New Announcements

SPANISH LITURGICAL MUSIC CONCERT

St. Clement I in Lansdowne is hosting a Spanish Liturgical Music Concert on Friday evening **June 5** from 7 to 9 pm in the St. Clement church at 2700 Washington Ave, Halethorpe MD. Santiago Fernandez is a musician, music minister and composer with Oregon Catholic Press and has been conducting classes at St. Clement on how to use music effectively in Spanish Liturgy. This concert is part of his presentation. All are invited to come to the concert, there is no charge. For more information contact Deacon Paul Gifford at paul.gifford@stclement1.org.

END OF LIFE ISSUES

The Baltimore Guild-Catholic Medical Association (BGCMA) cordially invites you to attend this presentation and panel discussion on Saturday, **June 13, 2015**. Panelists include: Edmund Tkaczuk, MD (medical director St. Joseph nursing home); Sr. Lawrence Mary Pocock, lsp. (St. Martin's home); and Fr. Michael DeAscanis (BGCMA chaplain). The day begins with the celebration of the 8:15am Mass in the Blessed Sacrament chapel at the Cathedral of Mary Our Queen church(5200 N. Charles St. Baltimore, MD 21210) followed by a light breakfast and presentation in the parish hall. A \$10 offering is appreciated as well as a RSVP to msnow500@verizon.net. For more information on this and other guild activities please go to www.bg-cma.org.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES PROJECT SERVE

Looking for a valuable service experience after college? Want to explore social justice, simplicity and faith with other recent college grads? Catholic Charities Project SERVE is now recruiting young adults who are interested in serving with a Catholic Charities program for 1-year. Each volunteer receives housing, health insurance and a living stipend. For more information, contact <u>astone@cc-md.org</u> or visit <u>www.cc-md.org/serve</u>.

DEMENTIA BEHAVIOR STUDY

Are you caring for a person with dementia and dealing with challenging behaviors? This research study evaluates ways of helping families address challenging behaviors of persons with dementia who are living at home. Participation involves 3 home interviews and up to 8 home visits with research staff over 3 months, to learn potentially helpful strategies to care for a person with dementia. For more information, call 443-287-4595. Sponsored by Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing Center for Innovative Care in Aging.

CONTEMPORARY MUSIC LEADER SOUGHT

Church of the Resurrection, Ellicott City, MD is looking for a Contemporary Music Leader. We seek a talented pianist or guitarist with strong vocal skills to plan, rehearse and lead the Contemporary Ensemble at our 9:00am Sunday Mass; encouraging and supporting an energetic and singing assembly. The ensemble consists of a choir of approximately fifteen voices (SATB), piano, guitar, bass, drums, flute and violin. Duties include:

- conduct a weekly rehearsal
- lead music at the 9am Sunday Mass
- plan music reflective of the liturgical season and relevant to the three-year cycle of readings
- work collaboratively with the Music Director
- celebrate various holy days and events throughout the year with the combined music ministry.
- attend monthly liturgy meetings

Qualifications include:

- must play either piano or guitar
- excellent music reading skills
- the ability to effectively teach vocal parts and coach singers
- familiarity with contemporary music literature/resources as well as a basic understanding of the liturgy and the role of music in worship.

This is a part-time, paid position and includes a budget for purchasing music and supplies. Send both a cover letter and resume to Dr. Stephen Lay, Music Director, Church of the Resurrection: <u>slay@res-ec.org</u> Position available starting June, 2015. Church of the Resurrection, <u>www.res-ec.org</u>.

Previous Announcements

BIBLE STUDY—THE PROPHETS

St. Isaac Jogues Parish in Carney will host a 10-week Bible Study, beginning Wednesday, **June 3**. The topic is "The Prophets: Messengers of God's Mercy." Sessions will be held in the morning (9:45 AM) and the evening (7:00 PM), in the Cronin Center. Register for the time that best suits your schedule by contacting Janet at <u>iwheat@sij.org</u> or 410-665-2561. Cost is \$15 to cover program materials. Please bring a Bible to each session (NAB or RSVCE preferred).

