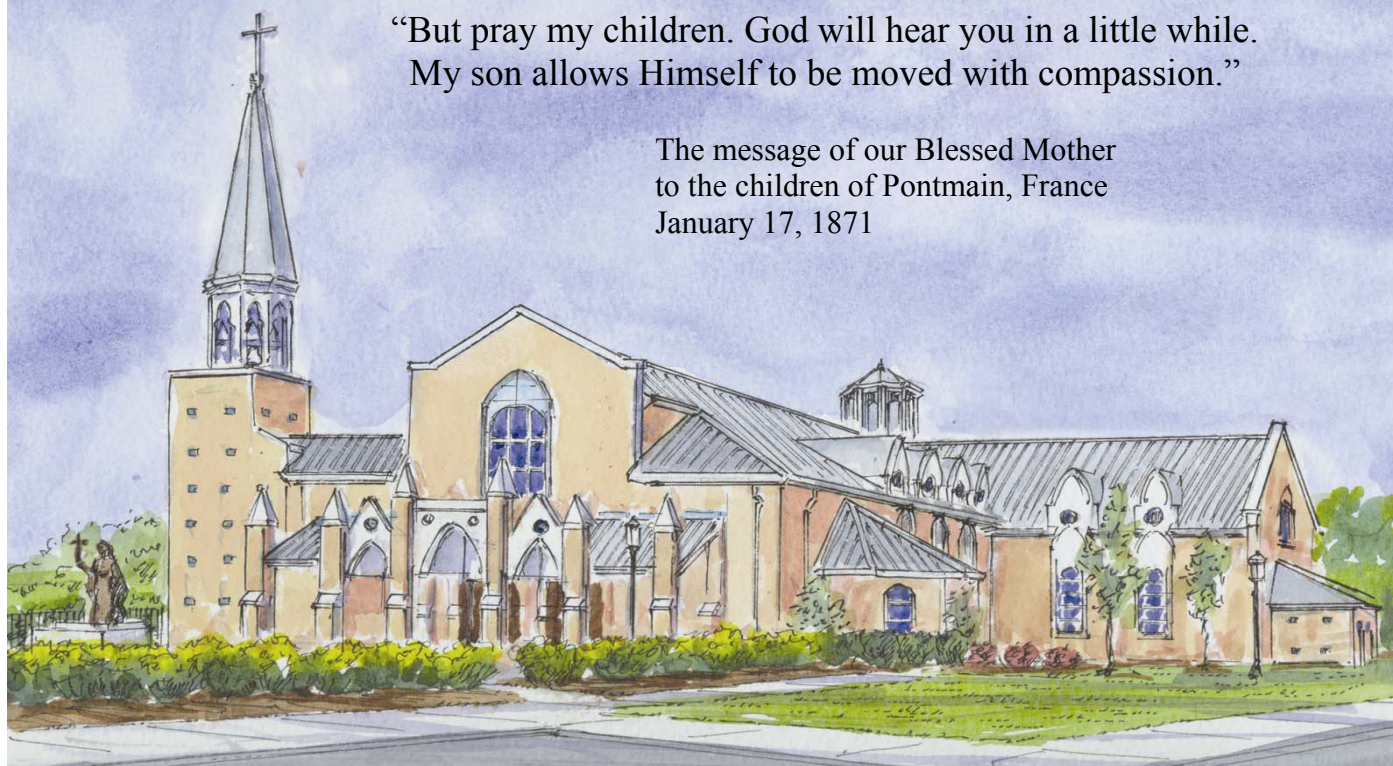


Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church

“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. Joseph W. Farrell, Parochial Vicar

Cathy Barshop, Director of Religious Education
Jackie Regan, Religious Education Assistant

Michael Schierer, Youth Ministry Assistant

Pat Sabas, Business Manager

Alfonso Pena, Facilities Supervisor

Suzanne Yerks, Director of Music

Nancy Burgess, Parish Secretary

The Church & Parish Office

Address: 46639 Algonkian Parkway
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Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.,
Monday - Friday

Telephone: 703-433-6770

Website: www.ourladyofhope.net

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 8:30 p.m.

