

Saint Mary

OF THE ANNUNCIATION CATHOLIC CHURCH



June 20, 2021
Twelfth Sunday of
Ordinary Time

MASS
SATURDAY 5:00 PM
(+Bong DeLopez requested by Holly and John)
SUNDAY 8:30 AM
(ALL DECEASED FATHERS OF ST. MARY'S)
SUNDAY 11:00 AM
(People of the Parish)

DEAR PARISHIONERS, AS WE RETURN TO CHURCH, I INVITE YOU, TO BE MINDFUL OF THE SILENCE BEFORE MASS. TAKE YOUR CONVERSATIONS OUTSIDE. IF SOMEONE STARTS CHATTING WITH YOU, ENCOURAGE HIM OR HER (IN A WHISPER) TO JOIN YOU IN THE GATHERING SPACE. BEFORE MASS BEGINS, KNEEL, AND PRAY IN SILENCE AS A WITNESS TO THE POWER OF A SILENT SANCTUARY. PERHAPS THE PEOPLE AROUND YOU WILL BE STRUCK BY YOUR REVERENCE AND RECOGNIZE MORE FULLY THE GOD WHO IS PRESENT TO US IN THE TABERNACLE. YOU MAY FIND THAT YOUR EXAMPLE DRAWS OTHER PEOPLE TO SILENT PRAYER, TOO.

COVID 19

For COVID 19 guidelines, please go to our Parish Website for more detailed information

Saint Mary Online Sundays 8:30 AM!

Live Streaming of the Mass is being offered via the St. Mary Public Facebook page.

Have you visited? Please note that you don't need a Facebook account to participate.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

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

Monday, June 21, 2021	Office closed
Tuesday, June 22, 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, June 23, 2021	8:30 AM - 9:30 AM - Adoration; 9:30 AM Mass ; 6:30 PM Boy Scouts Pack 1421
Thursday, June 24, 2021	8:30 AM - 9:30 AM - Adoration; 9:30 AM Mass ; 6:00-7:30 PM Food Pantry
Friday, June 25, 2021	Church closed for cleaning in AM
Saturday, June 26, 2021	4:10 PM Confessions; 5:00 PM Mass (+Cyril Kelly)
Sunday, June 27, 2021	8:30 AM Mass ; 11:00 AM Mass (<i>People of the Parish</i>)

Upcoming Parish News/Events

WEEKLY MASS READINGS

21 JUNE 2021 - MONDAY: **Genesis 12:** 1-9; **Psalms 33:** 12-13, 18-19, 20 and 22; **Matthew 7:** 1-5

22 JUNE 2021 - TUESDAY: **Genesis 13:** 2, 5-18; **Psalms 15:** 2-3a,3bc-4ab, 5; **Matthew 7:** 6, 12-14

23 JUNE 2021 - WEDNESDAY: **Genesis 15:** 1-12, 17-18; **Psalms 105:** 1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; **Matthew 7:** 15-20

24 JUNE 2021 - THURSDAY: **Jeremiah 1:** 4-10; **Psalms 71:** 1-2, 3-4a,5-6ab, 15ab and 17; **First Peter 1:** 8-12; **Luke 1:** 5-17

25 JUNE 2021 - FRIDAY: **Genesis 17:** 1, 9-10, 15-22; **Psalms 128:** 1-2, 3,4-5; **Matthew 8:** 1-4

26 JUNE 2021 - SATURDAY: **Genesis 18:** 1-15; **Luke 1:** 46-47, 48-49, 50 and 53, 54-55; **Matthew 8:** 5-17

27 JUNE 2021 - SUNDAY: **THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Wisdom 1: 13-15; 2: 23-24; **Psalms 30:** 2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13 (2a); **Second Corinthians 8:**7, 9, 13-15; **Mark 5:** 21-43

SECOND COLLECTION TODAY IS FOR THE CATHOLIC VIRGINIAN

The Catholic Virginian is published biweekly and serves the people of the Diocese of Richmond. Circulation is approximately 73,000. The newspaper emphasizes diocesan news with a balance of national and international news of interest to Catholics. The mission of the paper is, "To help meet peoples' needs for information that they may better live out the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to support their understanding of themselves as a believing community." Subscription is \$12.50 per year.

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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		
May 23 to May 29		YTD
Sat/Sun/Holy Days	\$ 1,420	
On Line Giving	\$ 1,589	
Total Actual Receipts	\$ 3,009	\$ 208,326
Budgeted Receipts	\$ 4,500	\$ 211,875
Over/Under	\$ (1,492)	\$ (3,549)

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, Bette Moore, Bella Paradis, Bill Pickett, Marge Polivka, Barbara Purks, Duane Riden, Mary Rudy, William Simulcik, Laurie Snowman, The Tate Family, 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 !