COME AND SEE VOCATION DISCERNMENT WEEKEND

The Carmelite Sisters of Baltimore are having a Come and See Vocation Discernment Weekend **June 5-7**, 2015 for women from the ages of 18-40. Please see our website at <u>www.baltimorecarmel.org</u> for more information.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

It's normal to grieve a pregnancy loss, including the loss of a child by abortion. It can form a hole in one's heart, a hole so deep that sometimes it seems nothing can fill the emptiness. A Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat for spiritual and emotional healing after abortion will be held in Baltimore on **June 12-14, 2015.** The confidential, supportive retreat is for anyone hurting inside after abortion. For more information, please contact Johanna at (410) 625-8491 or projectrachel@archbalt.org. You can also visit www.project-rachel.net for details and testimonies from past retreatants.

HEALING MASS

Healing Mass as Catholic Community of St Francis Xavier Sunday, **June 14th** at 2 pm. Witness speaker at 1:50. Celebrant Fr Stephen Roth. Sacrament of Healing during Mass. Individual prayer afterward by prayer teams -- for yourself or in proxy for another. Sponsored by City of God Prayer Group. Info:410-785-0356.

ZEAL FOR THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF THE UNIVERSE

2015 Spirituality by-the- Sea for Women and Men: Zeal for the Neighborhood of the Universe at Saint Mary by-the-Sea Retreat House, Cape May Point, New Jersey ~ June 18 – 21, 2015. Using a combination of prayer and activities, silence and sharing, relaxation and renewal time, we will explore some key questions of spiritual life for the 21st Century: What is zeal? What is the "neighborhood of the universe"? Who is my neighbor? What is God's plan for me? For information, please call: 609-884-8708. Reservation form: www.stmarybythesea.org.

FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM BEGINS JUNE 21

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops will sponsor a Fortnight for Freedom, June 21-July 4, 2015 to inspire Catholics across the country to pray and learn about threats to religious liberty and peacefully act to defend this First Freedom of Americans. This year's theme is "Freedom to Bear Witness" and seeks to inspire Catholics to serve others in accordance with the teachings of our Church and the freedom to do so as guaranteed by the Constitution. The national opening Mass for the Fortnight will take place on Sunday, **June 21st** at 10:45 a.m. at the Basilica in Baltimore. All are invited. For more information, visit www.archbalt.org.

ESSAY CONTEST

The Archdiocese of Baltimore is sponsoring an essay contest for all students or educators from Catholic schools, parish religious education programs, and homeschooling co-ops, grades Kindergarten through 12, to participate. The goal of the Fortnight for Freedom "Christian Acts of Service" Essay Contest is to demonstrate how our Catholic faith (including Catholic education) instills a sense of mission to bear witness to the Gospel as expressed through acts of charity, including those animated by a desire to serve those in Baltimore City who were impacted by the recent acts of violence. The winning entrants must be available to announcement at the National Mass of the Fortnight for Freedom <u>on June 21, 2015 at 10:45 AM</u>at the Baltimore Basilica, which will be aired live on Eternal Word Television Network. All entries must be received by <u>Monday, June 15</u>. For more information, please visit <u>http://www.archbalt.org/about-us/fortnightforfreedom</u>.

ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH SUMMER RETREAT—JULY 10TH & 11TH

Join Father Jack Lombardi and special guest speakers for this summer's retreat: ABC– All Basics of Catholicism; St. Peter's Catholic Church Hall, 16 E. High Street, Hancock, MD 21750 The retreat will begin on Friday with dinner at 6:00PM, followed by talks until 9:00PM. Saturday will begin with morning Mass at 7:30, and talks will be held throughout the day. Evening Mass and Benediction at 5:00PM. Breakfast and lunch will be served. RSVP: Amanda @ 301-678-6339 <u>officestpeter@verizon.net</u> Local hotels available at reduced rates if needed. Free will donation is suggested for supplies and food.

CATHOLIC DIVORCE MINISTRY

Catholic Divorce Ministry is sponsoring a day of training on Thursday, **July 23**, 2015, at Holy Trinity Parish Center, 126 Dorsey Road, Glen Burnie, MD. Cost is \$30 per person, includes snacks and beverages throughout the day, boxed lunch, handouts, and more. Registration is at 8:30 am; training is 9:00 am-4:00 pm. Training is ideal for Parish Secretaries, Parish Directors of Religious Education, Youth Directors, RCIA Teams, Faith Formation Teams, Pastoral Ministries (Bereavement/Divorce), and Marriage Program Teams. Speakers include Lynn Cassella-Kapusinski, Deacon Anthony Norcio, JCL, and Sister Sally Russell, SSJ. For more information, please contact Suzanne Carr at 301.645.5203 or <u>suzannemcarr@verizon.net</u>. CDM web site is <u>www.nacsdc.org</u>.

