

part doing its part; none choosing to be dead weight; none overstepping his boundaries. But this world is imperfect in every way. Some of us are physically or emotionally wounded, and as a result we act like dead weight without meaning to. God has a plan with such imperfections—everyone benefits from the deficiencies of others. This is true in the parish as well. “Every branch that bears fruit he prunes, that they bear more fruit.” (Jn 15:2).

Don’t allow the forces of evil to divide and conquer. Don’t sweat the small stuff for the sake of the great stuff, and you will go a long way towards doing the will of our good God.

Business items: The Parish Pastoral Council ceases to exist when the pastor changes; a new council will be established under the new pastor. The Finance Council continues its work. The parish will probably undergo a financial audit by the diocese as a matter of policy, to ensure financial integrity going forward.

Let us pray for each other.

God love you,

Fr. Rob Novokowsky, FSSP



Who are *these* young people??—May 2013

Sunday Offertory for June 23, 2019			
	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$4,423	—	—
Online	\$1,970	—	—
Total	\$6,393	\$7,980	(\$1,857)
YTD	\$470,850	\$414,960	\$55,890
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$1,022	—	—
Online	\$540	—	—
Total	\$1,562	\$1,250	\$312
YTD	\$115,390	\$65,000	\$50,390

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Crisis Pregnancy Help
A 24-hour helpline offers peer counselling and referral to local recourses; operated by Heartbeat International. optionline.org or 800-712-HELP (4357)

COMMITTEES AND ACTIVITIES

Ladies Altar Guild Mary Claire Adams 515-0973	Parish Pastoral Council Andy Piffat 804-897-4322	Parish Library Antoinette Cleary 748-3179 antoinettejjj@gmail.com	Safe Environment Committee Mary Poerstel 804-432-5134
Maintenance/Improvements John Hewitt 804-320-4932	Religious Education Katy Hichborn edu@stjosephrichmond.org	St. Camillus de Lellis Prayer Group Margaret Ansari 716-1086	Sacristan Antoinette Cleary 748-3179
Savvy Seniors Mary Alice Hoffman 440-1618 maternisericordiae@yahoo.com	Finance Council Bob Stolle finance@stjosephrichmond.org	Volunteer Coordinator Michelle Blake volunteer@stjosephrichmond.org	Apostolate of Mary, Mother of Priests Louise Caouette-Diman 935-3399
Gift Shop Rose Mary Cosby 272-3908	Knights of Columbus Tom Dennis 804-382-9126	Flower Guild Andria Morris 525-0733	Legion of Mary Uni Kemp 804-439-6907
Ushers Patrick Latimer 262-7628	Web Master website@stjosephrichmond.org	Friday Adoration Bernadette Piccininni 291-8961	

“...there will be joy among the angels over one sinner who repents.”

(Luke 15:10)



Saint Joseph Parish

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

Rev. Karl Marsolle, FSSP, Pastor

Rev. David Franco, FSSP, Vicar

Schedule for Holy Mass

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

Holy Days of Obligation: see calendar
Confession: ½ hour before all Masses,
Saturdays - 10 am to 12 noon

Devotions:
- 1st Sat. Rosary & Meditation after Mass
- Miraculous Medal Novena after Wednesday evening Mass
- Adoration: Wednesday 7 pm-9 pm
1st Friday 8 am-5 pm
Other Fridays 8 am-12 noon

Parish Office

Hours: Mon. - Fri., 9 am — 3 pm
828 Buford Rd., N. Chesterfield, VA 23235
www.stjosephrichmond.org
Voice: (804) 320-4932
Text: (804) 307-8390
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Sacramental emergencies: 396-5665

Beverly Howe, Administrative Assistant
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David Pedersen, Choirmaster
music@stjosephrichmond.org

MASS SCHEDULE — INTENTIONS — REQUESTED BY		
Sun. June 30 3rd Sunday After Pentecost (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am Pro Populo 11 am FSSP 4:30 pm Homeless/Displaced of RVA	— BH MAH
Mon. July 1 Most Precious Blood of Jesus (1st Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Souls in Purgatory	— WC
Tues. July 2 Visitation of the B.V.M. (2nd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Mary Alice Fain †	— RF
Wed. July 3 St. Irenaeus (3rd Cl.)	7 am Private Intention 6 pm Clara Bauduin <i>Adoration 7 pm—9 pm</i>	EB AJ
Thurs. July 4 Feria (4th Cl.)	8 am Mark Edward Kowalski 10 am Kathleen Walters †	EG CH
Fri. July 5 St. Anthony Mary Zaccariah (3rd Cl.)	7 am FSSP <i>Adoration from 8 am—5 pm</i> 6 pm Sharon Vivian †	PBD DL
Sat. July 6 Saturday of Our Lady (4th Cl.)	9 am Robert Lavelly	RP
Sun. July 7 4th Sunday After Pentecost (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am John C. Zuber † 11 am Pro Populo 4:30 pm FSSP	JJ — RB
Mon. July 8 St. Elizabeth of Portugal (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Private Intention	— AG
Tues. July 9 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Mr. & Mrs. B. Hodge & Family	— AC
Wed. July 10 7 Holy Bros. & Ss. Rufina & Sucunda (3rd Cl.)	7 am Sr. Maria Carmen of Christ 6 pm Rhonda McCoy <i>Adoration 7 pm—9 pm</i>	KH DM
Thurs. July 11 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am FSSP 9 am Jesse, Joseph, & John Cleary	LA AC
Fri. July 12 St. John Gualbert (3rd Cl.)	7 am Linda Bishop <i>Adoration from 8 am—5 pm</i> 6 pm Rob & Rose Bradshaw	TD DF
Sat. July 13 Saturday of Our Lady (4th Cl.)	9 am Frs. Casavantes, McNeeley, Gordon, & Novokowsky	EMD

