

**\*\*New Announcements\*\***

***CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION AT OUR LADY OF THE MOUNTAINS, CUMBERLAND***

Sunday, **May 29**, 2016 is the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. After the 11:00 AM Mass at St. Patrick's Church, Cumberland, Our Lady of the Mountains Parish will host an outdoor procession with the Eucharist. The procession will form after Mass and proceed to the Shrine of Sts. Peter and Paul for Benediction. There is a very close relationship between the Eucharist and proclaiming Christ. To be in communion with Him also means becoming missionaries. We are called not only to celebrate the Eucharist but to carry Him into the world, publicly proclaiming that the Sacrifice of Christ is for the salvation of all. Please join in this wonderful opportunity to bless our city and share the love of Christ in the Eucharist! FYI: The Shrine of Sts. Peter and Paul is a pilgrimage site for the Year of Mercy.

***CATHOLIC HOMESCHOOL CONFERENCE JUNE 3-4 IN MARYLAND***

The annual Maryland Catholic Homeschooling Conference is **June 3-4** at Saint Michael's in Mount Airy. Come learn about Catholic homeschooling, meet other Catholic homeschoolers, there's a used curriculum sale to browse, speakers and vendors! Visit our website for info about the Conference and about Catholic homeschooling. [www.marylandarch.com/](http://www.marylandarch.com/)

***SAINT FAUSTINA: MESSENGER OF MERCY FREE CONCERT***

Please join us on Saturday, **June 11th** at 7:00 p.m. Nancy Scimone presents the one-woman drama: St. Faustina: Messenger of Mercy. Script completely from Divine Mercy in my Soul, the Diary of Sister M. Faustina Kowalska. Program includes live music, is fully costumed, and is appropriate for all ages. Free Will offering -- No ticket needed. St. Paul Catholic Church, 3755 St. Paul Street, Ellicott City, MD 21043, 410-465-1670.

***MIDDLE SCHOOL MATH AND ENGLISH TEACHERS SOUGHT***

Mother Seton School is seeking Middle School teachers for Math and English. Applicants must be eligible for MD Certification. Interested candidates can email resumes to [principal@mothersetonschool.org](mailto:principal@mothersetonschool.org).

***COORDINATOR OF LITURGY/SACRISTAN***

St. Mary's Parish in Annapolis, Maryland, a large and vibrant parish of over 5000 families, is seeking a Coordinator of Liturgy/Sacristan. The successful applicant will have experience in liturgical celebrations, liturgical ministries and the sacramental needs of the Church. A bachelor's degree in Theology, Liturgy, Religious Studies, or related field is beneficial. Please send resume, references, and salary history by June 10, 2016 to: Search Committee, c/o Dcn. Leroy S. Moore, St. Mary's Parish, 109 Duke of Gloucester Street, Annapolis, Maryland 21401.

**\*\*Previous Announcements\*\***

***COMMEMORATION OF THE UGANDAN MARTYRS***

June third is the Feast of the Ugandan Martyrs (Saints Charles Lwanga and Companions). King Kabaka Mutesa of Buganda allowed the White Fathers to preach the Faith. But his successor, King Mwanga, in 1885, initiated a fierce persecution against the Christian converts. Charles Lwanga, the chief of the royal pages, and twenty one of his companions remained faithful even when they were burned alive. Fr. Francis Ouma will celebrate this Mass on Friday, **June 3**, 2016 at the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Towson at 7:00 pm. The relics of the Martyrs will be available for veneration. There will be a Ugandan themed reception afterwards in the Msgr. Tinder Parish Hall.

### ***UNBOUND: FREEDOM IN CHRIST RETREAT AT MT. CALVARY***

On Saturday, **June 4th** from 9 am to 4 pm. This deliverance prayer ministry focuses on healing, rather than on evil spirits, empowering people to take hold of the freedom they have been given in Christ. Breakfast & lunch are included in the registration fee of \$20. To register & to learn more, go to:

<https://www.picatic.com/unbound-retreat-june-4th> Mount Calvary Church is located at 816 N Eutaw St, Baltimore, MD 21201.