POPE FRANCIS PAPAL VISIT TO PHILADELPHIA

Join Fr. Collin Poston, St. Mary's Hagerstown on this pilgrimage to Philadelphia for Our Holy Father's visit to America!!! **September 25-27, 2015** HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE: Papal Mass, Festival of Families, Miraculous Medal Shrine, Philly sights, National Shrine of St. Katharine Drexel, National Shrine of St. John Neumann, National Centre for St. Padre Pio, National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa TOUR INCLUDES:*Deluxe motorcoach transportation *Two nights lodging*Breakfast each day*Welcome dinner*All sightseeing & admissions*Baggage handling*Daily Mass & prayer*Pilgrimage Coordinator Only \$475 based on double occupancy!! Multiple departures from the Baltimore/Washington area TBD Questions???? Call Ron Doub at 410-802-5365or email <u>rondoub93@aim.com</u>.

PAPAL MASS BUS TRIP

Catholic Review Media is in the early stages of planning a bus trip to be a part of the celebration of Mass **Sept. 27** in Philadelphia. The buses would likely leave from a few designated pick-up spots very, VERY early in the morning and return late at night. No hotel accommodations would be needed (hard to get, anyway). While we are awaiting details of time and ticketing, there won't be any guarantee you'll actually see Pope Francis, but you will be in the City of Brotherly Love for a major celebration with about a million fellow Catholics. Our bus pilgrims will receive round-trip transportation, bottled water, a special rosary and more. Are you interested in learning more? Click here to let us know you're interested, and we will provide you with more details when the final schedule is announced. For parishes interested in booking a full bus (45-48 pilgrims), email Associate Publisher Chris Gunty at cgunty@catholicreview.org.

TOUR ENGLISH CATHEDRALS

Discover the historic beauty and rich faith of our Catholic heritage this fall, **Sept 29-Oct. 8**, with a tour of English cathedrals. Enjoy an unforgettable exploration of pre-Reformation Catholic England in Canterbury and Wells, Oxford and London and other scenic cities. Travel with Capuchin Father Francis Russo. \$4699 per person. For more information, contact: 202-529-2188. Email: francisxrusso@gmail.com.

PILGRIMAGE TO FRANCE

Fr. Paschal Morlino, Pastor of St. Benedict Parish Baltimore, is leading a group to France, **October 4-19**, 2015. If you are interested and registered by April 30, you can save \$200. The trip includes Paris, Normandy, Mt. St. Michele, Southern France, Nice and Monaco. For more information call or write Fr. Paschal at 410-947-4988 or <u>pamorlino@aol.com</u>.

STUDY TOUR AND RETREAT IN ISRAEL AND JORDAN

Father Bob Albright will lead a trip to Israel and Jordan **January 6-18, 2016**. The two-week excursion will cost \$4,489.00 per person with double occupancy, and an extra \$799.00 for a single room. This includes: roundtrip bus from White Marsh to Newark Airport and back, and plane flight from Newark Airport to Tel Aviv and back; 10 nights in first class hotels; 11 days of touring with experienced English-speaking, government-licensed guides; admission to all sites, hotel taxes, and service fees, tips to guides and drivers and other service personnel; breakfast and dinner daily. For more information and a copy of the itinerary and registration form, contact Father Bob at (410) 630-2210 or robert.albright2006@comcast.net .

PILGRIMAGE TO ASSISI AND ROME—SAVE THE DATES—MARCH 29-April 7, 2016

Under the direction of Bob Sutliff, Pastoral Associate at Church of the Ascension, Halethorpe and St. Augustine, Elkridge, we will visit Assisi, Bolsena, Orvietto as well as celebrate the Jubilee Year of Mercy while in Rome by visiting St. Peters' Basilica, St. Pauls Outside the Walls and the Catecombs of St. Callistus and a general audience with Pope Francis. A "save the date" flyer can be obtained by email at bob@staugustinehurch.org and please put Italy Trip in the subject line.

