



*“Thou shalt send forth thy spirit, and they shall be created: and thou shalt renew the face of the earth.”*

*(Psalm 103:30)*

# Saint Joseph Parish

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

**A Note From Fr. Rossi &  
Saint Peter Catholic Church**

Dear St. Joseph Parishioners,

Words cannot convey our appreciation & gratitude for your constant care of the homeless and working poor of Richmond. You are always so conscientious of the needs of the Saint Peter Outreach Program, but especially now, your diligence seems boundless and we cannot thank you enough!!!

The Outreach program has continued to provide hot meals, showers, and pantry services to the most vulnerable of Richmond VA, even through this Covid19 pandemic. Your thoughtfulness helps us to keep helping those in need. Saint Peter is a small congregation, but to have the Saint Joseph congregation so willing to answer the call of need is a blessing. You are truly our sister parish, who always comes armed with can goods, pasta, vegetables and clean underwear!!! Thank you, thank you, thank you so very much!!!!

Sincerely,  
Fr. Rossi

<b>Sunday Offertory for May 24, 2020</b>			
	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
<b>Operations</b>			
In Pew	\$10,290	—	—
Online	\$5,417	—	—
<b>Ascension Thursday</b>			
In Pew	\$150		
Online	\$285		
Total	\$16,142	\$8,846	\$7,296
YTD	\$446,873	\$415,762	\$31,111
<b>Capital Improvements</b>			
In Pew	\$836	—	—
Online	\$640	—	—
Total	\$1,476	\$1,635	(\$159)
YTD	\$84,745	\$76,845	\$7,900

*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](http://optionline.org) or 800-712-HELP (4357)

**COMMITTEES AND ACTIVITIES**

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

**Rev. Karl Marsolle, FSSP, Pastor**  
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**Parish Office**

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**Beverly Howe, Administrative Assistant**  
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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

MASS SCHEDULE — INTENTIONS — REQUESTED BY		
<b>Sun. May 31</b> Pentecost Sunday (1st Cl.)	8 am Pro Populo 11 am Elizabeth Waters 4:30 pm Joann Dalykas †	— LA DF
<b>Mon. June 1</b> Pentecost Monday (1st Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 10 am Zanoni Family	— KNZ
<b>Tues. June 2</b> Pentecost Tuesday (1st Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 10 am Gregory Barton	— LJB
<b>Wed. June 3</b> Ember Wed. of Pentecost (1st Cl.)	7 am Fr. Terrence Gordon 6 pm Peter Malloy †	DV CM
<b>Thurs. June 4</b> Pentecost Thursday (1st Cl.)	7 am Karin Haley † 10 am Fr. Joe Koury	LH SF
<b>Fri. June 5</b> Ember Friday of Pentecost (1st Cl.)	7 am Charles P. Ajemian † 6 pm Private Intention	JE JP
<b>Sat. June 6</b> Ember Saturday of Pentecost (1st Cl.)	9 am The Heavenly Court 2 pm Celebrant's Intention	PBD —
<b>Sun. June 7</b> Trinity Sunday (1st Cl.)	8 am The Steszewski Family 11 am Pro Populo 4:30 pm Celebrant's Intention	KS — —
<b>Mon. June 8</b> Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Milagros V. Cruz 10 am Amy Wadsworth	DV AW
<b>Tues. June 9</b> Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Karin Haley † 10 am Celebrant's Intention	LH —
<b>Wed. June 10</b> St. Margaret of Scotland (3rd Cl.)	7 am Amanda Leigh Kyker † 6 pm Florence Smith	AW HCS
<b>Thurs. June 11</b> Corpus Christi (1st Cl.)	7 am Thanksgiving thru Mary 10 am FSSP	CP LA
<b>Fri. June 12</b> St. John of San Facundo (3rd Cl.)	7 am Jesse, Joseph & John Cleary 6 pm Rosario H. Baul †	AC PBD
<b>Sat. June 13</b> St. Anthony of Padua (3rd Cl.)	9 am Terry Stacy † 2 pm Celebrant's Intention	KS —

**PRAYER INTENTIONS**

Bill Bergamini, Samuel O'Brien, John Poerstel, Justine Madigan, Kenny Montgomery, Marysia Kolbe Rieder, David Bauer, Scott Kuck, Michael Osborne, Marian Piracci, Lisa Kovatch, Joe Diman, Ruth Zacharias, Sharon Curry, Elizabeth Waters, Joyce Matte, Clarence Proffitt, The D'Aconti Family, Tom Osborne, Andrew Priddy, Joe Bush, Charles Furlough, Ed Peters, Angela Rhys-Sonnenschein, Bob Martin, Patricia Willard, Elizabeth Storm, Jeanette LaPaglia, Cathy Van Pelt, Barbara Reith, Gerard Lajoie, Julie Trexler, Theresa Trexler, Suki & Beau Simpson, Maryann McLaughlin.

