

Corner Cont.

nut after Mass or playing on the playground is a privilege. Privileges can and should be lost by misbehavior. Listen to their legitimate concerns but do not tolerate back-talk, which is more willful misbehavior.

Anger: If you are exasperated and become angry, what should you do? Don't act in anger. You know that children take time to learn, and their crying or whimpering, as a result of instruction, are the sounds of learning. Patience and consistency will win the day, one day.

Older Kids: Fathers, why are older kids frequently discovered wandering the hallways during Mass? Do they need to use the facilities or drink water that frequently? Outside of special medical conditions, such trips are unnecessary. If your kids are so bored at Mass that to wander around is a relief, they are suffering spiritual atrophy. Good spiritual reading is necessary to plant fertile thoughts in the garden of the mind. Saint stories work well for this purpose.

Spiritual Head: Fathers, you are the spiritual head of your household. It is your responsibility to see that good intellectual spiritual nourishment is being received. Once a week, bump-on-a-log Mass attendance isn't enough to get us to heaven in these dark times.

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

Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP

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Sunday Offertory for Nov. 1, 2020

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$2,714	—	—
Online	\$2,738	—	—
All Saints Day			
In Pew	\$4,058	—	—
Online	\$25	—	—
All Souls Day			
In Pew	\$2,130	—	—
Online	\$105	—	—
Total	\$11,770	\$9,211	\$2,559
YTD	\$162,654	\$165,798	(\$3,144)
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$423	—	—
Online	\$643	—	—
Total	\$1,066	\$1,923	(\$857)
YTD	\$26,143	\$34,614	(\$8,471)

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Special Collections October 2020

Collection	Total
Altar Flowers	\$30
FSSP Seminary Burse	\$2,142.04
Poor Box	\$908.06
Retired Religious	\$70
St. Bernadette Fund	\$1,619.85
World Missions	\$100

“Be of good heart, daughter, thy faith hath made thee whole.”

(Matt. 9:22)



November 8, 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-8 pm
Fridays 8 am-9 am

MASS SCHEDULE	INTENTIONS	REQUESTED BY
Sun. November 8 23rd Sunday After Pentecost (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am Joe Bush 11 am Frs. Marsolle & Franco 4:30 pm Pro Populo	MB AG —
Mon. November 9 Dedication of the Archbasilica of Our Holy Savior (2nd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Terry L. Stacy †	— KS
Tues. November 10 St. Andrew Avellino (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Frank Blake	— JMB
Wed. November 11 St. Martin of Tours (3rd Cl.)	7 am Mia Piccininni 6 pm The Steszewski Family 1 hr. Adoration after 6p. Mass	BP KS
Thurs. November 12 St. Martin I (3rd Cl.)	7 am Frs. Novokowsky & Gordon 9 am Sun Yi Cha & Chang Gun Yun †	EMD UK
Fri. November 13 St. Frances Xavier Cabrini (3rd Cl.)	7 am The McKenna Family 1 hr. Adoration after 7a. Mass 6 pm Kenneth F. Swider †	RM EG
Sat. November 14 St. Josaphat (3rd Cl.)	9 am Allison Simonis	TD
Sun. November 15 Resumed 6th Sun. After Epiphany (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am Rita & Bill Doran 11 am Pro Populo 4:30 pm Fr. Karl Marsolle	AJ — ML
Mon. November 16 St. Gertrude the Great (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Alison Kjergaard	— RL
Tues. November 17 St. Gregory the Wonderworker (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Holy Souls in Purgatory	— GOB
Wed. November 18 Ded.: Basilicas of SS. Peter & Paul (3rd Cl.)	7 am Rozanne Escobar † & Family 6 pm Paulita Dudley 1 hr. Adoration after 6p. Mass	KB LB
Thurs. November 19 St. Elizabeth of Hungary (3rd Cl.)	7 am Elizabeth Waters † 9 am Sang Nam Kim †	CBP UK
Fri. November 20 St. Felix of Valois (3rd Cl.)	7 am Thomas Miller Family 1 hr. Adoration after 7a. Mass 6 pm Elizabeth Waters †	BH GCP
Sat. November 21 Presentation of the B.V.M. (3rd Cl.)	9 am Angela Finucane	MM

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Carrie Wilson, Carolina Davidson, Bill Madigan, Ken Hoffman, June Montante, Les & Theresa McCall, Marysia Kolbe Rieder, Ernest Bratt, 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.

