serve those in need required. For more info, call 703-549-8644.

### From the Office of Human Resources Employment Opportunities

The Catholic Diocese of Arlington is currently recruiting for available positions in our Central Administrative Office in Arlington. At the Diocese, we are enriching the experience of following your faith through the commitment and exceptional performance of our most valuable resource: our employees. We are seeking innovative individuals with the talent, ability, and energy to excel with us. Visit [www.arlingtondiocese.org](http://www.arlingtondiocese.org) for additional details about vacant positions.

### From the Office of Catholic Schools The Diocesan Science Fair

Individuals with a science background are needed to help judge seventh & eighth grade students' research projects for the 2010 Science Fair. These projects encompass such categories as botany, health, chemistry, zoology, behavioral science, engineering, physics, math and other areas of life and physical science. If your calendar allows you to spend the morning (8am-noon) on Saturday, April 24, 2010 at Paul VI High School to judge projects, please call Janet Vetrano at 703-841-2560.

### From the Office of Migration and Refugees Services

#### Donations Needed

The Office of Migration and Refugees Services works in our Diocese to help "Welcome the "Stranger" ... (documented refugees/asylees). The office is currently in need of donations of dressers, beds, metal bed frames, sheets, lamps, alarm clocks, pots & pans, teapots, vacuum cleaners, sewing machines, TVs and converter boxes, DVD players, microwave ovens and used cars. All items must be in good condition/working order. We are also in need of new pillows, mops, brooms, wastebaskets, baby diapers and formula. Tax receipt will be provided for all donations. Please call Kira at 703-841-3870 or [k.hamrin@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:k.hamrin@arlingtondiocese.org)

#### Vocations

**"This is My beloved Son in whom I am well pleased."**  
Are you considering making known the love of our Heavenly Father as a priest, deacon, sister or brother?  
Call

Fr. Brian Bashista 703-841-2514 or write  
[B.bashista@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:B.bashista@arlingtondiocese.org)

# St. Katharine Drexel Mission

Bull Run Catholic Community

*Established September 10, 2000*

*Made a Mission June, 2005*

Office Phone—703-754-8444

[www.katharinedrexelcc.org](http://www.katharinedrexelcc.org)

## St. Katharine Ministry Connections

Deacon	Jack Ligon	703-217-8471
Altar Servers	Glenda Husser	703-754-4718
Baptism Team	Pat Durkin	571-261-3359
Bulletin Submissions	Katherine D. Frick	703-754-8444 <a href="mailto:kfrick@saint-stephen.org">kfrick@saint-stephen.org</a>
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Dan & Carol Seely	703-754-2189
Finance Committee	Jim Lemanski	703-753-8774
Food Pantry	Celeste Corrigan	571-236-6213
Fundraising Committee	Dianne Lemanski	703-753-8774
Lectors	Melanie Shipley	703-753-8313
Knights of Columbus	Joe Pilkus	703-327-3336
Meals Ministry	Janet Dean	571-261-1457
Ministry to Homebound	Dan Rogers	703-754-9434
Money Counters	Marjorie Shane	703-753-0879
	Frances Gallagher	571-261-2475
Prayer Vine	Kathleen Lambiasi	703-754-8224
Adult Faith Inquiry	Kathy Frick	703-754-8444
Set up Crew	Joan White	703-753-8022
Steering Committee	Scott Parker	703-753-1415
Ushers	Charles Husser	703-754-4718

## Pictorial Directory—Rescheduling

Olan Mills will complete its taking photos for our directory on Wednesday, **January 20** from 3-9:30pm at the Mission Office. Call Kathy Frick to schedule an appointment.

**Did you know** you can make your contribution to the Church on the first of the month from your checking or savings account or with Visa or Mastercard? Consider using the Electronic Transfer option. It is a great help to us when you are away. Call the parish office for further info.

## Moving? Change of Address, Telephone #?

Please help us to keep our database current by advising the Parish Office of any changes in your address, telephone number or **if you are moving out of the parish or are changing parishes**. Call Laura to update your records 540-687-6433.

## Are You Registered ?

If you are new to the area (or maybe not so “new”) and would like to become a parish member, you can register at St. Katharine Drexel Mission by completing the registration form. Registration Forms are available on the information tables at Mass at the Bull Run Middle School.

