PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHOLIC CHURCH

114 East Edmondson Street CULPEPER, VIRGINIA 22701 540-825-8945

Parish Hall - CCD Office 540-825-1339

EPIPHANY CATHOLIC SCHOOL 540-825-9017



MASSES

Saturday: 6:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

4:00 p.m. (SPANISH)

Daily: 8:30 a.m.

Holy Days: 8:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Anselme Malonda-Nkuanga, CICM, Pastor Ramon Tirado, Deacon

Kathy Semerling, Office Manager

Patricia Reed, Director of Religious Education

Miriam Medina, Director of Liturgy Hannah Masson, Director of Music

Theresa Watson, Choir Director

John Flemming, Heritage Choir Director

Robert Wiersberg, Director of R.C.I.A.

Mary Flemming, Coordinator of Youth Ministry

Jim Oliver, Principal, Epiphany School

Barbara Terry, Director, Epiphany Pre-School Anne Schuyler, Office Manager, Epiphany School

REGISTRATION

A warm welcome is extended to new parishioners. New members can register with the parish office during office hours. Registration forms are also available in the Church vestibule and can be dropped in the collection basket during Mass. Parish registration is required for reception of the Sacraments (Baptism, Confirmation and Matrimony) and letters of eligibility to serve as Godparent or sponsor.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

is available on Saturday: 4:30-5:30 p.m. and any other time upon request.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Registered parishioners who are requesting baptism for their child should contact the parish office to sign up for the required pre-baptismal classes.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

is celebrated after a period of preparation of not less than six months. Registered parishioners who wish to marry at Precious Blood should contact the parish office during office hours before making any other arrangements.

CCD CLASSES

Sunday: 9:30 - 10:45 a.m. (K-6) 12:15 - 1:30 p.m. (7-12)

EPIPHANY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Preschool: 3 & 4 year old

Elementary: K-5 Middle School: 6-8

www.preciousbloodcatholicchurch.org



October 27, 2013 "The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time"

WELCOME HOME FR. ANSELME

LORD HEAR THE PRAYER FOR OUR SICK,

Especially: Joseph Andrews, Ric
Barklund, May Boyer, Danny Call,
Elizabeth Carlton Occhiogrosso,
Cynthia Davies, Kate Driscoll, Bill
Daley, Pat Diibon, Sue Doetzer,
Jackie Fancher, Regan Flemming,
Ryleigh Flemming, Tom Hertz,
Betty Hescox, Eileen Hunter, Alex

Hyde, Linda Ingerski, Ann Kroenert, Peg Logan, Bryan Lorenz, Fred Minier, Jim Minihan, Jim Neighbors, Marcia Peacock, Nicole Popp, Michael Pugh, Mary Russell, Frank Roesch, Rich Rosado, Jerry Roy, Ines Sanchez, Roberto Sanson, Enrica Scotto di Rinaldi, Cissy Staiger, Holly Stanukens, Tracey and Frank Toomey, Cheryl Weagle, and Fr. Leo Zonneveld and for all those who ask for our prayers and wish to remain anonymous. May they feel God's protective hand and return to good health. Call the rectory if you want a name to remain after six weeks.

<u>ALL SAINTS DAY</u> is a holy day of obligation. Masses will be 8:30 AM and 7 PM.

ALTAR FLOWERS are in loving memory of Donald Devine by his wife Jill Devine.

RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults Tuesday, Oct. 29th will be on "The Gift of Christ." This topic is a view of "Prophecies Fulfilled by Christ," and "Choosing to be Christian. Classes start at 6:45 PM. Please join us if you are interested in this or any future session. Anyone can attend. Call Bob Wiersberg at 937-6143.

ST.STEPHEN'S FOOD CLOSET: Last week 90 families and 2,214 meals. Chicken and chicken helper, pancake mix and syrup, canned fruit and PLASTIC BAGS. Thank you.

SECOND COLLECTION next weekend is for the Retirement Fund for Religious. Our religious brothers and sisters spent years working in Catholic schools, hospitals and various agencies, often for little, or no pay. Your gift to the Retirement Fund helps provide medications, nursing care and more for the thousands of elderly religious. Please give to those who have given a lifetime.

