

Behold the perfect Prayer of Christ, the perfect Sacrifice. Live it to the fullest. This means: prepare for it by a good prayer life, by safeguarding and treasuring the most precious gift of sanctifying grace in your soul, by uniting yourself to this perfect Sacrifice of Christ to His heavenly Father as often as you can. Offer your prayers and your personal sacrifices to God that those whom He called to labor in his vineyard may be found faithful. And persevere! We know how the story ends. God wins. It won't be pretty 'til then. We just need to stay on His side.

Holy Mother Church fittingly teaches us to pray in the beautiful Collect taken from the Mass of Jesus Christ Our Lord, Eternal High Priest:

O God, whom for the glory of your majesty and the salvation of mankind, have established your Only Begotten Son High and Eternal Priest, grant that those He has chosen for Himself as ministers and dispensers of His mysteries show themselves faithful in the fulfilment of the ministry they have received. Through the same Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

Please know that you and your families are in my prayers, especially at the Altar of Our Lord.

Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP

Cardinal Newman Academy Craft Fair
Sat. 23 Nov., 9 am-2:30 pm. 8706 Quaker Lane, Bon Air, VA 23235 Local Catholic artisans with religious & non-religious items for sale. Concessions available for purchase, raffles, fun for the whole family. Info or vendor application: cnacraftfair@gmail.com.

Irish Cultural Presentation
Wed. 20 Nov. at 7 pm, at Chesterfield LaPrade Branch Library. John Countryman, Ph.D. speaks on Old Irish tales written during Christianity in Ireland, but preserving elements of Irish mythology. Refreshments and discussion to follow. All welcome. Sponsored by AOH: Msgr. Charles A. Kelly Division.

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)			
Sunday Offertory for Nov. 3, 2019			
	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$7,067	—	—
Online	\$1,365	—	—
Total	\$8,432	\$8,846	(\$414)
YTD	\$164,679	\$159,228	\$5,451
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$1,162	—	—
Online	\$432	—	—
Total	\$1,594	\$1,635	(\$41)
YTD	\$34,544	\$29,430	\$5,114
Thank you for your continued generosity!			

**“Out of the depths
I have cried to
thee, O Lord: Lord,
hear my voice.”**

(Ps. 129:1-2)



Saint Joseph Parish

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

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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

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Mother of Priests**
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MASS SCHEDULE — INTENTIONS — REQUESTED BY		
Sun. November 10 22nd Sunday After Pentecost (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am Therese Sanctafamilia 11 am Pro Populo 4:30 pm Terry L. Stacy †	PJO — KS
Mon. November 11 St. Martin of Tours (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Shawn & Lisa Doran & Family	— RD
Tues. November 12 St. Martin I (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Si Young Yun & Jae Run Kim & Family	— UK
Wed. November 13 St. Frances Xavier Cabrini (3rd Cl.)	7 am FSSP 6 pm Sonjia Baldwin † <i>Adoration from 7 pm—9 pm</i>	MM RLH
Thurs. November 14 St. Josaphat (3rd Cl.)	7 am Timothy Vance 9 am Eleanor Mason †	BH TDM
Fri. November 15 St. Albert the Great (3rd Cl.)	7 am Walter & Maria Magnelli † <i>Adoration from 8 am—12 noon</i> 6 pm Souls in Purgatory	RB KZ
Sat. November 16 St. Gertrude the Great (3rd Cl.)	9 am Natalie McNiel †	CMD
Sun. November 17 23rd Sunday After Pentecost (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am Pro Populo 11 am Brian Kettmer 4:30 pm Richard Clatchey †	— TK EMD
Mon. November 18 Ded. Basilicas of SS. Peter & Paul (3rd Cl.)	7 am Dumitru Ioan Nastase †	MJA
Tues. November 19 St. Elizabeth of Hungary (3rd Cl.)	7 am Natalie McNiel †	BP
Wed. November 20 St. Felix of Valois (3rd Cl.)	7 am Queruben Gonzales † <i>Adoration cancelled</i>	RG
Thurs. November 21 Presentation of the B.V.M. (3rd Cl.)	7 am The Heller Family	KS
Fri. November 22 St. Cecilia (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention <i>Adoration from 8 am—12 noon</i> 6 pm Angela Ulrich	— BCU
Sat. November 23 St. Clement I (3rd Cl.)	9 am Jak Kettmer	TK

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Donna Beaven, Elizabeth Grapes, Joyce Matte, Kelly Dise, Anne Louise Kelly, Rachel O'Connell, Nancy Becouvarakis, Andrew Shadoyn, Mary Pearl Nacey, Justine Madigan, Claire Bonilla, Florence Cahill, Carol Chalkley, Doug Kelley, Ken Diman, Brian Cahill, John Osborne, Michael Osborne, DJ Wanting, Monique Diman, Clarence Proffitt, Connie Hoffman, The D'Aconti Family, Tom Osborne, Andrew Priddy, Dorothy McKinley, Joe Bush, 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 souls of all the faithful departed. Requiescant in pace.

Now Available!

Sacramental certificates are ready to be picked up at the Parish Office for all Marriages, Baptisms, First Holy Communions, & Confirmations since Easter. Thank you for your patience.

TODAY

Honoring Our Military Veterans

Stop by the Pieta in the vestibule to light a candle and pray for our parish family's military veterans.