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RE classes      Battlefield High      Sunday, 4pm to 5:30pm

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## Inclement Weather Policy for Masses at BRMS

If Prince William County Schools are closed, Mass will be cancelled. In the event that PWCS has not made a decision by 7am & St. Katharine Drexel Mission feels Mass cannot be celebrated because of the weather, a cancellation notice will be posted on our website:

[www.katharinedrexelcc.org](http://www.katharinedrexelcc.org)

or call 703-754-8444.

Drivers & set-up crew will be contacted via a phone tree.

## Linton Hall School ... Open House

Thursday, **January 14** at 7pm

Linton Hall is a coed Pre-K-8 Catholic School Owned and operated by the Benedictine Sisters  
9535 Linton Hall Road, Bristow  
703-368-3157

## Urgent Parking Announcement:

A reminder that parishioners may no longer park in the back of Bull Run Middle School during Mass. You may discharge passengers in the back for convenience but all cars must park in the front lot or those other areas not marked with a yellow line. Violators will receive tickets which carry county fines.

# January 10, 2010

## The Baptism of the Lord

*“The heavens were opened and the voice of the Father thundered:  
This is my beloved Son, listen to him.”  
cf. Mark 9:7*



1/9	<b>SATURDAY</b>	5:00 Helen Medica †
1/10	<b>SUNDAY</b>	8:00 Anne O'Brien †
St. Stephen		10:00 People of the Parish
St. Katharine		8:30
		10:00 Matthew Francis Savoie †
1/11	<b>MONDAY</b>	9:00 Patricia Botta †
1/12	<b>TUESDAY</b>	9:00 Special Intention
1/13	<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	9:00 Nolan Wilson †
1/14	<b>THURSDAY</b>	9:00 Mary Ollquist †
1/15	<b>FRIDAY</b>	9:00 Morning Prayer



### READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

<b>Monday</b>	1 Samuel 1:1-8/Psalm 116:12-19/Mark 1:14-20
<b>Tuesday</b>	1 Samuel 1:9-20/Psalm 1 Samuel 2:1, 4-8/Mark 1:21-28
<b>Wed</b>	<b>St. Hilary, bishop, doctor of the Church</b> 1 Samuel 3:1-10, 19-20/Psalm 40:2, 5, 7-10/Mark 1:29-39
<b>Thursday</b>	1 Samuel 4:1-11/Psalm 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/Mark 1:40-45
<b>Friday</b>	1 Samuel 8:4-7, 10-22a/Psalm 89:16-19/Mark 2:1-12
<b>Saturday</b>	1 Samuel 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1/Psalm 21:2-7/Mark 2:13-17
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Isaiah 62:1-5/Psalm 96:1-3, 7-10/1 Corinthians 12:4-11/John 2:1-11



#### Sunday, January 10

9:30-11am Religious Ed, St. Stephen the Martyr  
Notre Dame Academy  
4-5:30pm Religious Ed, St. Katharine Drexel,  
Battlefield High School

#### Monday, January 11

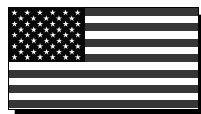
7:30pm RCIA, St. Katharine Drexel

#### Wednesday, January 13

7:30pm Adult Bible Study, St. Katharine

#### Friday, January 15

7:00pm Abiding Love Prayer Group, Kathleen Lambiasi (703)754-822



**For Those Who Serve** - Please pray for all the brave women and men in harm's way; *especially:*

**Major Erin Flaherty, First Lt. Ben Griffin, Sgt. Country J. Middleton, Specialist Peter Loughran, Pvt. Luke Rollins and LTC Michael Steenson.**



**Let Us Pray...** for Nancy Campbell, Loretta Caponiti, Gaston de Bearn, David Fuller, David Gorba, Brendan Gorg, Antonio Goncalves, Jerry Hawks, Joseph Hershberger, Brenden Lackey, Brittany Leap, Mary Lemmers, Maureen Leon, Lisa Livermore, Belinda Loehle, Peggy McClay, Mike McClure, Gail McCommon, Rachel Mellon, Joan Mikelatis, Abbie Moore, William Morris, Joe Morettini, Sophie Morettini, Hyatt Nolan, Bernard & Mary Osilka, Sr., Tim O'Toole, Judith Payne, James Quayle, Sherry Reinhardt, Jill Schroeder, Thelma & Blaine Tewart, Jim Vaglia, Martha Wakestraw, Joan White, Cole Whiting and Hugh Wiley.