

## READINGS FOR JULY 3

**R**ejoice because your names are written in heaven.  
(Luke 10:20)

Let's take a moment right now to rejoice. We live in a beautiful world, which God has created. We have been saved by a wonderful God who sent his Son to redeem us. We have the Eucharist and the Holy Spirit to draw us close to God and strengthen our faith. And we have Jesus' invitation to be with him forever—to have our names "written in heaven" (Luke 10:20). Let's look at three signs that will help us make sure that we are heaven bound.

First is the sign of faith. The gospel tells us, "God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life" (John 3:16). Be sure to proclaim your faith in Jesus each day. Tell him that you want to follow him.

Second is a sign of marks. The marks of a Christian include such virtues as kindness, patience, humility, and gentleness. St. Paul calls them "fruit of the Spirit" (Galatians 5:22). When people look at you, what do they see? Are these marks visible? Of course, we all fall short in some way or another, but we ought to be able to say that the virtues are growing, and the vices are diminishing. We don't have to be perfect; we just have to be on the right path.

The final sign is love. Jesus told us, "No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends" (John 15:13). He told us that our "neighbors" are not just the people we like, but even our enemies (Luke 10:27-37; Matthew 5:44). So if we are moving forward in the goal of caring for the poor, forgiving those who have hurt us, and treating everyone with kindness, we can count this as another sign.

Jesus wants all of us to be with him in heaven. To that end, he has died for us; to that end, he has given us his Spirit. Truly, we serve a loving, generous God!

*"Jesus, more than anything else, I want to be with you in heaven."*

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## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

**Sunday 3** Is 66:10-14 / Gal 6:14-18 / Lk 10:1-12,17-20

**Monday 4** Hos 2:16-18,21-22 / Mt 9:18-26

**Tuesday 5** Hos 8:4-7,11-13 / Mt 9:32-38

**Wednesday 6** *St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria & St. Elizabeth of Portugal*  
Hos 10:1-3,7-8,12 / Mt 10:1-7

**Thursday 7** *St. Maria Goretti*  
Hos 11:1-4,8-9 / Mt 10:7-15

**Friday 8** Hos 14:2-10 / Mt 10:16-23

**Saturday 9** Is 6:1-8 / Mt 10:24-33  
*St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions*

## WELCOME

Visitors to the Cathedral, we want you to know how welcome you are—whether you have come from another part of the country, from across the world, or from another parish here in the Archdiocese or across the river. Thank you for praying with us. Thank you also for your generosity, which helps us to celebrate our liturgies in a fitting and beautiful way, and to offer a wide range of services to needy people in the Washington, DC area. Enjoy your visit!

## PARISH CALENDAR

July 3 – 9

**Sunday 3**—A second collection for Cathedral maintenance is taken at all Masses.

Padre Rafael tendrá las confesiones después de la misa de 1 de la tarde.

**Monday 4**—Independence Day, a federal holiday.

Masses are celebrated at 8am and 12:10pm only and there are no confessions. The rectory is closed.

**Tuesday 5**—Legión de María se reúne a las 5:30 de la tarde hasta las 7 en el salón del Oeste.

El grupo de Oración se reúne a las 7 de la tarde en el salón de conferencias del Oeste.

The Parish Council meets at 6:45pm in the East Conference Room.

**Wednesday 6**—The Children's Choir of the Saint Joseph Oratory (Montreal, QC, Canada) sings at the 12:10pm Mass and gives a brief concert afterward.

## JUBILEE OF MERCY

**14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time** – "What does the face of "mercy" look like? If you wanted to paint eyes, ears, nose, and a mouth on it, whose face would we be able to see? For examples, each of us can run to his favorite saint. I'll mention St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. She didn't end up with the life she thought was mapped out for her. Widowed at a relatively young age, she entered the Catholic Church and decided to organize a group of women to serve the poor, first of all in the Maryland area, and later in the whole country. Remember that the saints of mercy are not statues, and they're not pictures. They are flesh-and-blood people like you and me. There is no one blueprint for becoming the face of mercy and no one pattern for becoming a saint." *Listen to the rest of this reflection from Fr. Frank Wright at [mercy.adw.org](http://mercy.adw.org). (Look for an image of Mother Seton in the mural above the Cathedral entrance.)*

## READINGS FOR JULY 10

**Y**ou shall love . . . your neighbor as yourself. (Luke 10:27)  
Think about the last time you or someone you take care of caught the flu. You probably stopped the normal course of daily life in order to deal with the illness. Now think about the Samaritan in this well-known parable. He was no less busy than the priest or the Levite who had passed by the wounded man in the street. He wasn't just wandering along the road; he was going about business.

