

# SAINT MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY of the YEAR**  
**September 30, 2018**

**WE ARE STILL LOOKING FOR A CHURCH SECRETARY:** The position includes ordinary secretarial duties you would expect at a Catholic Church: answering mail, phone and email messages; preparing the weekly bulletin from existing resources and printing the Sunday Mass worship aids; responding to requests for Mass intentions, maintaining the schedule of facilities, and keeping office and liturgical supplies on hand. As needed, new parishioners are registered and address changes made and reported to the diocese. Skills needed for these tasks are the usual office skills, word processing, operating copying equipment and simple organization. Previously, this work has required fewer than 20 hours per week, and we were usually in the office for three days per week, but this schedule is flexible. Please consider helping our pastor with the routine needs of parish life.

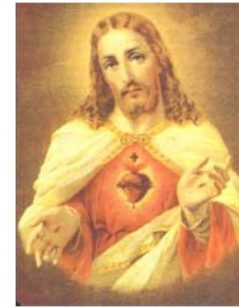
**Theotokos Youth Ministry News: 9th-12th graders.** Tailgate at Smoky Mountain High School at 6pm on Friday, October 5th (lower parking lot area across from football field) Football Game starts at 7:30 pm against Pisgah. Join us for tailgate type foods and fellowship together. October's **Sunday Youth Happening.** Sunday October 14th 1-3pm at the Conference Center. Look for more information about the program soon. For further information please contact Susie Bryson, Youth Ministry & Activities Coordinator at [sylvaymc@gmail.com](mailto:sylvaymc@gmail.com) or call the church office. See ya there!

### **Photo Directory**

Family photo sessions will be available in the Conference Center without any need for an appointment on Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup> from 4 to 9 and Sunday, September 30<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 to 3. After this photo session we will be posting and printing the church directory. If you have any questions contact Scott Freeman at 828-506-6992 or [Freeman.sylva@gmail.com](mailto:Freeman.sylva@gmail.com).

### **From The Catholic Daughters of the Americas**

Our next meeting will be October 12, 2018 Thursday at 5:45 at Saint Mary's in Sylva. We also have a Potato Bar coming up on Sunday, October 14, 2018 at St Mary's from 11:45 am until 2:00 pm. Tickets in advance will be \$5.00 and at the door \$8.00. Children under 10 tickets will be \$5.00.



## **First Friday/Saturday Adoration October 5-6**

*'Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration with exposition needs a great push. People ask me: 'What will convert America and save the world?' My answer is prayer. What we need is for every parish to come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in holy hours of prayer.'*—Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta

First Friday Adoration and Devotion is this Friday/Saturday October 5-6 with Exposition after the 9 a.m. mass Friday continuing through Benediction just prior to the 9 a.m. mass Saturday morning. All are welcome to come visit Our Lord. Jesus is waiting for you and desires your presence whenever you can come by. We're in need of committed adorers during the following hours: 6:30-7:30 a.m. Saturday morning and 7:30-8:30 Saturday morning. If interested in making a monthly commitment to either of these hours please call Denisea Kampe at 828-549-1949 or email [denisea.kampe@gmail.com](mailto:denisea.kampe@gmail.com)

### **SCHEDULES FOR NEXT WEEK**

<b>9:00 am</b>	Reader EMHCs Ushers Altar Servers	Jan Chervenak Mike Ensley, Dan Gonnella Brian Ramnig
<b>11:00 am</b>	Reader MHCs Ushers Altar Servers	Fé Stack Carol Bauknecht(E), Deacon Matt Newsome Linwood Newsome, Dean Slusser Deacon Matt, Josiah, Malcolm and Alister Newsome
<b>Sunday</b>	Hosts for Our Lady of Fatima Statue	The Kampe Family

**USHERS:** Please count attendance for the Sundays of October.

**THOSE WHO SERVE:** Please pick up your schedules in the Fellowship Hall and thank you for serving!

### **PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Peter Namotka, hospitalized and now at home with kidney problems, and Justin Basenese, Jacki Bautista, Susie Bryson, Sheila Coller, Will Crain, Rory Glover, Monica Glover, Debbie Hentschel, Barbara Jakiela, Skip Karby, Rita Lamanna, Paul Lormand, Daniella Machado, Tim Mann, Karen Matulis, Georgia Newsom, William Newsom, Jr., William Newsom, Sr., William Owen, Cathleen Pilch, Zig Pilch, Cynthia Pitts, Alicia Ramirez, Stuart and Janet Snyder, Jay Thorne, Allen Thurston, Joshua Turner, Lewis Turner, Jim Waters, Joe Waters, Pauline Watson, Bonnie Welch, Elaine Willkes; Those in Nursing Homes and the Homebound: Phyllis Brogan, Pat Bryson, Theresa Campbell, Il Whan and Moon Chung, Alicia Elias, Rosemary Finnegan, Rita Goffinet, Elba Hernandez, John Huffman, Anna Morrill, and Lorraine Sclafani; Family and Friends called to active duty: hristian Houston, Luke Turner; Friends in Religious Life: Sr. Catherine, OCD ; and the intentions for all of the prayers written in the parish book of prayers.