BISHOP IRETON HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

for prospective students is today from 1-3 PM. For more information call 703-751-7608.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Oct. 28 - Thomas Sheehan

Oct. 29 – pro populo

Oct. 30 – pro populo

Oct. 31 – pro populo

Nov. 1 - 8:30 AM pro populo

Nov. 1- 7:00 PM- pro populo

Nov. 2 – 8:30 AM pro populo

Nov. 2 - 6:00 PM 25th Wedding Anniversary of

Jim and Phyllis Byrne

Nov. 3 - 8:30 AM Ray Popielarz (dec)

Nov. 3 - 11:00 AM Angela Bannon (dec)

OFFERTORY PRAYER: Give us, Lord, a heart that gladly gives. Even as you gave your all for us, so may we give our all to you. May we not give out of our abundance, but out of our poverty. In Christ, Amen.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Offertory Collection (10/20)	\$8,388.65
Faith Direct (10/15)	\$1,024.00
Building Fund (10/20)	\$382.00
Faith Direct (10/15)	\$125.00
Epiphany School (10/20)	\$100.00
World Missions (10/20)	\$1,333.98
Faith Direct (10/15)	\$20.00



CHOIR Guitarists and Keyboardists are greatly needed. Contact Hannah Masson at 825-9650 or if you are able to help our parish with your talents.

LEGION OF MARY By its nature the recitation of the Rosary calls for a quiet rhythm and a lingering pace, helping the individual to meditate on the mysteries of the Lord's life as seen through the eyes of her who was closest to the Lord. In this way, the unfathomable riches of these mysteries are unfolded. (47 of Pope Paul VI's "Marialis Cultus"). The praying of the Rosary is first item on the agenda at the meeting of the Legion of Mary every Thursday at 4:15pm in the rectory basement. Come pray with us.

OUR LADY'S MISSIONARIES OF THE

EUCHARIST (OLME) invites you to a special retreat: A Time Apart with Jesus to Grow in Your Spiritual Life. The retreat will be Nov. 1-3 at the Ave Maria Retreat House in Doylestown, PA. For more information contact Loretta Schlosser at 540-727-2070 or olme@olme.org directly.

ARTOF AGING TOGETHER...LIVING WELL AT ANY AGE Join us for the regions first ever expo showcasing services and products for seniors, boomers. Caregivers and younger families thinking now about growing older. Sat. Nov. 2 from 10 AM-2PM and Daniel Technology Center

ALL SAINTS DAY Come join us THIS Friday, 11/1 4:30-6:30 PM followed by the Mass at 7 PM. Children ages through 7th gd can have fun learning about our faith by playing saint related games and activities. Come dressed as your favorite saint! Prizes awarded! We still need a few more families to help run the tables that are all set up and ready. Contact the Canavans 727-1022 or canavan22701@comcast.net

<u>PRO-LIFE</u>: Our faith is strengthened when it is shared; so too, the pro-life message will be strengthened when it is shared in Christian love.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE campaign occurs daily until Nov. 3rd. from 7 AM- 7 PM outside the Amethyst Health Center for Women at 7380-B Forestwood Ln in Manassas. This is a peaceful prayer vigil. You are encouraged to donate an hour of your time to witness to the sanctity of human life.



Please help us spread the word about our great school! Most of our new families

join our community because they heard about our school through a friend, coworker, or neighbor. Please invite prospective families to our **Fall Open House** durng **Discover Catholic School Week, Nov. 17-23.** Epiphany will conduct a **living rosary** on Mon. Oct. 28th at 9:30 AM in the church. Please join us as our fabulous eighth graders lead us in the Joyful Mysteries.

GETTING MARRIED? Part of your requirement is to attend a conference for the Engaged. They fill up quickly, so please sign up a few months in advance! For more information, please call the Office for Family Life at 703-841-2550 or www.arlingtondiocese.org/familylife/marriage_engaged.php. Before registering, please get approval from your marriage preparation priest or deacon.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER Jesus tells us not to exalt ourselves; not to be filled with pride and self-righteousness or we will be humbled. Are you kind and loving putting others ahead of yourself? Discover the love and joy that God wants you to experience in your marriage. Sign up today to attend the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend in Herndon, Nov. 15-17, 2013.

<u>CURSILLO</u> The next women's Cursillo retreat weekend is Nov. 21-24. For more information contact Jim Byrne at 547-2932. The Cursillo weekend changes lives because it is an encounter with Christ. The real presence of Christ is at the heart of the Cursillo weekend retreat.

FALL MEN'S RETREAT by the Office of Family Life will be Nov. 8-10. It will focus on male spirituality and how to model ourselves after Jesus Christ. Call 703-841-2550 for more info.



WorkCamp 2014—June 21-28, 2014—Shenandoah, VA After taking a break for a few years, Precious Blood will once again be taking a group of teens to the Diocese of Arlington's

WorkCamp! WorkCamp will work with other teens from around the diocese to make homes warmer, safer, and drier. Pick up an info letter from RADIX Board in the vestibule of the church. If you are interested in attending or would like more information, contact Loretta Cummings (540-825-9135; LBCummings@msn.com).

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be selling Christmas cards after each Mass starting 10/26/13 until 12/15/2013 or until supplies run out. Thank you for your support.

Pope Francis: Our prayer cannot be reduced to an hour on Sundays. It is important to have a daily relationship with the Lord.