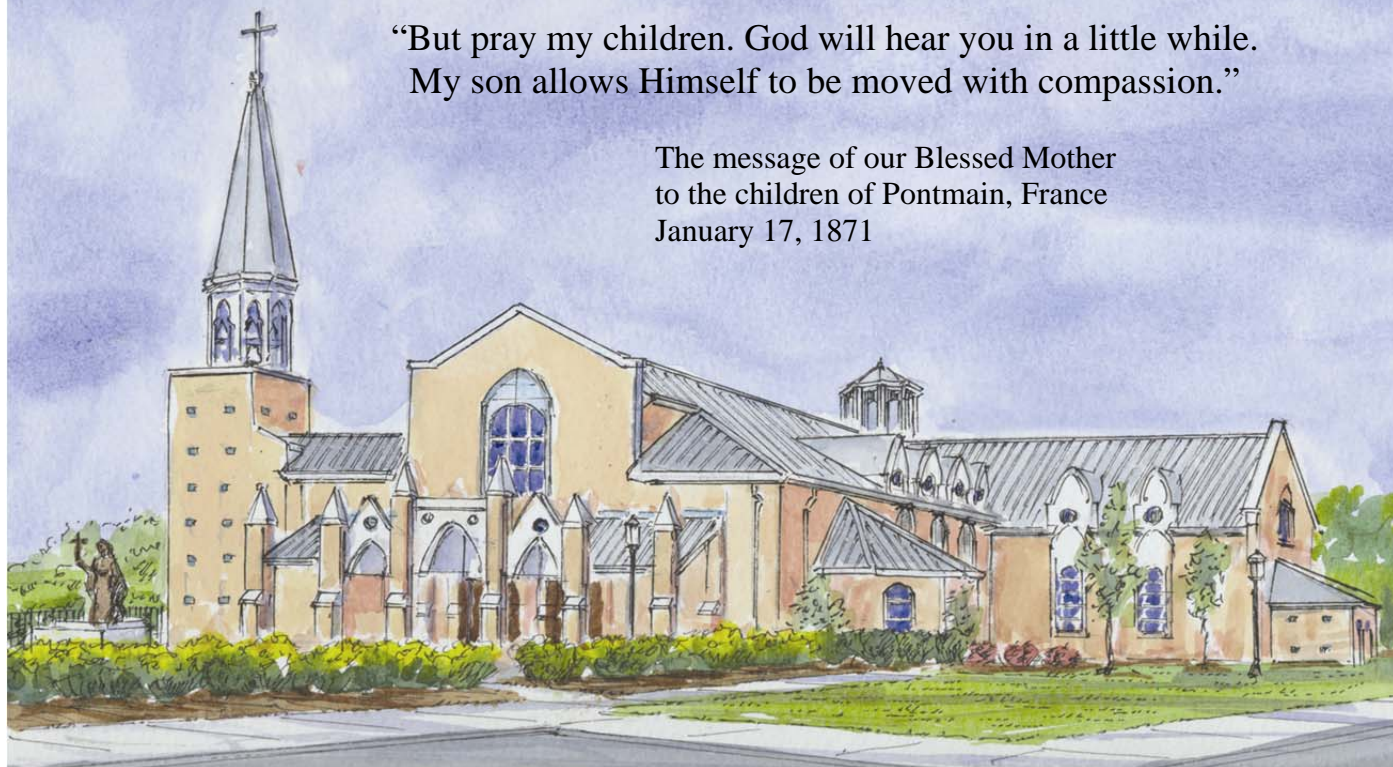


# Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church

“But pray my children. God will hear you in a little while.  
My son allows Himself to be moved with compassion.”

The message of our Blessed Mother  
to the children of Pontmain, France  
January 17, 1871



## Parish Staff

The Rev. William P. Saunders, Pastor  
The Rev. William B. Schierer, Parochial Vicar  
Cathy Plummer, Director of Religious Education  
Kristin Grasson, Religious Education Assistant  
Jenessa Durney, Coordinator of Youth Ministry  
Pat Sabas, Business Manager  
Ben Zumdahl, IT Manager  
Alfonso Pena, Facilities Supervisor  
Michael Galdo, Director of Music  
Suzanne Yerks, Assistant Director of Music  
Nancy Burgess, Parish Secretary

## The Church & Parish Office

Address: 46639 Algonkian Parkway  
Potomac Falls, Virginia 20165  
Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.,  
Monday - Friday  
Telephone: 703-433-6770  
Website: [www.ourladyofhope.net](http://www.ourladyofhope.net)  
Web Bulletin: <http://virginia.catholic.org/ourladyofhope>

## Parish Registration

We invite you to register and become part of our parish community. Forms are available at the parish office or on the table in the narthex.

## Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening Vigil: 5:00 p.m.  
Sundays: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m.

## Daily Masses

Monday - Friday at 6:45 & 8:30 a.m.  
Saturday: 8:30 a.m.  
On Federal Holidays Mass is at 8:30 a.m. only.

## Sacrament of Penance

Confessions are heard on Saturdays after the 8:30 a.m. Mass during the Thursday evening Holy Hour, and by appointment.

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Thursday from 9:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.

## Holy Hour

Thursday evening from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

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## Our Lady of Hope Catholic School

Mary Beth Pittman, School Principal  
Barb Halfmann, Administrative Assistant  
Address: 46633 Algonkian Parkway  
Potomac Falls, Virginia 20165  
Telephone: 703-433-6760  
Website: [www.school.ourladyofhope.net](http://www.school.ourladyofhope.net)

**MASSES OF THE WEEK**

**Sunday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>: 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 a.m. ☩ Vicki Chase by Barbara Principe  
 9:00 a.m. ☩ Henry Mulloy by Adams-Green Funeral Home  
 10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners  
 12:15 p.m. ☩ Olivia Sulit by the Orosa Family

**Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup>: Independence Day**

8:30 a.m. All Military Personnel by Ann M. Jones

**Tuesday, July 5<sup>th</sup>: St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria**

6:45 a.m. Rev. John Mosimann  
 8:30 a.m. ☩ James Lepo by Friends of the Lieb Family

**Wednesday, July 6<sup>th</sup>: St. Maria Goretti**

6:45 a.m. ☩ Cody Byrd by Our Lady of Hope Catholic School  
 8:30 a.m. Trish McKenna by the Ladies of Hope

**Thursday, July 7<sup>th</sup>**

6:45 a.m. ☩ Joseph Karwacki by Our Lady of Hope Knights of Columbus Council  
 8:30 a.m. ☩ Poor Souls in Purgatory by Patty Rodgers

**Friday, July 8<sup>th</sup>**

6:45 a.m. ☩ Walter Schaedel by Family Members  
 8:30 a.m. Anne Ezenwa by the Gilmore Family

**Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup>: St. Augustine Zhao Rong and His Companions**

8:30 a.m. Dr. Paul Dugan by the Saunders Family  
 5:00 p.m. ☩ John McCarthy by the Aquino Family  
**Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup>: 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 7:30 a.m. Special Intention by Laura Danbom  
 9:00 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Christopher Sniegowski by Cathy Plummer  
 10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners  
 12:15 p.m. ☩ Edelwina Fontanilla by the Orosa Family

**PARISH GROUP COORDINATORS**

<b>Altar Flowers:</b>	Jennifer McCabe	404-5580
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Jeff Grado	477-9177
<b>Altar Society:</b>	Alfonso & Janeth Pena	406-9835
<b>American Heritage Girls</b>		
	Diane Harvey	406-6040
<b>Book Club</b>	Linda Neri	430-3952
<b>Boy Scouts:</b>	Gina DeCrisci-Farmer	406-2341
<b>Columbian Squires:</b>		
	Jon MacGoy	887-3107
<b>CYO Sports:</b>	Ralph Peluso	729-3385
<b>Girl Scouts:</b>	Carol Kee	450-6906
<b>Homeschoolers:</b>	Stacy Byrne	948-7845
<b>Knights of Columbus:</b>		
	Andy Altman	404-0182
<b>Ladies of Hope:</b>	Peggy Kearney	444-1341
<b>Lectors:</b>	Paul Gilmore	444-2293
<b>Legion of Mary</b>	Deborah Baird	430-8554
<b>Mom's Faith Formation Group:</b>		
	Carla Galdo	430-3814
<b>Outreach:</b>	Donna Bongiovanni	346-1152
<b>Pro-Life:</b>	Maureen Whalen	669-4457
<b>St. Joseph's League:</b>		
	Mike & Vicki Egan	430-2651
<b>Ushers:</b>	John Granata	571-643-2212
<b>Young Adults:</b>	Jennifer Wilson	401-4440

**Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for July**

**General Intention:** That Christians may contribute to alleviating the material and spiritual suffering of AIDS patients, especially in the poorest countries.  
**Missionary Intention:** For the religious who work in mission territories, that they may be witnesses of the joy of the Gospel and living signs of the love of Christ.



**Sacrament of Matrimony**

In accord with the regulations of the Bishop of Arlington, couples must contact a priest and begin preparation at least six months prior to the wedding. Parish registration and active participation for a minimum of 3 months is required *before* preparation may begin. Living together before marriage is sinful and harmful to the future marriage. Couples who are living together will be asked to live separately during the preparation time.