**LITURGICAL AID**

Proper (Cycle B-II)	Mass Readings		Psalms
<b>SUNDAY TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>	<b>Numbers 11:25-29; James 5:1-6; Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48</b>		<b>SUN II</b>
<b>Monday ST. THERESE of the CHILD JESUS</b>	<b>Job 1:6-22; Luke 9:46-50</b>	<b>Virgin, Doctor</b>	<b>Mon II</b>
<b>Tuesday THE GUARDIAN ANGELS</b>	<b>Job 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Matthew 18:1-5, 10</b>		<b>SUN I</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Job 9:1-12, 14-16; Luke 9:57-62</b>		<b>Wed II</b>
<b>Thursday ST. FRANCIS of ASSISI</b>	<b>Job 19:21-27; Luke 10:1-12</b>	<b>Holy Men: Relig</b>	<b>Thu II</b>
<b>Friday Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos</b>	<b>Job 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Luke 10:13-16</b>	<b>Pastor</b>	<b>Fri II</b>
<b>Saturday St. Bruno; Bl Marie Rose Durocher</b>	<b>Job 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Luke 10:17-24</b>	<b>Pastor, Holy Men; Virgin</b>	<b>Sat II</b>
<b>SUNDAY TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>	<b>Genesis 2:18-24; Hebrews 2:9-11; Mark 10:2-16</b>		<b>SUN III</b>

Offertory last weekend: \$2,556.00; Children's Collection: \$3.50

DSA Status to Date: \$9,085.00 paid, \$1,760.00 pledged  
of the required \$17,971.00.

Next week, we will be remitting the DSA contribution  
from our Hispanic community of 10% of the goal, or \$1,791.10.

We will also be sending their contribution to the Priests' Retirement collection  
of \$561.40.

**CHURCH EVENT SCHEDULE – September 30, 2018**

Sunday	8:15 am 9:00 am 10:15 am 10:30 am 11:00 am 4:00 pm	Confessions <b>SUNDAY MASS: Tim Reitz &amp; Christina Cho</b> Confessions Photography for our Directory in the Conference Center <b>SUNDAY MASS: Peter† and Elizabeth† Namotka</b> <b>SUNDAY MASS at WCU Student Center</b>
Monday	9:00 am 9:30 am 6:00 pm 7:00 pm	<b>WEEKDAY MASS: Judge Brett Kavanaugh</b> Morning Prayer Eucharistic Holy Hour of Reparation Novena Latino Apologetics in the Conference Center
Tuesday	9:00 am 9:30 am	<b>WEEKDAY MASS: Edward &amp; Kate Blessing (Anniv.)</b> Morning Prayer
Wednesday	4:45 pm 5:30 pm 6:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:15 pm	Confessions until 5:20 pm <b>WEEKDAY MASS: Matthew &amp; Page Ramsey (Anniv.)</b> Faith Formation Classes for K – 4 <sup>th</sup> grade Latino Readers' Practice in the Church Faith Formation Classes for 5 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> grade
Thursday	9:00 am 9:30 am 6:00 pm 7:00 pm	<b>WEEKDAY MASS: Anthony Rodriguez†</b> Morning Prayer RCIA Latino Choir Practice in the Church
Friday	9:00 am After Mass 9:30 am 11:00 am	<b>WEEKDAY MASS: Michelle Scifers</b> Confessions FIRST FRIDAY Adoration and Benediction until 9:00 am Saturday Rummage Sale in the Fellowship Hall until 6pm
Saturday	7:00 am 8:50 am 9:00 am 9:30 am After Mass 5:45 pm 7:00 pm	Rummage Sale continues Benediction to end Adoration <b>WEEKDAY MASS: Georgia Newsom</b> Morning Prayer First Saturday Confessions Confessions until 6:45 pm <b>MISA EN ESPANOL: Pro Populo</b>
Sunday	8:15 am 9:00 am 10:15 am 11:00 am After Mass After Mass	Confessions <b>SUNDAY MASS: Vilnius Paukste†</b> Confessions <b>SUNDAY MASS: The Unborn</b> Reception for George and Linda Knauer in the Hall Rummage Sale concludes