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Sunday Offertory for May 8, 2022

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$4,901	—	—
Online	\$5,837	—	—
Total	\$10,738	\$9,327	\$1,411
YTD	\$539,385	\$423,715	\$115,670
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$5,878	—	—
Online	\$1,465	—	—
Total	\$7,343	\$1,923	\$5,420
YTD	\$111,506	\$86,535	\$24,971

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COMMITTEES AND ACTIVITIES

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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“Let every man be swift to hear, but slow to speak, and slow to anger.”

(James 1:19)



May 15, 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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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

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MASS SCHEDULE	INTENTIONS	REQUESTED
Sun. May 15 Fourth Sunday after Easter (2nd Cl)	8:30 am Pro Populo 11 am Louise Jedras † 4:30 pm Mr. & Mr. Lazor	— SEM AS
Mon. May 16 St. Ubald (3rd Cl)	7 am Anna Mills † 9 am Monika Lindner †	DM ARP
Tues. May 17 St. Paschal Baylon (3rd Cl)	9 am Christopher Seeley	AS
Wed. May 18 St. Venantius (3rd Cl)	7 am Paul Edward Gibson 6 pm Fr. Adrian W. Harmening, OSB † <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	RG ARP
Thurs. May 19 St. Peter Celestine (3rd Cl)	7am The Sanctafamilia Family 9 am Fr. Karl Marsolle	JVS KLD
Fri. May 20 St. Bernadine of Siena (3rd Cl)	7 am Chris & Wendy Ferrara <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm Elizabeth Middleton	JSM KB
Sat. May 21 Saturday of Our Lady (4th Cl)	7 am Irene Ramsey † 10 am First Holy Communicants	LCD —
Sun. May 22 Fifth Sunday after Easter (2nd Cl)	8:30 am Lysinger Siblings 11 am Pro Populo 4:30 pm James & Elizabeth Harkins	SGL MT
Mon. May 23 Feria in Paschaltide (4th Cl)	7 am Marcela Mejia B. 9 am Ludwig Schindler Jr. †	MM ARP
Tues. May 24 Feria in Paschaltide (4th Cl)	7 am Linnae & Aiden Nickels 9 am Fr. Adrian Harmening †	REC ARR
Wed. May 25 Vigil of the Ascension (2nd Cl)	7 am Matthew L. Dahlem † 6 pm Lyla Allen <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	EMD TBD
Thurs. May 26 Ascension of the Lord (1st Cl)	7 am Celebrant's Intention 9 am Lucile Cooper † 6 pm Tyler & Shelley Garrett	— NH JD
Fri. May 27 St. Bede the Venerable (3rd Cl)	7 am Laura Inscoe <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm Bob Ulrich	GAT CU
Sat. May 28 St. Augustine of Canterbury (3rd Cl)	9 am To Honor the 9 Choirs of Angels	PCP

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Dale Wanting, Susan Boyle, Pat Rawlins, Ellen Nau, Charles Adams, Saskia Schreyer, Jana Arbab, Bob Rice, John Constantine, Catharine Palm, Ryan Helbing, Kayden Thronson, Rich Hohos, Linda Petrella, Dr. Pat Reardon, Donna Wilson, Shelton Kitchen, Kathleen Stells, 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 all the faithful departed.
Requiescant in pace.*

TODAY—First Confessions

Please note, the priests will be hearing confessions after the 11:00 am Mass. This is for our First Communion class **only**.

TODAY—K of C Grill Raffle

Sun. 8 May—Sun. 29 May. Tickets on sale to win the grill on display in Fr. Adrian Hall. Tickets are \$5 each or 3 for \$10. See the Knights in Fr. Adrian Hall and the vestibule after each Mass.

CANCELLED—K of C Breakfast

Sun. 15 May in Fr. Adrian Hall, after the morning Masses. \$5/plate, or \$20/family of 4 or more.

Upcoming Events

May 15—Final Sunday of Religious Education
CANCELLED: K of C Breakfast
May 21—7 am Low Mass
10 am First Holy Communion Mass
10 am—12 noon Confessions
Abortion Clinic Rosary

**Pregnancy Help Center of Chesterfield
Baby Bottle Campaign 2022**

Sun., 8 May, Mothers' Day, PHCC is launching its annual Baby Bottle Blessing. Please be sure to pick up your baby bottle and fill it with change, bills or checks (made out to PHCC). The bottles can be returned to the church on or before June 19th, Fathers' Day. Your support of PHCC is more important than ever as they launch their ultrasound services this year. All of their services help women in our community make life affirming decisions! Your support is much appreciated.

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,

I found a beautiful passage from Fr. Jacques Philippe regarding prayer. He recalls a very important and foundational principle on the motive for prayer:

The first thing that should motivate us and encourage us to enter into a life of prayer is that God Himself invites us: "Pray without ceasing" (Luke 21:36). Man seeks God, but God seeks man far more. God calls us to pray to Him, because, since the beginning--and way more than we can imagine it--He ardently desires to enter into communion with us.

The most solid foundation for a life of prayer isn't our own efforts, our own personal initiatives, or our desires (they have their place, but can sometimes be insufficient). The most solid foundation for a life of prayer is God's calling.

We don't pray because we desire God, or because we expect particular advantages from our prayer life, but, first and foremost, we pray because God asks us to. And, in so asking, God knows what He's doing. His project infinitely surpasses what we can see, desire, or imagine. There is, in prayer, a mystery that absolutely surpasses us. The engine of prayer life is faith, in the sense of confident obedience to what God suggests to us. We are unable to imagine the immense positive repercussions of this humble and trusting response to God's call, like Abraham, who undertook a journey without knowing where he was going but who became the father of many.

If we pray because of the advantages that we count on obtaining from prayer, we run the risk of being discouraged someday. These advantages are neither immediate nor measurable. If we pray with a humble attitude of submission to God's Word, we will always have the grace of perseverance.

An excerpt from Nine Days to Rediscover the Joy of Prayer

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

Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP