

Saint Mary

OF THE ANNUNCIATION CATHOLIC CHURCH



July 18, 2021
Sixteenth Sunday of
Ordinary Time

MASS
SATURDAY 5:00 PM
(John Demick requested by Holly and John)
SUNDAY 8:30 AM
(+John Finlayson requested by Lisa Rodebaugh)
SUNDAY 11:00 AM
(People of the Parish)

Be silent. Be thoughtful. Be reverent, this is God's house.
Before Mass speak to God. During Mass let God speak
to you. After Mass speak to one another.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

(office hours 9 AM—1 PM Tuesday—Thursday)

Monday, July 19, 2021	Office closed
Tuesday, July 20, 2021	9:00 AM - 10 AM Adoration; 10:00 AM Mass ; 11:00 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry; 6:00-7:30 PM Food Pantry
Wednesday, July 21, 2021	8:30 AM - 9:30 AM - Adoration; 9:30 AM Mass ; 6:30 PM Boy Scouts Pack 1421
Thursday, July 22, 2021	8:30 AM - 9:30 AM - Adoration; 9:30 AM Mass ; 6:00-7:30 PM Food Pantry
Friday, July 23, 2021	Church closed for cleaning in AM
Saturday, July 24, 2021	4:10 PM Confessions; 5:00 PM Mass (+ Joseph Ho Phan requested by Holly & John)
Sunday, July 25, 2021	8:30 AM Mass (+Bruce Laquidara requested by Carlos and Eva Ortiz) ; 9:45 AM- Adult Bible Study; 11:00 AM Mass (People of the Parish)

Upcoming Parish News/Events

WEEKLY MASS READINGS

19 JULY 2021 : **Exodus 14:** 5-18; **Exodus 15:** 1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6; **Matthew 12:** 38-42

20 JULY 2021: **Exodus 14:** 21 - 15: 1; **Exodus 15:** 8-9, 10 and 12, 17; **Matthew 12:** 46-50

21 JULY 2021: **Exodus 16:** 1-5, 9-15; **Psalms 78:** 18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28; **Matthew 13:** 1-9

22 JULY 2021: **Mary Magdalene, disciple of the Lord Memorial**
Exodus 19: 1-2, 9-11, 16-20b; **Daniel 3:** 52, 53, 54,55, 56; **John 20:** 1-2, 11-18

23 JULY 2021: **Exodus 20:** 1-17; **Psalms 19:** 8, 9, 10,11; **Matthew 13:** 18-23

24 JULY 2021: **Exodus 24:** 3-8; **Psalms 50:** 1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; **Matthew 13:** 24-30

25 JULY 2021: **SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Second Kings 4: 42-44; **Psalms 145:** 10-11, 15-16, 17-18; **Ephesians 4:** 1-6; **John 6:** 1-15

VOCATIONS

“He had compassion for them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd.”

Will you respond to the hunger of Christ’s sheep as a priest? Call Father Brian W. Capuano at (804)359-5661, or write: bcapuano@richmonddiocese.org.

Pray for the Sick of our Parish

The Biddulph Family, Robert Bingaman, Daniel Clarke, Nancy Coffield, Levie Edmond, Coleman (Sonny) Flowers, Deacon Dave Geary, Paula Hass, Maureen Ketrick, Jennifer Leaming-Lyons, Barbara Litten, Brooke Meyer, Bette Moore, Bella Paradis, Bill Pickett, Marge Polivka, Barbara Purks, Duane Riden, Mary Rudy, William Simulcik, Laurie Snowman, Julian Thomas, Mike Walsh, Ralph Watermeier, Joan Williams, The Wheeler Family



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 in your daily prayers

Names will be removed after 6 months. If you would like to add/remove someone to the Sick of our Parish list, please call Chris Nowark at 804-448-9064 or email her at office@saintmarycc.org.

Thank you. God Bless !

Saint Mary’s Weekly Giving Report

Thank you for your continued support of our community.

To give on line go to the St Mary Online Giving website.

God Bless you all!

Saint Mary of the Annunciation		
Weekly Offertory Summary		
June 20 to June 26	YTD	
Sat/Sun/Holy Days	\$ 1,467	
On Line Giving	\$ 2,056	
Total Actual Receipts	\$ 3,523	\$ 223,122
Budgeted Receipts	\$ 4,500	\$ 229,875
Over/Under	\$ (977)	\$ (6,753)

Second Collection THIS week

July 17th-18th

is for our

Diocese of Richmond

Haitian Education Endowment—Shalom Fund



CHANGES TO OUR HAITI TWINNING FUND

Funds already collected this year for the Haiti Twinning ministry (in anticipation of our donation to the next fiscal school year) will be directed to the following organization:

Diocese of Richmond – Haiti Education Support Team (HEST).

