

Saint Mary

OF THE ANNUNCIATION CATHOLIC CHURCH



BIENVENIDOS

ALL ARE WELCOME
TODOS SON BIENVENIDOS
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VITANI

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 2, 2023

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

(+Wayne Scott requested by Carol Scott)

SUNDAY 8:30 AM



SUNDAY 11:00 AM

(People of the Parish)

****TUESDAY, JULY 4th—OFFICE CLOSED; NO ADORATION OR MASS; FOOD PANTRY CLOSED****

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

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

Monday, July 3	OFFICE CLOSED
Tuesday, July 4	OFFICE CLOSED; NO ADORATION OR MASS; FOOD PANTRY CLOSED  HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY 
Wednesday, July 5	9:00 AM Adoration; 10:00 AM MASS
Thursday, July 6	9:00 AM Adoration; 10:00 AM MASS ; 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM Food Pantry
Friday, July 7	Church closed for cleaning in AM; 7:00 PM First Friday Adoration
Saturday, July 8	4:00 PM - 4:50 PM Confessions; 5:00 PM MASS <i>(+EMT Justin Howard requested by Julie Howard)</i>
Sunday, July 9	8:30 AM MASS <i>(+Billy Simulcik requested by Helen & Bill Simulcik)</i> ; 9:45 AM Spanish Rosary; 11:00 AM MASS

Upcoming Parish News/Events



We are happy to announce that Bishop Barry C. Knestout has granted the faculty of Priests to distribute Holy Communion under the form of wine during the celebration of Mass.

We are going to start the distribution of the Chalice beginning in August. However, prior to the reintroduction of the distribution of Holy Communion from the Chalice, there are several things that will need to be done.

First, we will need to retrain the Eucharist Ministers. There will be 2 training sessions. **You only need to attend one session.** Sessions will be on Wednesday, July 19th, at 6:30 PM, and Sunday, July 23rd, after 11:00 AM Mass.

Second, we will need to retrain all the children that have formally received their First Holy Communion while under the pandemic-related restrictions. We will have further information about the time and dates in the next coming weeks.

It was Christ's will that this sacrament be received as the soul's spiritual food to sustain and build up those who live with His life, as He said, "He who eats me, he also shall live because of me." (John 6:57). This sacrament is also to be a remedy to free us from our daily defects and to keep us from mortal sin. It was Christ's will, that this sacrament be a pledge of our future glory and our everlasting happiness and, likewise, a symbol of that one body of which He is the head (cf. Luke 22:19 and 1 Corinthians 11:3). He willed that we, as members of His body, should be united to it by firm bonds of faith, hope and love, so that we might all say the same thing, and that there might be no dissensions among us (cf. 1 Corinthians 1:10).

In order to be properly disposed to receive Communion, participants should not be conscious of grave sin and normally should have fasted for one hour prior. A person who is conscious of grave sin is not to receive the Body and Blood of the Lord without prior sacramental confession except for a grave reason where there is no opportunity for confession. In this case, the person is to be mindful of the obligation to make an act of perfect contrition, including the intention of confessing as soon as possible. A frequent reception of the Sacrament of Penance is encouraged for all. **Please note that receiving the Chalice is not mandatory.**



EUCHARISTIC MINISTER TRAINING

With the resumption of receiving the Precious Blood of Christ from the Cup, we will be offering refresher training for our Extraordinary Ministers and those interested in becoming Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist. Training will be held on Wednesday July 19th at 6:30 PM and Sunday July 23rd after the 11:00 AM Mass. **Attendance is only needed for one session.** At a minimum, Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist must be Confirmed and in good standing with the Church.

Questions? Please contact Deacon Frank Leaming, fnleaming@aol.com or 804-761-5714.



SECOND COLLECTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY



July 2—Repair and Maintenance
July 16—Haiti Education Support Team

A WALK THROUGH THE MASS

What is the Mass? Simply put, it is the "principal celebration of the Church's public worship" that through the Eucharist is "the source and summit of the Christian life" leading the faithful to go forth "so that they may fulfill God's will in their daily lives".

Join us as we conduct a 3 part series on the Mass unpacking its history, elements and articles, the views of saints and theologians, and a hands-on setup and run-through of a typical Mass.

Everyone is invited to attend, whether young or old, Catholic or non-Catholic. It will be a great opportunity for all, especially the non-Catholics, to gain an understanding and appreciation of one of the most important elements of Catholicism- the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist!

Sessions are Mondays at 7:00 PM, July 10th, 17th, and 31st. Join us for all 3 or any one you can. Questions? Contact Deacon Frank Leaming, fnleaming@aol.com, 804-761-5714 or Scott Kittle, skittle0465@msn.com.



A Prayer for Independence Day

Guide us as we work together to build a society in which everyone has the opportunity to live with dignity and hope. Help us to be witnesses of Christ's love by practicing charity and promoting justice and peace throughout the world. Strengthen us with fortitude to choose the values of our faith as we exercise Our responsibility as citizens. Inspire us to build a world of greater respect for human life and dignity. Restore us when our spirit grows weary, and bless us in our journey home to You.