### ***MASS AND POTLUCK SUPPER TO CELEBRATE SS. CHARLES LWANGA AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS OF UGANDA***

On Sunday, **June 5**, at 4pm, St. Joseph-on-Carrollton Manor (Frederick/Buckeystown) will welcome the Choir from Baltimore's St. Bernardine Roman Catholic Church to lead our worship as we celebrate the lives of these heroic saints and pray for their intercession. Join us as we pray for people around the world who suffer religious persecution, and for the world's young people. Be uplifted by an inspiring music ministry that will fill you with joy! Join in a potluck supper with our parish family and our guests, featuring traditional favorites as well as special African foods prepared by the African families in our parish. Information at <http://www.stjoesbuckeystown.org/blog/mass-to-celebrate-sts-charles-lwanga-and-companions-sunday-june-5/>.

### ***CAMP GLOW COMPANIONS NEEDED***

There is a need for companions (age 18 and older) at Camp GLOW, a week-long residential camp for persons with disabilities sponsored by the Archdiocese of Baltimore. Companions spend the week accompanying camp participants as they enjoy a wonderful week of spiritual fulfillment and social interaction. There will be four sessions this summer: **June 5-10; July 17-22; August 7-12 and Aug 15-19**. The first three sessions are at the Msgr. O'Dwyer Retreat House in Sparks, MD and the fourth session is at the Hickory Environmental Education Center in Accident, MD. More information and application forms are available at <http://www.archbalt.org/evangelization/disabilities-ministry/camp-glow.cfm> or by contacting Bill Fleming at 410-547-5410 or [bfleming@archbalt.org](mailto:bfleming@archbalt.org).

### ***FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY PILGRIMAGE***

This **June 11th**, from 12:00pm to 6:00pm, the Shrine of St. Anthony will be celebrating the Feast Day of St. Anthony of Padua with special guest presenter Immaculee Ilibagiza! Immaculee is a survivor of the Rwandan genocide who brings her inspiring tale of survival, forgiveness, and mercy to our festival this year to celebrate the Year of Mercy! This event is free and includes talks, Adoration, Masses, Confessions, Live Music, activities for children, and more! For more information, directions, or a full schedule of the day's events check out our website at [www.ShrineofStAnthony.org](http://www.ShrineofStAnthony.org), call 410-531-2800, or visit [www.Immaculee.com](http://www.Immaculee.com)!

### ***PILGRIMAGE TO PHILADELPHIA***

Special bus charter to Philadelphia, Monday, **June 13th**. Features tours of four prominent shrines (and Holy Doors) including National Shrine of St. John Neumann, where the saint's incorruptible body can be venerated; Cathedral-Basilica of Sts. Peter and Paul; Central Shrine of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal; and National Shrine of Saint Rita of Cascia. Cost: \$30/seat. Leaving from the Springridge/Frederick area. Contact Krista Thomas at [catholicaggie91@gmail.com](mailto:catholicaggie91@gmail.com) or [301-865-3235](tel:301-865-3235) for info.

### ***CANON LAW IN PARISH LIFE***

Whether you're a Lay Ecclesial Minister or a lay person in the pew, would you like to know more about Canon Law? If so, this summer St. Mary's Seminary & University in Baltimore will offer three excellent opportunities to do so. Each will be led by Rev. Msgr. David Fulton. • St. Mary's Center for Continuing

Formation has scheduled two workshops: o Canon Law for Sacraments of Initiation - Tuesday, **June 14**, 9 am - 4:30 pm o Canon Law for Marriage (and Divorce and Annulment) – Tuesday, **June 28**, 9 am – 4:30 pm The cost for each workshop is \$40, lunch included. For details and overnight accommodations, contact Krista Koronios (410.864.4102). To register: <https://canonlawstmarys.eventbrite.com>. • St. Mary's Ecumenical Institute will offer a 3-credit graduate course, Sacramental Theology & Canon Law for Pastoral Ministers, which will include both the workshops and six additional class sessions. For more information or to register, contact Patty Rath (410.864.4203).