*In your charity, please remember the souls of Merle Washington, and all the faithful departed. Requiescant in pace.*

**Public Mass Schedule for Phase 1**

Please carefully note the times listed for Mass as there are many changes to our usual schedule; these are highlighted in grey. The afternoon Mass on Saturday is for those in the vulnerable category only: those aged 60+, the immunocompromised, and those who care for them.

**Live Streaming**

We are still live streaming Mass every day: 11 am Sun., 10 am Mon., Tues, Thurs., 6 pm Wed., Fri. & 9 am Sat.. They can be watched through YouTube. The link is available on [www.stjosephrichmond.org](http://www.stjosephrichmond.org)

**Confessions**

We are returning to our usual confession schedule of 30 minutes before each Mass and Saturday from 10 am to 12 noon.

**Unable to Get Groceries?**

If you are in need of assistance with shopping or errands during this time of quarantine, we have volunteers ready and willing to lend a hand. Please contact the parish office for details.

**Upcoming Events**  
All events cancelled until further notice.

**Online Giving**

Thank you for your continued and very edifying generosity; the Parish depends on it. To create an account visit [stjosephrichmond.weshareonline.org](http://stjosephrichmond.weshareonline.org) For help or questions, please don't hesitate to contact the office.

**Parish Blog**

In an effort to provide you with some spiritual support and guidance in these troubling times we have created a blog.

<https://stjoseph828.wixsite.com/stjosephblog>



**Corporal Works of Mercy**

In addition to feeding the hungry, St. Peter's Church downtown also runs a shower program for the homeless. This ministry is in need of the following items:

**Men's underwear in the following sizes:**

- Boxers in medium, large and x-large
- T-shirts in large and x large
- Socks in size 9 - 11 white sports socks

**Women's underwear:**

- Bras in sizes 36 - 44
- Underwear in sizes 6, 7 and 8
- Any color sport socks

The clothes closet is now open, but only accepting lightweight casual clothes in all sizes for both men and women. Clean and in good condition, please.

Also need tennis shoes for both men and women.

If you have a large quantity of items, you will need to contact St. Peter's Church directly at 643-4315. Thank you for your generosity in this corporal work of mercy. May God reward you!

**Pastor's Corner**



Dear Parishioners,

Even with restrictions, how wonderful it is to be able to attend Holy Mass again! The attendance at the 7 a.m. and the 6 p.m. weekday Masses has been edifying and clearly many of you seem to be "making up for lost time".

Our Lord said to St. Faustina: "I am the same under each of the species, but not every soul receives Me with the same faith as you do, My daughter, and therefore I cannot act in their souls as I do in yours." (Diary, 1407)

The Church reminds us and teaches us to pray:

*O Sacred banquet, in which Christ is received, the memory of His Passion is renewed, the mind is filled with grace, and a pledge of future glory is given us.*

*V. Thou didst give them bread from heaven:*

*R. Containing in itself all sweetness*

*Let us pray. O God, who under a wonderful Sacrament hast left us a memorial of Thy Passion ; grant us, we beseech Thee, so to reverence the sacred mysteries of Thy Body and Blood, that we may ever feel within ourselves the fruit of Thy Redemption: who livest and reignest for ever and ever. Amen.*

May we treasure what is given us and never take it for granted.

As the phases of the lifting of restrictions progress, I will be sure to let you know when and how the ceremonies we were all looking forward to will happen (1st Holy Communion, Confirmations).

I would like to thank all of you who support our parish with your generosity, with your time, with your sacrifices and prayers. It is truly humbling. Thank you to all our volunteers: sanitizing crews, porters, ushers and camera crew. May God reward you.

Please be assured of your priests' prayers, especially at the Altar.

*Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP*