

it a high degree of glory in heaven.

11. By the recitation of the Rosary you shall obtain all that you ask of me.

12. Those who propagate the holy Rosary shall be aided by me in their necessities.

13. I have obtained from my Divine Son that all the advocates of the Rosary shall have for intercessors the entire celestial court during their life and at the hour of their death.

14. All who recite the Rosary are my beloved children and the brothers and sisters of my only Son, Jesus Christ.

15. Devotion for my Rosary is a great sign of predestination.

The month of May is dedicated to Our Blessed Mother. If you have let the Rosary fall by the wayside, this is an excellent opportunity to get back to a daily Rosary. Go with Mary and she will lead you to her Divine Son.

In Christ through Mary,

Fr. David Franco, 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 May 7, 2023

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$7,479	—	—
Online	\$9,772	—	—
Ascension Thurs.			
In Pew	\$115	—	—
Total	\$17,306	\$10,576	\$6,730
YTD	\$565,335	\$465,344	\$99,991
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$1,070	—	—
Online	\$2,883	—	—
Total	\$3,953	\$2,307	\$1,646
YTD	\$126,207	\$101,508	\$24,699

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Annual Bishop's Appeal 2023

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



“And if any man think himself to be religious, not bridling his tongue, but deceiving his own heart, this man's religion is vain.”

(James 1:26)



Saint Joseph Parish

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

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Rev. David Franco, 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

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For parish social groups and activities, please see the bulletin board by the parish library.

MASS SCHEDULE — INTENTIONS — REQUESTED BY		
Sun. May 14 Fifth Sunday after Easter (2nd Cl)	8:30 am Pro Populo 11 am Ralph Thorpe † 1:30 pm FSSP & Preservation of the TLM	— CH —
Mon. May 15 St. John Baptist de la Salle (3rd Cl)	7 am James G. Eliasek, Sr. † 9 am Christopher Seeley	JE AS
Tues. May 16 St. Ubald (3rd Cl)	7 am FSSP 9 am Deborah B. Johnson †	AM JJB
Wed. May 17 Vigil of the Ascension (2nd Cl)	7 am Giana Markley 6 pm Michael & Maria Liberatore <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	RM ML
Thurs. May 18 Ascension of the Lord (1st Cl)	7 am Bishop Barry Knestout 9 am Mildred & Herman Smith † 6 pm Fr. Adrian Harmening O.S.B. †	AG NB AR
Fri. May 19 St. Peter Celestine (3rd Cl.)	7 am Dorothy Martin <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 pm</i> 6 pm Fr. Karl Marsolle	TD KLD
Sat. May 20 St. Bernadine of Siena (3rd Cl)	9 am Brayden Lord	LF
Sun. May 21 Sunday after Ascension (2nd Cl)	8:30 am The Stells Family 11 am Pro Populo 1:30 pm Karl Troestler †	KS — SG
Mon. May 22 Feria after Ascension (4th Cl)	7 am Timothy Hice † 9 am Xavier Sanctafamilia	GH JVS
Tues. May 23 Feria after Ascension (4th Cl)	7 am John & Cathy Voisinet 9 am Matthew L. Dahlem †	JAM EMD
Wed. May 24 Feria after Ascension (4th Cl)	7 am Fr. Adrian Harmening † 6 pm Robert Zilli † <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	CBP CV
Thurs. May 25 St. Gregory VII (3rd Cl)	7 am William Kastelberg V † 9 am Charles E. Adams †	PF LGK
Fri. May 26 St. Philip Neri (3rd Cl.)	7 am Rose Marie Lantusca † <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 pm</i> 6 pm Nancy Devine & Stephen Gentile	JG DP
Sat. May 27 Vigil of Pentecost (1st Cl)	9 am Bob Ulrich	CU

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Raphael DeSimone, Rev. Mr. Jacob Kasak, Caroline Pfab, Gerald McDermott, Tina Ruiz, Anita DeGlopper, Betty Lee-Patch, Michael Kavenaugh, Daniel Turner, Chris Trout, Cordelia Rose Poerstel, Paulita Dudley, Samuel Sponeybarger, Brenda Quinn, Virginia Craig, Jody Giegerich, Mary Claire Adams, Andrew Piffat Sr., Frank & Carolyn Baratta, The Colbergs, Nick Heinz, Priscilla Treacy Calhoun, Margaret Burget, Ellen Nau, Ethel Dahlem, Bill Madigan, Peter, Joan Marie, 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.