Second Collections for July

July 4th—Building Fund
 July 18th—Haiti Twinning Campaign



Happy Father's Day!



Father's Day Prayer

God our Father,
 In your wisdom and love you made all things. Bless those fathers who have taken upon themselves, the responsibility of parenting. Bless those who have lost a spouse to death ... or divorce who are parenting their children alone. Strengthen them by your love that they may be and become the loving, caring persons they are meant to be.
 Grant this through
 Christ our Lord.
 Amen

SUMMER IS IN OUR MIDSTS. GIVING MADE EASY WHILE YOU'RE ON THE GO

Summer is in the air and it's time for beaches, sunshine, and travel. While you are on the go this summer, make giving easy and give online with Online Giving. Our church is a spiritual home for all of us which relies on our time, talent, and treasure in order to fulfill our mission. Online Giving is an easy way to support our continued mission. It is time to come together to keep our faith, so that we can offer hope and healing to those around us.

Online Giving allows you to make donations via your mobile phone, smart device, or computer to our church.

<http://www.saintmarycc.org/online-giving>



VOCATIONS

"He indeed died for all, so that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for Him who for their sake died and was raised."

Is Christ calling you to die to self and live for Him as a priest? Call Father Brian W. Capuano at (804) 359-5661 or write: bcapuano@richmonddioocese.org.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

That we not only know about Jesus but that we take time to start a personal relationship with Him.

For 15 years, Saint Michael the Archangel Catholic High School in Fredericksburg, VA has been providing quality, affordable Catholic education.

Enrollment is now open and applications are available at www.saintmichaelhs.org/admissions. For further questions or to schedule a tour, please contact our registrar at tbruggeman@saintmichaelhs.org or 540.548.8748.

Summer hours are Mon-Thurs, 9am-1pm. Fully accredited and diocesan approved.

Welcome to the Warrior Family!



2021 Annual Diocesan Appeal – Building Our Family of Faith

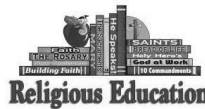
If you made a pledge to the 2021 Appeal, the Diocese has begun sending reminders, so you can fulfill your pledge. It is important for all our parishioners to complete their pledges. The assistance that is provided to the ministries and programs the Appeal supports, such as grants to our mission parishes, heating and grocery assistance to families and tuition for our future priests to attend the seminary, is based on what is collected.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"Then he asked them, 'Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?'" – MARK 4:40

Do you really trust God? Is God your first choice or last resort? Is your faith something you just do on Sunday or do you live the Gospel message every day of the week? Many of us know about God. How many of us have a personal relationship with Him? Start now, open your heart to receive our Lord. Talk and listen to Him throughout the day, in all circumstances.

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 gstargel181@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

Community/Diocesan Events

Every Child a Wanted Child

Prior to the legalization of abortion, advocates for abortion held out the panacea of the elimination of "unwanted children" if only abortion was legal. In fact, it was Planned Parenthood, which led this charge, coining the familiar slogan, "Every child a wanted child". Despite the fact that some 60 million "unwanted" babies have died in the intervening period, the pro-choice lobby still uses this argument to justify abortion.

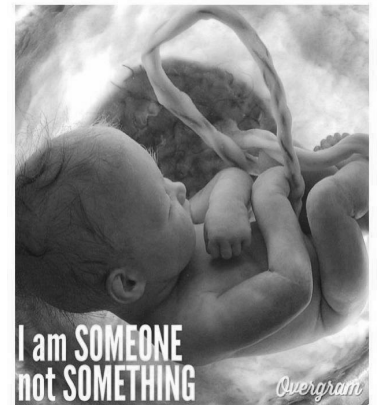
In the 1960's and 70's the pro-choice position was that legalizing abortion would drastically reduce child abuse. America legalized abortion and, child abuse has skyrocketed. Yet, despite this staggering increase in child abuse, the pro-choice lobby continues to tie itself in knots by now arguing that making abortion illegal would cause an increase in child abuse!!! How many more millions of children do we have to kill before their scheme starts to work?

We all agree that every child should be wanted. This is an idealistic goal, but sadly we do not live in an idyllic world.

Moreover, since when does anyone's right to live depend upon someone else wanting them? Women rightfully resent that the value of a woman is sometimes determined by whether a man wants her. How can any-one possibly insist that the value of an unborn baby is to be determined by whether a mother wants him or her at any given time? To use being wanted by someone as a measure of whether a human life is allowed to live is a truly frightening concept. Its converse logically awaits us--- that the unwanted can be eliminated. Don't forget that Hitler's Germany was ideal for wanted Aryans.

To make sense, the slogan: "Every child a wanted child" has to be completed "and if not wanted, aborted." To complete the sentence removes the mask from this misleading slogan and reveals it for the evil that it is!

Pro-Life Articles



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.

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