

July 7, 2019 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS Saturday 5:00 PM

+EMT Justin Lee Howard req.by Michael and Loretta Brindock

SUNDAY 8:30 AM

+Maria Adelina Santamaria req. by the family

AND 11:00 AM

+Edward Minarcin req. by Christopher Minarcin and Natalie Saul

MASS READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

Monday, July 8, 2019: GENESIS 28:10-22A; PSALM 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15AB; MATTHEW 9:18-26
Tuesday, July 9, 2019: GENESIS 32:23-33; PSALM 17:1B, 2-3, 6-7AB, 8B AND 15; MATTHEW 9:32-38
Wednesday, July 10, 2019: GENESIS 41:55-57; 42:5-7A, 17-24A; PSALM 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; MATTHEW 10:1-7
Thursday, July 11, 2019: GENESIS 44:18-21, 23B-29; 45:1-5; PSALM 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; MATTHEW 10:7-15
Friday, July 12, 2019: GENESIS 46:1-7, 28-30; PSALM _37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; MATTHEW 10:16-23
Saturday, July 13, 2019: GENESIS 49:29-32; 50:15-26A; PSALM 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7; MATTHEW 10:24-33
Sunday, July 14, 2019: DEUTERONOMY 30:10-14; PSALM 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37; LUKE 10:25-37

WEEKLY SCHEDULE		
(office hours 9 AM—1 PM Tuesday—Thursday)		
Monday, July 8, 2019	6:30 PM Knights of Columbus	
Tuesday, July 9, 2019	9:00-10:00 Adoration, 10:00 AM Mass , 11:00 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry; 6:00-7:30 PM Food Pantry	
Wednesday, July 10, 2019	8:30-9:30 AM Adoration, 9:30 AM Mass (+Paul Nguyen A. Duc req. by Holly Nguyen), 7:00 PM Scout Pack 1421	
Thursday, July 11, 2019	8:30-9:30 AM Adoration, 9:30 AM Mass , 6:00 PM –7:30 PM Food Pantry; 6:00 PM Girl Scout Troop 253	
Friday, July 12, 2019	Church closed for cleaning in AM	
Saturday, July 13, 2019	Fundraiser for CHS Europe Trip; 4:10 PM Confessions; 5:00 PM Mass (+Christina Pamplona and +David Richards, req. by Toni & Gerry Lesko and Victoria Richards)	
Sunday, July 14, 2019	8:30 AM Mass, 11:00 AM Mass; 1:00 PM VBS Decorating; 3:00 PM VIRTUS Training	

Upcoming Parish News/Events

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Reliance on Hospitality

First reading: Isaiah 66:10-14; Responsorial Psalm: 65(66):1-7, 16, 20; Second reading: Galatians 6:14-18; Gospel: Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

The missionaries are to go out very lightly clad and taking no provisions for the journey. This means that they will have to run the risk of relying on what hospitality they find. This reliance has to do with the nature of the combat they face and the gift they bring. For combat with spiritual forces no amount of earthly protection will be of use. Like the armor of Saul that David first tried on before going out to face the Philistine giant, Goliath (1 Sam 17:38-51), it will only get in the way and detract from being armed with the power of God.

They have a right to hospitality because of the supreme value of the gift they bring. Any expenses their hosts incur in putting them up are simply negligible in comparison with what they have to give in exchange: the good news of God's unconditional offer of reconciliation (Luke 4:16-21), the invitation to the Kingdom, and the gift of messianic "peace".



Fr. Alexander Muddu will be going to Uganda on vacation July 29. The following priests will cover him for all weekend masses including the feast of the Assumption.

Fr. Jim Gordon (Director of Clinical Services, Saint Luke Institute)

Msgr. Michael Schmied (Retired, Diocese of Richmond)

Fr. Jay Wagner (Pastor, St. Mary's Parish Richmond)

Fr. John Mary Lugemwa (Mary Mother of the Church Abbey)

NO WEEK DAY MASSES WILL BE CELEBRATED



Father Alex's presentation
"Tracing the Origin of the
Uganda Martyrs Pilgrimage"
can be accessed on YouTube
for those who were not able to
attend.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"He said to them, 'The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few...'" LUKE 10:2

As Catholics we are all called to serve. However, many of us are unsure of what our charisms or gifts from the Holy Spirit are to help build God's Church. Through prayer we are able to discern how God is calling us. The next time your pastor or fellow parishioner asks you to join a committee, ask God first, if that is what



He wants you to do with your gifts.

Second Collection is for our Building Fund.

Thank you for your generosity!

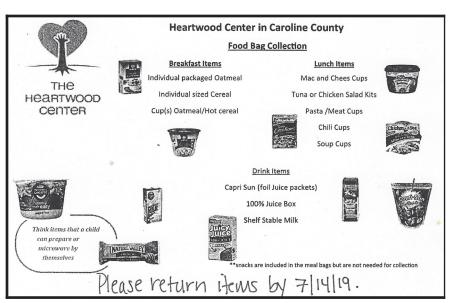
VOCATIONS

"The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few."

Are you called to be a laborer for Christ as a priest? The Vocations Office, (804) 359-5661, to speak with Fr. Michael Boehling or Fr. Brian Capuano; or write to vocations@richmonddiocese.org.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

That we ask God how He wants us to use our gifts for the glory of His name and not our own self-interest.



