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November 15, 2020



33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Well done, my good and faithful servant." – Mt 25:21

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MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00 noon, and 7:00pm
Spanish Mass: 2:30pm
Daily: 6:30am, 8:30am & 12:00 noon
Saturday: 8:30am

Federal Holidays:

6:30am and 8:30am only
Holy Days: 7:30pm Vigil
6:30am, 8:30am, 12:00 noon and 7:30pm
RECTORY HOURS:
Weekdays 9:00am– 9:00pm (closed 12:45 - 1:30pm)
Saturday 9:00am - 1:30pm

FIRST FRIDAYS:

Exposition: 9:00 - 11:45am
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament: 11:45am
Eucharistic Holy Hour:
Sunday: 5:00pm
Third Thursdays: 7:00pm

CONFESSIONS:

Tuesdays and Thursdays
7:00pm – 8:00pm
Fridays
11:00am – Noon
Saturdays
3:30pm – 4:30pm
6:30pm – 7:30pm

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*Bulletin Deadline: Friday at 9:00am
10 days before Sunday publication date*

**Via website form posted under
Events; Bulletin; Bulletin Submissions.**

On The Way

The Christ Side of History

We are now approaching the end of the liturgical year, which always brings to our attention the end of the world. For several weeks now Sunday's Gospel has focused on our Lord's second coming. This culminates next week in the return of the King – of Christ the King, that is. He is the Eternal One, whose return brings an end to history.

Our culture's dominant view of history is the progressive one: that everything is constantly getting better as the years go by. Perhaps it's our scientific advancements that lead to this way of thinking. Penicillin, air conditioning, the internal combustion engine...these things have made life better in many ways. Science is advancing, so everything else must be, right?

So goes the progressive view. It sees the "arc of history" bending to a higher morality, to greater and greater enlightenment, freedom, autonomy, etc. And in certain areas, we *have* seen improvement. Thanks be to God, our nation has done away with slavery and segregation. But at the same time, slavery still exists in the world, sex trafficking plagues our culture, and abortion snuffs out hundreds of thousands of lives annually.

The progressive view of history is that we will find salvation in this inexorable march toward enlightenment and the "right side of history." This is a secular salvation, what the *Catechism* calls "the 'intrinsically perverse' political form of a secular messianism" (CCC 676).

And the so-called "right side of history" can be elusive. Robespierre thought he was on the right side only to end up on the wrong side of the guillotine. Trotsky thought he had it but found himself on the wrong side of Stalin.

The Catholic view of history is markedly different. Salvation does not come from this world nor will it be experienced fully in this world. We will not "realize within history that messianic hope which can only be realized beyond history through the eschatological judgement" (CCC 676).

Contrary to the progressive view of ever-improving humanity, our human weakness remains. No matter how science might advance, it is still fallen man who wields it. Our persistent human weakness often leads us to use science not for good but for brutal and barbaric things.

When our Lord speaks of the end times (Mt 24; Mk 13; Lk 21), he describes not a progressive enlightenment but a growing darkness and increasing persecution. The book of Revelation likewise describes mounting immorality and brutality as history unfolds.

Now, none of this should cause discouragement. On the contrary, only those who trust in history itself will be disappointed. Those who trust in the Lord of History will be consoled and strengthened.

Nor does this mean that we don't strive for justice in this world. Indeed, we have a *duty* to spread his kingdom. Yet, even as we strive to see that his will is done on earth as it is in heaven, we know that the Kingdom "will be fulfilled not by a historic triumph of the Church through a progressive ascendancy, but only by God's victory over the final unleashing of evil" (CCC 677).

– Fr. Scalia

Mass Intentions For The Thirty-Third Week in Ordinary Time

Saturday, November 14

For the Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. +Susanne Neyland

Sunday, November 15

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. +Elisha Creech

9:00 a.m. +Caroline Grondelski

10:30 a.m. +Henry and Helen Rackowski

Noon +Giacomo D'Isa

2:30 p.m. People of St. James

7:00 p.m. +George Lewis

Monday, November 16

St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude

6:30 a.m. +Barbara Klubek

8:30 a.m. +Christopher Dunn

Noon +Frederick Wall

Tuesday, November 17

St. Elizabeth of Hungary

6:30 a.m. +Jo Ann and Joe Tiller

8:30 a.m. +Rhea Johnson

Noon +Dorothy Hackemer

Wednesday, November 18

The Dedication of the Basilicas of SS. Peter and Paul;

St. Rose Philippine Duchesne

6:30 a.m. +Mary Dolcic

8:30 a.m. +Alex Korbeck

Noon +Mary Rose Winslow

Thursday, November 19

Thursday of the Thirty-Third Week in Ordinary Time

6:30 a.m. Estela Arciaga

8:30 a.m. +Dr. Richard Howard

Noon +Corrine Nylander

Friday, November 20

Friday of the Thirty-Third Week in Ordinary Time

6:30 a.m. +Maria Le Ngoc-Hanh

8:30 a.m. +Anthony Andersen

Noon +Maryanne Mallon and John Mallon

Saturday, November 21

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 a.m. +Timothy Walton

5:00 p.m. +Steve Bolinger

Sunday, November 22

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

7:30 a.m. +Frank Roberts

9:00 a.m. +Marion Corder

10:30 a.m. Steven Whitehead

Noon +Cynthia Mernagh

2:30 p.m. +Oscar Obleas Prado

7:00 p.m. People of St. James

Today's Readings

First Reading: Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31

“When one finds a worthy wife...”

Psalm: Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5

“Blessed are you who fear the Lord...”

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6

“Concerning times and seasons, brothers and sisters...”

Gospel: Matthew 25:14-30

“Jesus told his disciples this parable...”

Readings for the Week

Monday: RV 1:1-4; 2:1-5; PS 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6; LK 18:35-43

Tuesday: RV 3:1-6, 14-22; PS 15:2-3A, 3BC-4AB, 5; LK 19:1-10

Wednesday: RV 4:1-11; PS 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; LK 19:11-28

Thursday: RV 5:1-10; PS 149:1B-2, 3-4, 5-6A AND 9B; LK 19:41-44

Friday: RV 10:8-11; PS 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; LK 19:45-48

Saturday: RV 11:4-12; Psalm 144:1, 2, 9-10; LK 20:27-40

Remember in Your Prayers...

the sick of our parish family:

Kim Chapman	Jessica Kelly	John Reyes
Janice Chory	Kevin Kelly	Russell Ross
Chip Clarke	Patricia Kelly	Ann Smith
Greg Gonsalves	Peggy Kurtzke	Robyn Stewart
Donna Hain	Mark Matheny	Lauren Vinci
Peter Halberstadt	Janet Owen	
William Hardy	Carter Parry	

and the deceased of our parish family:

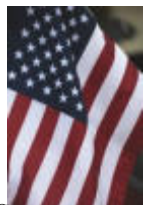
Marie Dooley

Alfredo Sakata

and those serving our country:

Our disabled veterans, military retirees, and those serving overseas in the military and foreign service, especially:

Justin Berg	Michele Petersen
Captain Michael Conrad	Robert Van Sanford
Veronica Elkins	Major Albert C. Young



Advent and Christmas at Saint James

2020 Season of Advent Confession Schedule

In order to help you spiritually prepare for the joyous celebration of our Lord's birth, St. James will be offering these additional Confession times during the Season of Advent:

- **Monday, December 21:** 10:00am—Noon
- **Tuesday, December 22:** 6:00pm—8:00pm
- **Wednesday, December 23:** 6:00pm—8:00pm
- **Thursday, December 24:** 9:00am—11:00am

Of course, we will still offer our normal Confession schedule of Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7:00pm—8:00pm, Fridays at 11:00am—Noon, and Saturdays from 3:30pm—4:30pm and 6:30pm-7:30pm, throughout the Advent season.

“Confession heals, confession justifies, confession grants pardon of sin, all hope consists in confession; in confession there is a chance for mercy.”

St. Isidore of Seville



Christmas and New Year Masses

Friday, December 25 is The Nativity of our Lord, and a Holy Day of Obligation, St. James will offer Masses on the following schedule:

Thursday, December 24 For the Nativity of the Lord

4:00pm—Livestreamed and overflow seating in the gym
5:30pm—Livestreamed and overflow seating in the gym
7:00pm—Livestreamed and overflow seating in the gym.

8:30pm
10:00pm
Midnight

Friday, December 25 The Nativity of the Lord

7:30am
9:00am—Livestreamed
10:30am—Livestreamed
Noon
2:30pm (Spanish)—Livestreamed and overflow seating in the gym.
4:00pm (Spanish)

Thursday, December 31 The Vigil of the Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

7:30pm

Friday, January 1 The Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

6:30am
8:30am—Livestreamed
Noon
2:30pm (Spanish) —Livestreamed
7:30pm

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29
TO
MONDAY, DECEMBER 7
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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 5:00PM
"CAUSE OF OUR JOY"
VERY REV. PAUL D. SCALIA

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 7:30PM
"MOTHER OF THE CHURCH"
REV. JOSEPH FARRELL

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 7:30PM
"MOTHER OF MERCY"
REV. EDOUARD GUILLOUX

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 2, 7:30PM
"MOTHER OF HOPE"
REV. NOAH MOREY

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 7:30PM
"VIRGIN MOST RENOWNED"
REV. NICHOLAS BARNES

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 7:30PM
"MIRROR OF JUSTICE"
REV. JOSEPH BERGIDA

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5, 7:30PM
"SPIRITUAL VESSEL"
REV. WILL NYCE

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6, 5:00PM
"MORNING STAR"
REV. MICHAEL FOLMAR

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 5:00PM
"QUEEN OF ANGELS"
REV. STEVEN OETJEN

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Stewardship

The Gift of Time, Talent, Treasure

November 21/22 - The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD)

Next week's second collection is for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. CCHD is the domestic anti-poverty program of the U.S. Catholic Bishops, working to carry out the mission of Jesus Christ "... to bring good news to the poor ... release to captives ... sight to the blind, and let the oppressed go free," (Luke 4:18). CCHD works to break the cycle of poverty by helping low-income people participate in decisions that affect their lives, families and communities. CCHD offers a hand up, not a hand out. CCHD provides the Catholic faithful with concrete opportunities to live out the love of God and neighbor in ways that express our baptismal call. CCHD's work is made possible by the generosity of American Catholics who give each year to this annual parish collection. Thank you for your kindness and support to those in need.

To learn more about CCHD: <https://www.usccb.org/committees/catholic-campaign-human-development/who-we-are>.

To donate online via our website: <https://church.faithdirect.net/org/appeals/50/1494>



Follow-Up To This Year's Annual Report

Thank you to all who filled out our new Stewardship Envelopes located in this year's Annual Report. You can still submit them either by mail or in the Usher's baskets. The envelope allows you to: (1) make an offertory pledge, (2) update contact information, (3) sign up for our Pastor's emails, (4) receive information on how to register with the parish and/or enroll in Faith Direct, (5) indicate volunteer interests and (6) give feedback to us via a short Parish survey. No worries if you misplaced your envelope. There are extra envelopes in the vestibule of the church. Thank you in advance for taking the time to complete them.



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Three-Time US Department of Education
Blue Ribbon School Award Winner

The U.S. Department of Education awarded Saint James Catholic School its third National Blue Ribbon of Excellence. Only 50 private schools were named this year. Please congratulate Sister Mary Sue Carwile, Principal, IHM and her fellow IHM Sisters, staff, teachers, students, and parents, for this tremendous honor!

Virtual tours, including of our new preschool, are available upon request.

SEE WEBSITE FOR DETAILS



Saint James Catholic School

To Learn More Go to: www.saintjameschool.org

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“Be doers of the word and not hearers only.” James 1:22

News from St. James

Scouting For Food—November 15

Pack/Troop 681 will be participating in Scouting for Food this year to benefit Saint James Social Outreach. We will accept non-perishable food donations (no glass) outside of Saint James Catholic Church on Sunday, November 15, during all Masses between 7:30am to 5:00pm.

Alternatively, donors who wish to schedule a Scouting For Food pickup anytime can email the Pack/Troop at:

681scoutingforfood@gmail.com to provide your address and date/time for earliest pickup. Thank you for your help and generosity to help those in need.

Farewell to Dan Day on November 22, Christ the King Sunday

Join us on Sunday, November 22, at the 10:30am Mass to say farewell to Dan Day, and to celebrate his 30 years of service to St. James as our Director of Music. Right after the Mass, we will present our parish gift memory book to Dan. Please join us for this presentation.



Preparation for Total Consecration according to Saint Louis Marie de Montfort

Have you been considering doing St. Louis Marie de Montfort's Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary? Join the parish as we make this consecration together! We will begin the 33 days of preparation on November 5 in order to make the consecration on December 8, the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Fr. Oetjen will give a talk to begin each phase of the preparation and lead the prayers of the preparation for that day:

- Tuesday, November 17 at 6:30pm — Part II: Knowledge of Self
- Tuesday, November 24 at 6:30pm — Part III: Knowledge of Our Lady
- Tuesday, December 1 at 6:30pm — Part IV: Knowledge of Jesus Christ
- Tuesday, December 8 at 7:30pm — Mass with the Consecration to follow

For the 33 days of preparation, we will use the readings and prayers from Preparation for Total Consecration according to Saint Louis Marie de Montfort by Montfort Publications, which can be found here: <https://www.amazon.com/Preparation-Total-Consecration-Louis-Montfort/dp/0910984107>. These readings and prayers can also be downloaded here: <https://bit.ly/3elsMqt>.

All sessions of the Preparation will be held in the Church and will be viewable by live stream as well at our “Mass Live Stream” portal on the website.

Social Outreach Christmas Gift Card Donations

As we approach the Christmas season, several of the special projects that we have supported over time have needed to be reformatted given the COVID-19 pandemic restrictions. Among the activities on pause for this year are the December Donut Sunday Work of Human Hands sale and the new clothing and toy initiatives for homeless shelters. The “Adopt A Family” program will continue as will the “Gift Cards for Catholic Charities” drive.

For safety reasons, homeless shelters request ONLY gift cards so that residents can shop for their families. The amount given will depend upon the family member size. We have been told that \$25 gift cards for Walmart and Target are the most requested.

Starting in November, the Social Outreach Committee will collect gift cards to support BOTH the homeless shelter residents AND Catholic Charities. The options for contributing to our **Social Outreach Gift Card Project** are:

- Donate \$25 gift cards
- Send a check so gift cards can be purchased by the Social Outreach Committee, on your behalf. On the memo line, write “**SOC gift card donation.**”

Please place a card or check in an envelope marked **Social Outreach Gift Card Project**. Place the envelope in the collection basket, hand deliver to the Rectory Office, or mail the envelope to:

St. James Catholic Church, 905 Park Avenue, Falls Church VA 22046

Thank you for your generosity in bringing joy to families during this difficult Pandemic period.

Donations Needed to Support St. Lucy Diocesan Warehouse

The Catholic Charities Diocesan St. Lucy Warehouse is in desperate need for food donations. Donor fatigue has set in with recent collections down 28% and demand for food up 90% from this time last year. The donated food supports multiple food pantries and lunch packs for children.

The St. Lucy truck came to our parish in May and will return in the Spring. In the meantime, due to the serious lack of food available to program participants, please consider making food donations online using the Amazon Gift Wish List Link: ccda.net/SLPAmazonWishList. The food will be sent directly to the warehouse and St. James parish will be recognized for any online donations.

The social outreach committee endorses this easy way to donate food, and we thank you for your generosity.

Advent Starts in 14 Days
How Are You Preparing Your Heart to Welcome Our Lord?