ARCHDIOCESAN PRAYER MINISTRY ON FACEBOOK

Visit the Archdiocesan Prayer Ministry's new Facebook page at <u>www.facebook.com/prayersarchbalt</u>. This page provides encouragement, comfort, and resources to help you in your time of need. Check us out and "Like" us on Facebook. You can still request prayer or sign up to be part of the prayer team at <u>http://www.archbalt.org/ministries/prayer-ministry/index.cfm.</u>

RADIO MASS & NEW LOCAL CATHOLIC RADIO PROGRAM

Listen to the Radio Mass of Baltimore on its new stations and times: Sundays at 9am on Q1370 AM and WCBM 680 AM and WCBM 690 AM and 6pm on WCBM 680 AM. Following each airing of the Radio Mass will be a new locally-produced Catholic radio program, *Catholic Baltimore*, which will air interviews and information relevant for Catholics in the Archdiocese of Baltimore. For more information, visit www.archbalt.org.

LEARN MORE ABOUT PRAYER THROUGH THE CARMELITES

As we celebrate the 500th anniversary of the birth of St. Teresa of Avila, The Carmelite Sisters of Baltimore invite you to a deeper encounter with God through prayer in the Carmelite tradition. Learn about contemplative prayer through the Carmelites' podcast series. For more information, visit www.totheholymountain.org.

TALK WITH YOUR LOVED ONES ON END-OF-LIFE ISSUES

Illness and death – whether our own or that of a loved one – are issues many of us avoid thinking and talking about until they are immediately confronting us. Too often we are unprepared for the questions that arise, and find ourselves making difficult decisions in the midst of a crisis, without the benefit of time and reflection. Maryland's bishops have released a pastoral letter, *Comfort and Consolation*, on care for the sick and dying to encourage Catholics to take that time now, before facing a crisis, so that when illness and death inevitably come, we can face them with the comfort and peace of understanding our faith, and knowing our Lord is there to embrace us in our hour of need. Visit the Maryland Catholic Conference at www.mdcathcon.org/comfort for downloading copies or to order.

CONSIDER STUDIES IN THEOLOGY, SCRIPTURE, OR LAY ECCLESIAL MINISTRY

Through its Ecumenical Institute of Theology, St. Mary's Seminary & University offers accredited graduate theological education that is intellectually rigorous, personally enriching, and professionally empowering. Women and men from across the Christian tradition form a diverse learning community where evening and Saturday classes are ideally suited for part-time students with full-time lives. Pursue a master's degree or graduate certificate—or simply take classes (whether as an auditor or for credit). Spring Term 2015 will include courses such as Biblical & Ecumenical Perspectives on Mary; Liturgical Spirituality: East & West; Dorothy Day & American Catholicism, and Faith Development through the Life Cycle (offered in conjunction with this year's MAC conference, Feb.13-15). Applications now being accepted for the 2015 spring semester. Information: www.stmarys.edu/ei; 410/864-4200; ei@stmarys.edu/ei.

OUR DAILY BREAD

Our Daily Bread Hot Meal program, operated by Catholic Charities, is in need of people to prepare and deliver casseroles each month. Our Daily Bread provides meals to between 700 and 800 people in Baltimore every day, 365 days a year, and has not missed a day of service in 32 years. For information please contact either your parish program coordinator or Kim Kahl at 443-986-9031 or <u>kkahl@cc-md.org</u>.

CALLING ALL CATHOLIC ALUMNI OF UMBC

The Catholic Retrievers (formally the Newman Club) is starting a UMBC Catholic Alumni group for graduates to network, connect with current students, and assist in the development of Catholic campus ministry. If interested, please email Fr. John Rapisarda, Chaplain, at <u>frjohn@umbc.edu</u>, or join the

Facebook group "UMBC Catholic Alumni." Right now, we are gathering names, and will have an inaugural event in the Spring semester. Please spread the word!

IN NEED OF PRAYER?

Anyone in need of prayer may submit their prayer requests through the website of the Archdiocese of Baltimore. A Prayer Ministry has been created, including men and women, lay and clergy from throughout the Archdiocese, who have volunteered to stand in prayer with their brothers and sisters interceding for their requests. Other prayer resources are also available on the site. Visit the site at http://www.archbalt.org/ministries/prayer-ministry/index.cfm.

THE RESOURCE EXCHANGE PROGRAM AT ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHURCH

The Resource Exchange is a program of the Social Action Committee at St. Vincent de Paul Church. We place homeless persons in apartments in cooperation with Health Care for the Homeless. We are always looking for gently used small furniture pieces and household items. The complete list is on our website at stvchurch.org. For more information contact Pat Frascati at 410-663-5542 or <u>frascati00@comcast.net</u>.

