

April 11, 2021



*“Who is he that
overcometh the
world, but he that
believeth that Jesus
is the Son of God?”*

(I John 5:5)

Saint Joseph Parish

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

Sunday Offertory for April 4, 2021

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$6,701	—	—
Online	\$3,831	—	—
Holy Thursday			
In Pew	\$601	—	—
Online	\$360	—	—
Good Friday			
In Pew	\$2,646	—	—
Online	\$360	—	—
Easter Sunday			
Online	\$375	—	—
Total	\$14,874	\$9,211	\$5,663
YTD	\$408,350	\$368,440	\$39,910
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$480	—	—
Online	\$1,077	—	—
Total	\$1,557	\$1,923	(\$366)
YTD	\$79,334	\$76,920	\$2,414

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 or 800-712-HELP (4357)

Online Giving

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

Corporal Works of Mercy

St. Peter's shower program for the homeless needs volunteers. The shower ministry and the Food Pantry are still in need of various items. Please take a list, available on the bin in the main vestibule.

Free Latin Translation Class

Everyone—beginners to proficients—are welcome to join Professor Mac Frazer, Wednesdays 3:30-4:30 pm on Zoom, to read St. Augustine in the original Latin, using the Loeb Classical Library edition of "Augustine Confessions, Books 9-13" which has Latin & English text. To join the class, email macfrazer31@gmail.com

COMMITTEES AND ACTIVITIES

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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-12 noon

MASS SCHEDULE	INTENTIONS	REQUESTED BY
Sun. April 11 Low Sunday (1st Cl.)	8:30 am Joan Marie Osborne 11 am Pro Populo 4:30 pm Celebrant's Intention	PO — —
Mon. April 12 Feria in Paschaltide (4th Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Private Intention	— PW
Tues. April 13 St. Hermenegild (3rd Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Bill Powell, Sr. †	— JP
Wed. April 14 St. Justin (3rd Cl.)	7 am Craig Jones 6 pm Fr. David Nott † <i>1 hr. Adoration after 6p. Mass</i>	BF JAM
Thurs. April 15 Feria in Paschaltide (4th Cl.)	7 am FSSP 9 am David P. Woods †	KH JE
Fri. April 16 Feria in Paschaltide (4th Cl.)	7 am Erin Liberatore <i>Adoration: 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm Steve & Terry	ML TD
Sat. April 17 Saturday of Our Lady (4th Cl.)	9 am Dawn Young	CB
Sun. April 18 2nd Sunday After Easter (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am Dr. Christine Hemphill & Children 11 am P. Michael Lowry † 4:30 pm Pro Populo	SF PT —
Mon. April 19 Feria in Paschaltide (4th Cl.)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Bernadette Piccininni	— LH
Tues. April 20 Feria in Paschaltide (4th Cl.)	9 am Cyrus Dolph, V	JP
Wed. April 21 St. Anselm (3rd Cl.)	7 am Hunter Loving † 6 pm Ann Smith † <i>1 hr. Adoration after 6p. Mass</i>	SS HCS
Thurs. April 22 SS. Soter & Caius (3rd Cl.)	7 am The D'Aconti Family 9 am Private Intention	LJB UK
Fri. April 23 Feria in Paschaltide (4th Cl.)	7 am The Heller Family <i>Adoration: 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm James Albert Rothrock †	KS DHK
Sat. April 24 St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen (3rd Cl.)	9 am Quyn Luu †	MMP

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Matthew Owen Balducci, Georgette Cote, Amanda Keller, Donna Wilson, Missy Jennings, Samantha Finnegan, Robert & Uni Kemp, Rob Welch, John Calhoun, Valentino Simoncelli, Bill Madigan, J.W. Stephens, James Wigand, Joanne Leach, Bruce Douglas, Don Jones, Barbara Farmer, Trevor Nacey, Michael & Carol Smart, Peter & Joan Marie Osborne, John, Michael, & Tom Osborne, Lisa & Alexandra Kovatch, David Alsobrook, Kimberley H., Brian Pickral, Barbara Swan, Ginny Franklin, Dan S., Ken Diman, Carrie Wilson, 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—Divine Mercy Holy Hour

This novena concludes today, Divine Mercy Sunday, 11 April 2021 with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 2:45 pm, a sung Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 3 pm, and Benediction at 3:45 pm in the main church.

Live Streaming

We livestream Mass daily. The link is available on: www.stjosephrichmond.org Experiencing issues with the livestream? Please email livestream@stjosephrichmond.org to let us know.

Savvy Seniors Activity

Sat. 24 April, 10 am in Fr. Adrian Hall. Details on the Savvy Seniors bulletin board. RSVP: 804-440-1618.

Upcoming Events

April 11—Divine Mercy Holy Hour 2:45 pm
April 16—Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:
 8 am to 12 noon
April 17—Abortion Clinic Rosary
 Apostolate of Mary, Mother of Priests
April 24—Savvy Seniors Activity

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

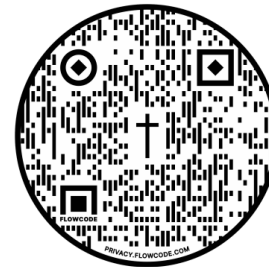
On Fri. 16 April, we are resuming our regular Adoration schedule: every Friday 8 am—12 noon and First Fridays 8 am—5 pm. Sign up today on the vestibule bulletin board. For more information, contact Bernadette: berniepicci@gmail.com

Altar Boy Training Saturday, April 24

Who: Altar Boys (and First Communicants who want to join).
What: Practice for Sung Mass
When: From 2 pm to 4 pm. (Remember to be punctual. Late-comers will be marked as ABSENT).
Where: St. Joseph Room
Why: Why not!

Annual Diocesan Appeal

This year's Annual Appeal is entirely online. View a brief instructional video on our website. Scan this QR code with your phone camera to access the diocesan giving site directly. Contact the online giving vendor, Faith Direct, for assistance: 866-507-8757 or info@faithdirect.net.



See A Maintenance Problem?

Report any facility issues via our Maintenance Request form available outside the parish office. Simply complete the form and leave it on the clipboard. Our maintenance team will address the problems during the week.

Pastor's Corner



Dear Faithful,

This Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday. As a priest, I have always encountered in many people a bit of confusion when it comes to what graces this feast offers and under what conditions. Hopefully this sets the record straight!

On Divine Mercy Sunday, there are two graces we can receive:

1. In St. Faustina's Diary, the extraordinary grace of Divine Mercy Sunday was promised to all those who receive Holy Communion on that day in a state of grace, with trust in God's merciful love [Private revelation]. The extraordinary grace that our Lord promised to devout communicants on Mercy Sunday amounts to a complete renewal of baptismal grace in the soul. This means a clean slate. All that is necessary is receiving Holy Communion in a state of grace with trust in God's merciful love- which is the way Holy Communion should always be received! In a "state of grace" means not conscious of any unconfessed mortal sin.

2. The second grace is that the Church grants a plenary indulgence, granted under the usual conditions (sacramental confession even in the days before or after, Eucharistic communion and prayer for the intentions of Supreme Pontiff) to the faithful who, on Divine Mercy Sunday, in any church or chapel, in a spirit that is completely detached from the affection for a sin, even a venial sin, take part in the prayers and devotions held in honor of Divine Mercy, or who, in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament exposed or reserved in the tabernacle, recite the Our Father and the Creed, adding a devout prayer to the merciful Lord Jesus (e.g. "Merciful Jesus, I trust in you!"). [The Holy See institutionalized the Promise in the form of an Indulgence]

There you have it.

Happy Divine Mercy Sunday!

Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP