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Lenten Speaker/Activity Series

The Community of St. Mary's & St. Pius X

All events will take place at St. Pius X, 6428 York Road,
Baltimore MD 21212

Monday, February 26th, 7:00 p.m.

DISCUSSION WITH A FUNDAMENTALIST – Speaker: Susan Campbell

Susan Campbell is a distinguished lecturer at the University of New Haven's Department of Communication, Film and Media Studies. She is also a columnist for the Hartford Courant, and a frequent contributor on issues of housing and homelessness to WNPR, and the political website, The Hill, as well as the newspaper, The Guardian. She is an award-winning author of "Dating Jesus: Fundamentalism, Feminism, and the American Girl," and the biography, "Tempest-Tossed: The Spirit of Isabella Beecher Hooker." Her new book, "Searching for the American Dream in Frog Hollow, America," is due out in the spring of 2018 from Wesleyan University Press.

Susan was born in Kentucky and raised in southwest Missouri. The mother of two adult sons, and the grandmother of seven, she has a bachelor's degree from University of Maryland, and a master's degree from Hartford Seminary.

Monday, March 5th, 7:00 pm

A FATHER'S VIEW OF HIS SON'S ADDICTION...AND RECOVERY

– Speaker: Bob Hoopert

Bob and his wife live in Jarrettsville, MD and are members of St. Mary's parish in Pylesville, MD. They have 3 sons. During the 1990s, one of them became a heroin addict. As they suffered through the pain and agony and shame that addictions bring, Bob felt the need to find some way to reach out to young adults to help them avoid the path that their son went down. His presentation focuses on what his son lost as a result of his addiction and how he eventually turned his life around. Bob's discussion is aimed at keeping students (middle school and up) from ever trying heroin (and all drugs & alcohol). ***For young adults and adults.***

Monday, March 12th – 6:00 pm

PRAYING WITH CLAY & POTLUCK DINNER – Facilitated by Fr. Marty Nocchi

Join Fr. Marty as he again guides us through meditative prayer using clay. This is a very popular family event. ***All ages.***

Monday, March 19th – 7:00 pm

ANGST: The Movie

Please join us for the screening of "Angst". This is a 56-minute film that explores anxiety, its causes, effects and what we can do about it. The goal of this film is to have a global conversation and raise awareness around anxiety. Angst features candid interviews with kids and young adults who suffer, or have suffered, from anxiety and what they've learned about it. The film includes discussions with mental health experts about the causes of anxiety and its sociological effects, as well as help, resources and tools. **Special appearance in this documentary by 28 Time Olympic medalist Michael Phelps as he shares his story about anxiety.** Facilitated discussion after the movie. Admission: \$5

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