Please Help Children in Zambia By Indulging Your Sweet Tooth

Parishioners at St. John the Beloved Catholic Church in McLean, VA, have teamed up with the St. Peter Claver Society to help orphans in Zambia, who lost their parents to the AIDS virus, by selling delicious See's Candy. The St. Peter Claver Society uses the funds raised by the sale to provide shelter, nutrition, and healthcare and educational help to children and youth with special needs at projects managed by Catholic institutions. About 20% of Zambian children under 17 years of age are orphans, and many live in abject poverty, defined by the World Bank as living on "less than \$1.90 a day."

Please help the St. Peter Claver Society by purchasing some candy—your move to satisfy your sweet tooth will make a difference in these children's lives. To buy your boxes, visit <https://bit.ly/38hQFOJ>. Be sure to buy a few for your family and friends as well. Orders will ship starting November 16, and you have until December 4 to make your order. Shipping is free on all orders over \$65.00. You'll need stocking stuffers this year, and there's nothing better than chocolate!

To learn more about the St. Peter Claver Society and its critical mission, visit www.saintpeterclaversociety.org, or check them out on Facebook at [St. Peter Claver Society@spcsstjohnthebeloved](https://www.facebook.com/St.PeterClaverSociety@spcsstjohnthebeloved).



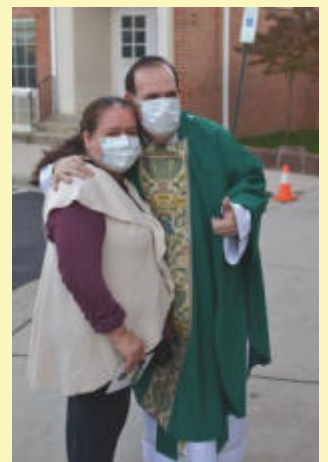
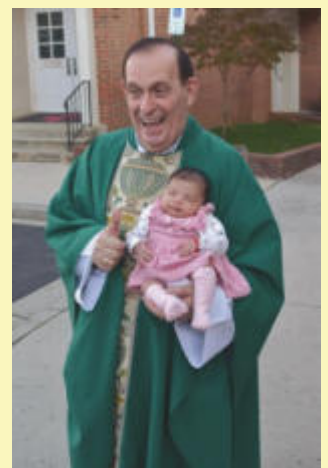
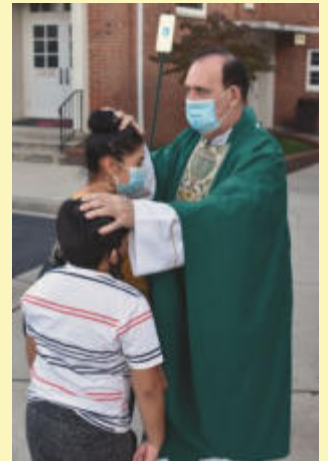
November 15 is World Day of the Poor

Sunday, November 15, is World Day of the Poor. On this day, initiated by Pope Francis in 2016, we take time to reflect on how we can help the poor in our communities in accordance with our Catholic values. This year, Pope Francis invites us to “consider how we can faithfully embrace a fundamental Christian calling in our lives as Catholics: our responsibility to serve our neighbor, especially those who are most vulnerable.”

To read Bishop Michael Burbidge’s statement on World Day of the Poor, visit: <https://www.stjamescatholic.org/current-events/news/1694885/statements-from-bishop-burbidge-on-world-day-of-the-poor>

Saying Goodbye to Father Jose Hoyos

On Sunday, November 8, St. James' Hispanic Community bade Father Jose Hoyos a fond farewell as he leaves the Diocese of Arlington to start a sabbatical in his native Colombia. After the 2:30pm Mass, the parishioners presented Father Hoyos with a portable Mass kit and serenaded him. Following Mass, attendees met with Father Hoyos in A-Lot to express their goodbyes to him. We will miss Father Hoyos and wish him all the best in his new endeavors.



Vaya Con Dios,
Padre Hoyos!

