

Southwest Baltimore County Region **CONNECTION**

INTRODUCTION TO OUR PRAYER INITIATIVE

The incipient Church followed the Lord Jesus' command to pray to be empowered by the Holy Spirit to engage in His mission (cf. *Acts of the Apostles* 1:8). As a result, they did more than they could imagine.

One of the responsibilities of the Vicar Forane is to coordinate regional pastoral initiatives. We can begin with prayer. In addition, the second phase of the National Eucharistic Revival has begun. From the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ 2023 – 2024, it is the “Year of Parish Revival.” Receiving the Eucharist deepens our union with Christ, and our communion with His Church.

I invite the parishes of our region to pray for our Archdiocese as a whole, the vicariates, and our region. At a minimum, I invite parish staffs to offer the following prayer at least once a week according to the schedule.

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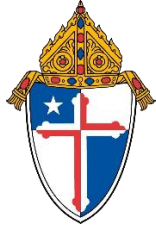
SOUTHWEST BALTIMORE COUNTRY REGION CONNECTION PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ, help **N.** to fulfill your commission to make disciples by proclaiming your Gospel, building your Church, and making a positive impact in our communities. You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Composed by Father Raymond Harris
Vicar Forane & Pastor, Holy Family, Randallstown


Señor Jesucristo, dale a **N.** la gracia necesaria para trabajar por la misión que nos encargaste de hacer discípulos proclamando tu Evangelio, edificando tu Iglesia y llevando el bien a nuestras comunidades. Tú que vives y reinas con el Padre y el Espíritu Santo, Dios, por los siglos de los siglos. Amén.

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CYCLE OF PRAYER • April – July 2024

April 14 – 20, 2024	June 16 – 22, 2024
Archdiocese of Baltimore	Community of Ascension & Saint Augustine Saint Augustine School
April 21 – 27, 2024	June 23 – 29, 2024
Eastern Vicariate	SS Charles Borromeo & Gabriel Pastorate
April 28 – May 4, 2024	June 30 – July 6, 2024
Urban Vicariate	Saint Mark Parish Saint Mark School
May 5 – 11, 2024	July 7 – 13, 2024
Western Vicariate	UMBC Catholic Retrievers
May 12 – 18, 2024	 <p>Jesus said to His disciples, "I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing." <i>John 15:5</i></p>
Holy Family Parish	
May 19 – 25, 2024	
Holy Korean Martyrs Parish	
May 26 – June 1, 2024	
Our Lady of the Angels Parish	
June 2 – 8, 2024	
Our Lady of Victory Parish	
June 9 – 15, 2024	
SS Agnes & William of York Pastorate Saint Agnes School	