Mass Schedule Changes

Please carefully note the changes highlighted in grey.

TODAY—May Crowning

Sun. 14 May, immediately following the 11 am High Mass. We will process to the Fatima shrine. All are welcome to bring individual flowers to leave at the feet of Our Lady.

TODAY—No Coffee & Donuts

Sun. 14 May. Please note that we will not have our coffee & donuts social.

Ascension Thursday

Thurs. 18 May, we have 3 Low Masses available: 7 am, 9 am, & 6 pm.

Pentecost Novena

This novena begins Fri., 19 May in preparation for the Feast of Pentecost on Sun. 28 May. Prayer cards are available on the back table of the church.

Upcoming Events

- May 14**—May Crowning
Baby Bottle Campaign Begins
No Coffee or Donuts
- May 18**—Ascension Thursday
Low Masses at 7 am, 9 am & 6 pm
- May 19**—Pentecost Novena Begins
- May 31**—Feeding the Hungry Downtown

Assistance for the DeSimone Family

<https://www.givesendgo.com/raphaeldesimone>
Raphael Desimone (1.5 y.o.) fell from a moving vehicle and sustained numerous injuries to his head and back. He is in stable condition, but the family needs help with medical bills. Thank you for your generosity.

TODAY—K of C Grill Raffle

Sun. 14 May—Sun. 28 May, the Knights are selling raffle tickets in Fr. Adrian Hall. Tickets are \$20 ea. The raffle is sponsored by the Abbate Insurance Agency, and all proceeds will go to a new stove for the parish kitchen.

TODAY—Pregnancy Help Center of Chesterfield Baby Bottle Campaign 2023

Sun., 14 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 18th, Fathers' Day. Your support is much appreciated.

TODAY—In Honor of Mother's Day

Sun. 14 May, the Knights of Columbus are giving flowers to all the mothers of the parish. See the tables at the main entrances.

Feeding the Hungry Downtown

Wed. 31 May, St. Joseph Parish is providing meals for the homeless downtown. Please see the posters on the bulletin board by the parish library to help out. For more info: events@stjosephrichmond.org.

Fr. O'Reilly Benefit Concert

Mon. 22 May, 7 pm. Fr. James O'Reilly is performing a saxophone concert in the St. Bridget Middle School Auditorium. A free will offering is going to be collected to benefit the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Feel free to come out and enjoy an evening of concert saxophone music.

Pastor's Corner



Dear Faithful,

The Rosary is a powerful prayer. Given to St. Dominic by none other than the Blessed Mother herself, it has been a tremendous instrument of grace and sanctification. Many a sinner has been converted through the faithful recitation of the Rosary. Many a lukewarm soul has been enkindled with a love for God worthy of a saint. But don't take my word for it! Here is what our Blessed Mother herself promised St. Dominic:

1. Those who faithfully serve me by the recitation of the Rosary shall receive signal graces.
2. I promise my special protection and the greatest graces to all those who shall recite the Rosary.
3. The Rosary shall be a powerful armor against hell. It will destroy vice, decrease sin, and defeat heresies.
4. The recitation of the Rosary will cause virtue and good works to flourish. It will obtain for souls the abundant mercy of God. It will withdraw the hearts of men from the love of the world and its vanities, and will lift them to the desire of eternal things. Oh, that souls would sanctify themselves by this means.
5. The soul which recommends itself to me by the recitation of the Rosary shall not perish.
6. Those who recite my Rosary devoutly, applying themselves to the consideration of its sacred mysteries, shall never be conquered by misfortune. In His justice, God will not chastise them; nor shall they perish by an unprovided death, i.e., be unprepared for heaven. Sinners shall convert. The just shall persevere in grace and become worthy of eternal life.
7. Those who have a true devotion to the Rosary shall not die without the sacraments of the Church.
8. Those who faithfully recite the Rosary shall have, during their life and at their death, the light of God and the plenitude of His graces. At the moment of death, they shall participate in the merits of the saints in paradise.
9. I shall deliver from purgatory those who have been devoted to the Rosary.
10. The faithful children of the Rosary shall mer-