



Lenten Resolutions for Walking with Christ

- Daily Prayer (What? When? Where?)
- Daily Lenten spiritual reading
- Frequenting the Sacraments
(Confession monthly and attendance at Masses during the week)
- Daily Mortification (food, drink, internet; time management)

Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP

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. 12, 2023

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$5,227	—	—
Online	\$6,331	—	—
Ash Wednesday			
In Pew	\$10		
Total	\$11,634	\$10,576	\$1,058
YTD	\$397,917	\$338,432	\$59,485
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$761	—	—
Online	\$1,222	—	—
Total	\$1,983	\$2,307	(\$324)
YTD	\$83,635	\$73,824	\$9,811

Thank you for your continued generosity!

“If I should have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, and have not charity, I am nothing.”

(1 Cor. 13:2)



Saint Joseph Parish

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

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Rev. Peter Byrne, FSSP, Vicar

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Schedule for Holy Mass

Sunday	8:30 am (Low) 11 am (High) 1:30 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: 30 minutes 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 BY
Sun. February 19 Quinquagesima Sunday (2nd Cl)	8:30 am Janice & Angela Morris 11 am Pro Populo 1:30 pm Noah Siwko	MAC — DL
Mon. February 20 Feria (4th Cl)	7 am FSSP 9 am Private Intention	LB GH
Tues. February 21 Feria (4th Cl)	7 am The Craven Family 9 am Susan Slayton Seeds †	TC JS
Wed. February 22 Ash Wednesday (1st Cl)	7 am Fr. Peter Byrne 9 am David P. Woods † 6 pm Pope Benedict XVI † <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	LD JE TO
Thurs. February 23 Chair of St. Peter (1st Cl)	7 am Bosco Sanctafamilia 9 am Bosco Sanctafamilia	PJO UNH
Fri. February 24 St. Matthias (2nd Cl)	7 am Sam LaNeave <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm Private Intention	JP JPK
Sat. February 25 Saturday after Ash Wednesday (3rd Cl)	9 am David McNerney, Sr. †	SF
Sun. February 26 First Sunday of Lent (1st Cl)	8:30 am Elva Marie Boyle † 11 am Sarah Landes † 1:30 pm Pro Populo	DSB AN —
Mon. February 27 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl)	7 am Herman Baechle † 9 am Poor Souls in Purgatory	CRS JD
Tues. February 28 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl)	7 am Gelles Family 9 am Elena Maria Palm †	AG CP
Wed. March 1 Ember Wednesday in Lent (2nd Cl)	7 am Florcita Quinteros 6 pm Helena Tolention <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	CB MPT
Thurs. March 2 Feria of Lent (3rd Cl)	7 am Laura Florek Chapman 9 am Joseph Hartley	CF CH
Fri. March 3 Ember Friday in Lent (2nd Cl)	7 am Erin Liberatore <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm Erica Vernam †	ML CV
Sat. March 4 Ember Saturday in Lent (2nd Cl)	9 am The Treadwell Family	TF

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Paulita Dudley, Samuel Sponeybarger, Willow Zubose, Brenda Quinn, Virginia Craig, Michael L., Jody Giegerich, Mary Claire Adams, Andrew Piffat Sr., Donna Wilson, Tina Lewis, Frank Solari, Margaret Leonard, Kelly Dise, Carol Anne Hassel, Vicki Matte, Michael Cavanaugh, Frank & Carolyn Baratta, The Colbergs, Nick Heinz, Priscilla Treacy Calhoun, Margaret Burget, Ellen Nau, Charles Adams, 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, Ed Peters, Bob Martin, Patricia Willard, Elizabeth Storm, Cathy Van Pelt, Barbara Reith, 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. 20 Feb 2023.

Ash Wednesday Schedule

Wed. 22 Feb, Low Masses at 7 am, 9 am, & 6 pm. Ashes will be distributed at the beginning of each Mass.

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.

Cards for Parish Founding Member

Mr. Charles Furlough was one of two men who were instrumental in the establishing of our parish in 1991. Mr. Furlough is now alone, living at St. Francis Home, and would love to receive cards. His address is: St. Francis Home, 65 W. Clopton Street, Richmond, VA 23225

Upcoming Events

Feb. 20—Parish Office Closed
Feb. 22—Ash Wednesday
 Low Masses: 7 am, 9 am, 6 pm
 Divine Mercy Cenacle Meeting
Feb. 25—Savvy Seniors Activity
Feb. 26—K of C Food Drive

Savvy Seniors Activity

Sat. 25 Feb., 10 am in Fr. Adrian Hall. Ginny Lysinger will be leading a session about the history of beeswax candles in the Church and how to make them. Everyone will make a candle to take home. All are welcome. Coffee & treats and lunch provided. Please register on the Savvy Senior bulletin board or contact Maria Lupini: 804-605-4726 or fiat.voluntas.tua2022@gmail.com.

K of C Food Drive

Sun. 26 Feb. Help the Knights collect 200 pounds of canned food in Fr. Adrian Hall after all Masses to provide meals for St. Francis Home. Please no glass containers. Thank you for your generosity!

Men's Silent Retreat

We still have a few rooms available for the Men's Silent Retreat, May 19-21. Registration forms are on the bulletin board near the Parish Library. For details, email volunteer@stjosephrichmond.org

Annual Bishop's Appeal 2023

As in prior years, the appeal is primarily online. Visit: <https://richmondcatholicfoundation.org/appeal/> or scan the QR code below. Questions can be directed to GiveCentral: support@givecentral.org or 833-716-2612.



Pastor's Corner



Dear Parishioners,

“Thus saith the Lord: Be converted to Me with all your heart, in fasting and in weeping and in mourning. And rend your hearts, and not your garments.” (Joel 2:12-19) The Lord asks for conversion and compunction of the heart. We all need it so badly. Lent is the occasion and opportunity we need to turn back to God with contrite hearts, to do away with the superfluous, to focus on what actually matters most. St. Teresa of Avila says: “Remember that you have only one soul; that you have only one death to die... then there will be many things about which you care nothing.”

For this upcoming Lent to be a good one, we need a practical plan, a list of non-negotiables. (Remember, the goal is fostering a living relationship with Our Lord. We are by no means limiting our relationship with Christ to a checklist.)

-Prayer: Be practical. Not just “I need to pray more...”, but what prayers? Select them, laminate them. When will you say them? Structure them into your daily life. Morning offering, Rosary, meditation, night prayers with examination of conscience and act of contrition.

-Reading: What is my Lenten book to read every day? When will I do it?

-Sacraments: Can I attend Mass during the week? Attend adoration? Go to Confession at least once a month?

-Mortification: in the areas of food and drink. This is a training to turn me from my self-centeredness towards God. This is to prepare me for the sacrifices required in my vocation. Mortification extends to the use of the internet. Make a Lenten fast from using the internet for recreation. Use it solely for work and work only. You will see all the time you now have for your spiritual life and for those whom God gave you!

-Almsgiving: Charity covers a multitude of sins.

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

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.