Holy Hour

Thursday evening from 7:30 – 8:30 p.m.



Our Lady of Hope Catholic School

Mary Beth Pittman, School Principal

Angela Matzke, Administrative Assistant

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MASSSES OF THE WEEK**Sunday, October 11th: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 a.m. ☩ Josephine Ledford by Johnnie & Brianne Loveday & Family

9:00 a.m. ☩ Angela Cacciola by Maria Varbaro

10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners

12:15 p.m. ☩ Andrew McAdams by the Orr Family

Monday, October 12th

8:30 a.m. ☩ Anna Oliveri by Mr. & Mrs. Peter Oliveri

Tuesday, October 13th

6:45 a.m. The Esti Family by Bethany Sargis

8:30 a.m. ☩ Diane Duncan by Tom & Fran Duncan

Wednesday, October 14th: Pope St. Calistus, I

6:45 a.m. ☩ Marlene Kennedy by Renee Williams

8:30 a.m. Reverend Noah Morey by the Kale Family

Thursday, October 15th: St. Teresa of Avila

6:45 a.m. Rita Sargis by Bethany Sargis

8:30 a.m. ☩ Lilian Dinneny by the Peña Family

Friday, October 16th: St. Hedwig & St. Margaret**Mary Alacoque**

6:45 a.m. ☩ Genevieve Zaydon by the Alner Family

8:30 a.m. Anna Abel by the 4/5 Grade Odyssey Team

Saturday, October 17th: St. Ignatius of Antioch

8:30 a.m. ☩ Josephine Zogran by Stan Stepian

5:00 p.m. ☩ Domingo Hertz by the Carmack Family

Sunday, October 18th: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. ☩ Gerry Jumat by Paul & Trish Gilmore

9:00 a.m. ☩ Eleanor Herink by the Herink Family

10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners

12:15 p.m. ☩ Elizabeth Conniff by the Herink Family

PARISH GROUP COORDINATORS

Altar Servers: Jeff Grado 477-9177

Altar Society: Alfonso & Janeth Pena 406-9835

American Heritage Girls:

Heather Ward 571-331-4394

Birthright: Marsha Slick 433-0034

Boy Scouts: Al Pacifico 727-7773

Cub Scouts: Michael McIntosh 444-2316

Culture of Life: Fran Black 726-1643

CYO Sports: Raynelle Araque 404-3442

Girl Scouts: Tricia Kershaw 450-0685

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Jr. High Youth: Stacy Byrne 948-7845

Knights of Columbus:

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Ladies of Hope: Marie Kennedy 433-0864

Lectors: Paul Gilmore 444-2293

Legion of Mary: Deborah Baird 430-8554

Mom's Group: Christina Bongiovanni Caron

917-301-3287

Parish Service Partnership:

Tess Torres 571-278-5736

Seniors: Mary Ann Murphy 404-8677

Ushers: John Grzechowiak 444-0023

Young Adults: Matthew Marchetti

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.

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.

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

Universal: That human trafficking, the modern form of slavery, may be eradicated.

Evangelization: That with a missionary spirit the Christian communities of Asia may announce the Gospel to those who are still awaiting it.

Sacrament of Matrimony

In accordance 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.

Columbus Day Holiday

The parish office will be closed on Monday, October 12, 2015 in observance of Columbus Day. Mass will be offered at 8:30 a.m. only.



A Spiritual Bouquet for Bishop Loverde

All parishioners are welcome to celebrate Bishop Loverde's 50th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination by making a spiritual offering. Please submit an offering online at www.arlingtondiocese.org/spiritualbouquet or fill out a spiritual bouquet card (on the tables in the church and narthex). These will be presented to Bishop Loverde in November. Please submit your spiritual offering by October 30th.



Pancake Breakfast



Next Sunday, October 18th, after the a.m. Masses, the Knights of Columbus, will be hosting a pancake breakfast in the parish hall. This is a great opportunity to spend some time with your fellow parishioners while enjoying a wonderful pancake breakfast. Free-will donations accepted for the breakfast.



