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burn it in the fireplace or grill. If you can't do this, then give them to your friendly neighborhood priest who can do that for you. Make sure you mark it as "to be discarded."

A few notes on some popular sacramentals:

Holy Water: holy water is available in the Church. If the containers are low or empty, please let us know so we can bless more. But remember, a little holy water goes a long way. You only need a few drops sprinkled with faith to receive the "full strength" of the blessing.

Brown Scapular: In order to benefit from the promises given to those who wear a scapular, you must first be enrolled. Once enrolled always enrolled, and subsequent scapulars don't need to be blessed, although they can be. Information is easily found online. If you need to be enrolled in the scapular, please contact the office so we can schedule a time. We will also offer this every year on the Sunday closest to the feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel (July 16). The same goes for the other various kinds of scapulars (e.g. Scapular of the Precious Blood, Seven Sorrows, etc).

Enjoy your sacramentals!

In Christ through Mary,

Fr. David Franco, FSSP

Fr. Buckley's 2022 Women's Ignatius Retreat
25-30 July at San Damiano Spiritual Life Center in White Post, VA. Private room & board included in the fees. Contact the Parish Office for details or email ignatiusretreats@gmail.com Limited space available & this retreat fills quickly!

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 March 20, 2022

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$5,199	—	—
Online	\$8,062	—	—
Ash Wednesday			
In Pew	\$30	—	—
Total	\$13,291	\$9,327	\$3,964
YTD	\$448,091	\$354,426	\$93,665
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$1,479	—	—
Online	\$1,138	—	—
Total	\$2,887	\$1,923	\$964
YTD	\$85,766	\$73,074	\$12,692

Thank you for your continued generosity!

*"Praise ye the Lord,
for the Lord is good:
sing ye to his name,
for it is sweet."*

(Ps. 134:3)



March 27, 2022

Saint Joseph Parish

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

Rev. Karl Marsolle, FSSP, Pastor

Rev. David Franco, FSSP, Vicar

Rev. Peter Byrne, FSSP, Vicar

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office@stjosephrichmond.org

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	for 1hr following 6pm Mass
1st Friday	8 am-4:45 pm
Other Fridays	8 am-11:45 am

Parish Office

Hours: Mon. - Fri., 9 am — 12:30 pm
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Friday Adoration Bernadette Piccininni 291-8961	Parish Pastoral Council Andy Piffat 804-897-4322	Parish Library	Event Coordinator Lorraine Hewitt events@stjosephrichmond.org
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MASS SCHEDULE — INTENTIONS — REQUESTED BY		
Sun. March 27 Laetare Sunday (1st Cl.)	8:30 am Fr. James O'Reilly 11 am Matthew Gosner † 4:30 pm Ann Story	LCD JD PW
Mon. March 28 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl.)	7 am Eli LaNeave 9 am Jean Thorpe †	JP CH
Tues. March 29 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl.)	7 am Private Intention 9 am Steszewski Family	JAM KS
Wed. March 30 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl.)	7 am Timothy Saller † 6 pm Billy Chess † <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	PT AR
Thurs. March 31 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl.)	7 am FSSP 9 am Mr. & Mrs. Paul Morrissey †	AS MF
Fri. April 1 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl.)	7 am Justin Liberatore <i>Adoration 8 am to 5 pm</i> 6 pm Dominic Pepe	ML JVS
Sat. April 2 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl.)	9 am Jake & Myriam Avancena	JMA
Sun. April 3 Passion Sunday (1st Cl.)	8:30 am Pro Populo 11 am Myria P. Tolentino 4:30 pm Anna Mills †	— MPT DM
Mon. April 4 Monday of Passion Week (3rd Cl.)	7 am FSSP 9 am Fr. Matthew Bean 6 pm Celebrant's Intention	MM MB —
Tues. April 5 Tuesday of Passion Week (3rd Cl.)	7 am FSSP 9 am Herb Buttner † 6 pm Celebrant's Intention	RM KB —
Wed. April 6 Wednesday of Passion Week (3rd Cl.)	7 am Si Young Yun 6 pm Celebrant's Intention <i>Adoration cancelled</i>	SS —
Thurs. April 7 Thursday of Passion Week (3rd Cl.)	7 am Harrison Keen 9 am Maria Palm †	LF GCP
Fri. April 8 Friday of Passion Week (3rd Cl.)	7 am FSSP <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm Ritha Luke	MM CSJ
Sat. April 9 Saturday of Passion Week (3rd Cl.)	9 am Sun Yi Cha † & Chang Gun Yun †	UK