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Margaret Stacy, Joyce Matte, Renu Brennan, Joe Guerrero, Rachel Bisson, Joanne Burchell, Linda Bishop, Cathy Dickson, Brenda Baldwin, Ruth Zacharias, George Jay, Louise Caouette-Diman, Gerald Thomas, Angela Thomas, Justine Madigan, Rhonda McCoy, Mary Wilhelm, Edward Horgan III, The D'Aconti Family, Tom Osborne, Margaret Stacy, Andrew Priddy, Dorothy McKinley, The Patrowicz Family, Joe Bush, Natalie McNeil, Charles Furlough, Ed Peters, Angela Rhys-Sonnenschein, Bob Martin, Patricia Willard, Elizabeth Storm, Jeanette LaPaglia, Cathy Van Pelt, Barbara Reith, Diane Hayes, Gerard Lajoie, Kathleen Stells, Julie Trexler, Theresa Trexler, Dick and Nan Wray, Mary Zacharias, Suki & Beau Simpson, Maryann McLaughlin, Ann Horgan.

In your charity, please remember the repose of the souls of all the faithful departed. Requiescant in pace.

Mass Schedule:

- **Thurs. 4 July:** 8 am & 10 am
- **Sun. 7 July:** 8:30 am Low Mass, 11 am Solemn High Mass, 4:30 pm Low Mass

Parish Office Transition

Monday July 1 through Friday July 5.

Last Chance to Claim Blessed Items

All unclaimed items remaining on Mon. 1 July will be **given away**.

Something To Get Rid Of?

The parish cannot effectively accommodate “donated” items being dropped off. It may be the case that your items (religious, baby, household) will be desired by and/or useful to another parishioner. For this reason, the parish will host a “Treasure Swap” semi-annually. Outside of these occasions, please check with the office before dropping any items off. Thank you very much.

Collecting for the Homeless

St. Peter's does not collect clothing during the summer months. Please see the new list of needed items on the bin near the Parish

Upcoming Events

June 30—Fr. Karl Marsolle's first Sunday.
July 1-5—Transition Week: Office Closed
July 4—Mass Schedule: 8 am & 10 am
July 6 & 7—Fr. Novokowsky's Farewell Events
July 7—Fr. David Franco's first Sunday
July 7—Fr. Novokowsky's last Sunday
 Solemn High Mass at 11 am.

Office.

Fr. Novokowsky's Farewell Events

RSVP by Tuesday, 2 July. See the insert for details.

Transition Week: July 1-5

As you may understand, there are many things required to transition from one pastor to the next and there is much time needed for this peaceful transition. For this purpose, the office is going to be closed to all but emergency services or previously scheduled meetings. There is lots of time later for welcoming Frs. Marsolle & Franco, and Fr. Novokowsky's time has sadly come to an end.

New Priests' Email

Email addresses for new priests will be published next week.

Fr. Terrence Gordon's Forwarding Address

Immaculate Conception
 PO Box 5211
 Colorado Springs, CO 80931-5211

Pastor's Corner



Dear Parishioners,

Well, this is my last corner. Let's take a retrospective. You have Eric Demyanovich to thank for these 'Corners.' As a member of the Finance council years back, he said it would improve the bulletin—it's what his childhood priest did. You can be the judge as to whether we achieved this end.

We had a beautiful Corpus Christi “altar of repose”. We have Nino Ballesteros to thank for that. He was up until midnight putting it together; it added a lot to our procession.

I am very proud of the best-ever Corpus Christi Picnic this year; not because I deserve the credit—but precisely because I don't. I gave some early opinions; a committee then took the reins and created a great event, ably guided by Lorraine Hewitt.

We just enthroned the parish to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. You have Mary Alice Hoffman to thank for that, among others. She's been suggesting this for years. Sometimes patience wins the day!

We have beautiful islands in our parking lot. You have Bob Ulrich to thank for that. I resisted the idea at first, because of the expense it entailed, but later ran with the idea and add benches, etc.

I'm much better about staying on top of my mail, etc. (Alas, better doesn't equal great, necessarily.) We have Beverly to thank for that, and a thousand other things too, of course.

If one of our parish boys becomes a priest, who should we thank for that? Many people, of course, including those who prayed every month, as the Apostolate of Mary does.

I have more people to thank than there is capacity in my memory, or space in this bulletin. In addition, there are some, perhaps numerous, who deserve to receive profuse praise and thanksgiving, but who will not be thanked until eternity, because their gifts are unknown. Thank you!

Insofar as I have done my God-given duty, you have been the beneficiaries. If you wish to thank me, I say: “You are welcome!” Let us give to the good God all the credit. Insofar as I have neglected my duty, or worse, have contradicted my duty, you have suffered and for this I apologize; please forgive me. I pray that God makes up for my failures.

A community is meant to function as a unit. Each



Fr. Novokowky's Farewell Weekend Events

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Given the limited space in Fr. Adrian Hall, we are considering two events to accommodate as many of our parishioners as possible who would like to say their farewells.

Since we are not sure both events are needed, it is important for you to **RSVP for one or the other** so that plans can be made accordingly.

Saturday, July 6th, 12 noon to 3:00 pm
a light catered lunch

Or

Sunday, July 7th, 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm
a brunch reception

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