Saint Mary of the Annunciation

10306 Ladysmith Rd. Ruther Glen VA 22546



March 29th, 2020 Fifth Sunday of Lent

Mass Intentions

4/21/20 10:00 AM Phillip Michael Demick (Birthday) Holly Nguyen

What's happening in the Parish?

- Lenten Schedule
- St. Mary Online!
- HVAC Project Complete!
- Additional Online Resources
- Visit the Parish <u>Website</u> for more . . .





Lenten Schedule

The Website <u>Calendar</u> is being kept up to date with the latest. Please check it for updates and details for Live Streaming during Holy Week. St. Mary Online This Week!

We are offering online prayer services and other information to support the Parish. Please note that you don't need a Facebook account to watch Live Streaming being offered via the St. Mary Public Facebook page. This week look for the follow:

Daily:

- o Readings & Homily Fr. Muddu St. Mary Flocknote Group
- Lenten Reflections Prayers Community Flocknote Group

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- Tuesday 7pm The Rosary (Join Onl
- Tuesday 7:30pm FORMED Orientation (<u>Join Online</u>)
- Thursday 4:00pm FORMED Orientation (Join Onlin
- Friday 7pm Stations of the Cross (www.facebook.com/smotaval
- Sunday 10 am Mass ()

HVAC Project Complete!

As reported in an earlier update one of the two large HVAC systems that heats/cools the Church stopped working. It was determined that it was too old and costly to repair. Estimates to replace the unit were over \$18,000. Unfortunately, we had to replace all of the duct work connecting the system which added \$5800 to the cost of the project. We were given a Home Mission Grant for \$10,000 and are working to cover the rest of the costs through our general fund.

The good news is that the project is now complete and the new unit is installed and working! Imagine when we all get back into St. Mary's how great it will be in the church.

We would like to sincerely thank the Infrastructure Crew for their work to get this project completed. It meant meeting the company doing the work at the church, solving issues as they came up and keeping the project on track.

Magnificat Available

During this challenging time, when we are unable to attend Mass. Magnificat is honored to provide complimentary access to our <u>Online Version</u> to help people pray from home and following along when we are Live Streaming from St. Mary.



If you know of someone in the Parish that hasn't subscribed to Flocknote let them know they can sign up via our Website! Sign up for the FORMED platform and join our Parish Community for fantastic faith-based movies, books and more! A great way to share the faith with your families at home. There are a lot of resources available through FORMED for kids, teens and adults. Join us for a brief Orientation to answer any of your questions.

Prayers for the Sick

Please feel free to reply to this Flocknote to add or remove anyone from this list.

Eli Ames, Bob Arnold, Mike Arnold, Estelle Bareford, Donald Barker, Kevin Bera, The Biddulph Family, Maria Bridge, Daniel Clarke, Cindy Cook, Brandon Dineff, Levie Edmond, Ted Foster, Dave Frank, Deacon Dave Geary, Verde Halley, Celeste Henkel, Jean Johnson, Michael Johnson, Deborah Landsnes, Jennifer Leaming-Lyons, Cindy Lent, Dawn Long, Esther Luiggi, The Matekenya Family, Patrick Moore, Sam O'Shea, Donald Paradis, Marianna Porter, Mary Ann Pressman, Barbara Purks, Duane Riden, Wayne Scott, William Simulcik, Hadley Spacht, Faye Spartz, Mary Stella Summers, Scott Trice, Richard Wassels, Joan Williams

As always, prayer is an important way Catholics can respond to any crisis as we express our dependence on God. We continue to stand in solidarity with all those affected by the disease as well as those health care professionals who care for them. We ask parishioners to keep these people in mind while we pray, especially as we continue our Lenten journey.

God Bless!

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