

School Supply Collection

The Knights of Columbus are collecting school supplies again this year for the children of St. Joseph's Villa. Donations can be placed in the KOC collection bin across from the Religious Goods store. We'll be collecting through Sunday, August 14th. As always, thank you for your continued generosity! (FYI the Virginia school supply sales tax holiday is the weekend of August 5th—7th.

Items needed this year include:

- Composition books (marbled cover)
- Scissors (blunt safety scissors for children)
- Construction paper (all colors)
- Colored pencils (12 count)
- Pencil boxes
- Zippered pencil bag
- Glue sticks (non-toxic)
- Glue bottles
- Ruler
- #2 Pencils
- Loose leaf paper
- Black ink pens
- Blue ink pens
- Red ink pens
- Highlighters
- Crayons (24 count)
- Washable markers
- Erasers (pink—block style)
- Pencil top erasers
- Dictionary (pocket size)
- Thesaurus (pocket size)
- 3 x 5 index cards
- 1 inch binders
- 2 inch binders
- Compass
- Protractor
- Scientific Calculator
- Lunch box
- School bag

Free Introductory Session

A Better Way for Moms and Daughters: Tired of only being offered the pill to resolve gyn problems? The Creighton Model FertilityCare System, combined with the medical approach of NaPro Technology identifies the causes and restores health. Learn more Friday, July 29th, 10:30am at Dignitas Health, 2004 Bremond Road, Suite 100, Richmond. <http://www.choosedignitas.org/> Registration required, space is limited: email ladeancrms@gmail.com

Another Free Session

A Better Way for Couples: The Creighton Model FertilityCare System is 99.5% effective, and it encourages a couple in their intercommunication and mutual understanding. Learn more Thursday, July 28th, 7:30pm at Dignitas Health. Registration is required, space is limited: email ladeancrms@gmail.com

*“O God, be merciful to me a sinner.”
(Luke 18:13)*



Saint Joseph Parish

Roman Catholic Diocese of Richmond
Served by the **Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter**

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Holy Mass Schedule

- Sunday 8:30 am (Low)
- 11 am (High)
- 4:30 pm (Low)
- Monday 7am & 9 am
- Tuesday 7am & 9 am
- Wednesday 7 am & 6 pm
- Thursday 7 am & 9 am
- Friday 7 am & 6 pm
- Saturday 7 am & 9 am

- ◆ **Sacramental Emergencies: 396-5665**
- ◆ **Confession: ½ hr before all Masses, Saturdays - 10:00 to 11:00 am.**
- ◆ Novena & Benediction: Wed. evenings.
- ◆ **Holy Days:** look for announcement
- ◆ **Adoration** of the Blessed Sacrament: First Fridays from 8 am until 5 pm.
- ◆ Other Sacraments: please call the office.

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MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Sun. July 24	10th Sunday after Pentecost (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am Pro Populo 11 am Holy Souls in Purgatory 4:30 pm A.O. Kunjipaulo +
Mon. July 25	St. James the Greater (2nd Cl.)	7 am Margaret Chipiwalt + 9 am James Lothian
Tues. July 26	St. Anne, Mother of the B.V.M. (2nd Cl.)	7 am Charles McChesney + 9 am Jeremiah & Victoria Sanctafamilia
Wed. July 27	Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Irineu Vergilio Cota 6 pm Mia Piccininni
Thurs. July 28	SS. Nazarius & Celsus (3rd Cl.)	7 am Edna Jacob + 9 am Edward & Otilia Kastus +
Fri. July 29	St. Martha (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 6 pm FSSP
Sat. July 30	Saturday of Our Lady (4th Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Brendan Vickers
Sun. July 31	11th Sunday after Pentecost (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am Paul E. Paolini 11 am Pro Populo 4:30 pm Joseph Schadenfroh +
Mon. August 1	St. Peter in Chains (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Greta Lothian +
Tues. August 2	St. Alphonsus Ligouri (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Robert Coates +
Wed. August 3	Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Timothy J. Mullins 6 pm To Honor the Infant Jesus
Thurs. August 4	St. Dominic (3rd Cl.)	7 am Edith Nicolas + 9 am Gabrielle Piccininni
Fri. August 5	Dedication of St. Mary Major (3rd Cl.)	7 am Marjorie Beck + 6 pm Leslie Militti
Sat. August 6	Transfiguration of Our Lord (2nd Cl.)	7 am Carmela & Antonio Celentano + 9 am Mary Louis Kunzinger +

PRAYER LIST

Andria Morris, Michael Rowland, Theresa & Joseph Barrera, Joe Guerrero, Sophie Lothian, Patricia Willard, Bill Colberg, Charlie Adams, Jeremiah Sanctafamilia, Sr., Mary Pearl Nacey, Elizabeth Scott, Jennifer Stivers, Jean Spadaro, Caroline Laing, Ron Crawford, Fr. Jergin Puthenpurackal, Gerard Lajoie, Carol Gentry, Robert Petrella, Betty Faina, Mitchel Shaw, Shirl Wicks, Liz Grapes, Kathleen Stells, Julie Trexler, Theresa Trexler, Antoinette McLoughlin, Bobby Overman, Dick and Nan Wray, Fr. Adrian Harmening, Abigail Maria Alvey, Mary Zacharias, Casey Stalvey, Suki & Beau Simpson, Maryann McLaughlin, John Osborne, Ann Horgan, Bernice Nestor, Karen Haley.