The Samaritan's business, though, wasn't the most important thing to him. No, more important was his willingness to look at the beaten man and suffer with him—not physically, but in his heart and thoughts. Compassion welled up in him and took precedence over his plans. And so, a man's life was saved.

No matter who we are or where we live, we all face the same question: "Is the normal course of my day more important than the suffering I see around me?" You don't have to go looking high and low for it; you will come across it as you go about your everyday life. Perhaps someone you meet has been robbed of confidence or joy. Maybe someone seems beaten and overwhelmed by financial challenges or marital troubles. Maybe someone is living as one left for dead, lonely and alone. Ask the Holy Spirit to help you see these people as he does, to hear what they aren't saying, and to have the compassion to stop and be a "neighbor."



When you stop to take care of someone, to suffer with them, you are doing far more than offering human kindness. You are becoming a vessel for Christ. He is ministering at that very moment—to both of you!

Repeatedly in the Gospels, we read, "Jesus had compassion"—because people were harassed, helpless, sick, blind, or anxious. The reason didn't matter; their suffering moved him, and he acted. Now he is telling all of us, "Go and do likewise" (Luke 10:37).

*"Holy Spirit, open my eyes to the hurting people around me. Make room in my heart for compassion to overflow."*

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<b>Sunday 10</b>	Dt 30:10-14 / Col 1:15-20 / Lk 10:25-37
<b>Monday 11</b>	Is 1:10-17 / Mt 10:34—1:1
<i>St. Benedict</i>	
<b>Tuesday 12</b>	Is 7:1-9 / Mt 11:20-24
<b>Wednesday 13</b>	Is 10:5-7, 13-16 / Mt 11:25-27
<i>St. Henry</i>	
<b>Thursday 14</b>	Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19 / Mt 11:28-30
<i>St. Kateri Tekakwitha</i>	
<b>Friday 15</b>	Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8 / Mt 12:1-8
<i>St. Bonaventure</i>	
<b>Saturday 16</b>	Mi 2:1-5 / Mt 12:14-21
<i>Our Lady of Mt. Carmel</i>	
<b>Sunday 17</b>	Gn 18:1-10 / Col 1:24-28 / Lk 10:38-42

## JUBILEE OF MERCY

**15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time** – "We also know in faith that Jesus seeks us out. He wants to heal our wounds, to soothe our feet which hurt from travelling alone, to wash each of us clean of the dust from our journey. He doesn't ask us where we have been, he doesn't question us what about we have done. Rather, he tells us: 'Unless I wash your feet, you have no share with me' (Jn 13:8). Unless I wash your feet, I will not be able to give you the life which the Father always dreamed of, the life for which he created you. ... Life means 'getting our feet dirty' from the dust-filled roads of life and history. All of us need to be cleansed, to be washed. All of us. Myself, first and foremost. All of us are being sought out by the Teacher, who wants to help us resume our journey. The Lord goes in search of us; to all of us he stretches out a helping hand." (Pope Francis to detainees at the Curran-Fromhold Correctional Facility in Philadelphia) *Reflect on the ways God is trying to wash your feet and offer you mercy at [mercy.adw.org](http://mercy.adw.org).*

## PARISH CALENDAR

July 10 – 17

**Sunday 10**—A bake sale for Run for Vocations is held from 9am to 2pm in front of the Cathedral.

A Landings session is held at 1pm in the East Conference Room.

Padre Rafael tendrá las confesiones después de la misa de 1 de la tarde.

**Monday 11**—The Cathedral Book Club meets at 6:45pm in the West Conference Room.

**Tuesday 12**—The Married Couples Group meets in the North Conference Room at 6:30pm.

Legión de María se reúne a las 5:30 de la tarde hasta las 7 en el salón del Oeste.

El grupo de Oración se reúne a las 7 de la tarde en el salón de conferencias del Oeste.

**Wednesday 13**—RCIA meets in the North Conference Room at 7pm.

**Sunday 17**—A Landings session is held at 1pm in the East Conference Room.

Padre Rafael tendrá las confesiones después de la misa de 1 de la tarde.

### Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for July 2016

Please join in prayer for Pope Francis' intentions this month: that indigenous peoples, whose identity and very existence are threatened, will be shown due respect; and that the Church in Latin America and the Caribbean, by means of her mission to the continent, may announce the Gospel with renewed vigor and enthusiasm.

## FAITH FORMATION

### Cathedral Faith Formation Survey

– Our Faith Formation Committee seeks your support to better understand our faith formation needs as a community. Please take a few minutes to complete an online survey at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CathedralFF> or leave a completed copy at the rectory. Your feedback will help us to strengthen our Faith Formation programs, provide direction for future activities, and enrich our faith community for years to come. Thank you for your participation.

**Cathedral Book Club** – The selection for our **July 11** Book Club meeting by Thomas Cahill, "Heretics and Heroes: How Renaissance Artists and Reformation Priests Created Our World," is a fascinating and challenging presentation of religious life in the 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> centuries. It includes special consideration of such figures as Columbus, Michelangelo, Martin Luther, and more (including, of course, Thomas More)! We will meet in the West Conference Room from 6:45 to 8pm. A reading of the book is a plus, but not necessary in order to attend!

**Married Couples Group** – A new ministry facilitated by, for, and with married couples meets biweekly on

Tuesday evenings from 6:30 to 8pm in the North Conference Room. The next meeting is **July 12**, when the topic will be "The Family and the Covenant." Each session is complete in itself, so you are welcome to drop in when you can. For more information, contact [stmattsmarriedcouples@gmail.com](mailto:stmattsmarriedcouples@gmail.com).

**Volunteer On-site Assistant for Children's Faith Formation** – Our Children's Faith Formation program needs an on-site assistant who can be available Sundays of the catechetical year (September - May) from 9 to 11am, on three Saturdays for sacramental retreats in March and April, and for two sacramental celebrations. Successful completion of the Archdiocesan Child Protection requirements is needed. Contact Theresa Prymuszewski (contact info below) to apply.

**Volunteer Catechists for Children's Faith Formation** – Would you like to teach our children about the joy of being Catholic? Catechists (teachers of religion) are always needed in our Sunday Faith Formation program (grades 1-8) that meets during the school year on Sundays from 9:45 to 11am. Successful completion of the Archdiocesan Child Protection requirements is required. To apply, contact Theresa Prymuszewski at 202-587-5139 or [tprymuszewski@stmatthewscathedral.org](mailto:tprymuszewski@stmatthewscathedral.org).

## MARRIAGE

Couples who are interested in celebrating the Sacrament of Marriage at the Cathedral are encouraged to visit the parish website to review our guidelines for

weddings. The next step is to call the Rectory at 202-347-3215 and ask for the priest of your choice or the priest on duty, who can speak to you about marriage preparation and the possibility of scheduling your wedding at the Cathedral. Couples are expected to contact us **at least nine (9) months in advance** of the date on which they hope to celebrate their wedding.

## BAPTISM

Parents who wish to have their child baptized at the Cathedral should contact the Baptismal Coordinator at [baptism@stmatthewscathedral.org](mailto:baptism@stmatthewscathedral.org) or 202-347-3215 x555. Parents are encouraged to contact us **at least six (6) months in advance** of a desired baptismal date, and may ask for the priest of their choice to perform the Baptism. Early contact allows parents to be scheduled for the necessary sacramental formation session and godparents to obtain letters from their pastor.

If you are a registered parishioner at St. Matthew's and need a letter of good standing in order to be a godparent for a baptism to be celebrated at another parish, please call the Cathedral rectory at 202-347-3215 to ask about obtaining a letter.

**Holy Land Festival** – All are welcome Saturday, **July 16** to the 3rd Annual Holy Land Festival, 11am-5pm, at the Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land in Washington, DC (1400 Quincy St., NE) featuring Mediterranean food, tours of the Holy Land shrines and monastery gardens, and a closing Mass at 5pm. Parking and admission are free. For more information, visit [myfranciscan.org/holylandfestival](http://myfranciscan.org/holylandfestival).

## VOCATIONS

**RFV Bake Sale** – Run for Vocations (RFV) raises funds to assist seminarians with unanticipated expenses. Laypeople, religious, and clergy from around the Archdiocese of Washington team up to run in October's Marine Corps Marathon/10K. Each runner must raise \$250. On Sunday, **July 10** a bake sale to benefit RFV will be held in front of the Cathedral from 9am to 2pm. To donate or to sign up to run with our parish team, email Justin Silvers at [just1justin@yahoo.com](mailto:just1justin@yahoo.com). Visit <http://www.dcpriest.org/promote/run-for-vocations/register-to-run> to register to run.

