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actions” (no. 37). Of these, abortion is the “preeminent priority because it directly attacks life itself, because it takes place within the sanctuary of the family, and because of the number of lives destroyed” (Faithful Citizenship, Introductory Letter). Since the 1973 Roe v. Wade decision, there have been more than 61 million abortions in our country. Other issues of grave moral importance “undercut the dignity of the human person” (nos. 22, 23). Our priority must be to protect life to the fullest extent possible.

These principles spell it out quite clearly.

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

Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP

A few announcements:

-Thank you for your continued generosity. The Parish depends on you!

- I encourage you to join us in praying the Christ the King novena whether here or from home.

From the Diocese

The Independent Reconciliation Program announced in February, designed to further healing for and to provide assistance to those who endured child sexual abuse committed by Catholic clergy in the Diocese of Richmond, concluded on Oct. 15. A summary report has been issued: assistance.richmonddiocese.org. Please continue to pray for all victim survivors of sexual abuse.

“All kings of the earth shall adore him: all nations shall serve him.”

(Ps. 71:11)



October 25, 2020

Saint Joseph Parish

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

Sunday Offertory for Oct. 18, 2020			
	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$4,779	—	—
Online	\$3,187	—	—
Total	\$7,966	\$9,211	(\$1,245)
YTD	\$143,524	\$147,376	(\$3,852)
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$1,027	—	—
Online	\$472	—	—
Total	\$1,499	\$1,923	(\$424)
YTD	\$23,918	\$30,768	(\$6,850)
<i>Thank you for your continued generosity!</i>			
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	Special Events Coordinator Lorraine Hewitt events@stjosephrichmond.org
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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-8 pm
Fridays 8 am-9 am

MASS SCHEDULE	INTENTIONS	REQUESTED BY
Sun. October 25 Christ the King (1st Cl.)	8:30 am Pro Populo 11 am Grace LaChance 4:30 pm Gene Arnold †	— JS AJ
Mon. October 26 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Alan & Virginia Craig	— JL
Tues. October 27 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Jack Reynolds, IV	— DM
Wed. October 28 SS. Simon & Jude (2nd Cl.)	7 am John Aroutiounian † 6 pm The Ulrich Children <i>1 hr. Adoration after 6p. Mass</i>	RL BCU
Thurs. October 29 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Stephen & Vanessa Fitzpatrick 9 am Jay & Valerie Jameson	SVF LCD
Fri. October 30 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Michael F. Ott, Jr. † <i>1 hr. Adoration after 7a. Mass</i> 6 pm Roxanne Escobar † & Family	JP KB
Sat. October 31 Saturday of Our Lady (4th Cl.)	9 am Holy Souls in Purgatory	GOB
Sun. November 1 All Saints (1st Cl.)	8:30 am The Onofry Family 11 am Pro Populo 4:30 pm Celebrant's Intention	LA — —
Mon. November 2 Comm. of All Souls (1st Cl.)	7 am J. & M. Vander Putten † <i>+ 2 more Masses following</i> 10 am Fr. Adrian Harmening † 12:30 pm Private Intention 6 pm Private Intention	AS — — —
Tues. November 3 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Brigid Fitzpatrick	— SVF
Wed. November 4 St. Charles Borromeo (3rd Cl.)	7 am Private Intention 6 pm Billy Bergamini <i>1 hr. Adoration after 6p. Mass</i>	SL PCP
Thurs. November 5 Daily Mass for the Dead (4th Cl.)	7 am FSSP Members † 9 am Legion of Mary Mem. †	— LM
Fri. November 6 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Eric Plenn <i>1 hr. Adoration after 7a. Mass</i> 6 pm J. B. Sanctafamilia, Jr.	CP JVS
Sat. November 7 Our Lady on Saturday (4th Cl.)	9 am Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary	JP

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Carolina Davidson, Bill Madigan, Ken Hoffman, June Montante, Les & Theresa McCall, Marysia Kolbe Rieder, Ernest Bratt, John Osborne, Charlie Adams, Kenny Montgomery, 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.

Christ the King—TODAY

Sun. 25 October To honor this feast, there will be a Holy Hour with Exposition & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament immediately following the 11 am Mass.

Election Novena Begins TODAY

We will pray a novena to Christ the King after every Mass until Nov. 3, beseeching heaven for the best outcome in this election. Prayers available on the back table.

All Saints & All Souls

All Saints Day falls on a Sunday this year. The Mass schedule does not change. For details of the 6 Masses being offered on All Souls Day, please see the insert.

Free Viewing of Unplanned All Adults Welcome

Sat. 31 Oct., 10 am in Fr. Adrian Hall. The Savvy Seniors invite all interested adults to attend their showing of this prolife movie. RSVP to Mary Hoffman: 804-440-1618.

