

St. Hugh of Grenoble Catholic Church

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 8, 2019

Pastor

Rev. Walter J. Tappe

Parish Staff

Maggie Gutierrez, Business
Manager

Hung Le,
Plant Manager

Ginger Feliciotti,
Parish Secretary

Judith Davino,
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Parish Office Hours

Office Hours:
9 a.m.- 2 p.m.
Monday – Friday

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Gerald Muller, DMA, Prin-
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Music for this Sunday

Entrance: no. 747
Communion: no. 669
Marian: no. 1006
Final: no. 792

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RCIA

Contact the parish office if you are
interested in becoming Catholic.

The Sacraments

Reconciliation: Saturday: 3:30- 4:30
p.m.

Baptism: 2nd Sunday of the month.
Call the Office to make arrange-
ments well in advance.

Marriage: By arrangement. Contact
the pastor at least six months before
intended date of wedding.

Anointing of the Sick: Call the
Office when a loved one is seriously
ill to arrange for the sacrament.

Holy Hour

First Fridays at 7:00 p.m.

New Parishioners

See the Greeter after Sunday Mass
to register, or contact the parish
office.

Departing Parishioners

Please inform the parish office that
you're leaving.



Fill us at daybreak with your kindness,
that we may shout for
joy and gladness all our days.

-- Psalm 90:14

Mass Schedule

SUNDAY Sat. 5 p.m., *Vigil Mass*
8 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m.

DAILY Mon.-Fri. 7:15 a.m.
Saturday 9 a.m.

Federal Holidays 9 a.m.
Holy Days—as announced.

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Your Prayers Requested

For those discerning their vocations

For those who have received the sacraments this Easter season.

For the sick

Please pray for: Elizabeth Pels Nash; Ludvik Matyas; Stephen Blizard; Paul Beavers; Emma Rose Karch; Alice Kovalchik; Robert Hawkins; Jennifer Jones; Theresa Karch; Sonia Collins; Bill Webb; Jim Link; Christine Durante; Mary McGraw.

For the deceased

In your charity, please pray for the souls of our beloved dead.

For our troops

Please pray for: Adam Weaver, James Hall, Christopher Pfaffman, Anthony (Tj) Hose, Anthony Ladnier, Tony Alves, Karen Mealey, Mark Bailey, Robert Bailey, Alex Molden, Julian Pitts, Antonio Meighoo, Jay Candleana.

To add a name to these lists, please call the rectory.

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This Week at a Glance

Today 9/8/2019, Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

† 8am Mass

† 9:30am Mass

† 11am Mass

◆ Sodality 9am, Grenoble Hall

◆ Youth Group Noon, School

Monday 9/9/2019, St. Peter Claver

† 7:15am Mass

Tuesday 9/10/2019

† 7:15am Mass

◆ Knights of Columbus 7:30pm, Grenoble Hall

Wednesday 9/11/2019

† 7:15am Mass

Thursday 9/12/2019, The Most Holy Name of Mary

† 7:15am Mass

◆ Respect Life 7pm, Grenoble Hall

Friday 9/13/2019, St. John Chrysostom

† 7:15am Mass

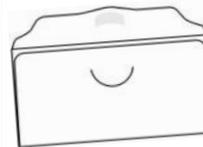
Saturday 9/14/2019, The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

† 9am Mass

† 3:30pm—4:30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

† 5pm Vigil Mass

See the calendar online: www.sthughofgrenoble.org



MISSING ENVELOPE!

Unfortunately the Capital Fund envelope (green) was not included in the September envelope packet. Please use a white envelope and write your name and the words Capital Fund so that you can be given credit. Thank you!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Col 1:24 -- 2:3; Ps 62:6-7, 9; Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday: Col 2:6-15; Ps 145:1b-2, 8-11; Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday: Col 3:1-11; Ps 145:2-3, 10-13ab; Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: Col 3:12-17; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 6:27-38

Friday: 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14; Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-8, 11; Lk 6:39-42

Saturday: Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

Sunday: Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32 [1-10]

Masses for the Week of 9/8-9/15

Saturday 5pm Intention of the Parish

Sunday 8am Justino Pascua

9:30am Int. Elizabeth Bailey

11am Int. Samara Njoku

Monday 7:15am Int. Macarena Gutierrez

Tuesday 7:15am Mary Lomax

Wed. 7:15am Mary Schola

Thursday 7:15am Int. Jeff & Mary Creech family

Friday 7:15am Christopher Kopanon

Saturday 9am Int. Miguel Angel Gutierrez

5pm Maria Thi Kim Sao Nguyen

Sunday 8am Larry Contillo

9:30am Intention of the Parish

11am Int. Mark & Mary Bailey

Labor Day Bingo By the Numbers:

Bingo Income: \$10,485.31

Bingo Expenses: \$1,080.00

TOTAL EARNED BY YOUR HARD WORK:

\$9,405.31



Coffee Social

Come enjoy coffee, a treat, and good company next Sunday, September 15th, after all Masses! Your hosts this month is the Sodality of Our Lady.



CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

Thanks to all of you have pledged so far to the Capital Campaign. Once we have received the required funds (\$278,000), we will go forward with the first phase of our planned improvements: replacing the storm water line that runs from the church to the edge of our property and repaving the church and school parking lot. So far we have collected \$171,163.00

As a reminder, there are three ways to redeem your pledge to the parish:

- 1) Faith Direct – If you want to use Faith Direct or are currently using Faith Direct, you need to call Faith Direct at 1-866-507-8757 to set up the Capital Campaign payment plan and schedule, or go on line at www.faithdirect.net to do this. The parish does not do this for you.
- 2) Monthly Envelopes – If you receive monthly envelopes, please use the special white Capital Campaign envelope to make your contribution.
- 3) Check/Cash – If you pay by check, please write Capital Campaign on the check memo line. If you make a cash contribution, please write your name on the envelope so you can be given credit.

Capital Campaign contributions will be included in your tax statement for all registered parishioners who request tax information for 2019.

Even if you decided not to make a pledge, you can still contribute to the Capital Campaign by following the instructions above. Monies collected over and above what is needed for the storm water line, parking lot, church boiler, and improvements to Grenoble Hall, will be placed in a reserve fund for ongoing capital improvements to the parish plant.

Again, thank you for your generosity and commitment to our parish. I am proud to be your pastor!

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Walter

From the Pastor

We continue our study of the shortened form of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* called the *Compendium*. We are now in the section on the Seven Sacraments of the Church. This week we will finish up our consideration of the Sacrament of Holy Orders and begin our look at the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony. Here are this week's three questions with the catechism's answer and my commentary.

For what ends has God instituted Matrimony? The marital union of man and woman, which is founded and endowed with its own proper laws by the Creator, is by its very nature ordered to the communion and good of the couple and to the generation and education of children. According to the original divine plan this conjugal union is indissoluble, as Jesus Christ affirmed: "What therefore God has joined together, let no man put asunder" (Mark 10:9).

Commentary: Marriage is not an invention of society. It is an institution established by God whose meaning is written into human nature and revealed more clearly by divine revelation. It is a type of union between a man and a woman (not between one man and many women or one woman and many men or between two people of the same sex). It is a union that fully engages their whole person including, most importantly, the expression of their sexual faculties. Its purpose is two-fold: to foster an intimate communion of love between the man and woman and to generate and raise children whom God brings into existence for an eternal purpose: to share in God's own eternal life.

How does sin threaten marriage? Because of original sin, which caused a rupture in the God-given communion between man and woman, the union of marriage is very often threatened by discord and infidelity. However, God in his infinite mercy gives to man and woman the grace to bring the union of their lives into accord with the original divine plan.

Commentary: Sin and its effects bring disharmony and frustration into every aspect of human existence. Only God's grace can heal the ill effects of sin and bring people into a right relationship with God and each other. This is certainly the case with marriage: a communion of life and love that only grace makes possible. This grace comes through openness to God and the gift he makes possible through faith in His Son.

What does the Old Testament teach about marriage? God helped his people above all through the teaching of the Law and the Prophets to deepen progressively their understanding of the unity and indissolubility of marriage. The nuptial covenant of God with Israel prepared for and prefigured the new covenant established by Jesus Christ the Son of God, with his spouse, the Church.

Commentary: In the Old Testament, God taught his people through the Law and prophets about the nature of marriage and the natural virtues upon which a marriage must be based. God's pledge of fidelity to his people and their welfare is fulfilled in Christ. The wherewithal to live out the full, supernatural potentiality of marriage is given only through Christ and the gift of the Holy Spirit.

Yours in Christ,

Father Walter

On September 15, St. Hugh's Youth will begin meeting every Sunday in the youth group room of the school of religion. Meetings run from 12:30 p.m. to 2 p.m. and are open to anyone in grades 8 through 12. Stop by and join the fun! For more information, please contact Becky Bailey at momw9kids@gmail.com.

