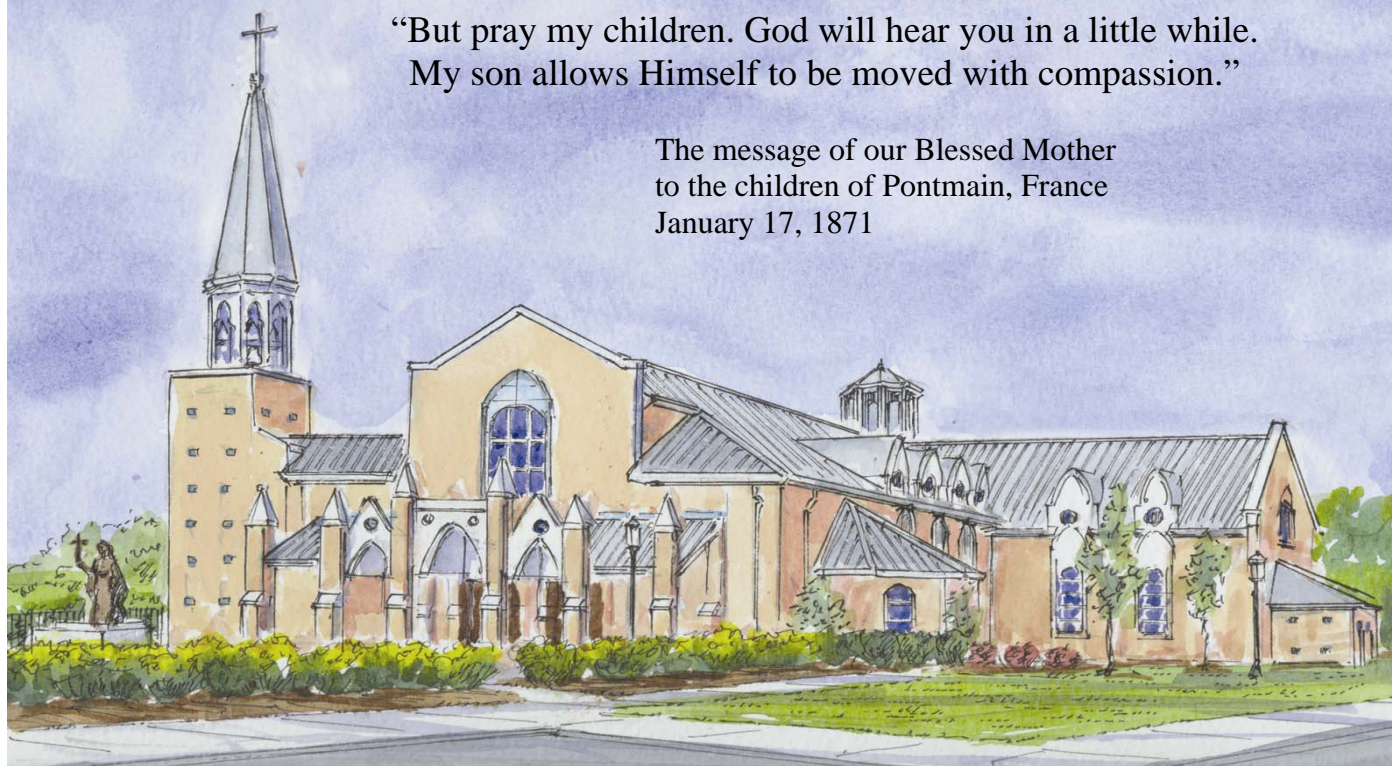


Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church

“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
The Rev. Randolph W. Sly, Resident
Cathy Plummer, Director of Religious Education
Cathy Barshop, Religious Education & 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
Potomac Falls, Virginia 20165
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. &
5:00 p.m.

Daily Masses

Monday - Friday at 6:45 & 8:30 a.m.
Saturday: 8:30 a.m.
First Friday: 7:30 p.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
Address: 46633 Algonkian Parkway
Potomac Falls, Virginia 20165
Telephone: 703-433-6760
Website: www.ourladyofhopeschool.net

MASSSES OF THE WEEK**Sunday, May 17th: The Ascension of the Lord**

7:30 a.m. Mother's Day Novena
 9:00 a.m. ☩ Anna Oliveri by Mr. & Mrs. Peter Oliveri
 10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners
 12:15 p.m. Helen McGonagle by Linda Mescall
 5:00 p.m. Hector Daniel Hugas by His Parents

