

Saint Mary

OF THE ANNUNCIATION CATHOLIC CHURCH



BIENVENIDOS

ALL ARE WELCOME
TODOS SON BIENVENIDOS
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THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

MAY 21, 2023

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

SUNDAY 8:30 AM

(+Edward Miskin requested by Shirley Riden & Paula Prevost)

SUNDAY 11:00 AM

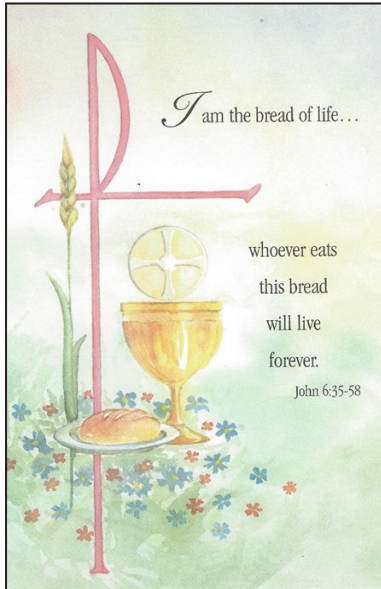
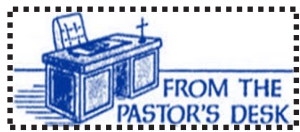
(People of the Parish)

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

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

Monday, May 22	OFFICE CLOSED
Tuesday, May 23	9:00 AM Adoration; 10:00 AM MASS (+ <i>Mitchell Pastula requested by Father Muddu</i>); 11:00 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry; 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM Food Pantry
Wednesday, May 24	9:00 AM Adoration; 10:00 AM MASS (+ <i>Mitchell Pastula requested by Father Muddu</i>)
Thursday, May 25	9:00 AM Adoration; 10:00 AM MASS (+ <i>Mitchell Pastula requested by Father Muddu</i>); 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM Food Pantry
Friday, May 26	Church closed for cleaning in AM
Saturday, May 27	4:00 PM - 4:50 PM Confessions; 5:00 PM MASS
Sunday, May 28	8:30 AM MASS ; 9:45 AM Spanish Rosary; 11:00 AM MASS ; 2:00 PM Confirmation at the Cathedral

Upcoming Parish News/Events



**Congratulations to our dear
First Holy Communicants:**

***Leighton Nicole Arnold
Ava Noelle Blankenbaker
Russell James Draudt
Emmie Lynn Haines
Christopher Isaac LaMontagne
Audriana Clarie Maida
Annabelle Lee Perham
Jackson Ryan Tyrrell
Geovanny Aviles***



**FOOD PANTRY IS IN NEED OF
THE FOLLOWING:**



**INSTANT POTATOES and
POPTARTS**



**MEMORIAL DAY MASS WILL BE AT
10:00 AM AT SAINTS CYRIL AND
METHODIUS CEMETERY**

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Religious Ed is expanding their team!

Do you want to help at church and are not sure where? Come join the Religious Ed Team! We are in need of more than just teachers.

Positions:

- Virtus (child abuse) trainer
involves certification
- Social media and advertising
- Retreat coordinator
- First communion
- Confirmation
- Vacation Bible School
- Administrative Assistant

Applicants must have completed confirmation, be a member of the church, and fulfill additional training as needed. If you are interested or would like more information, please email Kari or Gina at religioused@saintmarycc.org

QR CODES

Capital Campaign



Online Giving



Parish Registration



2023 Annual Appeal



**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: **@JMJ-Council-7538**. To verify Venmo payment, use: 5736. Enter buyer name, phone # and ticket #. Please contact Kennedy at 804-347-8458 or kennedyweber@comcast.net for any questions and tickets.



SECOND COLLECTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

MAY 21—CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS
MAY 28—CEMETERY/PERPETUAL CARE FUND

Saint Mary of the Annunciation		
Weekly Offertory Summary		
Apr 23 to Apr 29		YTD
Sat/Sun/Holy Days	\$ 2,027	
On Line Giving	\$ 1,510	
Total Actual Receipts	\$ 3,537	\$ 205,566
Budgeted Receipts	\$ 4,450	\$ 200,250
Over/Under	\$ (914)	\$ 5,316

WEEKLY MASS READINGS

- 22 MAY 2023 - MONDAY** : Acts 19: 1-8; Psalms 68: 2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; John 16: 29-33
- 23 MAY 2023 - TUESDAY** : Acts 20: 17-27; Psalms 68: 10-11, 20-21; John 17: 1-11a
- 24 MAY 2023 - WEDNESDAY** : Acts 20: 28-38; Psalms 68: 29-30, 33-35a,35bc-36ab; John 17: 11b-19
- 25 MAY 2023 - THURSDAY** : Acts 22:30; 23: 6-11; Psalms 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10,11; John 17:20-26
- 26 MAY 2023 - FRIDAY** : Acts 25:13b-21; Psalms 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; John 21:15-19
- 27 MAY 2023 - SATURDAY** : Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Psalms 11:4, 5 and 7; John 21:20-25
- 28 MAY 2023 - SUNDAY - VIGIL** : Pentecost Solemnity/ Vigil
Genesis 11:1-9 or Exodus 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ezekiel 37:1-14 or Joel3:1-5; Psalms 104:1-2, 24, 35,27-28,29, 30; Romans 8:22-27; John 7:37-39
- 28 MAY 2023 - SUNDAY - DAY** : Pentecost Solemnity/ Day
Acts 2:1-11; Psalms 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34; First Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Galatians 5:16-25; John 20:19-23 or John 15:26-27; 16: 12-15



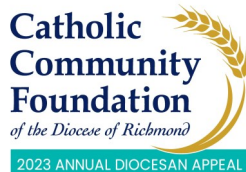
**NOW ON SALE IN THE NARTHEX!
BARBEQUE DINNER**

**June 3rd
4:00 –7:00 pm**

The Bingaman's are BACK! Dinner is Served!

Please join us June 3rd as the Bingaman's bring back our first parish dinner since Covid! We are excited to offer you a barbeque dinner to include a pork barbeque sandwich, barbeque beans, applesauce, coleslaw, and a dessert. Dinner will be served from 4-7pm and it will be \$10 a person (advance ticket) and \$12 at the door. Tickets will be on sale starting this weekend. There is a minimum number of 60 tickets that must be sold for the event to occur. All proceeds will go to the church maintenance fund! Can't wait to join in the fun! What a great way to kick off summer with a barbeque!!

Community/Diocesan Events



2023 ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

Today, the Gospel reveals that Jesus' disciples still struggled with doubt even after He rose from the dead. He didn't rebuke them this time. Instead, Jesus gave them the mission to "Make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28:19).

Jesus knew they needed help to believe Him, even after seeing Him rise. He knows us, too. Seeing is not enough! Many of His would-be followers abandoned Him despite miracles. That's why Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to strengthen our weak faith.

We ask you to make an act of faith by giving to our Annual Diocesan Appeal. Like the disciples in today's Gospel, after worshipping Jesus atop a mountain, we worship Jesus at the "source and summit" of our Eucharistic faith. After worshipping, He sends us out to make disciples. The word Mass comes from the Latin word *missa*, which means "sending." We make disciples in our homes, workplaces, and our neighborhoods.

We need your prayers and financial contributions to fulfill our commission to make disciples in our community. Help us fulfill it so that he will find us busy with the good work when He comes back. God be with you.

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, Paula Hass, Laura Harris, The Jayger Family, Alice Karkutt, Rodney Ketterman, 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, Scott Trice, 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 prepara-
 tion 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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