



## **Saint Matthew Roman Catholic Church**

*“Rich in Tradition, United in Mission, Blessed with Diversity.”*

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### **Parish office hours:**

Monday – Friday: 9 AM – 5 PM

Closed on holidays.



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### **Parish office hours:**

By appointment only; please contact us before visiting!

## **June 23, 2024 – 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Mass Times:** Weekends – Saturday at 5 PM (Vigil Mass at Saint Matthew)

Sunday at 9 and 11:30AM (Saint Matthew)– livestream on middle Sundays

11 AM (Blessed Sacrament) – livestream on first and last Sundays

Weekdays – Monday -Thursday at 12 noon (all in the IOSC Chapel)



### **Confessions:**

Saturday at 3 PM (Saint Matthew) or by appointment with Fr. Matt.

### **Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals, Anointing of the Sick, and RCIA:**

Please contact the church office.



Get in touch with us!

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### **New Parishioners (Saint Matthew):**

You can find a registration form [on our website](#) or contact the church office.

Please indicate if you wish to receive envelopes. *All Parishioners are encouraged to use GiveCentral online giving (preferred). It is easy, free, and safe to use!* You can find more details on the flyer on our website. To register, please visit

[www.stmatthewbaltimore.org/onlinegiving/](http://www.stmatthewbaltimore.org/onlinegiving/)

Contact our office if you need any assistance!



June 23, 2024  
12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



Please read Fr. Matt's message and a message from Archbishop Lori at the end of the bulletin. It was added to the bulletin as an insert in the paper version.

“In memory of those who have lost their lives to violence in Baltimore City recently, may God grant them peace, and bring healing to their loved ones and to the City of Baltimore, we pray.”

**Here are the names of the homicide victims who died between June 8 and 14:**

Said Raheem, 31  
Marcus Brown, 37  
Deontay Towns, 19  
Jordan Taylor, 24

Sunday, June 23

9:00AM: **Sharon Stella** (living) *Mass Intentions for the Week*  
11:30AM: **Fr. Matt Buening** (living)

Monday, June 24th

12:00PM: **Justin Corelli** (living)

Tuesday, June 25th

12:00PM- **The Parishioners of St. Matthew**

Wednesday, June 26th

12:00PM: **The Parishioners of Blessed Sacrament**

Thursday, June 27th

12:00 PM: **The Catholic Community of Baltimore City**

Saturday, June 29th

5:00 PM: **Fr. Joe Muth** (living)

Able to purchase fresh groceries for families of homicide victims?  
Sign up here: <https://archbalt.flocknote.com/signup/168935>

*Saint Matthew and Blessed Sacrament prayer list:*

*Lance Ambrose, Lauren Andrews, Bonnie Bethea, The Biemer family, Jovita Biemer, Ryan Bloom, Gene and Andrea Bryant, Lorraine Campbell, The Capel family, Connie Carter, Kathleen Casey, Peter Celli, Stephen Cleghorn, Mark Connor, Kathy Cornish, Justin Correlli, David Cox, Debbie Cvach, Monica Dent, Scott Dorer, Ellen Dunn, Elizabeth Evans, Charles Focht, Chris Fritze, Mary Gombert, Mary D. Gorman, Samantha Halter, Seaton Haney, Henry Holden, The Holland family, Agnes Hvisc, Danny Jenkins, Angie Kauffman, Janet Kienzle, Winston Keene, Sr., Jim & Marge Kerner, Hyacinth Lee-Young, Jerry and Fay Litchenwalter, Selby Long, Ruth Lynch, Linda McDevitt, Keith McQuay, Austyn and Stephanie Merritt, Kenga Merritt, Barbara Metz, Cindy Metz, Jean Metz, Martha Morningsong, John Murphy, Ronald Myers, Wilma Myles, Dominic Napolitano, Marybeth Kellermann Norman, Tommy Oswald, Lewis Payne, Paul Pedone, Kelly Peters, Morien Perry, Nancy Renner, Sr. Andre Rothschild, Naomi Rouse, Evelyn Ruffin, Nancy Ruscito, Caroline Scheide, Howard Scott, Sr. Marie Seton, Archer Senft, Myrtle Stanley, Lizette Tirado, Lillee Thompson, Mary Ellen Vanni, Kimberly Ann Vesley-Grimes, Brian Volck, Steve Wallace, Stephanie Washington, Abby Werthmann, Amanda Widro, Mary Catharine Winter, Marie Yingling, Rose Zampogna, Sharon Zepp, and Jim and Teresa Zinkhan*

Henriette Delille was declared a Servant of God in 2010, the first step in the formal process of canonization. The Sisters of the Holy Family formally opened Delille's cause for canonization with the Catholic Church in 1989. In 2010, Pope Benedict XVI declared DeLille to be Venerable. A miracle attributed to her intercession was approved by a medical board in 2013, advancing her cause. Delille would become the first American-born black saint if the canonization process is successful.

The CCT-HCR partnership would like to invite you to learn more about Henriette Delille by watching a movie.