**Fiat Day Camp** – Fiat Day Camp for young women in high school who may be considering consecrated life will be held **July 17 – 20** at Mt. Saint Mary's Seminary. Register at [www.bmorevocations.org](http://www.bmorevocations.org).

## NEWS AND NOTES

**Summer Supper for the Homeless - Thank you!** – Thank you to everyone who participated in the Summer Supper for our homeless. Your donations of delicious food, money and time allowed us to serve many grateful men and women. They felt very welcomed, and some claimed it was the best meal they ever had! We hope you and others will join us when we host another meal in October.

**Independence Day** – Monday, **July 4** is Independence Day, a federal holiday. Masses will be celebrated at 8am and 12:10pm only. There will be no confessions. The Rectory will be closed.

**Weekday Masses in July & August** – The 7am weekday Mass is not celebrated in July or August. During

this period, on weekdays the Cathedral opens at 7:30am, Masses are celebrated at 8am, 12:10pm and 5:30pm, and confessions are heard from 11am until Noon. The 7am Mass resumes on Thursday, September 1.

**Rectory Hours** – The rectory hours from **July 10** through **July 16** are as follows:

Sunday – Closed  
Monday–Thursday – 9am to 4:30pm  
Friday–Saturday – 9am to 4pm

**Call for Volunteers** – The Cathedral offers many service opportunities; whether it's 5 minutes on Facebook or Twitter, or an hour each month, your efforts can have a big impact in spreading the word about St. Matthew's! For more information, contact PPC members Susan Aspey at [susanmaspey@yahoo.com](mailto:susanmaspey@yahoo.com), Carmen Mezzera at [carmeniezzi@hotmail.com](mailto:carmeniezzi@hotmail.com), or David Willis at [dwillis1950@gmail.com](mailto:dwillis1950@gmail.com).

**Biweekly Bulletins In July & August** – St. Matthew's Sunday bulletin is published biweekly (every other week) in July and August.

**Mass Times Around the World** – Let's attend to our Lord even as he blesses us with rest! A free ministry for traveling Catholics provides Mass schedules at 117,000 churches in 201 countries and territories. Visit [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org).

## OUTREACH

**Help us Spread the Word: English as a Second Language Classes for Adults** – Classes for the 10-week summer semester (**June 7 - August 10**) meet Tuesday and Wednesday, 6:30 - 8:30pm, at St. Matthew's Education Center (1726 N Street, NW). The semester cost is \$25.

Students may register on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 6 to 8pm at the Center. Instruction is provided at Levels 1 (Beginner) through 5 (Advanced). For more information, visit <http://www.stmatthewscathedral.org/outreach/classes-de-ingles-english-language-classes> or contact Molly Egilsrud at [stmattsesl@gmail.com](mailto:stmattsesl@gmail.com).

## MUSIC

### Volunteer Opportunity

**Volunteer in the Liturgy and Music Office** – The Liturgy and Music office seeks a reliable office volunteer who has experience in word processing, copy editing and proofreading, and is proficient in Microsoft Word and Publisher. The successful candidate will be able to be present most Thursdays for six to eight hours throughout the year in a dedicated

office and work without constant supervision. Familiarity with Roman Catholic liturgy is preferred. For more information, contact Thomas Stehle, Pastoral Associate for Liturgy and Director of Music Ministries, at [tstehle@stmatthewscathedral.org](mailto:tstehle@stmatthewscathedral.org).

**The Children's Choir of the Saint Joseph Oratory in Montreal, QC, Canada** – Les Petits Chanteurs, a 45-voice children's choir of the Saint Joseph Oratory in Montreal,



QC, Canada, will sing at the 12:10pm Mass on Wednesday, **July 6**. They will present a brief

concert following the Mass. Please come and hear these exquisite young voices as they enhance our liturgy.

## LECTURAS DEL 3 DE JULIO

**E**l anuncio de la llegada del Reino de Dios a nuestro mundo es el tema central de los cuatro Evangelios. El ministerio de Jesús comenzó con el mismo anuncio de Juan el Bautista: “¡Vuélvanse a Dios, porque el reino de los cielos está cerca!” (Mateo 3, 2). Muchas de las parábolas que Jesús relató durante su ministerio se referían al Reino de Dios, como las del hijo pródigo (Lucas 15, 11-32) y de la semilla de mostaza (Lucas 13, 18-19). Los milagros que Jesús hizo por los enfermos y pecadores eran señales claras de la presencia y del amor de Dios, que lo abarca y lo vivifica todo en su Reino.