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary of the Archdiocese of Baltimore is presently working in 20 parishes throughout the Archdiocese. This organization is a wonderful means of channeling the vital apostolic work of the laity in your parish. Their work includes visits to nursing homes, hospitals and hospices, visiting new parishioners and the newly baptized. They evangelize by reaching out to people at festivals and events in the Baltimore area as well as at the train station and on the streets of Baltimore. They serve in their parishes in Faith Formation and evangelization efforts. If you are interested in starting a Legion of Mary group in your parish, please contact Dianne Van Pelt at <u>Vanpelt5@comcast.net</u>.

FREE SPECIAL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION RESOURCES

Free Catechetical Resources - through a generous gift of the Knights of Columbus, the Office of Disabilities Ministry is able to offer catechetical resources for persons with special needs to parishes at no cost. These materials include the adaptive sacramental preparation kits from Loyola Press and the Gifts for All sacramental preparation curricula from the University of Dayton. Please contact Bill Fleming at <u>bfleming@archbalt.org</u> or 410-547-5410.

MINISTRY FOR SEPARATED/DIVORCED

It takes a long time and a lot of work to heal the pain that comes with the breakup of a relationship. Now there is a safe place where you can be around people who truly understand how you are feeling. **REBUILDING** is a Christian-based support group for separated and divorced people sponsored by St. Bernadette Parish. Our completed five sessions have been a resounding success and participant reviews have been very positive. Our current session is on-going running **every Wednesday from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm** in the Parish Conference Room at 801 Stevenson Rd, Severn, MD 21144. If you or someone you know is dealing with the pain of separation or divorce join us to experience how the Holy Spirit uses this group to lift you up and equip you to move into a new beginning. **REBUILDING** is a 13-week program and participants can join at any time since each session is standalone. There is a one-time fee of \$15 for materials. For additional information call Andrea Montrose at <u>410-969-2782</u> or email us at <u>rebuildingsevern@gmail.com</u>.

ARCHDIOCESE OF BALTIMORE MOBILE APP

The Archdiocese of Baltimore has developed a mobile version of its website and an App for Apple and Android mobile device users, to make it easier for Catholics to stay connected to their local Church,

including parishes and schools, while on the go. For more information, visit <u>www.archbalt.org</u> or download the app from the app store.

ARE YOU A CATHOLIC PHYSICIAN, HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONAL, OR MEDICAL STUDENT?

The Catholic Medical Association (CMA) helps doctors and health care professionals grow in faith, maintain ethical integrity, and provide excellent health care in accordance with the teachings of the Church. The CMA offers professional, spiritual, and moral support through local chapters and annual national conferences featuring world-class speakers and CME credits. Be part of the New Evangelization and join the CMA to help build a culture of life in health care and to provide a voice for Catholic medical and ethical principles in society. Visit <u>www.cathmed.org</u> to learn more about the CMA and the benefits of membership.

LEGAL ADVICE PROGRAM

The University of Maryland, Francis King Carey School of Law will be staffing its "Just Advice" program over the next few months. This program allows anyone, for the cash fee of \$10, to discuss an issue of concern with a lawyer. Possible issues can involve family law, insurance issues, possible expungement, employment issues or consumer concerns. Appointments are encouraged and a variety of dates are available. Please visit <u>http://justadvice.wordpress.com</u> for a list of dates and locations.

PREGNANT, NEED HELP? Call Gabriel Network at 1-800-ANGEL OK or visit www.gabrielnetwork.org?

SUFFERING POST-ABORTION STRESS? Call Rachel's Vineyard Baltimore at 41-=625=8491

ENCOURAGE SUPPORT GROUP—Baltimore Area

In offering support to parents dealing with concerns that present themselves when a son or daughter informs them of a homosexual orientation, our Catholic Bishops state: "You need not face this painful time alone, without human assistance or God's grace. The Church can be an instrument of both help and healing." Those confronting these issues for the first time as well as those who may be journeying through them are welcome. Confidentiality is respected. The group meets on the fourth Monday of each month. For contact information and directions call Pat, 410-433-1610, or the Chancery Office, 410-547-5446.

ENCOURAGE SUPPORT GROUP—Western Maryland Area

In offering support to parents dealing with concerns that present themselves when a son or daughter informs them of a homosexual orientation, our Catholic Bishops state: "You need not face this painful time alone, without human assistance or God's grace. The Church can be an instrument of both help and healing." Those confronting these issues for the first time as well as those who may be journeying through them are welcome. Confidentiality is respected. The group meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, 67 Liberty St., Berkeley Springs, WV 25411 (corner of Liberty and Washington Streets).