New Member Meet and Greet Noon on July 16th

This announcement is important to everyone! On Sunday July 16th after the 11:00 Mass, we will be holding a Meet and Greet for our new members. We hope everyone will come out, put on a name tag, and get to know members new and not-so-new alike! We will have pastries and drinks and this will be held in the social hall. If you are on a committee at church, such as decorating, maintenance, religious ed, etc., we would really appreciate your committee having some information available for our new and existing members to review that describes how you help St. Mary's and a representative available to talk with anyone interested in helping with the types of things your committee does. If you have any questions or need further information, don't hesitate to reach out to Debbie Frank at debbietavikfrank@aol.com.

Meet & Greet

Knights of Columbus Council 2023 Tailgate Raffle

Package includes:

1. Weber Traveler Grille
2. Yeti Tundra 45 Cooler
3. Cornhole boards and bags
4. 2 Yeti Ramblers, 30 oz.



All items go to the winner. The retail price for the package is roughly \$950.00. The drawing is scheduled at our council's business meeting on July 10th. 300 tickets total, \$20 each.

Sales can be by cash, check or Venmo. Venmo account: **@JMJCouncil-7538**. To verify Venmo payment, use: 5736. Enter buyer name, phone # and ticket #. Please contact Kennedy at 804-347-8458 or kenedyweber@comcast.net for any questions and tickets.

WEEKLY MASS READINGS

3 JULY 2023 - MONDAY: Ephesians 2: 19-22; Psalms 117: 1bc, 2; John 20: 24-29

4 JULY 2023 - TUESDAY : Independence Day
Genesis 19: 15-29; Psalms 26: 2-3, 9-10, 11-12; Matthew 8: 23-27

5 JULY 2023 - WEDNESDAY : Genesis 21: 5, 8-20a; Psalms 34: 7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Matthew 8: 28-34

6 JULY 2023 - THURSDAY : Genesis 22: 1b-19; Psalms 115: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Matthew 9: 1-8

7 JULY 2023 - FRIDAY : Genesis 23: 1-4, 19; 24: 1-8, 62-67; Psalms 106: 1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5; Matthew 9: 9-13

8 JULY 2023 - SATURDAY : Genesis 27: 1-5, 15-29; Psalms 135: 1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Matthew 9: 14-17

9 JULY 2023 - SUNDAY : Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Zechariah 9: 9-10; Psalms 145: 1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14; Romans 8: 9, 11-13; Matthew 11: 25-30

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Capital Campaign

Online Giving



Parish Registration

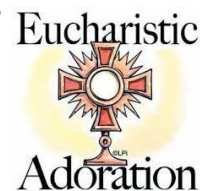
2023 Annual Appeal



THIS FRIDAY:

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

This coming Friday, July 7th, at 7:00 PM we will be having our First Friday Adoration at 7:00 PM. We are hoping that parishioners, especially our teenagers, will join us this Friday and every 1st Friday night of the month in Adoration at 7:00 PM. I invite you to **MAKE A COMMITMENT TO SPEND ONE HOUR IN THE PRESENCE OF THE LORD.**



Community/Diocesan Events

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& JORDAN
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FOOD PANTRY IS IN NEED OF THE FOLLOWING:



**MACARONI & CHEESE AND
PANCAKE SYRUP**



UPCOMING COMMUNITY BAZAAR!

On Sunday, July 16th from noon- 4pm, Saint Michael Catholic High School will be hosting a community bazaar for buyers & sellers. Inside tables: \$20/Outside spots: \$10. 540.548.8748 or butta-ro@saintmichaelhs.org to reserve your space today! Or come shop and find bargains!

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.



Pray for the Sick of our Parish



David Arnold, Rosemary Baez, Estelle Bareford, Thad (Pete) Beach, Monica Bell, Susan Bennett, The Biddulph Family, Robert Bingaman, Joe Blackburn, Jr., John Bolecek, Maria Bridge, Bob Buchanan, Barry Carrington, Daniel Clarke, Nancy Coffield, Doreen Distensa, Brian Eckert, Levie Edmond, Michael Fisher, Jessica French, Andrew Fresler, Deacon Dave Geary, The Hannick Family, Laura Harris, Paula Hass, The Jayger Family, Alice Karkutt, Tony Ketrick, Deacon Frank Leaming, Nina Leaming, Barbara Litten, Dawn Long, Carly Max, Michael McFadden, Bette Moore, Andrew Newchok, Peggy Opel, Eva Ortiz, Robert Pecht, Bill Pickett, Marge Polivka, Makayla Prevost, Shirley Riden, Chole Rochester, Ritchie Rodebaugh, Kelly Searer, John Signor, William Simulcik, Isabel Sipe, Rodney Smith, Laurie Snowman, John Speck, Linda Stanton, Barbara Storen, Ron Summers, Julian Thomas, The Townsend Family, Janie Wagner, The Wheeler Family, Joan Williams, Judy Yanes

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 COVID 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

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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. Call the office at 804-448-9064.

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