# PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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

Patricia Hetrick, Office Manager

Alison Windland, Office Assistant

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, Youth Director

Wendy Murphy, 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

January 13, 2013 "The Baptism of the Lord "

## LORD HEAR THE PRAYER FOR OUR SICK.

especially Daniel Garcia, Mrs. Betty Fyrberg, Dennis Olson, Alex Green, Shawn Malone, Mike Boyle, Hope Crocker, Bobby Zajkowski, Theresa Wise, Marion Meadows, Angelo DiFonzo, Jackie Fancher, Tracev

Toomey, Elizabeth Carlton Occhiogrosso, Grayson Savery, Leo Buckley, Frances Anderson, Kristie Wells, James Berger, Rosa Ramirez, Bryan Lorenz, Isaac Corbett, Rosa Coch, Ines Sanchez, Roberto Sanson, Donna Boyer, Jerry Roy, Barbara Noonan, Sean Peet & Eileen Hunter. May they feel God's protective hand and return to good health. Please call the rectory if you want a name to remain after six weeks.

JULIAN PRAYER CHAIN is a group of people who will pray for you, Please call Mrs. Joanna Madorma at 829-2235 with any prayer requests, or if you care to join the group.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK: Ordinarily the priest will visit Culpeper Hospital twice a week. Please notify the rectory if you wish to have someone visited. Arrangements should also be made with the rectory for an Extra-ordinary Minister to bring Holy Communion to shut-ins on a regular basis. Emergency sick calls can be arranged at any time.

PRO-LIFE: We need to go back to basic values. What we should be doing is working to achieve a world in which the power to bear children is viewed as a gift to be protected, rather than a burden from which to be relieved.

**HOLY HOUR OF PRAYER** is tomorrow, January 14<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 p.m. Please join your fellow parishioners for an hour in prayer, benediction, rosary and silent adoration.

**ALL MINISTERS** please check your email or pick up your January – March, 2013, scheduling in the ushers' room. See church website ministers page to help find replacements at the following: www.preciousbloodcatholicchurch.com.

## **COFFEE & DOUGHNUTS**, are provided by the



Knights of Columbus, each Sunday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass, during the CCD calendar year. All are invited to join your fellow

parishioners for a cup of coffee and conversation.

### **MASS INTENTIONS:**

Jan. 14 - Charles Russell (dec)

Jan. 15 - Patricia Minihan (dec)

Jan. 16 - Souls in Purgatory

Jan. 17 - Pro Populo

Jan. 18 - John Davis (dec)

Jan. 19 - 8:30 a.m. - Windland Family

Jan. 19 - 6:00 p.m. - Loretta Stevens (dec)

Jan. 20 - 8:30 a.m. - Tom Wichtendahl (dec)

Jan. 20 - 11:00 a.m. - Mary Jane Matos (dec)



## PIANO OR KEYBOARD PLAYERS

are **still needed** in our music ministry for our liturgies. Please call Mrs. Hannah Masson, 825-9650, for more information, and if you can help us.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION (12-30) \$10,715.98 (Our weekly budget is \$11,500.00) OFFERTORY COLLECTION (01-6) 10,555.64

**BUILDING FUND (12-30)** 6,030.00 **BUILDING FUND (01-06)** 1,173.00 **EPIPHANY SCHOOL** 696.00 **SOLEMNITY OF MARY** 1.832.00

**FIRST OFFERING** 767.00

OFFERTORY PRAYER: As we give, we pray that these gifts may be acceptable in your eyes, not only in the amount we give, but also in the spirit in which they are given.

### THE HOLY SPIRIT INTERACTIVE DISCIPLESHIP



PROGRAM will meet on Wednesday, January 16th, 7:00 p.m., at the annex building.

**FAITH DIRECT:** Now is the time to enroll in our automatic electronic offertory program with Faith **Direct.** Electronic giving is simply the easiest way for you to make, and Precious Blood to receive, your weekly offering. You can enroll by picking up a form in the fover/office, or visit www.faithdirect.net. Our code is VA226.