Los cristianos somos ciudadanos de ese Reino y estamos llamados a conocer a nuestro Rey como Padre y vivir de modo digno de tan noble vocación. Pero vivir según los principios del Evangelio, es decir, en el Reino de Dios aquí y ahora, no es algo natural para nosotros. Nuestra naturaleza vendida al pecado nos opone resistencia a cada paso. Entonces, ¿cómo podemos vivir de manera que el Reino de Dios llene toda nuestra vida?

San Pablo nos dice que esto puede hacerse sólo por el poder de la cruz, por medio de la cual “el mundo ha muerto para mí y yo he muerto para el mundo” (Gálatas 6, 14). En la cruz de Cristo reside el poder de la conversión, o sea, el hecho de apartarse de la vida egocéntrica que se conforma a los valores del mundo, para adoptar la vida centrada en Dios, que se conforma a los valores del Reino celestial. La cruz es un arma poderosísima que Dios nos da para combatir a Satanás. Con el poder de la cruz, podemos hacer morir nuestra antigua existencia, para que nazca en nosotros la vida nueva. No es extraño, pues, que Pablo se gloriera en la cruz, porque ella hacía avanzar inexorablemente el Reino de Dios, donde todos los creyentes podrán compartir la vida divina.

*“Padre celestial, queremos ser como los 72 discípulos que envió Jesús, para conocer la vida del Reino de Dios, y llevar la buena nueva a nuestros familiares y amigos.”*

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## LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

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**Lunes 4** Os 2:16-18,21-22 / Mt 9:18-26

**Martes 5** Os 8:4-7,11-13 / Mt 9:33-38

*San Antonio María Zaccaría y Santa Isabel de Portugal*

**Miércoles 6** Os 10:1-3,7-8,12 / Mt 10:1-7

*Santa María Goretti*

**Jueves 7** Os 11:1-4,8-9 / Mt 10:7-15

**Viernes 8** Os 14:2-10 / Mt 10:16-23

**Sábado 9** Is 6:1-8 / Mt 10:24-33

*San Agustín Zhao Rong y compañeros*

## ¡BIENVENIDOS!

*Visitantes de la Catedral, queremos que sepan que son bienvenidos; bien sea que hayan venido de otra parte del país, del otro lado del mundo, o de otra parroquia del área de Washington. Gracias por orar con nosotros. Gracias también por su generosidad, la cual nos ayuda a celebrar nuestras Liturgias de una forma especial y nos permite ofrecer una gran variedad de servicios a personas necesitadas en el área de Washington, DC. ¡Disfrute su visita!*

## NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA

**El semestre de verano de inglés como segundo idioma** – El semestre durará diez semanas, del **7 de junio al 10 de agosto** los martes y miércoles de 6:30 a 8:30 de la noche en el Centro de Educación de San Mateo (1726 N Street, NW). El costo es de \$25. Los estudiantes pueden matricularse en persona los martes y miércoles en la tarde entre las 6 y las 8 de la noche en el Centro. Las clases de inglés serán impartidas desde el Nivel 1 (principiante) hasta el Nivel 5 (avanzado). Para más información, póngase en contacto con Molly Egilsrud a: [stmattsesl@gmail.com](mailto:stmattsesl@gmail.com) o visite <http://www.stmatthewscathedral.org/outreach/clases-de-ingles-english-language-classes>.

**Catequesis e Iniciación Cristiana** – Las inscripciones para Catecumenado, Primera Comunión y Confirmación serán el **3 y 17 de julio** en el salón de conferencias del Norte de 11 de la mañana a 12 del mediodía y después de la misa de 1 de la tarde; traer acta de Bautismo y \$25 de inscripción. También los jóvenes que no hayan recibidos los sacramentos de bautismo, primera comunión y confirmación y estén interesados en los sacramentos, pueden venir.

**Día de la Independencia** – El **lunes 4 de julio** es el día de la Independencia, una fiesta federal. Las misas serán a las 8 de la mañana y 12:10 del mediodía. No hay confesiones. La rectoría estará cerrada.

