

Corner Cont.

\* The entire class schedule for the year is published on the handout at the back of the church. Please carefully note the dates as the schedule is based on my availability and is not uniform each month.

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

*Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP*

### Online Giving

Thank you for your continued and very edifying generosity; the Parish depends on it. Please visit our giving site: [stjosephrichmond.weshareonline.org](http://stjosephrichmond.weshareonline.org) to create an account. For help or questions, please don't hesitate to contact the office.

### 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](mailto:support@givecentral.org) or 833-716-2612.



### Sunday Offertory for Aug. 20 2023

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
<b>Operations</b>			
In Pew	\$5,821	—	—
Online	\$8,379	—	—
Total	\$14,200	\$10,962	\$3,238
YTD	\$93,129	\$76,734	\$16,395
<b>Capital Improvements</b>			
In Pew	\$737	—	—
Online	\$1,446	—	—
Total	\$2,183	\$2,404	\$221
YTD	\$18,765	\$16,828	\$1,937

*Thank you for your continued generosity!*

<b>Adoration</b> Bernadette Piccininni 291-8961	<b>Gift Shop</b> Rose Mary Cosby 272-3908	<b>Parish Pastoral Council</b> Joe Treadwell council@stjosephrichmond.org	<b>Ushers</b> Greg Hice 804-320-4932
<b>Altar Flowers</b> Ann Yost 540-846-9556	<b>Knights of Columbus</b> Michael Smart 804-614-5183 mhsmart2@verizon.net	<b>Religious Education</b> Katy Hichborn edu@stjosephrichmond.org	<b>Volunteer Coordinator</b> Michelle Blake volunteer@stjosephrichmond.org
<b>Event Coordinator</b> Lorraine Hewitt events@stjosephrichmond.org	<b>Library</b> Tim Olmsted library@stjosephrichmond.org	<b>Sacristan</b> Monica Mell sacristan@stjosephrichmond.org	<b>Web Master</b> website@stjosephrichmond.org
<b>Finance Council</b> Bob Stolle finance@stjosephrichmond.org	<b>Maintenance</b> John Hewitt 804-320-4932	<b>Safe Environment Committee</b> Mary Poerstel 804-432-5134	

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

*“Were not ten made clean? And where are the nine?”*

*(Lk. 17:17)*



*August 27, 2023*

# 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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### Parish Office

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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

MASS SCHEDULE — INTENTIONS — REQUESTED BY		
<b>Sun. August 27</b> Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost (2nd Cl)	8:30 am Pro Populo 11 am Henryk Michniak † 1:30 pm Fr. Terrence Gordon †	— MF SU
<b>Mon. August 28</b> St. Augustine (3rd Cl)	9 am Rev. Fr. Jason Burchell	JJB
<b>Tues. August 29</b> Beheading of St. John the Baptist (3rd Cl)	9 am Dr. Julie Joyner †	JMP
<b>Wed. August 30</b> St. Rose of Lima (3rd Cl)	7 am Margaret Stacy † 6 pm Henry & Claire Verdini <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	KS CV
<b>Thurs. August 31</b> St. Raymond Nonnatus (3rd Cl)	7 am Private Intention 9 am Fr. Terrence Gordon, FSSP †	CV MAH
<b>Fri. September 1</b> Feria (4th Cl)	7 am FSSP <i>Adoration 8 am to 5 PM</i> 6 pm Angie & Nick Johnston	MAC DC
<b>Sat. September 2</b> St. Stephen of Hungary (3rd Cl)	9 am Luke Seeley	AS
<b>Sun. September 3</b> Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost (2nd Cl)	8:30 am Eleanor Faye 11 am Pro Populo 1:30 pm The Glover Family	AS — JVS
<b>Mon. September 4</b> Feria (4th Cl)	9 am Private Intention	RM
<b>Tues. September 5</b> St. Lawrence Justinian (3rd Cl)	9 am NB's Children & Grandchildren	NB
<b>Wed. September 6</b> Feria (4th Cl)	7 am Our Priests 6 pm Craig Jones <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	MA JMB
<b>Thurs. September 7</b> Feria (4th Cl)	7 am Charles Adams † 9 am Christopher Mozol	CBP CB
<b>Fri. September 8</b> Nativity of the B. V. M (2nd Cl)	7 am Private Intention <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 pm</i> 6 pm Frank Lord	CCZ LF
<b>Sat. September 9</b> St. Peter Claver (3rd Cl)	9 am Fr. Terrence Gordon †	EB

**PRAYER INTENTIONS**

Michelle Hinkley, Dr. Robert Quarles, Louise McMurray, Audrey Rose Harlan, Garland and Lottie Campbell, Andrew Bailey, Christine Womack, Emily Story, Tina Lewis, Ida Keller, Don Story, Sr., Jim Kurucz, Paulita Dudley, Christopher Broughton, Timothy Mergen, Nazhat Kashi, Sandy Haddix, James Hiers, June Heim, Ginny Franklin, Ben Shealy, Stephanie Harding, Raphael DeSimone, Rev. Mr. Jacob Kasak, Caroline Pfab, Gerald McDermott, Tina Ruiz, Brenda Quinn, Virginia Craig, Mary Claire Adams, Andrew Piffat Sr., Frank & Carolyn Baratta, The Colbergs, Nick Heinz, Priscilla Treacy Calhoun, Margaret Burget, Ellen Nau, Ethel Dahlem, Bill Madigan, The Osborne Family, Kenny Montgomery, Ken Diman, Clarence 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.