Online Giving

Thank you for your continued and very edifying generosity; the Parish depends on it. Visit: stjosephrichmond.weshareonline.org to create an account. 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: www.stjosephrichmond.org

Upcoming Events

Nov. 17—Rosary at the Abortion Clinic
Apostolate of Mary, Mother of Priests

Statement from Bishop Knestout Concerning Remarks Attributed to Pope Francis - 10/24/20

Bishop Barry C. Knestout Statement Following Recent News Coverage of Pope Francis' Film "Francesco" and Comments Within the Film Regarding Civil Unions (RICHMOND, Va.) – I'd like to take this opportunity to provide clarity on recent reports shared about the Holy Father and comments attributed to him in a documentary film titled "Francesco." Context is crucial in understanding what Pope Francis said. As we learn more in which the manner of the 20 second clip is edited, it's important to remember there has been no change in Catholic Church teaching regarding marriage. The reflections by the Holy Father were not statements within an encyclical, apostolic letter nor has there been any adjustment to the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Our Holy Father has consistently upheld church teaching that marriage is between a man and a woman. (CCC 1660) Nothing he is reported to have said should indicate that he strayed from that teaching. What should be noted in his words are the pastoral care and concern that he expresses. His statement is in keeping with the Church's teaching that all people are to be treated with the dignity, respect and compassion that is rooted in the Gospel, since we are all created in God's image. (CCC 2358). Let us continue to hold the Holy Father in prayer.

Rosary at the Abortion Clinic

Every first & third Saturday at 9 am on the corner of N. Arthur Ashe Blvd. & Grove.

Pastor's Corner



Dear Parishioners,

May God's blessing be upon you.

St. Joseph's parish is blessed in many ways. One of those ways is the number of baptisms we have for the size of our parish—29 since I arrived, and counting! This is a blessing, but like all blessings, an element of sacrifice accompanies it. There will be more life and there will be more noise. The noise factor (especially for the 11 a.m. Mass) has been on the rise and I have received many legitimate complaints that it is very difficult/impossible to pray in the church during Holy Mass. Of course, I have mentioned before that I do not expect Sunday Mass to be a Carthusian monastery, but there is a threshold not to be crossed out of charity to others. I would like to revamp a brilliant Pastor's Corner from Fr. Novokowsky addressed specifically to fathers and their responsibility. I think this is very much up-to-date:

Fathers, it's easy to unwittingly train our children to misbehave. If your child is noisy in church, a responsible parent will sweep them outside for the sake of others. So far so good. If then, you let them run around, you have just rewarded them for being noisy. You have unwittingly trained your child to control you. All they need to do to create playtime at church is misbehave! What else can be done?

Who goes? Fathers, apart from nursing babies, of course, you be the one to take a child outside. Take them out, but don't reward them. As you hold them in your arms, or hold their hand, don't let go. They may want to get down or let go; they don't need to. By this simple action, you will teach powerfully several important lessons. 1) You are their rational principle; any conflict will be resolved by the imposition of rationality. 2) Church time is prayer time, not playtime or fight time [or snack time]. 3) You are respectfully giving them a choice: be quiet in the pew, or be held outside the church. Most will soon decide that being quiet inside is less painful. There is no need to descend into a war of words or physical torture. For older children, a promise of punishment to come later is all they should need. Follow through; be consistent. Having a dough-