

Corner Cont.

Thing is not bread and wine. And thus room is left for faith; Christ Who has a Form That can be seen, is here taken and received not only unseen, but seeming to be bread and wine, and the senses, which judge by the wonted look, are warranted against error.

“No other sacrament has greater healing power; through it sins are purged away, virtues are increased, and the soul is enriched with an abundance of every spiritual gift. It is offered in the Church for the living and the dead, so that what was instituted for the salvation of all may be for the benefit of all. Yet, in the end, no one can fully express the sweetness of this sacrament, in which spiritual delight is tasted at its very source, and in which we renew the memory of that surpassing love for us which Christ revealed in his passion.

“It was to impress the vastness of this love more firmly upon the hearts of the faithful that our Lord instituted this sacrament at the Last Supper. As he was on the point of leaving the world to go to the Father, after celebrating the Passover with his disciples, he left it as a perpetual memorial of his passion. It was the fulfillment of ancient figures and the greatest of all his miracles, while for those who

were to experience the sorrow of his departure, it was destined to be a unique and abiding consolation.”

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

*Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP*

**Sunday Offertory for June 7, 2020**

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
<b>Operations</b>			
In Pew	\$10,931	—	—
Online	\$2,793	—	—
<b>Ascension Thursday</b>			
Online	\$30		
Total	\$13,754	\$8,846	\$4,908
YTD	\$469,339	\$433,454	\$35,885
<b>Capital Improvements</b>			
In Pew	\$935	—	—
Online	\$722	—	—
Total	\$1,657	\$1,635	\$22
YTD	\$88,773	\$80,115	\$8,658

*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 antoinettejij@gmail.com	<b>Special Events Coordinator</b> Lorraine Hewitt events@stjosephrichmond.org
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<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

**“He that eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, abideth in me, and I in him.”**

*(John 6:57)*



**June 14, 2020**

# Saint Joseph Parish

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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. June 14</b> Ext. Solemnity of Corpus Christi (2nd Cl.)	8 am Lydia Burnell 11 am Pro Populo 4:30 pm Celebrant's Intention	KLD — —
<b>Mon. June 15</b> Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 10 am Private Intention	— SL
<b>Tues. June 16</b> Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 10 am Kathleen Stells	— KS
<b>Wed. June 17</b> St. Gregory Barbarigo (3rd Cl.)	7 am Scott & Alma York 6 pm Diane Piffat † <i>1 hr. Adoration after 6p. Mass</i>	TD ARP
<b>Thurs. June 18</b> St. Ephrem of Syria (3rd Cl.)	7 am Intentions of the Sacred Heart 10 am John Poerstel II	AG JMP
<b>Fri. June 19</b> Sacred Heart of Jesus (1st Cl.)	7 am Jim Hale <i>1 hr. Adoration after 7a. Mass</i> 6 pm Private Intention	CP CW
<b>Sat. June 20</b> Saturday of Our Lady (4th Cl.)	9 am Chloe Norris 2 pm Celebrant's Intention	AW —
<b>Sun. June 21</b> Ext. Solemnity of the Sacred Heart (2nd Cl.)	<b>8:30 am</b> Fr. Robert Novokowsky 11 am FSSP 4:30 pm Pro Populo	LH CF —
<b>Mon. June 22</b> St. Paulinus of Nola (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention <b>9 am</b> James Espinoza †	— PF
<b>Tues. June 23</b> Vigil: Nativity, St. John the Baptist (2nd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention <b>9 am</b> Rose Pascucci	— MM
<b>Wed. June 24</b> Nativity of St. John the Baptist (1st Cl.)	7 am Natalie McNeil † 6 pm Ernest & Aline Caouette † <i>1 hr. Adoration after 6p. Mass</i>	MAH KLD
<b>Thurs. June 25</b> St. William (3rd Cl.)	7 am Mrs. Michelle Blake <b>9 am</b> The Story Family	SJHC SF
<b>Fri. June 26</b> SS. John & Paul (3rd Cl.)	7 am Paulita B. Dudley <i>1 hr. Adoration after 7a. Mass</i> 6 pm William Bergamini	PBD LB
<b>Sat. June 27</b> Saturday of Our Lady (4th Cl.)	9 am Ethel Dahlem 2 pm Celebrant's Intention	MD —

**PRAYER INTENTIONS**

Cathy Dickson, Joe Mihalick, Bill Bergamini, Samuel O'Brien, John Poerstel, Justine Madigan, Kenny Montgomery, 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 all the faithful departed. Requiescant in pace.***

**Corpus Christi Devotions**

There is Exposition & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament following each Mass today.

**Public Mass Schedule for Phase 2**

Please carefully note the times listed for Mass; **Phase 2 changes take effect on Sun. 21 June.** 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)

**Online Giving**

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

**FORMED**

Saint Joseph's Parish now has a Formed account! This means you can access a great number of resources on a variety of topics regarding Our Beautiful Catholic Faith for free! Instructions available on our website.

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

**Gift Shop**

The St. Joseph Gift Shop reopens today—Sun. June 14—for one hour following each of the morning Masses.

**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!

**Holy Wood Carvings**

The COVID-19 pandemic has left the streets of Bethlehem & Jerusalem empty as thousands of pilgrims were forced to leave the Holy Land. This has serious repercussions for many Christian families. In the past, when the Holy Land experienced wartime conditions, it was possible to find an economic niche outside tourism. However, the pandemic has affected all business sectors as everything is shut down. Even we in the Holy Land Crafts & Pilgrimage group are unable to help during this difficult time because of the closures here in the U.S. As our visit to your parish this year is unpredictable, we humbly ask you to visit our website [www.holylandcrafts.net](http://www.holylandcrafts.net). We value your support through these unprecedented times. May God bless you and keep you safe.

**Pastor's Corner**



Dear Faithful,

Our Lord said at the Last Supper: "I have greatly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer." God desires something ardently and it involves us directly. Following the Feast of the Holy Trinity, we celebrate the feast of Corpus Christi and that of the Sacred Heart. The Holy Trinity calls us to share the intimacy of His Life. The Way is Our Lord and His Eucharistic Heart. As we celebrate these feasts, may we ponder St. Thomas Aquinas' prayer:

"O precious and wonderful banquet!

"Since it was the will of God's only-begotten Son that men should share in his divinity, he assumed our nature in order that by becoming man he might make men gods. Moreover, when he took our flesh he dedicated the whole of its substance to our salvation. He offered his body to God the Father on the altar of the cross as a sacrifice for our reconciliation. He shed his blood for our ransom and purification, so that we might be redeemed from our wretched state of bondage and cleansed from all sin. But to ensure that the memory of so great a gift would abide with us forever, he left his body as food and his blood as drink for the faithful to consume in the form of bread and wine.

"O precious and wonderful banquet that brings us salvation and contains all sweetness! Could anything be of more intrinsic value? Under the old law it was the flesh of calves and goats that was offered, but here Christ himself, the true God, is set before us as our food. Than this Sacrament can anything be more marvelous? Therein it comes to pass that bread and wine are no longer bread and wine, but the Body and Blood of Christ; that is to say, Christ Himself, Perfect God and Perfect Man, Christ Himself is there, under the appearance of a little bread and wine. His faithful ones eat Him, but He is not mangled. When [the veil which shrouds Him in] this Sacrament is broken, in each broken piece thereof remains the whole Christ Himself, Perfect God and Perfect Man. All that the senses can reach in this Sacrament, [look, taste, feel, smell, and the like, all these] abide of bread and wine, but the

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