

Corner Cont.

Decree of Pope Francis confirming the use of the 1962 liturgical books

The Holy Father Francis, grants to each and every member of the Society of Apostolic Life "Fraternity of Saint Peter", founded on July 18, 1988 and declared of "Pontifical Right" by the Holy See, the faculty to celebrate the sacrifice of the Mass, and to carry out the sacraments and other sacred rites, as well as to fulfill the Divine Office, according to the typical editions of the liturgical books, namely the Missal, the Ritual, the Pontifical and the Roman Breviary, in force in the year 1962.

They may use this faculty in their own churches or oratories; otherwise it may only be used with the consent of the Ordinary of the place, except for the celebration of private Masses.

Without prejudice to what has been said above, the Holy Father suggests that, as far as possible, the provisions of the motu proprio *Traditionis Custodes* be taken into account as well.

Given in Rome, near St. Peter's, on February 11, the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, in the year 2022, the ninth year of my Pontificate.

✠ Francis

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

Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP

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.



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 Feb. 20, 2022

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$5,462	—	—
Online	\$6,619	—	—
Total	\$12,081	\$9,327	\$2,754
YTD	\$397,617	\$317,118	\$80,499
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$1,324	—	—
Online	\$1,154	—	—
Total	\$2,478	\$1,923	\$555
YTD	\$74,635	\$65,382	\$9,253

Thank you for your continued generosity!

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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"Jesus, son of David, have mercy on me."

(Luke 18:38)



February 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

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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MASS SCHEDULE — INTENTIONS — REQUESTED BY		
Sun. February 27 Quinquagesima Sunday (2nd Cl.)	8:30 am Nelda Carter † 11 am Pro Populo 4:30 pm Jennifer Morris †	BLK — JMA
Mon. February 28 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Paul Morris Family 9 am Elena Maria Palm †	JVS GCP
Tues. March 1 Feria (4th Cl.)	7 am Kris Mednikov 9 am Fr. Matthew Bean	LH MB
Wed. March 2 Ash Wednesday (1st Cl.)	7 am Helena & Alberto Tolentino 9 am Suki Simpson 6 pm Karen Bonadies <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	MPT UK LF
Thurs. March 3 Thursday after Ash Wednesday (3rd Cl.)	7 am Ángel Vicente Tito 9 am Florence Powell †	GAT JP
Fri. March 4 Friday after Ash Wednesday (3rd Cl.)	7 am Fr. Novokowsky <i>Adoration 8 am to 5 pm</i> 6 pm Anna Mills †	LH DM
Sat. March 5 Saturday after Ash Wednesday (3rd Cl.)	9 am Dabney Oakley	MM
Sun. March 6 First Sunday of Lent (1st Cl.)	8:30 am Private Intention 11 am Fr. Marsolle 4:30 pm Pro Populo	PHD JS —
Mon. March 7 St Thomas Aquinas (2nd Cl.)	7 am The Faison Family 9 am George Palm †	KF AM
Tues. March 8 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl.)	7 am FSSP	TD
Wed. March 9 Ember Wednesday in Lent (2nd Cl.)	7 am Linnae Nickels 6 pm The Bradshaw Family <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	CF RM
Thurs. March 10 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl.)	7 am Si Sung Yun 9 am Kenneth C. Diman	SS LD
Fri. March 11 Ember Friday in Lent (2nd Cl.)	7 am Jinu Koda <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm Charles Curry †	MK MLS
Sat. March 12 Ember Saturday in Lent (2nd Cl.)	9 am Ann-Marie Konko	LB

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Donna Wilson, Shelton Kitchen, Kathleen Stells, The Poerstel Families, Michael & Maria Liberatore, James W. Stephens, Dr. Greg Toler, Natasha Lebron Torres, Baby Grayson, Walter Quinn, Betty Proffitt, Anne Simon, Noreen Borter, Bobby Stallworth, Ethel Dahlem, Frank & Carolyn Baratta, Carrie Wilson, Ginny Franklin, Rob Welch, Bill Madigan, Peter, Michael, Mary Ann & 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.

Parish Office Closed—Mon. 28 Feb.

Mass Schedule Change
Tues. 8 March, 7 am Mass only

Ash Wednesday Schedule—2 March
We have 3 Low Masses—7 am, 9 am, and 6 pm. Mass begins with distribution of ashes.

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

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

With Gratitude
The St. Camillus Prayer Group would like to thank everyone for their heartfelt & generous support of our Bake Sale. Many thanks for the kind donations of food, money, time, & talents involved in our success. We pray that God will continue to bless St. Joseph’s.

Upcoming Events

Feb. 27—K of C Breakfast
Feb. 28—Parish Office Closed
Mar. 2—Ash Wednesday: Low Masses 7a, 9a, 6p
Mar. 13—Parish Treasure Swap
Homeschool Co-Op Interest Meeting

TODAY—K of C Breakfast

Sun. 27 Feb., in Fr. Adrian Hall, after the morning Masses. \$5/plate, or \$20/family of 4 or more.

Parish Treasure Swap—Sun. 13 March

Give away items you no longer need or take something home new-to-you! Bring items to Fr. Adrian Hall on March 11th and 12th (no earlier!). All items are free and you do not have to bring items to participate. The swap will take place Sunday, March 13 after all Masses. All remaining items will be collected and donated. For info: Lisa (804) 363-2480

Homeschool Co-Op Interest Meeting

Interest meeting for parents interested in a newly restructured St. Joseph's co-op (all ages) please meet in the St. Joseph's Room on March 13th immediately following the 11:00 Mass. Refreshments served. RSVP to: stjosephcoopdirector@gmail.com

Venite Adoremus Dominum!

