

FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

The Parish Nurses Say: As you get ready to send your kids back to school, you need to be aware of the importance of keeping your child's vaccinations and immunizations up to date. Childhood vaccinations are the best way to protect your child from serious illnesses such as measles, polio and diphtheria. Please see the bulletin board for more information.

KofC Corner. Too busy to be a Knight! A typical response from many who are asked to join the Knights of Columbus. There is a pamphlet published by the KofC that discusses this concern that is available where other pamphlets can be found in the Library Hallway. Nearly two million men have



found the time to work, raise families, help their Churches, help their communities and still be a Knight of Columbus. Joining is easy. Visit www.kofc.org or ask any Catholic Gentleman wearing a blue, gold or silver KofC name badge.

Don't let your fears keep you from having the best marriage ever! Learn how to keep your marriage from becoming a divorce statistic. The next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekends are: Sep 21-23, 2018 in Herndon, VA and Nov 9-11, 2018 in ATLANTIC BEACH, NC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://renewmarriage-vasouth.org/> or contact us at applications@renewmarriage-vasouth.org or 757-690-1369.

The **Hampton Roads Catholic Singles Club** will meet for lunch at Taste Unlimited (4097 Shore Dr.) at 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 8th. The Hampton Roads Catholic Singles Club, formally known as the Tidewater Catholic Alumni Club, is an organization of single Catholic professional men and women. The club is a member of the national organization Catholic Alumni Club International. For more information go to the club website www.freewebs.com/tidewatercatholicalumniclub/, contact us by e-mail at tcac1@hotmail.com, or call (757) 898-6991.



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY WHO SACRIFICE FOR OUR FREEDOM: IT Jeffery Espiritu, Maj. Garrett McGowan, WO-1. Robert McDaniel, Sgt. Valerie McDaniel, SFC Robert Allison III, T/Sgt. Patrick Garvin, PFC Keith Moore Jr., CE1 David Maguire, Capt. Brian Wensel,

Lt. Michael Yuenguert, LTC Troy D. Agostino, Maj. John Ferguson, Lt. Cmdr. Jeffrey Alan Dellapenta, Capt. Robert Belkowski III, Capt. Mark Belkowski, SFC Wilbert J. Torres, S/Sgt. Trey Ravenscraft, 1Lt. Jerry Feehery, Lt. Jeremy C. Topp, LTJG Marriane Topp, Capt. Jimmy Thoms, LTC Robert Salire, Capt. Mike Hayes, 2nd Lt. Ryan Bare, SFC Chris Whelan, CPO Nino Villamor, Sgt. Jonathan J. Belmonte, S/Sgt. Christopher Woynicz.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST 14-19, 2018

Aug 14, Tuesday		Zona Villapando ✠
Aug 15, Wednesday		Carmelita Elefante ✠
Aug 16, Thursday		Anna Maria Ngiam Vu ✠
Aug 17, Friday		Lonias Daniel ✠
Aug 18, Saturday		Anthony Blanchard ✠
Aug 19, Sunday	7:00	Dez J. Castro (Sp. Int.)
	9:00	Emmanuel Hong Son ✠
	12:00	Ralph Filicko ✠



READINGS FOR AUGUST 13-19, 2018

Aug 13, Monday	1 kgs 19:4-8, Ps 34:2-9, Eph 4:30 – 5:2 Jn 6:41-51
Aug 14, Tuesday	Ez 2:8 – 3:4, Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111 131, Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Aug 15, Wednesday	1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2, Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14, 1 Cor 15:54b-57, Lk 11:27- 28, Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab, Ps 45: 10bc, 11 12ab, 16, 1 Cor 15:20-27, Lk 1:39-56
Aug 16, Thursday	Ez 12:1-12, Ps 78:56-59, 61-62, Mt 18: 21, 19:1
Aug 17, Friday	Ez 16:1-15, 60, 3, or 16:59-63, (Ps) Is 12:2-6, Mt 19:3-12
Aug 18, Saturday	Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32, Ps 51:12-15, 18-19, Mt 19:13-15
Aug 19, Sunday	Prv 9:1-6, Ps 34:2-7, Eph 5:15-20, Jn 6:51-58



UPCOMING EVENTS FOR AUGUST 13-19, 2018

Aug 13, Monday	NO Bingo/The Gardens
Aug 14, Tuesday	NO CDA/Meeting Divine Will Group 9:00 am Mass/The Gardens 10:00 am
Aug 15, Wednesday	The Solemnity of The Assumption of Mary Masses 7:00am, 12noon and 7:00pm, Procession 6:20pm
Aug 16, Thursday	Funeral/Tuen-Mei Chan Yeung 12noon
Aug 17, Friday	Mass/St. Francis 11:00 am Family Movie Night 6:30 pm
Aug 18, Saturday	Parish Nurses/Justice & Peace Backpacks Sorting 10:00 am
Aug 19, Sunday	Baptismal Class 10:15 am Divine Will Group 1:30 pm Core Training, 6:00 pm



BAPTISMAL SCHEDULE:



The next Baptism Class will be held on Sunday, August 19th at 10:30 AM in the second floor classroom, #10 in the Faith and Life Center. **Parents and Godparents must SIGN-UP to attend!** A Nursery will be available. Please call St. Jerome office to register for the class, (757) 877-5021.