### ***FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM***

The Catholic Church in the United States will observe a Fortnight for Freedom, June 21-July 4. The Fortnight is a time for prayer, education, and action to support and defend religious freedom in our Nation and around the world. This year's Fortnight will celebrate past and present "witnesses to religious freedom." The Archdiocese of Baltimore will host events to mark the Fortnight, beginning with the nationally-televised national opening Mass, celebrated by Archbishop William E. Lori, at the Baltimore Basilica on **June 21<sup>st</sup>** at 7pm. Relics of St. Thomas More and St. John Fisher will be on display during and after the Mass for veneration. More information about the Mass and about the other events taking place in the Archdiocese can be found at [www.archbalt.org](http://www.archbalt.org).

### ***A WEEKEND OF HEALING AND HOPE WITH IMMACULEE ILIBAGIZA AND KATHLEEN MCCARTHY***

Immaculee Ilibagiza, a Rwandan genocide survivor, author and Catholic witness for the power of forgiveness and mercy will be joined by Kathleen McCarthy, Catholic radio broadcaster, author, and lay evangelist for the power of God's healing and merciful love as the two lead a retreat on **June 24-26** at Mount St. Mary's University. To register and for more information visit [www.aliveinthspirit.net](http://www.aliveinthspirit.net).

### ***YEAR OF MERCY HOLY DOORS PILGRIMAGE***

The Baltimore Guild-Catholic Medical Association (BG-CMA) proudly announces this one-day pilgrimage on **June 25, 2016**. This is an opportunity to share conversations and pray with physicians, nurses, healthcare professionals and those who share a heart for bringing the Catholic faith to those in need. The group will meet at St. Philip Neri church and travel in a motor coach to St. Ignatius Hickory Church and then to the Basilica of the National Shrine of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton in Emmitsburg for Mass and a tour of the shrine. Lunch follows at the Carriage House Restaurant. The group will then visit the National Shrine Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes. Finally, they'll return to St. Philip Neri church at approximately 6:30pm. Trip cost of \$99.00 per person is due by May 30, 2016. Make checks payable to: BG-CMA and send to: BGCMA P.O. Box 19041 Towson, MD 21284. The trip cost includes: luxurious bus transportation, group luncheon, all sightseeing and shrine donations & gratuity for driver and escort. For more information please call 410-296-2698.

### ***VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL—ST. CLEMENT, ROSEDALE***

Bible Camp - Vacation Bible School (VBS) St Clement Mary Hofbauer Parish 1212 Chesaco Avenue Rosedale, MD 21237 410-686-6188 **July 11-15**; 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM Cost \$25 per child. To register or questions contact Mrs. JoAnn Harvan-Chin 410-686-6188 OR [amysmith2378@gmail.com](mailto:amysmith2378@gmail.com).

### ***ALASKA ADVENTURE: SPIRIT AND SERVICE***

**July 14-26**, Pilgrimage to Anchorage, Denali Park, Fairbanks and a one day cruise, for sightseeing, hiking and service to the needy and local populations. \$800 Roundtrip ticket plus food and hotel expenses. Contact Fr Jack Lombardi, 301-678-6339, [jlombardi@archbalt.org](mailto:jlombardi@archbalt.org).

### ***WORLD YOUTH DAY FOR YOUNG ADULTS—2016***

Join 40 other Catholic Young Adults on Pilgrimage to Krakow, Poland for World Youth Day. From **July 22-August 1, 2016**, journey together as we encounter Christ and His Church through experiences such as- Pope Francis, Saints John Paul II, Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Black Madonna, traveling to Auschwitz, and much more! Cost of the trip is \$3,895, which includes airfare, hotel stay, most meals, everything above, and more! To register call your local parish/organization contact or call the DYYAM office directly, 410-547-5372.

### ***TOUR OF ISRAEL***

New All Saints Travel Club is hosting a deluxe 10 day - CATHOLIC TOUR OF ISRAEL, **October 24 - November 2, 2016**. Tour includes round-trip air from Baltimore to Tel Aviv; hotel accommodations; guides and tours; daily Israeli buffet breakfasts and dinners, St. Peter's lunch in Tiberias; transfers; region highlights and more. Cost: \$3100 per person double occupancy/single room supplement \$590. Interested? For further information call: 410-542-0445; email: [Office@naschurch.org](mailto:Office@naschurch.org). Reserve your spot now. Father Donald A. Sterling is pastor.