Knights of Columbus Monthly Meeting
Tues. 3 Nov. at 7 pm in the St. Joseph Room

Upcoming Events

Oct. 25—Christ the King: Holy Hour following the 11 am Mass
Oct. 31—Savvy Seniors Movie—All Welcome!
Nov. 1—All Saints Day: Masses at 8:30 am, 11 am, & 4:30 pm
Nov. 2—All Souls Day: 6 Masses (see insert)
Nov. 7—Rosary at the Abortion Clinic

Corporal Works of Mercy

St. Peter's shower program for the homeless needs volunteers 12:30 pm to 4 pm every Tuesday. **The shower ministry and the Food Pantry are still in need of various items. Please see the vestibule for details.** Large quantity of items? Please contact St. Peter's Church directly at 643-4315. Thank you for your generosity. May God reward you!

Rosary at the Abortion Clinic

Every first & third Saturday at 9 am on the corner of Boulevard & Grove.

Online Giving

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

Live Streaming

We live stream Mass every day. The link is available on our website: www.stjosephrichmond.org

A Different Kind of Political Engagement

Their Excellencies, Bishop Knestout & Bishop Burbidge have written a nice letter regarding the moral obligations of the Catholic faithful when voting in political elections. Please see this letter on the vestibule bulletin board.

Pastor's Corner



Dear Faithful,

Why does someone attend a traditional parish? I would think it is because there is a deep desire for reverence, for sacredness, for what the Church has always taught and for the way the Church has always prayed.

The elections are around the corner and there is a lot at stake.

I would like to assume every parishioner of St. Joseph's is on the same page as to what the Church teaches and how this teaching should form our consciences well. From well-formed consciences, we can make good moral choices and vote as a Catholic should.

Just in case though, I will quote their Excellencies Bishops Knestout and Burbidge on the matter in the letter we posted the past month:

We offer three main points:

- **Many issues are important.**
- **Not all issues have equal moral weight.**
- **Protecting life is paramount.**

As bishops responsible for the pastoral care of the faithful in our two dioceses, we re-offer these points here for your continued prayerful consideration, as an essential framework not only for the critical voting decisions that must be made each year but also for the vital prayer and advocacy that must be done on a constant basis.

Whenever human dignity is at stake for any of our brothers and sisters in the human family, we must be attentive and engaged. "[R]espect for the dignity of every person ... is the core of Catholic moral and social teaching" (Faithful Citizenship, no. 10).

Our moral obligation to oppose intrinsically evil acts – which are "always incompatible with love of God and neighbor" (Faithful Citizenship, no. 22) – "has a special claim on our consciences and our

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The Month of the Holy Souls

On all the days from November 1 through November 8 inclusive, a plenary indulgence, applicable only to the Poor Souls, is granted (under the usual conditions*) to those who visit a cemetery and pray, even if only mentally, for the departed. Partial indulgences are granted to those who recite Lauds or Vespers of the Office of the Dead, and to those who recite the prayer “*Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis. Requiescant in pace*” (“Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace”).

Nov. 2—All Souls Day

On this feast, priests may say three Masses. Fr. Franco will say Low Masses at 7 am, 7:30 am, and 8 am (times approximate). All are welcome to attend any or all of these Masses, but are reminded that the faithful are only permitted to receive the Blessed Sacrament twice in one day.

Fr. Marsolle will say a High Mass at 10 am for the repose of the soul of our founding pastor, Fr. Adrian Harmening, O.S.B. Fr. Marsolle will also say Low Masses at 12:30 pm and 6 pm.

Also on this feast, a plenary indulgence, applicable only to the Poor Souls, is granted (under the usual conditions) to those who visit any parish church or public oratory and there recite one Our Father and one Credo.

All Souls Day Mass Intentions

If you contribute online and wish to submit a list of names to be remembered in the Masses, please email the parish office: office@stjosephrichmond.org

* See reverse.

On Indulgences

- A. Indulgences, which remove temporal punishment due to forgiven sin, may be gained by the living for themselves or applied to the souls in purgatory but they cannot be applied to other living persons.
- B. Indulgences are called plenary if they remove all temporal punishment and partial if they remove only some of it.
- C. A plenary indulgence can be acquired only once in the course of a day but a partial indulgence may be acquired more than once a day.
- D. To gain an indulgence for oneself one must be baptized, in the state of grace at least at the completion of the prescribed work and subject to the one granting the indulgence. He must also have at least a general intention of gaining them and must perform the works enjoined at the time and in the manner prescribed.
- E. “To acquire a plenary indulgence,” the 1999 *Enchiridion of Indulgences*, issued by the Sacred Penitentiary, states, “it is necessary to perform the work to which the indulgence is attached and to fulfill the following three conditions: sacramental confession, eucharistic Communion, and prayer for the intention of the Sovereign Pontiff. It is further required that all attachment to sin, even venial sin, be absent.
“If the latter disposition is in any way less than perfect or if the prescribed three conditions are not fulfilled, the indulgence will be partial only...”
- F. The three conditions may be fulfilled several days before or after the performance of the prescribed work; it is, however, fitting that Communion be received and the prayer for the intention of the Sovereign Pontiff be said on the same day the work is performed. The condition of sacramental confession may be fulfilled within a period of about twenty days before or after the work is performed.