

-We have submitted another permit application to the county for renovating the picnic/playground area and are still waiting to hear back.

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

Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP

Parishioner Needs Assistance

Homebound parishioner in need of assistance with basic household tasks. Thank you to those who have already volunteered. Please contact the office if you are able to help out.

Corporal Works of Mercy—Items Needed

St. Peter’s programs for the homeless need volunteers and are still in need of various items. Please take a list, available on the bin in the main vestibule, to see what items are urgently needed.

Thrifty Sisters

The store that helped support the ministry of the Little Sisters of the Poor in Richmond, is now supporting the mission of Saint Francis Home — a facility that cares for the elderly poor in Richmond. For more information about the store visit <https://thriftysistersrva.org> or call 804-658-4153.

Online Giving

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

Sunday Offertory for August 8, 2021

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$4,554	—	—
Online	\$4,682	—	—
Total	\$9,236	\$9,327	(\$91)
YTD	\$61,874	\$55,962	\$5,912
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$784	—	—
Online	\$1,427	—	—
Total	\$2,211	\$1,923	\$288
YTD	\$12,365	\$11,538	\$827

Thank you for your continued generosity!

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
Maintenance/Improvements John Hewitt 804-320-4932	Religious Education Katy Hichborn edu@stjosephrichmond.org	St. Camillus de Lellis Prayer Group Margaret Ansari 716-1086	Safe Environment Committee Mary Poerstel 804-432-5134
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“The Lord hath blessed thee by his power, because by thee he hath brought our enemies to nought.”

(Judith 13:22)



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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
1st Friday 8 am-5 pm
Other Fridays 8 am-12 noon

MASS SCHEDULE — INTENTIONS — REQUESTED BY		
Sun. August 15 Assumption of the B.V.M. (1st Cl.)	8:30 am Henry Holden 11 am Eric Reddit † 4:30 pm Pro Populo	EMD TNH —
Mon. August 16 St. Joachim (2nd Cl.)	7 am Dennis Hillen † 9 am Mr. Hal Sigmon †	BLK BPM
Tues. August 17 St. Hyacinth (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Dayna Nelms	— HB
Wed. August 18 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Frederick & Anne Elmer † 6 pm FSSP <i>Adoration: 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	JJ LJB
Thurs. August 19 St. John Eudes (3rd Cl.)	7 am In Thanksgiving 9 am The McKenna Family	MAH EDG
Fri. August 20 St. Bernard of Clairvaux (3rd Cl.)	7 am Michael P. Bresnahan † <i>Adoration: 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm Lucia Laschon	JS MMW
Sat. August 21 St. Jane Frances de Chantal (3rd Cl.)	9 am Vicki Matte	JP
Sun. August 22 13th Sunday after Pentecost (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am Pro Populo 11 am Helen Klean † 4:30 pm Justin Liberatore	— JE ML
Mon. August 23 St. Philip Benizi (3rd Cl.)	7 am Taylor Neal Runge 9 am Ilona LaPaglia	FB SL
Tues. August 24 St. Bartholomew (2nd Cl.)	7 am Joe LaPaglia's Brothers 9 am Rachel Franklin	AVC JR
Wed. August 25 St. Louis IX (3rd Cl.)	7 am David Dunaway † 6 pm Matthew Seeley <i>Adoration: 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	MD AS
Thurs. August 26 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am FSSP 9 am Jay & Shannon Lagarde	BH SL
Fri. August 27 St. Joseph Calasanctius (3rd Cl.)	7 am Roberto Villarroel † <i>Adoration: 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm Judith Mejia	DV FG
Sat. August 28 St. Augustine (3rd Cl.)	9 am Angela Morris	MM

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Brick Q., Baby Boy Duhaime, Michelle Muzyka, Frank & Carolyn Baratta, Gary Harpe, Kathy Buttner, Denise Parrish, Priscilla Calhoun, Janet Caudle, Celeste Burba Schenck, Bill & Lydia Colberg, Charlie Adams, Cathy Dickson, Joyce Clarke, Sharon Curry, Mary Esparza, Theresa & Les McCall, Carrie Wilson, Ginny Franklin, Mary Rose Poerstel, Rob Welch, Bill Madigan, Peter, John, Michael, & Tom Osborne, Ken Diman, Kenny Montgomery, Clarence Proffitt, The D'Aconti Family, Andrew Priddy, 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.

