

The Italian Heritage Society Of Saint Mary of Sorrows Catholic Church 2017 Calendar

1. **January 25, 2017, Wednesday, 7 p.m., St. Mary of Sorrows Italian Heritage Society Meeting, Winter Festival at Historic St. Mary's Hall, Presentation on "Famous Italian Winter Olympians" by Julie Klosky.**
2. **February 2, 2017, Thursday, 10-11:45 a.m., St. Mary IHS Exec Board Meeting, St. Mary's Church Parish Center, Room 7L. After Meet For Lunch At A Restaurant about 12:30 p.m**
3. **February 22, 2017, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., St. Mary IHS General Meeting, Program: Push and Pull for Italian Immigrants. Presenter: John Di Bella, Historic St. Mary's Hall.**
4. **March 8, 2017, Wednesday, 10-11:45 a.m., St. Mary IHS Exec Board Meeting, St. Mary's Church Parish Center, Room 7L.**
5. **March 12, 2017, Sunday, 11 a.m., Italian Heritage Society members 11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mary of Sorrows Parish Center, Sunday, March 12th for the special intention of Russell and Karen DeRose's son, Robert DeRose. We look forward to attending in prayerful support for the DeRose family.**
6. **March 18, 2017, Saturday, 6:00 p.m., St. Mary IHS Festa di San Guiseppe Dinner in conjunction with the Knights of Columbus. \$25 donation per couple, \$12.50 per Person RSVP, Pay At The Door. St. Mary's Church Parish Center, Farrell Hall (Saint Joseph's Day, Father's Day in Italy).**
7. **March 22, 2017, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., St. Mary IHS General Meeting, Historic St. Mary's Hall. Presentation: Italian Easter, Artistic Confectionery & Baking, Pastry Chef Creations. Presenter Deborah Delia-Cantwil**
8. **April 12, 2017, Wednesday, 10-11:45 a.m., St. Mary IHS Exec Board Meeting, St. Mary's Church Parish Center, Room 7L.**
9. **April 26, 2017, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., St. Mary's IHS General Meeting. Program: The First World War in Italy; "In The Footsteps of an Alpino of the Great War". Presenter Angelo DeCecco**
10. **May 9, 2017, Tuesday, Italian event sponsored by Nativity Society Traditional Italian Dinner at Piero's Corner Restaurant at 7p.m. at Franklin Farm Village Shopping Center (13340 Franklin Farm Rd., Herndon VA. Multi-course dinner approx. \$40) Advance reservations contact Angelo at NIHCSprograms@gmail.com**
11. **May 10, 2017, Wednesday, 10-11:45 a.m., St. Mary IHS Exec Board Meeting, St. Mary's Church Parish Center, Room 7L.**
12. **May 13th, 2017, Saturday, 10 am until 4 pm. European Union Embassies' Open House, Embassy of Italy, Address: 3000 Whitehaven Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20008. The Delegation of the European Union to the United States and the Embassies of 28 EU Member States to the United States will open their doors to the Washington public during the EU Embassies' Open House Day.**

13. **CANCELLED** May 21, 2017, Sunday evening at the University Mall theaters in Fairfax for Italian movie night. Golden Door, (PG-13). Sicilian immigrant story of adventure, sacrifice, romance and realities of Ellis Island. Directed by Scorsese 2006. 7-9 p.m.
14. **May 24, 2017, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., St. Mary IHS General Meeting, Historic St. Mary's Hall. Join us for a Pizza dinner with a short Program: Italian cities slides from Oct 2016., along with members show and tell Italian items. Presenter: Lucy Schleibaum.**
15. **June 14, 2017, Wednesday, 10-11:45 a.m., St. Mary IHS Exec Board Meeting, St. Mary's Church Parish Center, Room 7L.**
16. **June 18, 2017, Sunday, Corpus Christi Ice Cream Social outside Farrell Hall. 2:00p.m. in honor of lay distributors.**
17. **June 28, 2017, Wednesday 7:00 p.m. St. Mary IHS General Meeting. Historic St. Mary's Hall. Program: Italian Movie Night with popcorn. Golden Door, (PG-13). Sicilian immigrant story of adventure, sacrifice, romance and realities of Ellis Island. Italian and some English with English subtitles. 2006. 7-9 p.m. Movie is 2hr so we must start very close to 7.**
18. **June 29, 2017, Thursday 7 p.m. Festa della Repubblica at Nativity Church in Burke, VA at school cafeteria. Celebrate the formation of the Italian Republic and women's right to vote. Speakers from the Embassy of Italy and musical entertainment. Dinner, RSVP, \$25.**
19. **July 4, 2017, Tuesday is Fourth of July Fairfax City Parade. Join with the Sons of Italy from Fairfax for parade to show Italian American Heritage representation for Independence Day Parade about 8:30 a.m. to Noon. Contact Julie Klosky if you have questions**
20. **August 2, 2017, Wednesday, 10-11:45 a.m., St. Mary IHS Exec Board Meeting, St. Mary's Church Parish Center, Room 7L.**
21. **September 4, 2017, Monday, 10:00 a.m-3 p.m., Labor Day Picnic, IHS Booth for new membership, Historic St. Mary's Church.**
22. **September 6, 2017, Wednesday, 10-11:45 a.m., St. Mary IHS Exec Board Meeting, St. Mary's Church Parish Center, Room 7L.**
23. **September 27, 2017, Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., St. Mary IHS General Meeting with a presentation on Boccaccio by Dr. Kristina Olson of George Mason University Italian Language Program, Historic St. Mary's Hall**
24. **October 25, 2017, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., St. Mary IHS General Meeting with a presentation by Mr. Joe Guirrieri, "Genealogy Trip Planning to Ancestral Home Towns". Historic St. Mary's Hall**
25. **November 15, 2017, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., St Mary IHS General Meeting with TBA presentation.**
26. **December 13, 2017 Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Farrell Hall at the St. Mary's Welcome Center, Christmas Party theme.**