HEST works directly with the Bureau of Diocesan Education (BDE) in Hinche:

To support and sustain the education of teachers and students in over 170 Catholic schools, twinned and non-twinned, in the Diocese of Hinche.

To pay for four supervisors who visit every school in the diocese and report back on each school's progress.

To send students to secondary schools with scholarships from a diocesan endowment fund known as the **Shalom Fund**.

During the 2020-21 school year, the **Shalom Fund** provided 17 scholarships to deserving students, all chosen by the recommendations of principals, as well as the BDE.

HEST receives an autobiography and a progress report for each student at the end of each semester.

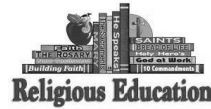
If the student is unable to keep up his or her grades, the scholarship is taken away and awarded to another deserving student.

Going forward, as long as our parish continues to collect donations as part of the Diocese of Richmond Haiti Ministry, funds will be directed to the **Shalom Fund** as a way of following through with our parish's commitment to provide scholarships for deserving students.

Interested parishioners are also welcomed to donate online:

Go to the Diocese of Richmond, Haiti Giving webpage: <https://richmonddiocese.org/haitigiving/>.

Next, choose "**Education**" and your donation will go directly to HEST.



Attention St. Mary's Community

What to help out in the church but you're not really sure where?

Well Religious Ed is in dire need of your help! We are looking for Teachers and Aides to help with grades 2nd through 9th. If you have a calling and are interested in helping improve our program or you want to help guide our kids then please email Kari Campbell at kecampbell2006@gmail.com or Gina Stargel at gstarge181@gmail.com.

"As each one has received a special gift, employ it in serving one another as good stewards of the multifaceted grace of God" Peter 4:10

Parish Picnic

The 2021 Parish Picnic is tentatively scheduled to take place Sunday, September 26, after the 11:00 a.m. Mass, but we need a coordinator/planning committee. If you are able to be a part of the planning committee, please email the church office at office@saintmarycc.org.



STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"He said to them, "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while." MARK 6:31

Do you spend time, every day, alone and in silence listening to how God is calling you? If not, you are missing out on a wonderful opportunity to develop a more personal relationship with Him. Unless we talk and more importantly, listen to God every day, how else will we know how He is calling us? Consider making a retreat this year, spend some "alone" time with God.

"Saint Michael the Archangel just renewed its accreditation for another five year term! We're the only Catholic high school in the Fredericksburg region that is fully accredited and diocesan approved. Our mission is to prepare each student to lead an exemplary Catholic life through the development of his or her full academic, spiritual, moral, artistic, and athletic potential. Join us! www.saintmichaelhs.org."



Community/Diocesan Events



We are so excited to announce that we will be having our festival this year on October 30, 2021. 2020 was a challenging year and we are ready to get back to normal. We would like to invite you to participate in our annual Fall Festival & Parade. This invitation is extended to Fire Departments, Rescue Squads, Civic Groups, Marching Bands, Majorette Groups, Antique Auto Enthusiasts, Equestrians, Floats and many other suitable parade units. Parade line up begins at 9:00 AM and the parade starts at 11:00 AM. Parade line up is 1/4 west of 301 on Route 30. There is no cost to participate. Please invite your families and friends to come along and join in the fun. We have crafts, silent auctions, pies, food and our famous Brunswick Stew. In addition there will be children's activities, live music and fun for all ages. For more information, please contact Crystal at 804-338-8697.



22 July
St Mary Magdalene



Except for the Mother of Our Lord, few women are more honored in the Bible than St Mary Magdalene. Referred to as the 'Apostle to the Apostles', she is the woman from whom Our Lord drove out seven demons. She remained with the Lord during his last agony on the cross and, according to St Mark and St John, was the first to see Him after the Resurrection.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL
That we may take time everyday to rest in God's presence.

Bishop Knestout encourages anyone aware of sexual abuse of minors on the part of clergy or staff of our diocese to notify civil authorities, call the Attorney General's Clergy Abuse Hotline at 1-833-454-9064, and reach out to the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator, Jennifer Sloan at 1-877-887-9603.

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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.