**Grupo de Oración** – El grupo de oración se reúne los martes a la 7 de la tarde en el salón de conferencias del Oeste. El objetivo del grupo es profundizar nuestra fe por medio de las Sagradas Escrituras. El grupo de Oración tendrá charlas programadas a través del año. El Tema es: **“La Profesión de la Fe.”** Para más información llame a Fátima Aybar al 202-347-3215 x543.

## LECTURAS DEL 10 DE JULIO

Jesús afirmó que el mandamiento más importante era: “Amarás al Señor tu Dios.” Cristo conocía el pensamiento divino y obedecía todo lo que le oía decir al Padre. Como nuevo Adán, escuchaba la voz de Dios sin distorsión alguna, no contaminada con las ideas preconcebidas ni los prejuicios propios del pecado. Y a nosotros nos toca aceptar el amor y el pensamiento divinos para que nuestro razonamiento sea transformado y aprendamos a vivir rectamente.

La pregunta de hoy proviene de alguien que sólo se preocupa por cumplir la ley: le interesa saber a quién debe amar y a quién puede excluir de su amor; no piensa en los sufrimientos de la gente. Jesús, que vive aliviando el sufrimiento de quienes encuentra en su camino, infringiendo si hace falta la ley del sábado o las normas de pureza, le responde con un relato que denuncia todo legalismo religioso que ignore el amor al necesitado.

Cuando la religión no está centrada en un Dios que es autor de la vida y padre de los que sufren, la práctica religiosa puede convertirse en una experiencia que censura la vida profana, pero priva del contacto directo con el sufrimiento de la gente y nos hace caminar sin reaccionar ante los “heridos” que vemos por la calle.

Según Jesús, los que mejor nos pueden mostrar cómo hemos de tratar a los que sufren son las personas que tienen corazón.

San Juan Pablo II escribió: “El Antiguo y el Nuevo Testamento afirman expresamente que sin amor al prójimo, que se materializa en la observancia de los mandamientos, no es posible amar genuinamente a Dios” (*Veritatis Splendor*, 14). De modo que si queremos amar de verdad al Creador, debemos dejar que Cristo nos regenere cada día, para que la mente y el corazón del Padre se vayan formando en nosotros, y sepamos amar y ayudar al prójimo.

*“Amado Señor, concédeme la gracia de aprender a amarte con todo mi corazón, toda mi alma, toda mi fuerza y toda mi mente; y amar a mi prójimo como a mí mismo.”*

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<i>San Benito</i>	
<b>Martes 12</b>	Is 7:1-9 / Mt 11:20-24
<b>Miércoles 13</b>	Is 10:5-7,13-16 / Mt 11:25-27
<i>San Enrique</i>	
<b>Jueves 14</b>	Is 26:7-9,12,16-19 / Mt 11:28-30
<i>Santa Kateri Tekakwitha</i>	
<b>Viernes 15</b>	Is 38:1-6,21-22,7-8 / Mt 12:1-8
<i>San Buenaventura</i>	
<b>Sábado 16</b>	Mi 2:1-5 / Mt 12:14-21
<i>Nuestra Señora del Carmen</i>	
<b>Domingo 17</b>	Gén 18:1-10 / Col 1:24-28 / Lc 10:38-42

## INTENCIONES DE MISAS MASS INTENTIONS July 3 - 17

**Sunday, July 3**  
5:30pm Vigil (July 2) - Elaine McGree  
7am - Rosalyn M. Wynn  
8:30am - Betsabé Peña  
10am - Moises Lopez  
11:30am - All Parishioners  
1pm - Ivancito Urribarri  
5:30pm - Maryruth Pfeiffer

**Monday, July 4**  
8am - Special Intention JA & V (living)  
12:10pm - Adelaide Freitas

**Tuesday, July 5**  
8am - Michael Barahona (living)  
12:10pm - J. Iglesia Family (living)  
5:30pm - Mrs. Curtin (living)

**Wednesday, July 6**  
8am - Isaura Garcia (living)  
12:10pm - David Talbot  
5:30pm - Ethel Aspey

**Thursday, July 7**  
8am - Antonio Urribarri  
12:10pm - Edward J. Bligh  
5:30pm - Tom Manley

**Friday, July 8**  
8am - Olivia & Francis Mendes  
12:10pm - Oliverio & Paulina Paez  
5:30pm - Victims of the Massacre in Orlando