Cascades MelaNoMore 5K and Fun Run on Sunday, October 25th

Members of our parish and the Cascades community are planning the 2nd annual MelaNoMore 5K and Fun Run for Sunday, October 25th in the Cascades Marketplace. It was such a fabulous community event last year that raised awareness and funds for Melanoma research and honored the memory of one of our parishioners, Patricia (Trish) VanBelleghem. Please join us again this year by running, walking, volunteering, or sponsoring! Everything can be found on our website. Check out this important event and participate in any way you can!!! www.melanomore5k.com

Book Club



Our current selection is, **The Miracle of Father Kapaun, Priest Soldier, and Korean War Hero,** by Roy Wenzl and Travis Heying. All are invited to read the book for our discussion on Tuesday, October 27th at 7 p.m. in the

St. Thomas More Meeting Room. There are several copies of the book available in our gift shop.

Attention Young Adults!

Young adults in their 20s and 30s are invited to join the Fiat Young Adults for great fellowship and fun at our monthly events. For more information, email FiatYoungAdults@gmail.com.



National Blue Ribbon Award!

Our Lady of Hope Catholic School was awarded the 2015 National Blue Ribbon as an Exemplary High Performing School. This places our school in the top 15% of all schools, public and private, for academic excellence! Our parents also share in this success because it is the home and school working together to ensure that our students are some of the brightest and best prepared in our nation!



Voter Registration Reminder

Election Day is approaching on November 3rd. Your vote is important. Have you registered to vote? The deadline to register and make changes to current voter registration is October 13th. Register to vote, change your registration, or find out what are the new voter identification requirements for in-person voting at www.sbe.virginia.gov.

All Souls Novena

November 2nd marks the Feast of All Souls, when we remember all of our faithful departed, especially the souls in Purgatory. If you would like to have your loved ones remembered in a Novena of Masses, please complete an envelope available at the entrances of the church and return it to an usher or in the collection basket. St. Ambrose taught, "Those we have loved in this life we must not abandon in death, until by our prayers we have conducted them safely to Heaven."



"I Wait for You"

Our Lady of Hope offers Eucharistic Adoration on Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m., with a Holy Hour beginning at 7:30 p.m. Our Lord is truly present on the altar and He waits for you. Volunteers are needed for all hours of Adoration. Will you prayerfully consider spending one hour with our Lord? Adoration sign-up sheets are on the table in the narthex

Fall Men's Retreat - November 20-22

Ahead of the hectic holiday season, take a weekend for quiet prayer and reflection at San Damiano Retreat Center in White Post. The retreat will be led by Rev. Antoninus Niemiec, O.P., Parochial Vicar at Saint Thomas Aquinas Parish and Priory in Charlottesville. Cost is \$290; need-based scholarships are available. Please visit www.arlingtondiocese.org/fmr for more info.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

703-433-6564

The Religious Education Office is Closed on Fridays

Everything you wanted to know about the Catholic Church but were afraid to ask.

The parish priests conduct the *weekly* "Inquiry Class" On Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. in the St. Thomas More Meeting Room. This one hour class is designed

for those who want to know more about the Catholic Faith and may be considering becoming Catholic, and for those Catholics who want a refresher course.

Parish Bible Study

We have a weekly Bible Study on Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. in the parish hall. All are welcome to join us as we study the Psalms. Bring your Bible.

Culture of Life Speaker – November 17th

Fr. J. D. Jaffe, who is the chaplain for Courage in the diocese, will speak on Tuesday, November 17th, at 8 p.m. in the parish Hall. He will talk on same-sex attraction and marriage.

Senior Trips

October 18th – Riverside Dinner Theater to see "Sister Act" - A full sit down meal is included. The motor coach will leave from the Cascades Senior Center. The total for the trip is \$105.