### ***LOURDES/FATIMA PILGRIMAGE***

The National Shrine Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes in conjunction with Nawas International is hosting an 11 day Pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes and Santiago de Compostela from **November 2-12, 2016**. The Pilgrimage features roundtrip airfare from Washington, D.C., Accommodations at First Class/Select hotels, most meals, services of professional tour director, comprehensive sightseeing throughout, all admission fees, portage, hotel taxes, airline taxes, and service charges. Please join us in this wonderful opportunity! \$2,999 per person. Please contact the National Shrine Grotto for more information and to reserve your space: 301-447-5318.

### ***CATHOLIC ENGAGED ENCOUNTER***

Catholic Engaged Encounter is an international program committed to preparing couples for the sacrament of marriage. Engaged couples attend a weekend retreat that fosters openness and communication through a series of presentations, private reflection and dialog time. Catholic Engaged Encounter is an approved marriage preparation program within the Baltimore Archdiocese. Below is a list of upcoming retreat dates.

<b>2015 Weekends</b>	<b>2016 Weekends</b>	
Nov. 6-8	Jan. 15-17	Jul. 15-17
	Feb. 13-14	Sept. 9-11
	Apr. 8-10	Nov. 4-6
	May 13-15	

Weekends fill quickly. Register early! For more information or to register for a weekend, please visit our website at [www.mdcee.org](http://www.mdcee.org) or call 410-439-4217

### ***WORK OUT YOUR SALVATION!***

St. Joseph Church in Fullerton hosts "Work out your Salvation!" a Lenten mission with EWTN's Fr. Wade Menezes, **February 14-18, 2016**. Free, no registration required. Mission talks are from 7-8pm each night. For more information, contact Jim Hamilton at (410) 218-3162 or [jimahamilton@lycos.com](mailto:jimahamilton@lycos.com).

### ***THE 12 APOSTLES: EXAMPLES OF GOD'S MERCY IN EVERYDAY LIFE***

Join St. Isaac Jogues **every Wednesday** as we continue our Year of Mercy series by exploring the 12 Apostles, who they were, why God called them, and how we are like each one of them every day. Sessions will run from 9:45—10:45 a.m. and 7-8 p.m. in the church. There is no cost for these sessions. Presented by: Jon Gerstmyer, Director of Liturgy and Youth Ministry May dates: 4: Who were the Apostles? 11: The Rock

18: The Sons of Thunder June Dates 1: Bringer of People and the Bean Counter 8: The Tax Collector and the Terrorist 15: The True Believer and the Doubter 22: The Little one, the Man with Three Names, and the Traitor.

### ***THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION FOR PERSONAL GROWTH OR LAY MINISTRY***

Applications are now being accepted for the 2015 spring semester at the Ecumenical Institute of Theology. Men and women from throughout the Archdiocese enjoy Ecumenical Institute classes, whether for personal growth or for professional development. Some simply take a class or two. Others enroll in one of the two master's degree programs. Come and join us on the journey of "Faith seeking understanding... understanding making a difference." Schedule your campus visit now. The Ecumenical Institute of Theology is a division of St. Mary's Seminary & University, the first Roman Catholic seminary in the United States. Classes are offered weekday evenings and Saturdays at St. Mary's north Baltimore campus. More information: [www.stmarys.edu/ei](http://www.stmarys.edu/ei), 410/864-4203, or [ei@stmarys.edu](mailto:ei@stmarys.edu).

### ***LOYOLA CLINICAL CENTERS OFFERING SUMMER LITERACY PROGRAMS***

Does your child need help reading? Want your child to enjoy reading? The Loyola Clinical Centers (LCC) is offering two summer programs—Reading & Succeeding and Ready, Set, Read!—to help children's literacy and language skills. Individual and group sessions available. For pricing, registration or more information, call 410-617-1200 or visit <http://www.loyola.edu/department/clinical-centers/services/summer-programs>.

### ***ARCHDIOCESAN PRAYER MINISTRY ON FACEBOOK***

Visit the Archdiocesan Prayer Ministry's new Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/prayersarchbalt](http://www.facebook.com/prayersarchbalt). 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 <http://www.archbalt.org/ministries/prayer-ministry/index.cfm>.