**Saturday, July 9**  
8am - J. Baccigalopi Family  
12:10pm - Lang Huy Ngo  
5:30pm - Elizabeth “BB” Buckley (living)

**Sunday, July 10**  
7am - Kathleen Moore (living)

8:30am - Dr. Leby A. Macaraeg (living)  
10am - Paul Welday  
11:30am - Jayne McConnell  
1pm - Ricardina & Fausto Rios  
5:30pm - All Parishioners

**Monday, July 11**  
8am - J. Gates Family (living)  
12:10pm - John O'Neill  
5:30pm - Avelina Carpio

**Tuesday, July 12**  
8am - Joey Santos  
12:10pm - Deacon Tom Bello  
5:30pm - Thanksgiving

**Wednesday, July 13**  
8am - Rafaela Valdes  
12:10pm - Rafaela Valdes de Seminario  
5:30pm - Nancy Jean Roth

**Thursday, July 14**  
8am - Dominic de Falco  
12:10pm - Rita Rosano  
5:30pm - S. Gregg Family (living)

**Friday, July 15**  
8am - DeeDee Palma  
12:10pm - Lamberto Berganio  
5:30pm - Luke Gabriel Truxler

**Saturday, July 16**  
8am - Tomas Gonzalez  
12:10pm - Ronald Steffensen  
5:30pm - All Parishioners

**Sunday, July 17**  
7am - Chris Connor  
8:30am - Margaret Sommer (living)  
10am - David Tarkowski  
1pm - Vanda de Santos Paschoal  
5:30pm - Ogburn-Hyson Family (living)

## MÁS NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA

### Intenciones de Oración del Papa Francisco para Julio 2016

Por favor únase en oración en todo el mundo por las intenciones del Papa Francisco éste mes: Que los pueblos indígenas, cuya identidad y existencia están amenazados, se les muestre debido respeto; Que la iglesia en América Latina y el Caribe, por medio de su misión en el continente, pueda anunciar el Evangelio con renovado vigor y entusiasmo.

**Cena de Verano para personas sin Hogar** – ¡Gracias! a quienes participaron en la cena de verano para nuestros amigos sin hogar. Sus donaciones de comida deliciosa, dinero y tiempo, nos permitieron servir a muchos hombres y mujeres agradecidos. Se sintieron muy acogidos, y algunos mencionaron ¡que fue el mejor plato que habían probado! Esperamos que ustedes y otros se unirán a nosotros cuando auspiciemos otra cena en octubre.



**La escuela San Miguel – Inscripción para niños entrando al sexto grado** – La escuela Lasaliana San Miguel, localizada en DC, ofrece educación católica privada a niños varones de familias de bajos recursos. La escuela tiene seis espacios libres para niños que entran al sexto grado este otoño. Para más información, póngase en contacto con Alfonso Motta al 202-810-8207 o al [amotta@sanmigueldc.org](mailto:amotta@sanmigueldc.org). También puede llamar a Norma Canedo en la rectoría.

**Venta de Pasteles en apoyo a los Seminaristas** – *Run for Vocations* o Carrera por las Vocaciones es un ministerio que apoya a las vocaciones recaudando fondos para ayudar a seminaristas con gastos inesperados. Laicos, religiosos y el clero de toda la Arquidiócesis de Washington participan en *Run for Vocations* que es parte del Maratón de la Infantería Marina/10K en octubre. Cada corredor tiene que recaudar \$250. El **10 de julio** miembros del equipo de nuestra parroquia venderán pasteles al frente de la Catedral de 9 a 2 de la tarde. Si quiere apoyar al equipo de nuestra parroquia con una donación monetaria o si quiere participar con el equipo, mande un mensaje a Justin Silvers a: [just1justin@yahoo.com](mailto:just1justin@yahoo.com) también puede llamar a la rectoría y pregunte por Norma Canedo. Visite <http://www.dcpriest.org/promote/run-for-vocations/register-to-run> para inscribirse.

**Horario de la Rectoría** – Las horas de rectoría del **10 de julio hasta el 16 de julio** será el siguiente:

Domingo – Cerrado

Lunes a jueves – 9 de la mañana a 4:30 de la tarde

Viernes y sábado – 9 de la mañana a 4 de la tarde

**Boletín Quincenal en Julio y Agosto** – El boletín de la Catedral, será publicado quincenalmente (cada dos semanas) en julio y agosto.

**En Memoria de la Visita del Papa Francisco** – La visita del Papa Francisco a la Catedral de San Mateo, impresionó nuestros corazones; ahora su visita está visible en una placa conmemorativa en la pared, detrás de la estatua de Madre Teresa y el Hombre sin Hogar. Pase por la capilla de nuestra Señora, al lado izquierdo cuando entra por la Avenida de Rhode Island, para ver y rezar por nuestro Santo Padre y sus intenciones.