**Sacrament of Baptism**



Parish Registration and the Baptism class are required. Baptisms are held every Sunday of each month at 1:30 p.m. in the Church Baptistry. Please contact the Parish Secretary to register for

the Baptism classes. Plan to attend the classes before the birth of the child.

**What does it mean to be an active Catholic?**

Frequently, those seeking to celebrate Marriage, have children baptized, or serve as sponsors for Confirmation or Baptism request a letter stating that they are parishioners and active, practicing Catholics. *To receive such a letter, one must be registered in the parish for at least 3 months, attend Mass regularly, and be committed to a stewardship of time, talent, and treasure.* We encourage all parishioners to become active in one of the parish organizations. In a community as large as Our Lady of Hope, one means of verifying participation is through the use of parish offertory envelopes. If you choose not to participate in the support of the parish, or are unable to contribute at this time, please at least note your prayerful support on your envelope and place it in the weekly offertory. We will then be aware of your continued participation, and you will not be noted as "inactive" on our parish roster.



### Independence Day

The parish office will be closed on Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup> in observance of Independence Day. There will be no 6:45 a.m. Mass.

### Eucharistic Adoration

Please prayerfully consider becoming a scheduled adorer and spending an hour with our Lord (weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly). Feel free to stop by the table in the narthex to schedule your visit. Thank you!

### Welcome, Fr. Schierer

Please welcome Fr. William Schierer, a newly ordained priest, as our Parochial Vicar. He grew up in St. Joseph's Parish in Herndon, attended Paul VI High School, and graduated from the College of William and Mary. He attended St. Charles Borromeo Seminary in Philadelphia. We are honored that Bishop Loverde has assigned him to us.



### Quo Vadis Days

High School Young Men (including rising 9<sup>th</sup> graders) are invited to Quo Vadis Days 2011, a vocation discernment camp, to be held at Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, Maryland from Sunday, July 24<sup>th</sup> to Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup>. To register, please go to [www.arlingtonvocations.org](http://www.arlingtonvocations.org) or call the Office of Vocations at 703-841-2514 for more details.

### Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus monthly business meeting will be on Tuesday, July 5<sup>th</sup> in the parish meeting room at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be preceded by the praying of the Rosary at 7 p.m. Knights' families are invited to participate during the Rosary.

### Thank you

*"Thank you for your help with my Eagle Scout Project. ...The food donations I collected from Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church amounted to 1,600 pounds, over half of my total amount...Please extend my appreciation to Our Lady of Hope parishioners for the positive response and kindness in helping me with my project..."* - from a letter to Fr. Saunders from Gustavo Ardila, Boy Scout Troop 956

### Soccer Camp

Paul VI High School in Fairfax is holding its annual girls only soccer camp on its campus in Fairfax from July 11<sup>th</sup> to July 15<sup>th</sup>. For registration information, contact head varsity coach Meg Ashley at 703-352-09274 x503. You can download a registration form at [www.paulvi.net/camps](http://www.paulvi.net/camps), "camps and forms."



### New Translation of the Roman Missal Workshops

On Nov. 27, 2011, Catholics throughout the United States and in other English-speaking countries will begin praying the Mass with a revised translation of the Roman Missal. To aid the faithful in preparing for this revised translation, parishioners are invited to workshops on the New Missal to be held in various locations throughout 2011. Fr. Paul deLadurantaye, director of the Office of Sacred Liturgy and the Office of Catechetics of the Diocese of Arlington, will be the presenter.

#### Upcoming Local Missal Workshops:

**August 13<sup>th</sup>:** St. John, Warrenton – 10 a.m.-noon

**October 5<sup>th</sup>:** St. Catherine of Siena, Great Falls – 7:30-9 p.m.

**October 20<sup>th</sup>:** St. Veronica, Chantilly – 7:30-9 p.m.

**November 9<sup>th</sup>:** St. Louis, Alexandria – 7:30-9 p.m.

### Would you be allowed in St. Peter's Basilica?

As the temperatures climb, there is the temptation to "dress down" for Mass. Clothing that is best suited for the beach or the ball field should not be worn at Mass. Clothing may not make a person, but everyone knows how we look does show respect for ourselves and God.



### Fiat Days for High School Young Women

High School young women (including rising 9<sup>th</sup> graders) are invited to Fiat Days 2011, a vocation discernment camp to be held at mount St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, MD, from Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday, July 13<sup>th</sup>. To register, please go to [www.arlingtonvocations.org](http://www.arlingtonvocations.org) or call the office of vocations at 703-841-2514 for more details.

### Book Club

Our next selection is Rediscover Catholicism, by Matthew Kelly. We invite all interested women of the parish to read the book and join us for a discussion in the parish meeting room on July 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. For more information contact Linda Neri at 703-430-3952 or [gramsneri@aol.com](mailto:gramsneri@aol.com).