October 27th - Day Trip with Fr. Drummond with Mass at the glass chapel at the Shrine of Mother Seton - We will stop for lunch at the Shamrock Restaurant and the Catoctin Mountain Orchards. The cost is \$63. Pick-up is at the Cascades Senior Center. *For more information and to sign up, please call Mary Ann Murphy at 703-404-8677.*

**Parish Service Partnership**

Parish Service Partnership seeks to assist parishioners by providing services, lending a helping hand or a listening ear, and encouraging participation in ministries and activities. Services we hope to provide include warmly welcoming our newcomers to the parish and the neighborhood. We hope to provide rides to and from parish events for those who cannot drive and visits with home-bound parishioners. We hope to provide meals to those families who are welcoming our tiniest parishioners home, facing unexpected emergencies such as hospital stays, difficult recoveries, or dealing with bereavement. If you know of a parishioner who could use assistance, is new to our church, or if you would like participate in **any** aspect of this rewarding ministry, please contact coordinator Tess Torres at 571-278-5736.

YOUTH MINISTRY

703-433-6770

Youth@ourladyofhope.net

Like us on Facebook – "OLOH Youth Group"

Upcoming Youth Group Events

Each Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., the youth group meets in the school gym for a half-hour of fun and fellowship followed by a topical presentation and discussion. Then, from 9-10 p.m., open gym is available for anyone wishing to stay.

Upcoming Meetings

October 13th - Returning to Fullness of Life - The Sacrament of Reconciliation

October 20th - Monthly Adoration and Confession

October 27th - Stump the Priest Night

November 3rd - Human Trafficking Presentation

Youth Service Opportunities*

Mother Teresa Mondays* - (*meet at the school at 5:45 p.m. – 8th Graders are welcome to join the High School Youth Group for these events*)

October 19th – School Gym

November 2nd – Falcon's Landing

Junior High Youth7th & 8th graders

For more information:

<http://ourladyofhope.net/junior-youth-ministry>

jrhig@ourladyofhope.net

Finding Joy in Advent – November 7th

Living Advent and the Arlington Diocesan Council of Catholic Women host "Finding Joy in Advent" on Saturday, November 7th from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Speakers include: Fr. Andrew Fisher, Elizabeth Foss, and

Colleen Rooney, author and coordinator of Living Advent 2015. Please visit: www.livingadvent.com for more information and/or to register for this popular event.

Augustine's Brothers

Augustine's Brothers is a group for Catholic men who find it difficult to free themselves from the chains of pornography and other sexual behaviors. It is a group of men helping and supporting each other to overcome this powerful force. The group meets each Thursday night in Reston at St. John Neumann at 7:30 p.m. in classroom B9. For more information or if you have questions, email augustinesbrothers@hotmail.com or call Tim at 737-207-2856.

This Week at a Glance

Sunday, October 11th: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

2:00 p.m. Marriage Encounter – Parish Meeting Rooms
2:00 p.m. CYO Basketball – School Gym
3:00 p.m. Wedding - Church

Monday, October 12th:

8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Room

Tuesday, October 13th:

6:45/8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
3:00 p.m. Children's Choir – St. Thomas More Room
3:15 p.m. Junior Legion of Mary – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Room
4:15/6:00 p.m. Religious Education Classes– School Classrooms
5:00 p.m. CYO Basketball – School Gym
7:00 p.m. 4th Degree Knights of Columbus – Parish Hall & St. Thomas More Room
7:30 p.m. ENDOW – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Room
7:30 p.m. High School Youth Ministry – School Gym

Wednesday, October 14th:

6:45/8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
9:00 a.m. ENDOW - Parish Hall & Meeting Rooms
4:15 p.m. Religious Education Classes – School Classrooms
5:00 p.m. CYO Basketball – School Gym
7:30 p.m. Bible Study – Parish Hall

Thursday, October 15th:

6:45/8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
9:00 a.m. Adoration
5:00 p.m. CYO Basketball – School Gym
7:30 p.m. Holy Hour, Confessions, Benediction
7:30 p.m. Inquiry Class – St. Thomas More Room

Friday, October 16th:

6:45/8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
4:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal - Church
7:00 p.m. School Dance – School Gym

