Dear Friends,

Happy Father’s Day! to all the fathers, grandfathers, great-grandfathers and Godfathers, especially those visiting from out of town. If you would like to remember the fathers in your life (living and/or deceased) through prayer, a novena of Masses for fathers begins this weekend. You will find enrollment cards on the tables at the doors of the Cathedral.

Next Saturday, June 22, at 10am, Archbishop Lori will ordain three men to the priesthood in the Cathedral. Please say a prayer for the soon-to-be Fathers Matthew DeFusco (Fr. Andrew’s brother), Matt Himes, and Tyler Kline. The ordination Mass is open to the public. Currently, 43 young men are studying for the priesthood for the Archdiocese! This is the largest number of seminarians in years. Please pray for vocations.

Many of you have heard of the closing of the Verso Luke Papermill in Western Maryland. For 131 years, this mill has been the economic backbone of 3 small towns, one of which is my home town (Westernport). My father worked in this mill until the day he died, as did my grandfather and most of my uncles. The closure will result in the loss of 675 good paying jobs in an area that already faces serious economic and social challenges. These are some of the last manufacturing jobs in Allegany County. The Archdiocese has initiated an appeal for donations to assist families impacted by the closure. Donations can be made online at www.divinemercymd.org (click on the Stewardship tab) or by check, made out to Divine Mercy Parish, 44 East Main Street, Frostburg, MD 21532.

As the “pastoral year” concludes, I want to thank the outgoing members of the Pastoral Council for their service over the past three years: Megan Latshaw (chair), Sharon Fitzmaurice, Leah Saal, David Krall, Greg Rapisarda, Arun Subhas, Franc Udenta, and John & Katie Sunder. A new council will be formed over the next several months to

Top things to know about this week:

VIRTUS REMINDER
There is nothing more important in the Church today than providing a safe environment for the children who are entrusted to our care. Thanks to all the Cathedral parish and school volunteers and staff who take the necessary time and effort to undergo training and screening as part of the safe-environment protocols of the AOB Office of Child and Youth Protection. Questions about VIRTUS ? Call Lisa Kantz at 410-464-4000.

Summer Schedule
From June 17 through September 1, the Parish Center will be open Monday through Thursday from 8am to 5pm and closed Fridays. There will be no 8:15am Daily Mass from July 1 through August 10 (except on July 4).

Follow Along!
We recently welcomed Clare Logue, our new Youth Minister, to Cathedral! Follow youth ministry fun on Instagram: @cmoqyouthmin. This week, you’ll see posts on the Altar Server trip to Hershey, the first Confirmation retreat, and more!

Donut Sunday
GUESS WHAT?? This weekend is Donut Sunday! Come to the undercroft (or outside if the weather is nice!) after the 9:30am Mass. All are invited!
“Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: “To God who is, who was, and who is to come.””

-Revelation 1:8; located at the Altar of St. Patrick

This week, we have much to celebrate: the wedding of Jennifer Swiger and Christopher Peterson, the graduation of the Class of 2019 of Cristo Rey Jesuit High School, some of our Confirmation candidates going on their first retreat, and the ordination of Matthew DeFusco, Matt Himes, and Tyler Kline as priests! Please pray for all of these people and their families!

serve for a 3-year term. The primary purpose of the council is to advise the rector on the pastoral and spiritual needs of the parish and to support the implementation of the major pastoral initiatives of the parish. These goals are developed from the information/insights gained from the parish survey (January) and the town hall meetings (in-person and virtual). Pastoral initiatives are being developed around the following categories: **Youth, Community/Family Engagement, and Volunteerism/Stewardship of Time.** If you are interested in serving on the council, please let me know.

Thanks for your continued generosity to the **Poor Box.** In May, $630.97 was spent on various expenses for the Loaves & Fishes program.

Have a Good Week!
Msgr. Woy

**FUTURE FIFTEEN:**
The next 15 days’ worth of events at Cathedral.

- Donut Sunday, June 16
- Altar Server Hershey Park Trip, June 17
- Summer hours at Parish Center (M-Th 8a-5p, closed Fridays), June 17 through September 1
- Bible Study, June 18
- Confirmation Retreat, June 21-23—follow along on Instagram @cmoqyouthmin!
- Casserole Club, June 23
- Loaves and Fishes, June 23
- Vacation Bible School, June 24-27
- Bible Study, June 25
- Prayer Walk—Transfiguration Catholic Community, June 27
- Mass for the Sick, June 28

**SUMMER SPLASH**

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS:**
- Only one Mass at 8:15am and Parish Center is closed, July 4
- Quo Vadis, July 23-26
- Vacation Bible School, August 5-8
- Men of Mary Our Queen BBQ, August 24
- Summer Splash, August 25
- Homecoming, November 8-10

Sign up for our e-bulletin or learn more about these events at www.cathedraofmary.org or by calling 410-464-4000.

**GIVE**

Put your envelopes on a permanent summer vacation and make the switch to eGiving through Faith Direct. You can start your summer vacation and still support Cathedral of Mary Our Queen! Sign up easily via the QR code on the left or at www.faithdirect.net – church code: MD500.

All parishes and archdiocesan schools use VIRTUS, a compliance management system for all volunteers, employees, and clergy who work with minors in compliance with the AoB Policy for the Protection of Children and Youth. Please visit our website (www.cathedraofmary.org) for details and instructions for compliance.

** MASS INTENTIONS **
Week of June 16 – June 22, 2019

**Sunday, June 16**
8:00AM – Father’s Day Novena
9:30AM – Francisco R. Santos
11:00AM – Anna Maria Bedon

**Monday, June 17**
7:00AM – Father’s Day Novena
8:15 AM – John Caron
5:00PM – William Leo Barry

**Tuesday, June 18**
7:00 AM – Antoinette Rugguri
8:15 AM – Dr. Steven Kopits
5:30 PM – Father’s Day Novena

**Wednesday, June 19**
7:00 AM – Geoffrey Stanton
8:15 AM – Mary McGowan
5:30PM – Father’s Day Novena

**Thursday, June 20**
7:00AM – Willy Santos
8:15AM – Father’s Day Novena
5:30PM – Mike Duncan

**Friday, June 21**
7:00AM – Wally Santos
8:15AM – Father’s Day Novena
5:30PM – Mike Duncan

**Saturday, June 22**
8:15AM – Conor McDowell
5:00PM – Father’s Day Novena

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