Wreaths Across America

St. James American Heritage Girls Troop VA0681 will be participating in a service project with **Wreaths Across America** which involves selling wreaths to be placed on the graves of our country's veterans this Christmas season at both *Arlington National Cemetery* and at the *US Soldiers' & Airmen's Home National Cemetery*.



Wreaths Across America is a non-profit organization dedicated to honoring and thanking our veterans for their service and sacrifice by continuing and expanding the annual wreath-laying event started at Arlington National Cemetery in 1992 and now performed at cemeteries across the country.



If you would like to show your appreciation and support for our American Veterans in this way, please consider sponsoring one or more wreaths. The **St. James American Heritage Girls Troop** will be placing these wreaths on grave markers of veterans at the *US Soldiers' & Airmen's Home National Cemetery in Washington DC* on December 19th.



Wreath Sponsorship Form American Heritage Girls Troop VA0681

To donate a wreath, please fill out this form, include **check made payable to Wreaths Across America**, and return to the St. James School Office c/o Bethany Scully (before Thursday, November 19), American Heritage Girls; or drop off at the St. James Church Rectory. Orders can also be placed online at the following link:
<https://www.wreathscrossamerica.org/pages/24149>

Wreath Sponsorships are **tax deductible**. A receipt can be provide upon request.

<i>Sponsorship</i>	<i>Price</i>	<i>Quantity</i>	<i>Total</i>
Individual = 1 Wreath	\$15		
Family = 5 Wreaths	\$75		
Team = 10 Wreaths	\$150		
Corporate = 100 Wreaths	\$1,500		
<i>Please make checks payable to Wreaths Across America</i>		Grand Total	

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Email: _____ Phone: _____

**** SORRY - WE CANNOT TAKE GRAVE-SPECIFIC REQUESTS ****

Thank you for your donation and for joining us in our mission to Remember, Honor, and Teach!

November Prayer Intention of Pope Francis

Artificial Intelligence

We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve humankind.

This Week in Our Parish

Sunday, November 15

12:15pm—1:45pm	Hispanic RCIA	Knecht Conference Room (Doors 8 & 9)
12:15pm—1:45pm	Spanish PREP Communion Classes	Cafeteria (Door 18)
12:15pm—1:45pm	Spanish PREP Confirmation Classes	Heller Hall (Door 13)
5:00pm—6:00pm	Holy Hour	Church

Monday, November 16

No Scheduled Events

Tuesday, November 17

12:30pm—6:30pm	Eucharistic Adoration	Church
6:00pm—7:15pm	Tuesday PREP Communion Classes	Cafeteria (Door 18)
6:00pm—7:15pm	Tuesday PREP Confirmation Classes	Heller Hall (Door 13)
6:30pm—7:30pm	Consecration Preparation—Knowledge of Self	Church and Online at Mass Portal
7:00pm—8:00pm	Confessions	Church

Wednesday, November 18

7:00pm—8:00pm	Virtual PTO Meeting	Online
7:00pm—8:15pm	High School PREP	Heller Hall (Door 13)

Thursday, November 19

12:30pm—6:30pm	Eucharistic Adoration	Church
7:00pm—8:00pm	Confessions	Church

Friday, November 20

11:00am—Noon	Confessions	Church
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Saturday, November 21

3:30pm—4:30pm	Confessions	Church
6:30pm—7:30pm	Confessions	Church



On behalf of Catholic Charities, St. James Catholic Church is welcoming Advent with a

POP-n-Go Drive Thru for the WEE ONES!

Saturday Nov. 28th

10am-1pm, B-Lot (by the gym)

830 W Broad St, Falls Church, VA 22046

- Diapers of all sizes & wipes
- Baby hats and blankets (handmade & store bought accepted with gratitude)

Drive up, **POP** your trunk, and a volunteer will get the donated items.
Then Go!



It is the beautiful task of Advent to awaken in all of us



memories of goodness and thus to open doors of hope.

-Pope Benedict XVI



Questions? Want to help? Need an easy knitting pattern?
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