In August our Youth had a "field trip" to our Cathedral, the "Mother Church" of our Archdiocese! St. Matthew's Cathedral is on Rhode Island Ave. NW in Washington DC, and our Youth got a tour from the Rector of the Cathedral, Monsignor Ronald Jameson, then attended the 5:30 Sunday evening Mass. The Youth Music Ministers joined the Contemporary Choir, who provide music for this Mass (Mrs. Goltz is the director). Thank you to Monsignor Jameson and everyone who made this trip possible!



Dear St. Hugh parishioners:



As we embarked on the second official week of school, we were and continue to be in testing mode throughout September to assess how each of our children are progressing in math and reading. This information provides a baseline for our teachers so they can support each and every child throughout the year.

After testing, our children are enjoying some additional recess play equipment and supplies to have more fun! During recess, they are able to play with sidewalk chalk, hula hoops, and all kinds of balls (soccer, football, and regular balls); in addition to the play equipment on our playground. Due to the generosity of 2 parents and a grandparent, who powerwashed our play equipment over the summer, our playground is nice and clean.

Upcoming Dates: Thursday, September 12: Bishop McNamara & St. Anselm's Abbey High School visits; Friday, September 13: Student Council Elections

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Sincerely, Dr. Bertolotti, Principal

SCHOOL OF RELIGION

CCD (Confraternity of Christian Doctrine) The religious education program at St. Hugh of Grenoble provides faith formation for all children of the parish from ages 4 through the 8th grade. Children not attending Catholic schools are expected to attend religious education classes, where they will be instructed in the Catholic faith and prepared to receive the sacraments. Pick up a form at the back of the church or download from the parish website at <http://www.sthughofgrenoble.org/education/ccd>

Register now for fall classes which begin September 15th for new and returning students.



CCD Teachers—If you are interested in assisting in our parish school as a catechist (religion teacher) or catechist aide, please contact the Director of Religious Education, Rohanie Bacchus, at schoolofreligion@gmail.com or 301-275-6424



Special Needs Ministry --*Helping those with disabilities and their families share in the fullness of our Catholic Faith and Community life.*

The goal of the Adaptive Religious Education program is to help parents share the fullness of our Catholic faith and community life with their children with special needs.

Parents are encouraged to register their children before Labor Day so they may schedule a time to meet with our coordinator and our master resource catechist.

Did you know that we have a Parent/Grandparent Support Group? Benefits include:

- ◆ a sense of community
- ◆ spiritual growth
- ◆ knowledge of resources, private and public
- ◆ ideas for meeting the challenges of daily living
- ◆ caring for yourself and your special needs child

We open our year with our first session on Sunday, October 13th at 11am in the school library. Contact the program coordinator at shreligious4@gmail.com.

CONFIRMATION CORNER PREPARATION FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION:



Do you have a youth who has attended 7th grade religious education classes and desires to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in the spring?

HOLD THE DATE: SEPTEMBER 8 @ 10:45am; School Library:

Parent and Candidate Meeting

What can you do to prepare for this meeting?

- Talk with your candidate about who should be their sponsor...a practicing and confirmed Catholic who is 16 or older and not a parent of the candidate.
- Help your youth selected a saint, recognized by the Catholic Church, who is someone that inspires your youth to live as a disciple of Jesus Christ

Call or text Mary Wade, Confirmation Catechist, at 301-542-7140 to confirm your attendance at the September 8th meeting. Thank you.



Friends & family welcome

Be a part of our new directory!

We encourage you to invite loved ones to join your photography session

Lifetouch.

CHURCH DIRECTORY: Be a part of our Family Directory. We are partnering with Lifetouch for professional photography that will connect our families. Each family that is participating in the directory will receive a complimentary 8" x 10" photograph from Lifetouch. We encourage you to invite loved ones to join your photography session. You will also be able to purchase additional photography gifts. Lifetouch will photograph at the school gym, September 26 and 27 from 1:30 pm to 9:00 pm and Saturday, September 28 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. You must make an appointment. Please call Ginger Feliciotti at the rectory at 301-474-4322 on Mondays or Wednesdays from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm.