### ***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](http://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](http://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.mdccathcon.org/comfort](http://www.mdccathcon.org/comfort) for downloading copies or to order.

#### ***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 [kkahl@cc-md.org](mailto:kkahl@cc-md.org).

#### ***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 [frjohn@umbc.edu](mailto:frjohn@umbc.edu), 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](http://stvchurch.org). For more information contact Pat Frascati at 410-663-5542 or 410-917-2214 or [frascati00@comcast.net](mailto:frascati00@comcast.net).

#### ***ST. MARY'S SPIRITUAL CENTER & HISTORIC SITE***

St. Mary's Spiritual Center & Historic Site, located at 600 N. Paca Street, Baltimore, MD 21201, home to the Mother Seton House, is proud to celebrate the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Canonization of Elizabeth Ann Seton with a special tribute in both our Visitor Center and her historic Federal-Style home on display until January 2016. Included within the display are treasures from her canonization from the United States and Rome as well as photographic representations of her original letters (1808-1809) from Paca Street. If you're not familiar with our Site, come experience for yourself the rich history of Catholicism in the United States, tour our historic buildings, and absorb the serenity of our lush grounds and gardens. If you haven't visited since before 2009, when our Visitor Center was built, come see how we've preserved our sacred history while transforming the Site into a modern day tourist, pilgrim, and conference destination. Visit us on the web at [www.stmaryspacast.org](http://www.stmaryspacast.org) or call (410) 728-6464 for more information.

#### ***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 [Vanpelt5@comcast.net](mailto:Vanpelt5@comcast.net).

### **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 [410-969-2782](tel:410-969-2782) or email us at [rebuildingsevern@gmail.com](mailto:rebuildingsevern@gmail.com).

### **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 [www.archbalt.org](http://www.archbalt.org) 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 [www.cathmed.org](http://www.cathmed.org) 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 <http://justadvice.wordpress.com> for a list of dates and locations.

**PREGNANT, NEED HELP?** Call Gabriel Network at 1-800-ANGEL OK or visit [www.gabrielnetwork.org](http://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 at 410-302-4641.

**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](http://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\*\***

**MD CATHOLIC CONFERENCE HIRING RESPECT LIFE ASSOC. DIRECTOR**

The Maryland Catholic Conference, which represents the public policy positions of the Church in Maryland, is seeking an associate director for Respect for Life. Minimum requirements: Commitment to the Church and thorough knowledge of Church teaching; bachelor's degree and five-years' experience in government relations, advocacy organizing, or prolife policy; excellent writing, public speaking, and interpersonal skills; proficiency in Microsoft Office. Experience working with the Maryland General Assembly or healthcare a plus. Please send cover letter and resume by Friday, June 3 to [mgathagan@mdcatholic.org](mailto:mgathagan@mdcatholic.org) or MCC Respect for Life, 10 Francis Street, Annapolis, MD 21401.

**JESUIT VOLUNTEER CORPS (JVC) JOB OPENING**

JVC engages brave young believers in life-changing service, living and working with those in need to build a more just and hopeful world. This is no small task. We are looking for passionate, dedicated, resourceful and motivated people to advance JVC's mission and ensure its future. We currently have the following position open in Baltimore: Program Coordinator. The Program Coordinator conducts the orchestra of the JVC experience – developing and guiding relationships with all constituents across the city, including Jesuit Volunteers, agency partners, and local supporters. As an organization we embrace commitment, responsiveness, ownership and generosity. Bring serious organizational skills, a can-do attitude, initiative, and a great personality and you will succeed. To apply please send a résumé and cover letter including how you heard about the position to [careers@jesuitvolunteers.org](mailto:careers@jesuitvolunteers.org). The full job descriptions can be found at [www.jesuitvolunteers.org/careers](http://www.jesuitvolunteers.org/careers).