The Adoration board and table at the base of the carpeted stairs are a good resource for anyone who desires to grow closer to Christ. The displays, articles, and prayers are changed monthly. Among February’s resources are writings by Venerable Archbishop Sheen, Cardinal Wyszyński, and Thomas á Kempis.

U.S. Pilgrimage with Fr. Neal Nichols, FSSP

Aug. 2-10, 2022 Visit the Shrine of O.L. of Good Hope in Champion, WS, the sites of great Catholic heroes—Bl. Franciscan Fr. Solanus Casey (Detroit) and Ven. Bishop Frederick Baraga (Marquette)—see the natural wonders of the Great Lakes Region, & visit the Shrine of O.L. of Guadalupe on the bluffs above the mighty Mississippi in La Crosse, WS. Celebration of the Traditional Latin Mass each day. For info: 1 (800) 334-5425 & <https://www.syversentouring.com/great-lakes>

Pastor’s Corner



Dear Parishioners,

Please find below the FSSP Communique of the meeting with the Holy Father as well as the resulting Decree he issued. We’ll take any good that comes our way. Things had not been looking very hopeful so this did come as a surprise. May we redouble our confidence in Our Lord and in the intercession of Our Lady as there is still a long way to go. Please note this decree was signed on the day we finished our novena to Our Lady. I would like to thank each and every one of you for your continued support.

**FSSP Communique:
Fribourg, February 21, 2022**

On Friday, February 4, 2022, two members of the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter, Fr. Benoît Paul-Joseph, Superior of the District of France, and Fr. Vincent Ribeton, Rector of St. Peter’s Seminary in Wigratzbad, were received in private audience by the Holy Father, Pope Francis, for nearly an hour.

During the very cordial meeting, they recalled the origins of the Fraternity in 1988, the Pope expressed that he was very impressed by the approach taken by its founders, their desire to remain faithful to the Roman Pontiff and their trust in the Church. He said that this gesture should be “preserved, protected and encouraged”.

In the course of the audience, the Pope made it clear that institutes such as the Fraternity of St. Peter are not affected by the general provisions of the Motu Proprio *Traditionis Custodes*, since the use of the ancient liturgical books was at the origin of their existence and is provided for in their constitutions.

The Holy Father subsequently sent a decree signed by him and dated February 11, the day the Fraternity was solemnly consecrated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, confirming for the members of the Fraternity the right to use the liturgical books in force in 1962, namely: the Missal, the Ritual, the Pontifical and the Roman Breviary.

Grateful to the Holy Father, the members of the Fraternity of St. Peter are in thanksgiving for this confirmation of their mission. They invite all the faithful who feel close to them as a spiritual family to attend or join them in prayer at the Mass tomorrow, on the feast of the Chair of St. Peter, and to pray for the Supreme Pontiff.

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Church Laws of Days of Abstinence and Fast

Current Practice

Laws of Days of Abstinence

- ♦ Begins on one's 14th birthday.
- ♦ Ash Wednesday and the Fridays of Lent.
- ♦ Obliges abstinence from flesh meat.

Laws of Days of Penance

- ♦ Applies to all the Faithful.
- ♦ Lent and Fridays outside of Lent.

Laws of Days of Fast

- ♦ Applies to everyone aged 18 to 59, inclusive.
- ♦ One full meal permitted and two other meals may be taken which, when combined, are less than a full meal.
- ♦ Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

The obligation to do penance is lifted on Fridays which are also celebrated as a solemnity. The following is a list of the Solemnities in the New Rite which can fall on a Friday:

- ♦ January 1: Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God
- ♦ January 6: Solemnity of the Epiphany
- ♦ March 19: Solemnity of St. Joseph, Spouse of Mary
- ♦ March 25: Solemnity of the Annunciation
- ♦ June 24: Solemnity of St. John the Baptist
- ♦ June 29: Solemnity of Ss. Peter and Paul
- ♦ August 15: Solemnity of the Assumption
- ♦ November 1: Solemnity of All Saints
- ♦ December 8: Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
- ♦ December 25: Solemnity of Christmas
- ♦ Principal patron of a place (city, state, nation)
- ♦ Dedication of a particular church and the anniversary
- ♦ The Title, founder, or principal patron of a religious order or congregation

The Law of the Eucharistic Fast

Under the New Code of Canon Law, the Fast for Holy Communion is one hour before the reception of the Holy Eucharist. Those who are able to maintain the previous discipline of the three-hour fast are still encouraged to do so.

The Discipline of 1962

Laws of Days of Abstinence

- ♦ Applies on one's 7th birthday.
- ♦ Complete Abstinence: all Fridays of the year, Ash Wednesday, Holy Saturday, and the Vigil of Christmas.
- ♦ Partial Abstinence (meat and soup or gravy made from meat permitted once a day at the principal meal): all the days of Lent, the Ember Days of Wednesday and Saturday, and the Vigils of Pentecost and the Assumption.
- ♦ Abstinence from meat is dispensed on Holy Days of Obligation.

Laws of Fast

- ♦ Applies for those aged 21 to 59, inclusive.
- ♦ Days of Lent from Ash Wednesday inclusive, Ember Days, and Vigils of Christmas, Pentecost, and the Assumption.
- ♦ One full meal permitted and two other meals may be taken which, when combined, are less than a full meal.

The Law of the Eucharistic Fast

The complete fast from all food and drink (except water or medicine) for three hours before the reception of Holy Communion. Those who are able to maintain the midnight fast, which was the previous discipline, are still encouraged to do so.