SUMMER FOOD PROGRAM PARTNERSHIP

St. Mary's is partnering with The Heartwood Center and Caroline Emergency Relief through Volunteer Efforts (CERVE) to collect breakfast, lunch, and drink items for the Summer Food Program, which targets children who participate in the federal free or reduced lunch program during the school year. The program provides easily-prepared, non-perishable items to children who are at home for the summer without the meal resources provided to them during the school year.

<u>How Can You Help?</u> It's easy! There is a bin in the Narthex for you to return a filled bag to our church no later than NEXT Sunday, July 14th.

TODAY IS THE DAY!



Come join us after the 11:00 Mass. We will be decorating and having volunteer sign ups for VBS! So come join us from 1:00 PM—3:00 PM and find out how you can help make VBS 2019 out of this world!!!

Need your Virtus training? Following our decoration making and sign ups, we will have Virtus training at 3:00 PM.



St. Mary's is looking for a volunteer to assist with parish communications, in particular with Flocknote and parish website updates. Time commitment would be limited, all work could be done from home, and training would be provided. If you have an interest and willingness to help, please email the office at office@saintmarycc.org.

If you would like to add/remove someone to the Sick of our Parish list, please call Sue Brim at 804-448-9064 or email her at of-fice@saintmarycc.org. Thank you.







THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR 2019 ENTRUSTED TO THE POPE'S WORLD-

WIDE PRAYER NETWORK (APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER)

JULY—The Integrity of Justice

That those who administer justice may work with integrity, and that the injustice which prevails in the world may not have the last word.

Lord God, author of justice and peace, give us your wisdom to know how to proceed in practical affairs!

Lord God of mercy and power, we recognize you as the source of all authority on this earth, and we beg that you give your grace to those who hold public office. In a special way, they need your wisdom to decide aright in difficult matters, and to defend those who cannot speak for themselves – the unborn, the immigrant, the senile, the despairing.

Lord, God of life and of love, you have chosen to make us stewards of this world. We beg you to help us use this office in a way that is pleasing to you and respectful of all our sisters and brothers, born and yet unborn. Give us the wisdom daily to be just in our own decisions and prudent in our own choices. Give us the heart to be willing to do the spiritual works of mercy, when convenient and when inconvenient. Make us men and women of integrity, and inspire those who have been entrusted with authority, always to respect the natural moral law and to look for the common good. Amen.

Pray for the Sick of our Parish

Bob Arnold, Fran Arnold, Mike Arnold, Estelle Bareford, Donald Barker, Ann Bateman, Kevin Bera, David Biddulph, Jackie Boak, Maria Bridge, Lee Brooks, Adam Bullock, Jim Carolus, Daniel Clarke, Sue Collins, Cindy Cook, Robert Cook, Harvey Eckert, Jacqueline Eckert, James Eichholz, Levie Edmond, Lois Fazenbaker, Mike Fisher, Cathy Fullem, David Geary Jr., Debbie Grissom, Verde Halley, Diane Hollis, Jean Johnson, Michael Johnson, James Landry, Marie Lay, Richard Lay, Jennifer Leaming-Lyons, Cindy Lent, Barbara Litten, Dawn Long, Esther Luiggi, Matekenya Family, Patrick Moore, Craig Norris, Donald Paradis, Marianna Porter, Anna Porter-Toure, Barbara Purks, Duane Riden, Sophis Rodriguez, Clare Roussel, Julie Sadowski, Wayne Scott, Marilyn Sherman, Claudia Sims, William Simulcik, Brandi Smith, Mary Smith, Hadley Spacht, Catherine Squires, Linda Stanton, Megan Toigo, George Tracey, Scott Trice, Lorraine VanWhy, Richard Wassels, Joan Williams

Community/Diocesan Events

"Christian stewardship calls us to utilize the resources of the diocese with integrity."

Bishop Barry C. Knestout announces the implementation of a hotline that will be used to report concerns of suspected financial, administrative or human resource misconduct within the Diocese of Richmond.

The hotline will be handled by an independent, third-party reporting system, EthicsPoint, to ensure accountability and transparency with reporting procedures. The use of such a hotline is another safeguard to protect the resources entrusted to us by the people of our diocese. Reports can be made online or by phone. Employees, volunteers, clergy, parishioners and any other individual wishing to report can do so anonymously, if they wish.

The toll-free number is 844-739-3210 and is offered in multiple languages. To submit a report online, please visit the diocesan website, www.richmonddiocese.org, and select "EthicsPoint." The hotline number is not a 911 or emergency service number. Individuals should not use this number to report information that is of an immediate threat to life or property.

Additionally, EthicsPoint is **NOT** intended to receive information about sexual abuse allegations. Abuse allegations should be reported immediately to local law enforcement and the Attorney General's Clergy Abuse Hotline at 1-833-454-9064.

Additional information including a video message and letter from Bishop Knestout, a list of frequently asked questions and other resources regarding EthicsPoint can be found by visiting the diocesan website.

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Sacraments of Baptism, Matrimony (a minimum of 6 months preparation is typical), and Anointing of the Sick, or to receive a home visit or home blessing,

Fr Muddu.....804.448.9064.

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