TODAY—Used Book Sale for Religious Education

Sun., 10 Nov. after the morning Masses. Any books you wish to donate for the sale will be gratefully accepted! Contact Katy Hichborn with any questions or suggestions: kdhichborn@gmail.com

RCIA—Catechism of the Council of Trent Thursdays, 7-8 pm. Open to all. Contact the office for the full class schedule & to register. Books available in the Gift Shop.

Upcoming Events

- Nov. 10**—Book Sale for Religious Education
- Nov. 16**—Apostolate of Mary, Mother of Priests Altar Server Practice
- Nov. 17**—Guest Speaker Event
- Nov. 23**—Savvy Seniors Activity

The Traditional Catholic Doctrine of Creation: The Only Firm Foundation for a Culture of Life
Sun. 17 Nov. Come hear a presentation given by Mr. Hugh Owen and Miss Pamela Acker of the Kolbe Institute. See the insert for details.

Savvy Seniors Activity

Sat. 23 Nov., 10 am in Fr. Adrian Hall. "All-Natural Personal Care Products" a presentation by Simone Jansen. Pizza for lunch—RSVP to Mary Alice Hoffman: 804-440-1618

Bake Sale: Sun. 24 Nov.

Fr. Adrian Hall & Vestibule after the morning Masses. Donated baked goods gratefully accepted. The St. Camillus Prayer Group prays and writes cards to the sick of the parish. Thank you for supporting them.

Home for the Holidays

Michele Morris warmly invites St. Joseph parishioners without travel plans or family nearby for a Thanksgiving potluck dinner at 1 pm in Fr. Adrian Hall. We require final headcount by Wed. 20 November. Signups in Fr. Adrian Hall. Questions & info, contact Michele: magdalenedivlove@gmail.com.

Altar Servers Online

We are pleased to announce that we have a new website dedicated for the Altar Boys. The address is <https://stjoseph828.wixsite.com/ststephensguild>



Pastor's Corner



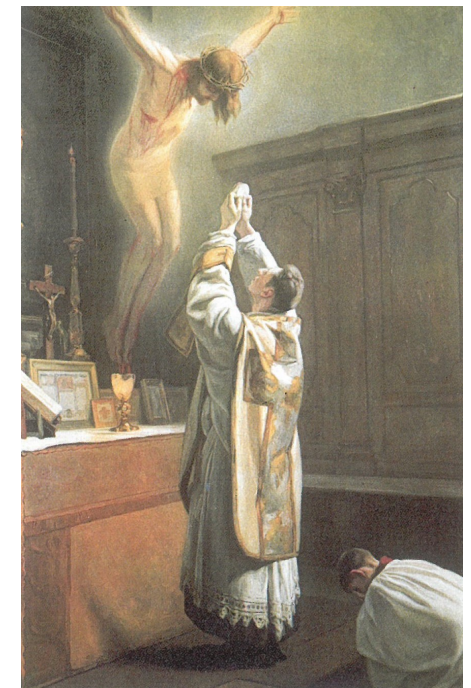
Dear Parishioners,

Yes, this is a rerun of last week's corner. I think it is that important.

Many have approached me and expressed heartfelt concerns about recent events in the Universal Church. "Father, what should we do? What can we do? How are we to understand this? Certain elements of the Amazon Synod, no matter how you package them, are extremely confusing or just plain scandalous... What are we to do Father?!"

Well, for all things and especially those things that are out of our hands and out of our sphere of influence, we can and must turn to God, or else we run the danger of losing our interior peace. And we can turn to God even more earnestly because those things really and truly are out of our hands. There are no other options. So what you can really do is this: turn to God and live your relationship with Christ to the fullest and you will bring up the Church.

Behold the Worship of the One True God.



St. Joseph Parish presents

**Miss Pamela Acker
& Mr. Hugh Owen**

to speak on

**The Traditional Catholic
Doctrine of Creation:
The Only Firm Foundation
for a Culture of Life**

Sunday, 17 November 2019

1 pm to 3:30 pm

in Fr. Adrian Hall

Refreshments Provided

In this presentation, Mr. Owen and Miss Acker will set forth the traditional Catholic doctrine of creation and describe the challenge that was brought against that doctrine from natural scientists outside of the Catholic Church in the nineteenth century. They will then show how twenty-first century natural science has refuted the challenge mounted against the traditional doctrine of creation, and explain why it is imperative that Catholics restore and defend the traditional doctrine of creation to transform the anti-culture of death into a culture of life.

Their presentation will deepen your faith in the wisdom and goodness of God and in the perfect harmony between natural science and divine revelation.

About the Speakers:

Miss Pamela Acker holds a Master's degree in Biology from The Catholic University of America. She has taught science in a variety of settings (from middle school to college) since 2008. Prior to working as a teacher, Pamela was involved in biological research as a whole genome library maker at The Genome Sequencing Center at Washington University in Saint Louis. She has also conducted research in vaccine delivery using T4 bacteriophage nanoparticles, and was briefly involved in researching novel gene regulation mechanisms in *C. elegans*.

Mr. Hugh Owen is the convert son of Sir David Owen, a former secretary general of International Planned Parenthood Federation. Mr. Owen directs the Kolbe Center for the Study of Creation which provides a forum for Catholic theologians, philosophers, and natural scientists all over the world who are dedicated to making sure that the evidence for and against the evolutionary hypothesis is made available to Church leaders and to the lay faithful. He is also a member of the recently founded John Paul II Academy for Human Life and the Family. Mr. Owen and his colleagues have participated in conferences on creation and evolution at major academic centers in Europe, including a conference at Gustav Siewerth Akademie in Germany which received the explicit blessing and encouragement of Pope Benedict XVI.

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