COURAGE MINISTRY CONTACT INFORMATION

Courage is a ministry to people with same-sex attractions who are looking for support to live chaste lives according to the teachings of the Church. For complete information, go to their website--www.couragerc.net. Dominican Father Carleton Jones is the local Courage chaplain. He is available for confidential inquiries or conversations at 443-845-4567. Voice mail messages should include a first name and a private number to return the call.

Classifieds

PART-TIME BUS DRIVER NEEDED IN BALTIMORE

The Institute of Notre Dame in Baltimore is seeking a responsible and experienced bus driver for morning and afternoon activities, including athletic practices and various events, throughout the upcoming school year. For more information, see the job description at http://www.indofmd.org/about/careers.

HIGH SCHOOL SEEKS EXPERIENCED SPANISH AND MATH TEACHERS

The Institute of Notre Dame in Baltimore is seeking an enthusiastic and experienced teacher of Spanish to teach three classes of beginning Spanish starting next fall, as well as an enthusiastic and experienced full-time mathematics teacher to teach Algebra (all levels), Geometry and Pre-Calculus next fall. For more information, see the job description at http://www.indofmd.org/about/careers.

SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE EMPLOYEES SOUGHT

The Office of Child Nutrition is seeking responsible individuals to work as Food Service Employees beginning in August for the 2015-2016 school year. Duties and responsibilities include preparing food to serve students; clean up; washing of trays; ordering food; managing daily operations. Openings are available now at Holy Angels Catholic School and John Paul Regional School. For more information, please contact Isabelle Gerber at <u>igerber@archbalt.org</u>.

APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

The Apostleship of the Sea needs Volunteers to help in sorting and displaying donated clothing for the Seafarers. This can be done any day and time of your choice. There is also a great need for Ships Visitors to drive the Vans to the Port and Seafarer Center. Call Msgr. John FitzGerald @ 443-690-2447 to inquire.

IND SEEKS EXPERIENCED VARSITY COACHES IN CHEERLEADING, FIELD HOCKEY, SOCCER, AND VOLLEYBALL

Please see <u>http://www.indofmd.org/about/careers</u> for more information and to apply by May 30, 2015.

CARROLL COUNTY PARISH SEEKS PASTORAL ASSOCIATE FOR LITURGY & MUSIC

St. Joseph Catholic Community, a parish of more than 3,100 families administered by the Marianist Community and located in Carroll County, Maryland, is seeking a full-time Pastoral Associate for Liturgy and Music. The successful candidate coordinates the parish's liturgical life in a comprehensive program that fosters full, conscious, and active participation. The position requires competence in and experience with the Roman Rite of the Catholic Church, proven ability to work with volunteers and to direct a successful program of pastoral music that includes skill in organ and piano, directing an adult choir, and training and directing cantors and other instrumentalists. The Pastoral Associate ministers at two Masses on Sunday and oversees the other three Masses. Further duties include recruitment, training, scheduling and support for all liturgical ministers; the formation of the assembly in their liturgical role, choosing music for all liturgies; music support for all sacramental celebrations; and other duties as needed. The Pastoral Associate works in close collaboration with the clergy and other members of the parish staff including part-time liturgical administrative assistant. This full-time position is a benefiteligible position and salary is commensurate with archdiocesan guidelines. Weddings and funerals provide an additional source of income. Minimum requirements include a Bachelors or higher in Music and five years' experience leading liturgical ministry. A detailed job description is available upon request. Resumes and any inquiries may be sent to the Search Committee c/o liturgysearch@saintjoseph.cc.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COORDINATOR SOUGHT-LIBERTYTOWN

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church-Libertytown, MD, seeks qualified applicants for the position of Coordinator of Elementary Religious Education. The parish serves 1300 families eager for their children to learn and grow in their Catholic Faith. The ideal applicant must be a Catholic in good standing who demonstrates a love of children and sensitivity for their needs. The incumbent will work hand- in-hand with the Pastor and Pastoral Staff to oversee the parish's elementary faith formation. This is a part-time

time, benefit eligible, pastoral staff position which includes most Sunday mornings from late September through early May and occasional evening hours for parent instruction. Bachelor's degree in Theology or Religious Studies, or in education with a minor in Theology or Religious Studies, and experience in teaching, are required. Qualified applicants may submit their resume by either email or mail: Theresa DiSipio at tdisipio@stpeter-libertytown.org or 9190 Church St., Union Bridge, MD 21791. For the complete job description and requirements, and to find out more information about our parish community, please go to our parish website www.stpeter-libertytown.org.