Monday, May 18th: Pope St. John I

6:45 a.m. Mother's Day Novena
 8:30 a.m. ☩ Owen Kittilstad by the Forbes Family

Tuesday, May 19th

6:45 a.m. ☩ Mary Burke by the Gilmore Family
 8:30 a.m. ☩ Robert D. Baxter by Adams-Green Funeral Home

Wednesday, May 20th: St. Bernardine of Siena

6:45 a.m. ☩ Poor Souls in Purgatory by Patty Rodgers
 8:30 a.m. ☩ Stephan Bailey by Bethany Sargis

Thursday, May 21st: Ss. Christopher Magallanes & Companions

6:45 a.m. ☩ Charles B. Gill by Larry Zawalick
 8:30 a.m. ☩ Vicki Chase by Kathy Blackburn

Friday, May 22nd: St. Rita of Cascia

6:45 a.m. ☩ Dorothy O'Donnell by the Buckis Family
 8:30 a.m. ☩ Mary M. Duncan by Tom & Fran Duncan

Saturday, May 23rd

8:30 a.m. ☩ Victor Wollett by Vicki Carroll
 5:00 p.m. ☩ Rose Buccieri by Diane & Peter Buccieri

Sunday, May 24th: Pentecost

7:30 a.m. ☩ Theresa Zawalick by Larry Zawalick
 9:00 a.m. ☩ Trish VanBelleghem by the Traenkle Family
 10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners
 12:15 p.m. ☩ Deceased Veterans by Tom & Fran Duncan
 5:00 p.m. ☩ Richard Curtin by Adams-Green Funeral Home

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:	JC Orosa	571-331-4794
Cub Scouts:	Michael McIntosh	444-2316
Culture of Life	Fran Black	726-1643
CYO Sports:	Raynelle Araque	404-3442
Girl Scouts:	Liz Campbell	444-5632
Homeschoolers:	Stacy Byrne	948-7845
Jr. High Youth:	Stacy Byrne	948-7845
Knights of Columbus:		
	Clyde Slick	473-1261
Ladies of Hope:	Marie Kennedy	433-0864
Lectors:	Paul Gilmore	444-2293
Legion of Mary:	Deborah Baird	430-8554
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 May**

Universal: That, rejecting the culture of indifference, we may care for our neighbors who suffer, especially the sick and the poor. **Evangelization:** That Mary's intercession may help Christians in secularized cultures be ready to proclaim Jesus.

**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.

Special Speaker, Daniel Ali – May 29th

Come to the Parish Hall Friday, May 29th beginning at 7:00 p.m. to hear internationally-acclaimed Kurdish-American Evangelist and Author Daniel Ali. Daniel is an Iraqi Kurd who grew up as a Muslim under Saddam Hussein's campaigns against the Kurds, experiencing gasings and chemical weapons attacks on thousands of his native villages. From his earliest days in Iraq, the Lord placed silent, but loving, Christian witnesses around him, since it has always been illegal in Muslim countries for a Christian to speak to a Muslim of Christianity or Christ.



Daniel began the non-profit Christian-Islamic forum in August 2001, just weeks before terrorists struck on 9-11. He has appeared on The Journey Home twice and recently taped his third appearance May 4.

Daniel has authored two books *Inside Islam: A Guide for Catholics*, in 2003 and *Out of Islam, Free at Last*, which was published in 2007. He co-produced with Fr. Mitch Pacwa a Video Series for EWTN called "Islam in Christianity" in 2002.

This appearance will be free and open to the public. Please plan to attend this inspiring and informative talk!

Host Families Needed For Just 1 Night

There will be 8 Catholic high school girls from India who attend the St Joseph's Cathedral High School in Abu Dhabi (United Arab Emirates) and are participating in the 2015 Global Young Leaders Conference (www.envisionexperience.com/explore-our-programs/global-young-leaders-conference) at Sheraton Hotel Pentagon City. They are in need of 1 night's accommodation (July 5) upon their arrival at Dulles Airport and transportation to the conference registration (July 6). If you are willing to help sponsor these young ladies, please contact Kay Kale at teamkale@yahoo.com.

Race for Seminarians

Run the Marine Corps Marathon/10K on October 25th to support the future priests of the Arlington Diocese! Runners and walkers of all experience levels are welcome. Please visit www.arlingtonvocations.org for more information on joining the Race for Seminarians team.

**Please Pray For...**

The list of the sick and homebound of our parish can be found on our website, www.ourladyofhope.net. Please use the "Community" tab and then, "Please Pray For..." to view the list. *Please pray for Andrew McAllister.*

Farewell, Fr. Sly

Fr. Sly's farewell Mass will be Sunday, June 7th at 12:15 p.m. Following the Mass, all are invited to the parish hall for a light reception and an opportunity to wish him well as he moves to Missouri.