THE ALTAR FLOWERS for this weekend are in



celebration of the birthday of Jim Minihan, and in loving memory of his mother. Patricia Minihan. \*\*\* **NOTE!** Altar flowers are

available for requests February 2<sup>nd</sup>

& 9<sup>th</sup>. If interested, please contact the rectory office.

VIRTUS TRAINING: Precious Blood will hold a

Virtus Workshop for all employees
and volunteers, who have not
attended a session in order

to be in full diocesan compliance. The workshop will

be on Tuesday, February 19, 2013, from 6:00-10:00 p.m., in the Parish Hall. All must be preregistered. Please register at: <u>www.virtus.org</u>.

## RADIX (YOUTH MINISTRY OF PRECIOUS

BLOOD), in conjunction with the Knights of Columbus, Epiphany Middle School and our CCD Religious Education Program, presents a VOCATIONS YOUTH CONFERENCE, today, January 13, 12:15 – 4:30 p.m.. Youth in grades 6 -12 are invited. Youth will rotate to talks from seminarians and religious, as well as a married couple and a single person living out their vocations. The Conference will be held in the Parish Hall and the CCD classrooms.



will begin registration for 2013-2014 on January 28,

**2013.** Registration packets are available in the church foyer, or may be mailed to you by calling 825-9017. Classes are filed on a first-come, first-served basis. Tuition is available and families are encouraged to apply through the following site: *www.factstuitionalaid.com.* Please call the school office for further information or a personal tour of our classes and facilities. There will be a special program and Open House on January 17th from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. The new school year theme is "Catholic Schools Raise the Standards."

## THE ANNUAL MARCH FOR LIFE: January 22,



**2013**, marks the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Supreme Court's infamous abortion decision that has seen the deaths of more than 54 million unborn babies. This year the March will take place on

Friday, January 25<sup>th</sup>, due to the inauguration. There will be a bus available to attend the March for Life in Washington, D.C. on that day. We will board the bus on Piedmont Street at 10:30 a.m., and return at approximately 5:30 p.m. Please sign up in the back of the church foyer to ride the bus

since seats are on a first come, first serve basis. A freewill collection will be taken to help defray the cost of the bus. For more information, please call Scott Klose at 829-7214.

ADOPT A WALKER IN PRAYER: Many people are unable to attend the March for Life in Washington, D.C. on January 25<sup>th</sup>. We ask these people to pray for our youth group, and those who will be riding the bus from Precious Blood to attend the March. Please pray the rosary, visit the Most Blessed Sacrament, or offer sacrificial acts throughout the day. We depend on our parish family to pray for safety and for a positive witness to the value and dignity of each human life.

## **50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:** For any couples



celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary in 2013, please let Father Anselme know or call the rectory office at 825-8945.

## PRISON MINISTRY VOLUNTEER IS NEEDED: A

bi-lingual Cathechist is needed to help in the prison ministry at Coffeewood Correctional Center one evening a week, for a few hours. If you can help, please call Jim Byrne at 547-2932.

**2013 CALENDARS,** compliments of our Missionhurst Fathers and Clore English Funeral Home, are available in the church foyer. Due to the holiday, we are sorry these are late in arriving this year.

# ST. STEPHEN'S FOOD CLOSET needs canned



meats, pancake mix and syrup, boxed meals, hand soap, toothpaste & deodorant. Please place items within the altar area.\*\*\*Please Note!

Help driving cancer patients to their treatments is needed. If you can help, please call Tom Lewis at 825-5710.



**GOAL SETTING SESSION:** Will be in the Parish Hall, January 19<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. I have invited Fr. Paul deLandurantaye, S.T.D.,

Secretary for Religious Education and for the Liturgy in the Diocese of Arlington, to lead the parish in our Goal Setting Session. A report of the Goal Setting Session will be published in the Parish Bulletin the week following the meeting.