PREGNANCY CENTER SEEKS DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

The Center for Pregnancy Concerns has an immediate opening for a Development Director. The position is currently part time. For information or to schedule an interview, please call 410 391-6699 or email carol@centerforepregnancyconcerns.org.

OUR LADY'S CENTER SEEKS MANAGER

Our Lady's Center is seeking a manager who has experience in several key areas: interaction with customers in a retail setting preferred, computer proficient with business and design software, team player who both respects those in a senior position and can manage contemporaries or those in a junior position, must have some graphic design with social media experience, reliable with numbers, inventory management and work flow systems. Comfortable with a fast paced working environment, able to multi task, and able to demonstrate a deep and developed understanding of the Catholic Faith. Work experience in a church or bookstore helpful. Applications or inquiries should go to jkissane1@verizon.net.

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL OPENING—Baltimore

The Catholic High School of Baltimore, an independent, women's secondary school in Baltimore, Maryland, sponsored by the Sisters of St. Francis of Philadelphia, seeks a Principal. The Principal reports to the President and has the primary responsibility of overseeing the academic program. A Qualified Candidate:

- Has successful teaching and administrative experience at the secondary level, a Master's degree in education, and leads in the formulation of academic policies, curriculum development, and supervises the instructional program, including AP and STEM
- Is a visionary instructional leader who promotes the educational development of students through effective supervisory and administrative skills in addition to planning, organizing, and assessing faculty in-service and professional development
- Oversees the appraisal process for faculty
- Possesses strong communication and collaborative skills in working with all constituents, and provides leadership for the school's parent groups
- Must be competent in the use of technology as an integral tool for instruction
- Has experience in strategic planning and Middle States accreditation process
- Collaborates with the President and Director of Institutional Advancement to maintain positive public relations with various constituent groups, the greater public, and prospective parents
- Serves as staff to the Board of Trustees on the Strategic Planning Committee
- Provides leadership for all members of the school community that reflect Gospel values and core values of the Sisters of St. Francis of Philadelphia.
- Assists the President and works cooperatively with members of the administrative team in school planning and to enhance the mission and Catholic, Franciscan identity of Catholic High

To apply, please send letter of interest, resume, salary requirements, and three references to Mrs. Christina Roemer, Assistant to the President, the Catholic High School of Baltimore, 2800 Edison Highway, Baltimore, MD 21213 or email <u>croemer@thecatholichighschool.org</u>. No phone messages, please.

PRINCIPAL OPENING- Towson Area

Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic School, located near Towson, Baltimore County, Maryland, seeks dynamic candidates for the position of Principal. Immaculate Heart of Mary is dedicated to excellence in Catholic education, inspiring greatness in teaching and learning within the heart of our school community. Our vision is to be the premier Catholic educational community, motivated by our dedication to excellence, collaboration, innovation and integrity. Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic School offers a comprehensive curriculum for 435 students in Pre-School through Eighth Grade preparing them for success in our challenging world. To apply for this position or for more information please contact Eileen Bowman, <u>ebowman@archbalt.org</u> or 410.547.5433

PRINCIPAL OPENING- Rosedale Area

St. Clement Mary Hofbauer Catholic School located in Rosedale, Maryland, seeks dynamic candidates for the position of Principal. St. Clement School provides a faith filled learning environment of academic excellence for students of all academic abilities through the PRIDE program. St. Clement Mary Hofbauer School maintains high expectations of excellence for all students in order to assist them in achieving their fullest academic and personal potential. To apply for this position or for more information please contact Eileen Bowman, <u>ebowman@archbalt.org</u> or 410.547.5433

PARKTON PARISH SEEKS DIRECTOR OF YOUTH MINISTRY

Our Lady of Grace parish in Parkton, Maryland, a Catholic community of approximately 900 families, is seeking a director of youth ministry. The youth minister's responsibilities would include Middle School Catechesis, a two-year Confirmation Program, Middle School and High School Youth Ministry, coordinating service and community activities, building relationships with our school and families in the parish. Applicants must be practicing Catholics, with a strong desire to live and share their faith, as well as having a minimum of a Bachelor's Degree or certificate in theology or youth ministry. The parish is willing to entertain part-time or full-time applicants, in the interest of finding a passionate and qualified youth minister. Resumes or inquiries can be directed to Fr. Mike Triplett, mtriplett@ourladygrace.org or (410)329-6826.