Saturday, October 17th

8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
9:00 a.m. Confessions
9:00 a.m. Usher's Meeting – Parish Hall
10:00 a.m. CYO Basketball – School Gym
3:00 p.m. Wedding – Church
4:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus – Parish Hall

Next Week at a Glance

Sunday, October 18th: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 a.m. Pancake Breakfast – Parish Hall
8:30 a.m. Blood Drive – St. Thomas More Room
11:30 a.m. SPOC – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton room
2:00 p.m. CYO Basketball – School Gym
4:00 p.m. Girl Scouts – St. Thomas More Room

Monday, October 19th:

6:45/8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
6:00 p.m. Mother Teresa Monday – School Gym
7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Room
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts – Parish Hall

Tuesday, October 20th:

6:45/8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
3:00 p.m. Children's Choir – St. Thomas More Room
3:15 p.m. Junior Legion of Mary – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Room
4:15/6:00 p.m. Religious Education Classes– School Classrooms
5:00 p.m. CYO Basketball – School Gym
7:00 p.m. 4th Degree Knights of Columbus – Parish Hall & St. Thomas More Room
7:30 p.m. ENDOW – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Room
7:30 p.m. High School Youth Ministry – School Gym

Wednesday, October 21st:

6:45/8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
9:00 a.m. ENDOW - Parish Hall & Meeting Rooms
4:15 p.m. Religious Education Classes – School Classrooms
5:00 p.m. CYO Basketball – School Gym
7:30 p.m. Bible Study – Parish Hall

Thursday, October 22nd:

6:45/8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
9:00 a.m. Adoration
5:00 p.m. CYO Basketball – School Gym
7:30 p.m. Holy Hour, Confessions, Benediction
7:30 p.m. Inquiry Class – St. Thomas More Room

Friday, October 23rd:

6:45/8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
2:00 p.m. Set-up – Parish Hall
5:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal - Church
5:00 p.m. CYO Basketball – School Gym

Saturday, October 24th

8:30 a.m. Holy Mass
9:00 a.m. Confessions
10:00 a.m. CYO Basketball – School Gym
11:00 a.m. Wedding – Church
12:00 Noon Wedding Reception – Parish Hall

15th Anniversary Steins Available for Purchase!

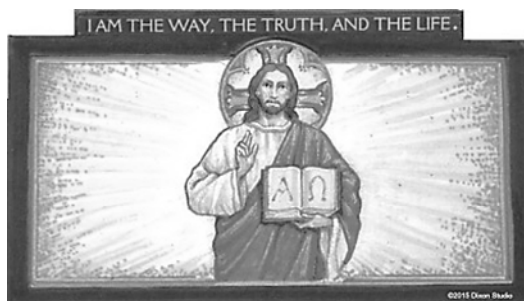
There is a limited supply of the 15th Anniversary of Our Lady of Hope steins available for purchase. The cost is \$85 each and you may purchase online at www.oloh-council.org/ofest2015 or in the gift shop. These steins make great gifts. Please feel free to reach out to Steve Tatusko at statusko@gmail.com with any questions.

Separated? Divorced? Widowed?



Coping, a six week recovery program for separated, divorced, or widowed individuals, begins on Sunday, evening, October 18th from 6-8 p.m. at St. Phillips Catholic Church in Falls Church, VA and is designed to

help individuals get through the trauma of losing a spouse to separation, divorce, or death. Cost is \$5 per session, payable at the door. For more information about Coping, call Gerri Ellenberger at 703-670-4845 or Mike Bermudez at 703-577-8204.



☐ Enclosed is my check or cash donation of \$1,000 for the Fifteenth Anniversary Mosaics with dedication plaque to be placed in Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church. My dedication is below.

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(Inscription is limited to 40 letters, including spaces. Use one letter or space per box!)

Please fill out the form below. **We need this form, no matter which method of payment you used!** If paying by check, please make checks payable to “Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church” and put “Fifteenth Anniversary Mosaics” in the memo field. Checks and/or forms may be dropped off at the Parish Office, or mailed to:

Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church
Fifteenth Anniversary Mosaics
46639 Algonkian Parkway
Potomac Falls, VA 20165

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