SAVE THE DATE! The Annual St. Hugh Parish & Community OCTOBERFEST will be held on Saturday, October 12th, starting at 4pm. There will be German Dancers and music! In the coming weeks there will be a menu with prices in the bulletin and on-line. There will be carry-out. **MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!**



Join the 40 Days for Life Fall Campaign for prayer, fasting, and peaceful vigil to end abortion. Kickoff Rally: 9:30 AM, Saturday, Sep 21, at St. Mark the Evangelist, Monsignor Albert Room, 7501 Adelphi Rd., Hyattsville, MD. Our Keynote Speaker is Leslie Dean, Regional Coordinator for the Silent No More's Awareness Campaign. Opening Day is Wednesday, September 25 at 5915 Greenbelt Rd, College Park. Pray with the College Park Campaign in front of Metropolitan Family Planning. Prayer hours are 6AM – 10PM, Sep 25 – Nov 3. To pray for an hour, email your day and time

to 40daysf...@gmail.com, or phone Tom Trunk, 240-593-6982.



St. Hugh Labor Day Weekend Bingo a HUGE SUCCESS!! Thanks to all the many volunteers who worked tirelessly all weekend long to staff the bingo booth. Thanks to the booth bankers, callers, runners, Vegas Ticket Sellers (we SOLD OUT) and soda and water sellers. Thanks to all those who set up the bingo booth area (tents, lights, sound system), closed up the bingo booth each night and clean up crew at the end of bingo. We were extremely BLESSED with beautiful weather this weekend! The great weather made it possible for many families and disabled individuals (in wheelchairs/using walkers) to come play and have a fun time sitting under the shade of the huge tree at the bingo site. Thanks to Public Works (especially Frank Kellaher) for making sure we had 31 picnic tables for bingo and opening up the tree area to put the tables for more shade. A special thanks to our "Blackout Bingo" sponsors:

Councilman Ed Putens, Marti Galvin, Ellen Hanyok, Barbara Chotiner, Susan Walker, Joe Lomax and Solange Hess. Greenbelters so look forward to the tradition of the "Blackout Bingo". Our Sunday night winner got \$266! Thanks to the volunteers for all their flexibility (selling Vegas Tickets as well as soda and water) and working extra shifts when more help was needed. ST. HUGH BINGO would NOT happen without all the VOLUNTEER SUPPORT from our parish community. A big welcome to our NEW bingo volunteers. Hope to see everyone again next year to keep our tradition going...

St. Hugh Share Food Network September Food Packages



Orders will be taken after all the Masses the weekend of September 7th & 8th. Checks to be made out to Ladies of Charity, cash (exact change please) or SNAP card. Orders to be picked up on Sat., Sept. 21st@10am at St. Hugh School.

- ⇒ **Value Package, \$22: Family pack of Chicken Drumsticks-3.3 lbs., Pollock Filets- 1 lb., Bacon- 1 lb., Chicken strips- 1 lb. Plus 8-12 lbs. of the freshest fruits and vegetables.**
- ⇒ **Mega Meat Box, \$28: Boneless, skinless chicken breast- 4 lbs., Sirloin Steaks- 4- 4oz, Turkey Tenderloin- 1.8 lbs., Pork Roast- 3.9 lbs.**
- ⇒ **Dessert Box, \$16: 3 Sara Lee Pound Cakes, with frozen strawberries, peaches and blackberries.**
- ⇒ **Tempura-Fried Shrimp, \$23: 3 lbs of ovenable, battered shrimp.**
- ⇒ **Pepperoni Pizza Special, \$22: 20, 5 inch, personal pepperoni pizzas.**



SODALITY OF OUR LADY

Sodality is a religious body devoted to the Blessed Virgin Mary and through this devotion it seeks to make the faithful gathered together under her name:

--Good Catholics bent on sanctifying themselves, each in his own state of life.

--Each zealous, in so far as their condition in life permits, to save and sanctify their neighbor,

--Each zealous, in so far as their condition in life permits, to defend the Church of Jesus Christ against the attacks of the wicked.

Join us in prayer and consider joining as a member (both men and women).

Pray with us at the 8am Mass on the 1st Sunday of every month with the rosary before the Blessed Mother following Mass. Come to a monthly meeting following the monthly Mass and rosary on the 1st Sunday of every month except Sept. and Nov. (2nd Sundays for meeting) and there are no meetings June, July and August, or call a member for more information.

--Activities:

Sept. 8 Meeting after 8am Mass in Grenoble Hall

Sept. 15 Host coffee social with a bake sale after Sunday Masses

Oct. 6 8am Mass and rosary with meeting following

Oct. 6 Rosary Celebration 12:30pm to 6pm, in Church. Open to all. (Continuous praying of rosary interspersed with reading of short reflections.

Oct. 19 9am Mass followed by Day of Reflection in Grenoble Hall. All are welcome. (Speaker, coffee, lunch, discussion).