**The movie will be shown after the 11:30 Mass on July 7<sup>th</sup> in the Church rectory.**

To request a Mass for your friends and family please come by the parish office during office hours or send us your request by mail.

When sending in a request, please mail to 5401 Loch Raven Blvd, Baltimore MD 21239 and include:

- The Mass intention (if a single individual, please notate if they are **living** or **deceased**)
- If you would like the first available Mass, or Mass offered on a particular date
- Name
- Phone number
- Email
- Mass stipend (suggested donation is \$5)
- The address where you would like the Mass card mailed.

## Scripture Readings

For those looking for the daily scripture readings please go to:

<https://bible.usccb.org/daily-bible-reading> Here you can listen to podcasts, view the reflection video, or sign up for daily readings by email.

Or

<https://www.catholicgallery.org/> This website contains a little of everything, not only can you find the daily mass readings but also prayers and quotes, read up on articles or follow along with a plan to read the Bible in a year.

**Easily tithe with online donations** and no longer worry about envelopes!!! Scan this code on the camera of your iPad, phone, or tablet to donate to GiveCentral directly from your device!



Dear Friends in Christ,

As you can imagine my life is a little topsy-turvy right now. As my last weekend (next weekend!) comes up quickly I wanted to review the schedule. We will have the normal Saturday 5 pm Mass at St. Matthew's and then a special 9:30 am Mass on Sunday at St. Matthew that will join our two wonderful Churches together. We will still have the 11 :30am Mass, as this will be a special Mass presided over by a visiting Comboni Missionary priest from the Sudan. This means there will be no 11 am Mass at Blessed Sacrament. By the way, I just want to say how amazing it is when we all get together as the one faith community we are striving to be. The relationship of Blessed Sacrament and St. Matthew is in many ways a model for what "Seek the City" is all about. I have great hope and trust that as the place forth is newly formed parish of five other Churches, we can truly see each other as equal partners on a new adventure to renew our Church!

However, we all know there will be sacrifices and challenges ahead as we do this. I want to make sure we are all prepared for some of them. First, the Mass schedule will be ridiculous at the beginning when our new priests will have seven parishes all with their own Mass schedule. As parishes slowly start moving to St. Matthew's and stop having weekend masses it might get a little easier, but at first it will be confusing, frustrating, and require our patience and understanding. Secondly, St. Matthew's as the "seated" parish where all these Churches will eventually be, will have to be in many ways a new Church. The most important thing is a fresh perspective from us to see new parishioners as co-founders of something new and exciting. We must be open to new ideas, people, and ministries. I think this is something we have. I want you to know that we also need a fresh start in our church itself. A blank canvas, if you will, on which we can paint into being a new picture of our Church. This might mean changes in banners and locations, it might mean new statues or artwork, or even a change in the configuration of pews -let us be open to creating a fresh space to welcome everyone. We want all new parishioners to not feel like they are coming into our space, but into their space as well, a space that reminds them and us of home, but is also brand new. God Bless you and let us pray for each other and all the Northeast parishes!

Your Servant for Life,

Fr. Matt



Dear Friends in Christ,

Every day I am both humbled and inspired by the generosity that enlivens our community. Each shared prayer and gift are unique contributions to the rich mosaic of our mission. The Annual Appeal for Catholic Ministries, for which I seek your support, helps our Archdiocese maximize the beneficial impact of your sacrificial gifts, significantly enhancing our community of faith and uniting us in evangelizing the Good News of Christ.

If you have already made a pledge or gift of support to this year's Appeal, *Faith In Action: Transforming Lives, Impacting Communities*, thank you! Your generosity has strengthened parish communities and ministries that form the very foundation of our Archdiocese, ensuring that our efforts at growing our faith and our invaluable charitable outreach endure.

*Faith In Action: Transforming Lives, Impacting Communities*, the 2024 Annual Appeal for Catholic Ministries will accomplish so much:

- ▶ It will help sustain the vital outreach of Catholic Charities.
- ▶ It will help nurture vocations among our seminarians in discernment and help care for our aging priests as they retire too.
- ▶ It will help empower college campus, youth and young adults, Black Catholic, and Hispanic ministries.
- ▶ It will assist crisis pregnancy centers.
- ▶ It will help enable prison ministry to offer redemption and healing to those who have lost their way.

These are but a few of the more than 100 life-affirming and life-saving ministries that your Appeal gifts will help sustain and enliven. To all who have already made a pledge or gift to the 2024 Appeal, I again extend my sincere gratitude. Your generosity is a shining example of the love of Christ in action.

To those of you still considering your support, I respectfully ask you to consider the good it can accomplish and then to make a pledge or gift by one of the ways offered below. Let us work together to fortify the mission of our Church with unwavering dedication and boundless love. With grateful prayers for the continued safety and well-being of you and your loved ones, I am

Faithfully in Christ,



+ *William E. Lori*

Most Reverend William E. Lori  
Archbishop of Baltimore