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Catharine Palm, Ryan Helbing, Kayden Thronson, Rich Hohos, Linda Petrella, Dr. Pat Reardon, Donna Wilson, Shelton Kitchen, Kathleen Stells, Michael & Maria Liberatore, Natasha Lebron Torres, Baby Grayson, Walter Quinn, Ethel Dahlem, Carrie Wilson, Ginny Franklin, Bill Madigan, Peter, Michael, Mary Ann & Tom Osborne, Kenny Montgomery, Ken Diman, Clarence & Betty Proffitt, The D'Aconti Family, Andrew Priddy, Charles Furlough, Angela Rhys-Sonnenschein, Ed Peters, 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 Rob Welch & all the faithful departed. Requiescant in pace.

Stations of the Cross

Public recitation of the Stations takes place in the main church immediately following the 6 pm Mass every Friday of Lent.

Easter Flowers

Those who donate online & wish to have their loved ones remembered in the bulletin, please email a list of names to the Parish Office. We are not notified of "comments" through the website.

Holy Week Schedule

The complete schedule is available on our website and the vestibule bulletin board. A limited supply of handouts can be found on the back table of the church.

Religious Ed Deadlines

All sacramental prep documentation is due to the office by 31 March. For info, contact Mrs. Hichborn: edu@stjosephrichmond.org.

Upcoming Events

Mar. 31—First Holy Communion Paperwork Due
Confirmation Paperwork Due
Apr. 2—Abortion Clinic Rosary
Apr. 4-6—Parish Lenten Mission w/ Fr. Perricone
Apr. 9—Apostolate of Mary, Mother of Priests
Apr. 10—Palm Sunday—No Religious Ed.
Apr. 10-16—Holy Week
Apr. 15-18—Parish Office Closed
Apr. 17—Easter Sunday—No Religious Ed.

Parish Lenten Mission

Mon. April 4—Wed. April 6, Fr. John Perricone will be giving a Lenten Mission during Passion Week. Each evening will begin with Mass at 6 pm after which Fr. Perricone will give a talk. Confessions following on Monday and Tuesday. Light refreshments after the mission on Wednesday. More info available on the back table of the church.

Parish Email Alerts

If you want to receive digital bulletins, snow announcements, etc., create an account on our website: www.stjosephrichmond.org You can subscribe to the group emails that interest you.

Rosary at the Abortion Clinic

Every first & third Saturday at 9 am at 201 N Hamilton St, Richmond, VA 23221.

Apostolate of Mary, Mother of Priests

Due to the timing of Holy Week, the Apostolate is meeting on 9 April. Every month this apostolate attends the 9 am Mass and then stays in the church to pray for vocations, priests, and seminarians. For info call Louise Caouette-Diman (804) 935-3399

Diocesan Annual Appeal

This year's Annual Appeal is entirely online. Scan the QR code or contact Faith Direct, for help: 866-507-8757 or info@faithdirect.net.



Pastor's Corner



Dear Faithful,

Sacramentals are wonderful tools to help us grow in our spiritual lives. We priests bless the sacramentals every Monday morning. Let's take a quick look at the Baltimore Catechism:

Q. 1052. What is a sacramental? **A.** A sacramental is anything set apart or blessed by the Church to excite good thoughts and to increase devotion, and through these movements of the heart to remit venial sin.

Q. 1053. How do the Sacramentals excite good thoughts and increase devotion? **A.** The Sacramentals excite good thoughts by recalling to our minds some special reason for doing good and avoiding evil; especially by reminding us of some holy person, event or thing through which blessings have come to us. They increase devotion by fixing our minds on particular virtues and by helping us to understand and desire them.

Q. 1054. Do the Sacramentals of themselves remit venial sins? **A.** The Sacramentals of themselves do not remit venial sins, but they move us to truer devotion, to greater love for God and greater sorrow for our sins, and this devotion, love and sorrow bring us grace, and the grace remits venial sins.

With this in mind, let's get some sacramentals. If you are new to the parish (or visiting), how do you get your new Rosary blessed? Simple: place your item (with your name and phone number) on the "Blessing Table." It is located near the parish office past the Fr. Adrian Hall. Place your unblessed items on the designated side. When they are blessed, we will put a sticker and move them to the other side. Don't forget to get your item once it is blessed. Anything that is unclaimed after three months becomes property of the parish.

Make sure you treat your blessed sacramentals with reverence and devotion. This is more than just any object. Remember, those who use sacramentals with reverence can receive many graces. When a blessed Rosary breaks, rather than throwing it in the garbage, you should either bury it in the ground or

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