TODAY—Feast of the Assumption

Sun. 15 Aug—Low Masses at 8:30 am & 4:30 pm; Solemn High Mass at 11 am

TODAY—Expectant Mothers' Blessing

All expectant mothers of the parish are invited to the communion rail following the 11 am Solemn High Mass, Sun. 15 Aug.

Religious Education Registration Begins

We are now accepting registrations for the 2021-2022 Religious Education program, 1st Grade & above. Please see the paper forms in Fr. Adrian Hall, or register through your account on: stjosephrichmond.org. **Classes are scheduled to begin Sun. 12 Sept.**

Obligation to Attend Mass Reinstated

The Catholic Bishops of the Province of Baltimore and the Archdiocese of Washington (which includes Richmond) have lifted the dispensation of the Sunday and Holy Days Mass obligation. See the official statement on the Diocesan website: <https://richmonddiocese.org/coronavirus/>

Upcoming Events

Aug. 15—Assumption of the B.V.M. Solemn High Mass—11 am
K of C Ice Cream Social

Aug. 21—Abortion Clinic Rosary
Apostolate of Mary, Mother of Priests

Aug. 29—Bake Sale

TODAY—K of C Ice Cream Social

Sun. 15 August., after both morning Masses in Fr. Adrian Hall. \$1/scoop. Proceeds will support the St. Joseph's Knights of Columbus Council in their various charities and works within the parish.

Girl's Group

(Sodality, Hospitality, and Little Flowers--ages 5 to young adults) Registration will begin this Sunday, August 15th. Sign ups will take place in the social room following all Sunday morning masses for the next 4 Sundays. For more information, email Angie Johnston: johnstonangela77@gmail.com.

Bake Sale: Sun. 29 August

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

Mass Intentions

Mass intention envelopes are available in the vestibule. We can accept 8 per family per year. Please remember that God is outside of time. Once your intention is submitted, the Mass is guaranteed to be offered. Not all intentions will be published in the bulletin as some will be offered at a priest's private Mass.

New Parish Policies

Due to an increase in unclaimed items in the building, Fr. Marsolle is instituting the following policies: **Lost & Found:** Items left on the premises with no name or phone number will be discarded after 3 months.

Blessed Items: Similarly, items left on the blessed items table will become property of the parish after 3 months.

Pastor's Corner



Dear Parishioners,

A few announcements:

-The Fraternity of St Peter in North America was elevated from a district to a province last month. The new provincial is Fr. William Lawrence FSSP. What this means for us on the practical level is that we now have a major superior in our backyard, with the authority to make assignments. Please keep our new provincial in your prayers!

-Regarding assignments, I am staying put and Fr. Franco is staying put. Deo gratias! Stability is very helpful, especially when the parish has grown so much.

-For the next few months, we will have a third priest visiting. Please welcome Fr. Simon Harkins FSSP to our Richmond apostolate. Fr. Harkins was pastor of St Michael's in Scranton, PA as well as bursar of the North American District. He has been transferred to another parish whose pastorship he will assume. This parish will not be able to receive him for another few months. Meanwhile, he will be helping out around the province, in parishes that need help (hopefully, mostly in Richmond!)

-Repairs and renovations around the parish: some work needed to be done in the courtyard for draining issues. As you recall, our small chapel was flooded during a superstorm last year because of it. Now that the issue has been fixed, the renovation of this small worship space can be planned. Also, one of our HVAC units for a wing of the building has reached the end of the line. It served well since the early 90's and needs replacement. We are working on estimates!

-New doors for several entrances will be replaced, hopefully by the end of the month.