### Bible Study

The Bible Study on the Gospel of Matthew is taking a break until September. Please watch the bulletin for the next meeting time.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION****703-433-6564****THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE IS  
CLOSED ON FRIDAYS****Catechists Needed... will you answer the call?**

There are many needs for catechists throughout the program, particularly in the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grades. There is also a need for classroom aides. If interested, contact Cathy Plummer at [cplummer@ourladyofhope.net](mailto:cplummer@ourladyofhope.net) or 703-433-6564. Thank you for considering this! A list of specific needs and a Volunteer Sign-up Form is available in the narthex.

**Registration for Next Year**

**Returning Families** –The 2011-2012 registration forms were mailed to you. Please mail or return these forms to the office as soon as possible. Registration is on a **first come, first served basis!**

**New Families** –All parish families with children in grades K-8 are welcome and encouraged to register for Religious Education classes for next year. **Registration forms are available in the narthex.** Both First Communion and Confirmation preparation is a two year program. If you would like your child to receive Holy Communion during his second grade year or Confirmation after his eighth grade year, you must register your child for first or seventh grade.

If you have a high school student who has not yet received First Communion or Confirmation, it's not too late to receive this great grace of God. Please contact the Religious Education Office.

*Classes begin September 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>!***Confirmation Class (Rising 9<sup>th</sup> graders)***Please Mark Your Calendar*

**Retreat:** Friday evening, September 23<sup>rd</sup> and all day Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup> at Our Lady of Hope

**Confirmation Liturgy** – Friday, September 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m.

**Attention Young Adults!**

All young adults in their 20s and 30s are invited to join the Our Lady of Hope Young Adults for great fellowship and fun at our monthly events. For more information, contact Jenni at [OLHYoungAdults@gmail.com](mailto:OLHYoungAdults@gmail.com) or 703 401-4440.

**Young Adults Summer Saints Study**

Discover the heroes of the faith at our summer study on the Lives of the Saints. Meet in the St. Thomas More Room at Our Lady of Hope on Thursday evenings at 8:00 p.m., following the weekly Holy Hour.

**YOUTH MINISTRY****703-433-6562****[www.ourladyofhope.net/youth.asp](http://www.ourladyofhope.net/youth.asp)  
THE YOUTH MINISTRY OFFICE IS CLOSED  
ON THURSDAYS****Facebook**

*Did you know Youth Ministry is on Facebook?  
Simply "friend" OLOH Youthgroup*

**Junior High Program (7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade)**  
**Junior High Work Camp: July 11<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>!! – 8:30  
a.m. -4:30 p.m.**

*For more information, contact Melissa Rickwald at  
[mrickwald@ourladyofhope.net](mailto:mrickwald@ourladyofhope.net)*

**Parish Prayer List**

Please pray for the sick and homebound of our parish, especially: Joey Angel, Diane Baker, Claudia Baskin, Fred Bauer, Giovanni Blacetti, Debbie Blood, Brandon Bonnette, Phyllis Boudreau, Tom Briggs, Kathy Brobst, Patricia Callihan, Sgt. James Carey, Mike Caughron, Katie Cogan, Jeannie Davelli, Bob Deaso, Kristin Coughlan-Dority, Elisabeth Credno, Jennifer Dills, Helen Dodson, Terry Dorrington, Carol Farmer, Mary Farmer, Sean Fennelly, Christina Gebhardt, Richard Gillen, Joseph Giuliani, Martha Gonzalez, Rose Grasson, Al Gruber, Christopher Gruber, Roy Hanson, Becky Hart, George Hornsby, Louisa Jimena, Amanda Johnson, Teresa Jumat, David Kandrak, Elena Kramer, Cindy Mills Jones, Helen Labate, Letty Larson, Josephine Lutton, Noah McBride, Luke McClosky, Lilian McCormack, Domenica McQueen, Tom Meagher, Mary Anne Moschetto, Jan Motz, David Murphy, Ermano Palermo, Michael Payne, Cila Perez, Lucy Price, Carol Printz, Nancy Puccini, Cathal Quigley, Olvitte Rogers, Richard Schmitt, Preston Scibek, Gary Smith, Robert Theriault, Vincent Turek, Edward Tyranski, Michelle Vadnais, Kaliee Vance, Pat Vara, Mary Waggener, Michael Welch and Morgan Yagel. *Please call the office periodically to inform us of the status of the person for whom we are praying.*

**Altar Flowers**

The altar flowers are donated by Mr. and Mrs. Sal Merenda in loving memory of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewonka.

**Special Collection**

The collection for Catholic Communications Campaign was \$2,680. Thank you for your generosity