**MOUNT DE SALES ACADEMY SEEKS A DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS**

Mount de Sales Academy seeks to hire a DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS The Director of Athletics manages all aspects of the Mount de Sales Academy athletic program including the scheduling and executing of athletic events, management of coaches and assistants, and communication with the parents and student athletes. This involves a working knowledge of key criteria necessary for each sport, communications skills, and familiarity with Microsoft-based software. The Director of Athletics will supervise the Assistant Director of Athletics and the coaching staff. The Director of Athletics must possess strong interpersonal and organizational skills, experience in coaching or teaching physical education, and dedication to the mission and vision of Mount de Sales Academy. This is a full time staff position that reports directly to the Vice Principal of Student Affairs. Interested candidates should be competent professionals with a bachelor's degree who are committed to the mission and vision of Mount de Sales Academy. Please email a cover letter and updated resume to the attention of Marie

Kromeke at [mkromeke@mountdesales.org](mailto:mkromeke@mountdesales.org) or send a hard copy to Ms. Kromeke at Mount de Sales Academy, 700 Academy Road, Catonsville, MD 21228. Further information about this position may be found on our website at [www.mountdesalesacademy.org/about/employment/](http://www.mountdesalesacademy.org/about/employment/).

#### ***MOUNT DE SALES ACADEMY SEEKS COLLEGE COUNSELOR***

Mount de Sales Academy seeks to hire a COLLEGE COUNSELOR. The College Counselor provides a comprehensive college counseling program to promote and enhance the academic and career development of all Mount de Sales students. The College Counselor guides each member of the graduating class through the transition to post-secondary education. Duties involve conducting individualized and group sessions with the students and serving as a resource for faculty, staff, and parents regarding the post-graduate planning for students. The College Counselor must possess strong interpersonal and organizational skills that allow for communication with all levels of the school constituency. Interested candidates should be competent professionals with a bachelor's degree who are committed to the mission and vision of Mount de Sales Academy. Please email a cover letter and updated resume to the attention of Marie Kromeke at [mkromeke@mountdesales.org](mailto:mkromeke@mountdesales.org) or send a hard copy to Ms. Kromeke at Mount de Sales Academy, 700 Academy Road, Catonsville, MD 21228. Further information about this position may be found on our website at [www.mountdesalesacademy.org/about/employment/](http://www.mountdesalesacademy.org/about/employment/).

#### ***DIRECTOR OF FAITH FORMATION***

St. Mary's Parish in Annapolis, Maryland, a large and vibrant parish of over 5000 families, is seeking a Director of Faith Formation (formerly DRE) available for hire by June 30, 2016. The successful applicant will have extensive experience directing religious education programs with oversight of grades Pre-K to 8, Special Education, RCIA for children, VBS, sacramental prep for Eucharist, Reconciliation and Confirmation, as well as Youth and Young Adult Ministry. Applicants must meet the Archdiocese of Baltimore requirements including a Master's Degree in Theology, Religious Education, or Pastoral Studies. Please send resume, references, and salary history by May 20, 2016 to: Search Committee, c/o Dcn. Leroy S. Moore, St. Mary's Parish, 109 Duke of Gloucester Street, Annapolis, Maryland 21401.

#### ***COORDINATOR YOUTH MINISTRY***

St. Mary's Parish in Annapolis, Maryland, a large and vibrant parish of over 5000 families, is seeking a Coordinator of Youth and Young Adult Ministry (CYM) who will be available for hire by June 30, 2016. The ideal candidate for this position would be engaging, faith-filled person who can strengthen and build upon our parish's large youth and young adult ministry programs. Applicants must meet Archdiocese requirements including Bachelor's degree in Theology, Religious Education, or related field. Please send resume, references, and salary history by May 20, 2016 to: Search Committee, c/o Dcn. Leroy S. Moore, St. Mary's Parish, 109 Duke of Gloucester Street, Annapolis, Maryland 21401.

#### ***SECONDARY EDUCATION CERTIFIED MATH, SCIENCE & ENGLISH TEACHERS FOR 2016-17 SCHOOL YEAR***

*The Catholic High School of Baltimore* offers employees opportunities for professional development, as well as, a competitive compensation and benefits package in the Franciscan tradition of educating young women through academic excellence, Christian community service and responsible leadership. If you are interested, please email your letter of interest, resume, salary requirements and three references to Mrs. Linda DeRemigis at [lderemigis@thecatholichighschool.org](mailto:lderemigis@thecatholichighschool.org). No phone messages please.