In your charity, please remember all the souls of the faithfully departed. May they rest in peace.

MASS INTENTION REQUESTS

We are slowly making our way through the backlog of Mass intentions and hope to lift the temporary moratorium on requests within the next several weeks. Thank you for your continued patience!

Baby Bottles

AHG is still collecting baby bottles for the Chesterfield Pregnancy Center. Please bring in all baby bottles—even empty. Thank you!

Found

An envelope was left in the Gift Shop on July 10. Please see Rose Mary Cosby.

Living Our Mission Capital Campaign

We have reached \$374,251 and 175 gifts! Yay! I understand: procrastination is easy; I only handed my pledge card in recently; it's not too late for you. And NOW, 2/3 of your gift comes back to the parish, and 1/3 is used by the diocesan priorities. Thank you.

Offertory Collections

Sunday July 10, 2016
 1st Collection (Operations): \$ 7,628
 Avg. Weekly Operating Need: \$ 7,114
 Avg. Weekly Year to Date \$ 6,915
 2nd Collection (Building Fund): \$ 1,207

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Upcoming Events
July 24 —Bethlehem Christian Families will be selling olive wood statues, etc.

Welcome Beverly Howe

Please permit me to introduce the parish's new employee. Beverly is the receptionist, the secretary and the administrative assistant. She is of course taking these three hats from Sandy Ondishko. Beverly was discovered several years ago by none-other-than Andrea Reider who asked her to fill-in on occasion. We are very glad to have Beverly already. Welcome Beverly! As Beverly is a parishioner too, her relationship to the parish is multifold. If we see her on Sunday, we must all resist the temptation to use her in any way that's proper to her job. She is forbidden to work on Sunday—no forms, no questions, no leaking toilets. (I'm especially reminding myself.) Beverly, remember one thing: Your reward is great in heaven!

Thank you, Sandy!

Sandy Ondisko has worn many hats here at St. Joseph's. We might say that she is relinquishing 3 of 4 of those hats: she is stepping down as the receptionist, secretary and administrative assistant. Sandy has done a great service to me personally and to the parish as a whole. Her job was never easy: she hopped from one thing to another, and back again, always with a cheerful smile, until she hopped into her car to go home. While here, she learned new skills, mastered new software, learned about the Traditional Calendar, and kept everything afloat. For instance, we passed with flying colors this Spring's diocesan financial audit; this was due, in large measure, to Sandy's careful work. These past two weeks she's been more *prancing* than hopping, all gladness and light, happy to be retiring once again. You've deserved it. Between prances Sandy's been training Beverly, something she didn't have the benefit of when she arrived 3 years ago. We are happy that Sandy has agreed to retain the 4th hat: bookkeeper. We'll be seeing her each week; this way she won't get into too much trouble. Thank you, Sandy!

Pastor's Corner



Dear Parishioners,

We lost power for a day this week. While it didn't prevent the Holy Sacrifice from being offered, it brought much of our life to a standstill. We appreciate things more when they are removed. To put things in perspective, I'd like to share with you some news from our parish in Nigeria. In charge is Fr. Angelo Van der Putten, FSSP. He wrote the following: "Our new generator is Chinese. It is diesel and rattles uncontrollably. Several things have rattled off—including the pressure oil release—thus causing us to almost loose the engine twice due to lost oil. The 'alternator' melted and thus ruined the most expensive battery that can be bought in this country. It is extremely loud and thus we are obliged to sound proof the room but everything is terribly crooked so it is difficult to make a roof for the room and it is necessary to chain it to a large tire due to the vibration.

"The old generator was gasoline fired. It broke a rod so it had to have a new engine case and basically a new engine. It has been a wretched nuisance as it has completely broken down several times and had to be completely rebuilt. It has lasted only 2 years. Some machines are simply lemons but it seems that *here* most everything is a lemon!

"Las month we got a power bill for 1 naira 90 kobble—which is less than a penny—for we had no power at all that month. One may bribe the power company, though, and they will give you power whenever you want. Diesel fuel is now more costly than in the US, so we run the generator from 7pm—9:15pm only. We use a torch for Mass in the morning at 7am.

"All is well though and we are in the July rainy season and thus get rain almost daily. In Jesus' love, —Fr. Angelo"

While this is not meant to give a complete picture of life in Nigeria, I thought the contrast was instructive. Power or no power, gratitude is always in short supply!

God love you, *Fr. Novokowsky*