PIANO/ORGAN ACCOMPANIST SOUGHT BY HUNT VALLEY PARISH

The Catholic Community of St. Francis Xavier in Hunt Valley is looking for a permanent, part-time piano and organ accompanist. For four weekend Masses each weekend, as well as Masses on holy days and other special liturgies. The position also assists the choir director with the adult choir and contemporary music group. Send resume with references to Rev. Frank Brauer at <u>fbrauer@archbalt.org</u>.

MILLERSVILLE PARISH SEEKS YOUTH/YOUNG ADULT MINISTER

The youth and young adult minister will work with our Church's staff, volunteer leaders and families to lead a comprehensive ministry of spiritual, relational, learning and service activities for the Youth and Young Adults of our congregation and community, their friends and families. Reporting to the Pastoral Associate and as a member of the staff for Evangelization and Faith Formation, the Y/YA minister will recruit, develop and support youth and adult leaders, design and administer educational, relational and service activities to support the personal and spiritual care we extend to our youth and their families so they may grow into faithful and responsible adult Catholic leaders. Applicants may receive specifics of

the role and should present educational and ministry experience and credentials to Dr. Thomas E. Little, Our Lady of the Fields Church 1070 Cecil Ave, Millersville, MD 21108. <u>tlittle@olfparish.com</u>. No phone calls, please. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

PART-TIME FOOD SERVICE AID

Part-Time Food Service Aid at O'Dwyer Retreat House in Sparks. Help w/food prep and service, and clean up. Experience pref. but will train. Must be able to work evenings (until 6:30) and weekends. Weekly hours could range from 8-20. Starts at \$10/hr. contact odwyerkitchen@gmail.com.

LITURGICAL MUSIC DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR AND PRINCIPAL ORGANIST

St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church, a congregation of 4200 families located in Frederick, Maryland, is seeking a Liturgical Music Department Director and Principal Organist to coordinate a comprehensive liturgical music program that will foster full, conscious and active participation in the liturgy. The position includes playing four (4) Masses each weekend, as well as providing music for Holy Day Masses. The Director would be responsible for accompanying the Adult Choir and Youth Choir as well as developing and coordinating a Hand bell Choir and a Contemporary Music Group. Further duties would include recruitment, training, scheduling and support for the liturgical music ministers; choosing music for all liturgies; music support for all sacramental celebrations; and maintenance of the Moller 18 rank pipe organ. The Director would work in close collaboration with the Pastor, Director of Liturgy and Choir Directors in planning and execution of all liturgical celebrations. The full time position is a benefiteligible position and salary is commensurate with archdiocesan guidelines. Weddings and funerals are paid extra outside of the base salary. A full job description is available upon request. Resumes and any inquiries may be sent to the Search Committee c/o joe.swiss@stjohn-frederick.org.

PARISH ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY VACANCY

The Parishes of St. Anthony Shrine, Emmitsburg and Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Thurmont are hiring an Administrative Secretary to support the pastoral staff and parish ministries. The position will be available starting March 2, 2015. From the starting date through May 28, 2015 the position will be 16-24 hours per week. Beginning June 1, the hours will increase to 40 hours per week. The successful applicant will be proficient in Microsoft Office; adept at working with other computer applications; possess good organizational, communication and people skills; willing to work in a team environment; be familiar with basic bookkeeping procedures; and be capable of other office and secretarial procedures as necessary. The applicant should be a high school graduate or GED equivalent and be willing to participate in ongoing training as needed for the position. Five years related experience in administrative/secretarial assignments preferred. Salary will be keeping with Archdiocesan guidelines. A more detailed job description is available upon request. For additional information and/or to apply for the position, please contact Barbara Anderson, Pastoral Life Director, at 301-447-2367. Resumes can be mailed to the parish office at 16150 St. Anthony Road, Emmitsburg, MD 21727 or emailed to Barbara at banderson@archbalt.org.

TOWSON UNIVERSITY'S NEWMAN CENTER NEEDS LITURGICAL ITEMS

The Newman Center at Towson University is in need of a small altar and kneelers. Please contact John Papania at St. Paul Parish, Ellicott City, at 410-465-1670 or <u>john@stpaulec.org</u>.