**Parish Mass Schedule to Change**

The last date for the Sunday 5 p.m. Mass is May 24th. If you had a Mass Intention scheduled for a Sunday at 5 p.m., your Mass Intention will be moved to a private Mass. If you prefer to reschedule to a public Mass, please call the parish office at 703-433-6770.

**Deacon Noah Morey's Ordination**

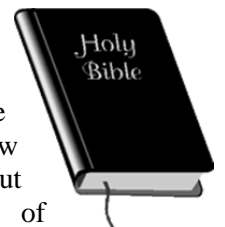
All are invited to the Ordination to the Priesthood of Deacon Noah Morey on Saturday, June 6th at 11 a.m. at the Cathedral of St. Thomas More in Arlington. At the same time, Deacon Brian McAllister (who was with us

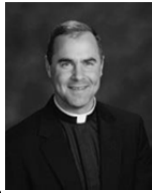
during the summer 6 years ago) will also be ordained a priest, and Colin Davis (who was with us during the summer 2 years ago) will be ordained as a Deacon. Please keep all of the men preparing for Holy Orders in your prayers.

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus began about the year 1672 when Jesus appeared to Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque in France. He explained to her the devotion to His Sacred Heart as He wanted people to practice it. Jesus asked to be honored in the symbol of His Heart of flesh; He asked for acts of reparation, for frequent Communion, Communion on the First Friday of the month, and the keeping of the Holy Hour. Sign up after Mass on June 7th with the Legion of Mary for Sacred Heart Enthronement of your home.

**Bible Study**

Our weekly Bible Study, led by Fr. Sly is on Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. For our spring Bible study series we are looking at the books of the New Testament that are rarely read but contain some wonderful gems of spiritual truth. We'll be carefully looking at: Titus, Philemon, II John, III John, and Jude. Come for a time of uplifting study, spiritual growth and great fellowship!





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Dinner included; lecture to begin at 7 p.m.

Our Lady of Hope Parish Hall

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Discernment Retreat for Women



Could Christ be calling you to be His bride? Take a step to find out by attending a Discernment Retreat for Women (ages 18-50), June 12-14. The retreat will include discernment workshops and quiet moments of prayer to rest in Christ, with other women doing the same. The cost is \$60 (assistance available). Sign up with the Office of Vocations by May 29th at 703-

841-2514 or vocations@arlingtondiocese.org.

Post-Abortion Website

An invitation for help, healing, and hope is waiting for you at www.helpafterabortion.org. It's a safe place to take the first step to learn more about healing after abortion. All inquiries for assistance are completely confidential. Talk to someone who understands. Contact us today for non-judgmental and compassionate care. For more information, please visit our website or call 888-456-HOPE (4673).



Volunteer for the Ball Committee

Catholic Charities seeks volunteers to serve on the Ball Committee to help make our largest annual fundraising event a success! Proceeds from this event help Catholic

Charities to provide support to those in need throughout the diocese. The Catholic Charities Ball is held in February and is a fun-filled evening of dining and dancing. The Committee meets monthly and is comprised of extremely dedicated and creative individuals. No experience needed, however an interest in event planning and fundraising is helpful. For more information, please contact Sally O'Dwyer at sodwyer@ccda.net.

YOUTH MINISTRY

703-433-6770

Youth@ourladyofhope.net

Like us on Facebook – “OLOH Youth Group”

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)

May 18th – School Gym

June 1st – Falcons Landing

High School Teens

(9th -12th Graders)

Regular Tuesday Night Meetings

Tuesdays from 7:30-9 p.m. in the School Gym.

Next Meeting is May 19th

Junior High Youth

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

All 7th and 8th Graders are Welcome!

6:15 pm-Usually the 1st & 3rd Sundays in School gym

Next Regular Meeting:

May 17th – School Gym

***8th graders: Service Projects qualify for your
Confirmation Service Requirement.***

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers are donated by the Altman Family in honor of Betty Altman.

Call to Vocations

“And they went out and proclaimed the good news everywhere, while the Lord worked with them.” If you are discerning a vocation to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus as a priest, deacon, or in the consecrated life, contact Father J.D. Jaffe at 703-841-2514, or write: j.jaffe@arlingtondiocese.org or call Father Saunders or Father Schierer.