CHURCH:

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY:

Holy Day of Obligation; Wednesday, 15 August. There will be Masses at 7:00am, 12noon, and 7:00pm. Also, there will be a procession around the St. Jerome parking lot at 6:20pm. All Catholics are expected to attend Mass on Holy Days of Obligation. Therefore, come let us honor our Mother.



Bingo at the Gardens has been **cancelled** for the month of August. Thank you!

FOOD PANTRY COLLECTIONS St. Jerome need the following items: Potatoes, canned, box or pouch Canned Meat, chili's, stews and spam, Dumplings, Pie Crust and Fillings, Muffin mix, Applesauce, Syrup, Jelly, Tuna, Fruit canned, dried or cups, Nuts and seeds, Milk dried or shelf containers. May God bless you for assisting the poor and hungry in our community.

Congratulations to Mr. Charles and Mrs. Pat Olson on the occasion of their **60th wedding anniversary**, which is being celebrated on August 16th.



St. Jerome and Staff would like to wish Mrs. **Marion Przygocki** on Friday, August 17th. A **Happy 94th Birthday!** May God send you many joy, love, good health, peace, prosperity, and a multitude of fine things. You deserve congratulations!



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH:



Howard Lee Cawthon, Paul Grace, Fred Hake, Blanca O' Brien, William Hammond, Mary Coviello, A. J. Wright, Joe Barkowitz, Mackenzie Refermat, Patricia Roberg, Judy Roberg, Gemar Rotoni Roviro, Shirley Causey, Sol Charifa, Tom Davidson, Ann Gutches, Dee Casto, Annette Hodges, Anna Ferreira, Tina Pierce, Maria Janis, Anne Kukla, Gloria Asuncion Sare, Dez J. Castro, Marie Louise McLean, Eleanor Morgan, Frances Manoia, Naureen Sanford, Michael Freda, Cristina Gloria, Reco Cotton, Deifilia Lazo, Anna Blood, Yvonne Holmes, Jackie O' Neil, Restituto Obis, Nick Butler, Bobby Martinez, Margaret Johnson, Tim Benavidez, Linda Smith, Buddy Williams, Margaret Luedtke, Joel Rivera, Judith Otto, Florence Bischof, Harold Przygocki, Marciana Dayrit, Esther Vaughn, Bailey Ann Schaffer, Tiffany Brickhouse, Dorothy Woodward, Therese Reiley, Marvin Alba, Fess Balina, Chris Whelan, Angelica Chabo, Imelita Wright, Joseph (Jo-Jo) Goodwin, Nick Frankie, Blanca O' Brien, Herminia Platon, Richard Matlock, Judy Pace, Margaret Laurent, Alessandra Elefante, Adrienne Gonzalo.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION:

HELP! Many hands are needed for **PORT (People Organizing Resources Together)**.



This is the week long ministry where the homeless are offered housing during the winter months. Our fabulous PORT organizer, David Underwood, is unable to continue leading this ministry and

we are seeking multiple "bodies" to fill his shoes. PLEASE discern if this is a ministry that you could give some time and energy. Call the office and let us know that you are interested in helping. Our week for hosting PORT in 2019 is 9 – 16 January.



This year's **Christian Formation program** is very different from past years and requires **EVERYONE** to be involved. From Prayer Warriors to Catechists to Breakfast Makers, we need YOU. Please come to an information gathering on 19 August at 6pm in the Faith and Life Center to learn more about the upcoming programs and discern where God is sending you this upcoming year. Email margie@stjeromennva.org for more information.

Family Movie Night on 17 August at 6:30 in the Fellowship Hall. (If the weather cooperates, we will watch under the stars.) Bring a picnic dinner for your family and then watch a Family Friendly Movie with popcorn. **All are invited!**



All Young Adults of the Parish (21 – 35 years of age) are invited to attend the next Theology on Tap at Schooners on 22 August beginning at 7pm. Bring a friend!

Are you creative? Do you like expressing your **"artistic talent"**? Do you like to build? If you answered "YES!" to any of these questions OR if you want to get involved with a ministry but don't know what, then come on 21 August at 6:30pm to the Faith and Life Center and help build/ create/ draw/ etc Jerusalem! This year's family program needs marketplaces and we really need to start building now! Email margie@stjeromennva.org for more information!



Due to some confusion, the power point of the **"Greening of STJ"** will not be shown on 18/19 August but will be shown in the near future. We apologize for any inconvenience.

On 3 September at 7pm, the **St. Monica Prayer Warriors** will meet in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel and pray for all of our loved ones, family and friends, who have left the church and are searching for meaning. This group is newly formed and welcomes anyone to join. We will meet the first Monday of the month and pray for an hour for our loved ones and for those that have no one to pray for them. Everyone is invited to come and pray. Email margie@stjeromennva.org for more information.