**Misas en julio y agosto durante la semana** – No hay misa de 7 de la mañana durante los meses de julio y agosto. Durante esos meses, la Catedral abrirá a las 7:30 de la mañana, las misas se celebrarán a las 8 de la mañana, 12:10 del mediodía y 5:30 de la tarde, y confesiones se ofrecerán a las 11 de la mañana hasta las 12 del mediodía. La misa de 7 de la mañana, se reanudará el jueves, 1 de septiembre.

**Intenciones de Misas** – Se les recuerda a todas las personas que deseen ofrecer misas por sus difuntos, que tienen que reservarlas por lo menos con tres meses de antelación debido a que solo tenemos una misa en español.

**Horario de Misas a Través del Mundo** – Un ministerio para los católicos que viajan se provee gratuitamente en toda la nación y a través del mundo. Para encontrar el horario de misas visite: [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org).



*Procesión del Corpus Christi, 29 de mayo de 2016*  
Para ver más fotos, visiten el [Facebook de la parroquia](#).



# RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Are you:

*Interested in becoming Catholic?*

*A Catholic who wishes to receive the Sacraments of  
Confirmation and Eucharist?*

**Then RCIA is for you!**



The **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** (RCIA) is a process for adults who desire to explore the Catholic faith and to become fully initiated members of the Catholic Church. The goal of the RCIA process is full, conscious, and active participation in the Catholic way of life. RCIA helps adults to grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ, become familiar with Catholic teachings and practices, and get to know the faith community in preparation for making the conscious choice to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.

If you are interested in learning more and/or beginning RCIA, please plan to attend:

**WHAT: RCIA KICKOFF SESSION**

**TIME: 7PM TO 9PM**

**DATE: WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 2016**

**PLACE: NORTH CONFERENCE ROOM**

(Accessible through the glass-and-iron door at the base of the driveway  
Leading into the public parking garage to the right of the front of the Cathedral)

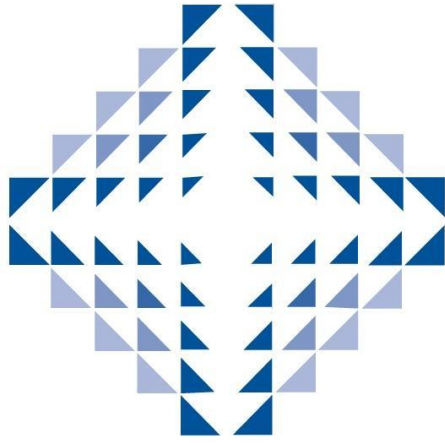
***No RSVP required!***

*Beginning with this kickoff session, RCIA will meet weekly every Wednesday.*

Contact: Theresa Prymuszewski, Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation [tprymuszewski@stmatthewscathedral.org](mailto:tprymuszewski@stmatthewscathedral.org)

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## ***WELCOME RETURNING CATHOLICS***

*Are you someone who “used to be Catholic” or “grew up Catholic”?  
Are you a Catholic who is searching for a more spiritually fulfilling life?  
Are you thinking about becoming more active in your Catholic community?  
Would you like to participate more fully in the Catholic liturgy and sacraments?*

No matter how long you have been away for whatever reason, we invite you to consider renewing your relationship with Christ and His Church through LANDINGS.

LANDINGS is a Paulist Ministry, run by St. Matthew’s Cathedral parishioners, aimed at welcoming Catholics who want to deepen their faith and commitment.

### **LANDINGS *is*:**

- A small group of Catholics walking together toward understanding and healing.
- An open, nonjudgmental place to ask questions about Christ and the Catholic faith.
- A community where you will be respected and listened to.
- Led by fellow parishioners who have also journeyed in their Catholic faith.
- Guided by the Holy Spirit.

### **LANDINGS *is not*:**

- Pressure
- Judgment
- Condemnation
- Blind to hurt

**Sundays, June 19, June 26, July 10, July 17, July 24, July 31, August 7 and August 14 at 1:00 pm**

**Pre-registration is required**

**Sessions are held at**

**The Cathedral of St. Matthew the Apostle**

**1725 Rhode Island Avenue, NW**

**Washington, DC 20036**

### **Interested in Learning More?**

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