“Welcome New Parishioners” Coffee

All new parishioners who joined the parish in the past year are invited to join us in the parish hall on Sunday, May 31st after the 10:30 a.m. Mass for coffee and refreshments. Even if you have not registered with the parish yet please join us for coffee! You will meet other parishioners and learn more about Our Lady of Hope Parish! *Please RSVP by May 27th to 703-430-8554.*



Ladies of Hope Pot-Luck

All women of the parish are invited to the pot-luck supper on Tuesday, May 26th at 7 p.m. in the parish hall.

This Week at a Glance**Sunday, May 17th: The Ascension of the Lord**

2:00 pm – Marriage Encounter – Parish Meeting Rooms

6:15 pm – Jr. High Youth Group – School Gym

7:00 pm – I.C.C. Lecture – Parish Hall

Monday, May 18th:

6:45/8:30 am Holy Mass

5:30 pm Knights of Columbus – Parish Hall & St. Thomas More Room

6:00 pm Mother Teresa Monday – School Gym

7:00 pm Boy Scouts – Parish Hall

7:00 pm Legion of Mary – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Room

7:30 pm Young Adults – St. Thomas More Room

Tuesday, May 19th:

6:45/8:30 am Holy Mass

3:00 pm Children's Choir – St. Thomas More Room

3:15 pm Junior Legion of Mary – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Room

4:15/6:00 pm RE Classes – School Classrooms

6:00 pm Knights of Columbus – St. Thomas More Room & Parish Hall

7:30 pm Youth Ministry – School Gym

Wednesday, May 20th:

6:45/8:30 am Holy Mass

4:15 pm RE Classes – School Classrooms

7:30 pm Bible Study – Parish Hall

Thursday, May 21st:

6:45/8:30 am Holy Mass

9:00 am Adoration

7:30 pm Holy Hour, Confessions, Benediction

Friday, May 22nd:

6:45/8:30 am Holy Mass

Saturday, May 23rd:

8:30 am Holy Mass

9:00 am Confessions

9:00 am Boy Scouts – Parish Hall

10:00 am EMHC Workshop – Church

Next Week at a Glance**Sunday, May 24th: Pentecost**

6:15 pm – CYO Track Banquet – Parish Hall

Monday, May 25th:

8:30 am Holy Mass

7:00 pm Legion of Mary – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Room

7:30 pm Young Adults – St. Thomas More Room

Tuesday, May 26th:

6:45/8:30 am Holy Mass

3:00 pm Children's Choir – St. Thomas More Room

3:15 pm Junior Legion of Mary – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Room

7:00 pm Ladies of Hope – Parish Hall

7:30 pm Youth Ministry – School Gym

Wednesday, May 27th:

6:45/8:30 am Holy Mass

7:30 pm Bible Study – Parish Hall

Thursday, May 28th:

6:45/8:30 am Holy Mass

9:00 am Adoration

7:30 pm Holy Hour, Confessions, Benediction

Friday, May 29th:

6:45/8:30 am Holy Mass

7:00 pm – Special Speaker, Daniel Ali – Parish Hall

Saturday, May 30th:

8:30 am Holy Mass

9:00 am Confessions

9:00 am Youth Ministry WorkCamp – Parish Hall Patio

6:00 pm RE Appreciation Dinner – Parish Hall

Volunteer Opportunity

Help immigrants in our parish and community learn English! Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Arlington-Hogar Immigrant Services, Education Services is urgently seeking volunteer teachers for ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) in Sterling. We offer six levels of English instruction and classes are held Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. You only teach once per week as a part of a teaching team. Training and materials are provided. No previous experience or second language required! Please help us demonstrate Christ's love by "welcoming the stranger" in this country. If interested, please email volunteer.hogar@ccda.net. or call 571-208-1572.

"Adore the Lord in Holy Attire"

Something to meditate on: if you would have to change into "nicer" clothes after Mass in order to go to another event, there is a very good chance you are capable of being attired in a holier way befitting our Faith and worship. Please keep this in mind when preparing to come to church, especially as the weather warms.

Thank you.

Knights of Columbus**2015 Parish Picnic – Save the Date!**

Rain or shine, please join your fellow parishioners on Sunday, June 14th from 1:30-5 p.m. for this annual tradition. Watch for ticket sales after Mass, coming soon!

The Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins my Mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful; O Mother of thy Word

Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy clemency hear and answer me. Amen.

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Alice von Hildebrand, originally from Belgium, came to the U.S. in 1940 and studied philosophy at Fordham University. In 1947, she began teaching philosophy at Hunter College in NYC, and married Dietrich von Hildebrand in 1959. Dr. von Hildebrand is the author of numerous books and philosophical papers.



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