#### ***YOUNG ADULT COORDINATOR SOUGHT***

St. Paul's and Resurrection, Ellicott City, together with St. Alphonsus, Woodstock, are preparing to appoint a qualified person to coordinate and develop these parishes' ministries to young adults. To

express interest in the post and obtain further information, please email Fr. Warren Tanghe of St. Paul's at [frwarren@stpaulsec.org](mailto:frwarren@stpaulsec.org).

**5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE MATH AND SCIENCE TEACHER FOR 2016-17 SCHOOL YEAR**

Saint Ignatius Loyola Academy offers employees a competitive compensation and benefits package, as well as opportunities for professional development, in a community grounded in the Jesuit tradition of educating the whole person - intellectually, spiritually, and socially. If you are interested, please email your resume and cover letter to Teresa Scott at [teresa.scott@saintignatius.org](mailto:teresa.scott@saintignatius.org).

**PART-TIME POSITION AT ST. BARTHOLOMEW, MANCHESTER**

St. Bartholomew, Manchester, is seeking an assistant to the R.E. director, who will also assist our Parish secretary as needed. If you are a participating Catholic, who is self-motivated, organized, and who would like to work with children and adults and you have experience using computer programs, including: Word, Excel, Access, Publisher as well as corresponds using emails and would like to work 18 hours a week with schedules to vary according to Religious Education calendar year, this job is for you. Please visit our website: [stbartholomewmanchester.org](http://stbartholomewmanchester.org) for more details and contact information to submit your cover letter and resume.

**PART-TIME SECRETARY**

St. Cecilia Parish, Baltimore, is looking to hire a part-time secretary to provide administrative support to the Pastor and Parish programs and ministries. The secretary maintains the parish office and acts as the first point of contact to parishioners and visitors. The position requires excellent customer service and communication skills. Must have the ability to multitask and handle a variety of duties and continuously changing tasks in order to best meet the needs of the Pastor, staff and parishioners. Must have a High School Diploma or GED. Minimum one year administrative experience. Experience within a parish or school setting preferred. Must be knowledgeable regarding Catholic teaching, along with sacramental preparation and recordkeeping. Proficiency with Microsoft Office is required. Experience with QuickBooks and Connect Now is preferred. Applicants please email Resume to [office@churchofstcecilia.org](mailto:office@churchofstcecilia.org), no later than April 15, 2016.

**NOTRE DAME PREPARATORY SCHOOL SEEKS ASST. DIRECTOR OF TECHNOLOGY**

Notre Dame Preparatory School in Towson seeks an Assistant Director of Technology. This position reports to the Director of Technology and is responsible for all technologies and communications (hardware and software) servicing NDP's internal infrastructure, academic technologies and administrative programs. The Assistant Director of Technology's primary function is to support the technologies used in NDP's Strategic Plan for teaching, learning, leading, and working in the 21st century. Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and references to David Hennel, Director of Technology, at [henneld@notredameprep.com](mailto:henneld@notredameprep.com).

**HOLY FAMILY, RANDALLSTOWN, SEEKS COORDINATOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Holy Family Church, located in Randallstown, Maryland has an opening for a Coordinator of Religious Education (CRE). The CRE is responsible for the Religious Education program for Kindergarten to Eighth grade as well as the development and implementation of Adult Faith Formation initiatives. Candidates must be active practicing Catholics with a degree in Religious Education or related field. For more information on this position please contact Molly Fern, [mfern@archbalt.org](mailto:mfern@archbalt.org). To apply online please visit: [www.archbalt.org/careers](http://www.archbalt.org/careers).

**ST. PIUS X-DIRECTOR OF YOUTH & CHILDREN'S MINISTRY POSITION**

The Director of Youth and Children's Ministry provides vision and coordination for the parish's efforts in ministry to children and youth grades pre-K through 12 for a parish of 1200 families. The Director of Youth and Children's Ministry is responsible for the planning, coordinating and implementation of faith formation programs, social and service activities, prayer and worship, and opportunities for personal development and growth. The Director also is responsible for the coordination of preparation for the Sacraments of Initiation and Reconciliation. This is a full-time position. Salary commensurate with experience/education. Archdiocesan Benefit Package, vacation, and professional development are offered for this position. Please send inquiries/resumes to [cpacione@stpius10.org](mailto:cpacione@stpius10.org).