**RCIA Class Registration**

Our Adult Catechism classes are beginning on Thurs. 7 Sept. at 6 pm. See the handout on the back table of the church for full details.

**Religious Ed News!**

Registrations are now open; classes begin on 10 Sept. and meet on Sundays from 9:45 am to 10:30 am. Forms are available in Fr. Adrian Hall and online. Please register your children by 3 Sept. so we can buy books. To register online, log into [stjosephrichmond.org](http://stjosephrichmond.org). Email [edu@stjosephrichmond.org](mailto:edu@stjosephrichmond.org) with any questions and see the insert for full schedule.

**Upcoming Events**

**Aug. 20—Sept. 3**—Religious Ed Registration  
**Aug. 27**—RCIA Registration Continues  
**Sept. 5**—Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7 pm

**Annual Financial Report**

The annual parish financial report is available on the bulletin board in the main vestibule. Thank you for your continued generosity!

**Feeding the Hungry Downtown**

Wed. 30 Aug., 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](mailto:events@stjosephrichmond.org).

**28th Pilgrimage for Restoration**

29 Sept.—1 Oct. This is a walking pilgrimage to Our Blessed Lady's Shrine of the Martyrs at Auriesville, NY. For full information and to register, please visit [pilgrimage-for-restoration.org](http://pilgrimage-for-restoration.org)

**Standing With Her Sunday**

TODAY— Sun. 27 Aug. at 7 pm. Watch this national simulcast to learn more about supporting women in crisis pregnancies. Visit [standingwithhersunday.org](http://standingwithhersunday.org) to sign up.

**Olive Wood Sales**

Sun. 3 Sept. The Christians of the Holy Land will be selling their carvings after the Masses. Thank you for your generosity.

**Pastor's Corner**



Dear Faithful,

As announced, the RCIA class will begin on September 7th, and will meet from 6-7:30 pm. Every year we receive a number of converts. The class is also open to anyone who wants to learn or review their Catechism. For the past three years I have been using The Question & Answer Catholic Catechism by The Servant of God, Fr. John Hardon S.J. It is a brief and precise synthesis of the Catholic Faith. Nothing substantial is omitted and everything necessary for salvation is treated. I ask the participants to read the assigned sections before class and to bring any questions they have on the material to class. This usually makes for good discussions, clarifications and distinctions. The main sections we cover are: The Apostles' Creed, The Ten Commandments, The Beatitudes, The Sacraments, Prayer and Liturgy.

St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta endorsed this catechism. She wrote: *"This catechism is a clear exposition of the teachings of the Church. It should be taught in schools and colleges, in religious formation programs, and in the family. Written in simple style, it is easy to understand, and it leaves no doubt in the mind as to what is required of us by the Church, as children of God and followers of Jesus Christ. To be fruitful, our study of catechism must be a prayer, for if we pray, the fruit of prayer is deepening of faith and we will believe, and if we believe we will love, and if we really love we will be able to go and proclaim the good news to the poor—through works of love—that are always works of peace. My prayer for you who use this book is that through its use you may grow in the knowledge of the faith taught by Christ through his Church and so become holy as your heavenly Father is holy."*

The goal is to know Christ and to love Him. Is the Lord calling me to learn or to review my catechism?

\* We do not provide books, but this title is readily available online and through most major book retailers.

# St. Joseph's Religious Ed

Sunday, 27 August 2023

Dear Parishioners,

There is a mandatory meeting for parents and students committing to our Religious Education Program on Sunday, September 10th, following the 8:30 a.m. Mass in the main church. Details on reverse. As we begin a new year, I am very grateful for the volunteer teachers who make this program a reality. Without their goodwill and sacrifice, it would not be possible. We know that parents are the primary educators of their children; they have the right and the obligation to educate their children in matters of the Faith. Our Religious Education classes are designed to assist parents in that responsibility. If Church is the only place kids get religion, it won't last long. The goal of instruction and formation in the Faith is a true relationship with Christ. The rudiments of the Faith are a basic necessity and only the beginning. It's up to parents to foster a growth in that relationship.

Keeping this in mind, let me reiterate a few policies/ground rules for our year to be a smooth one: 1) Signing up is a commitment to ensure that your children are there, punctual, and prepared with required materials and homework done. Just as the teachers have committed to the program, so must the students who sign up. Either you are part of it, fully, or you are not. 2) The First Holy Communion and Confirmation classes are mandatory if one is to make his or her First Communion or be Confirmed at St. Joseph.

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

*— Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP*

## Classes and Teachers

Mrs. Katy Hichborn	-Program Coordinator
Mrs. Elizabeth Brady	-1st Grade
Mrs. Mary Alice Hoffman	-2nd Grade
Mr. Jeffrey Cronheim	-3rd & 4th Grade
Miss Mary Carver	-5th & 6th Grade
Mr. Timothy York	-7th & 8th Grade
Mrs. Alyssa Hichborn	-9th & 10th Grade
Mr. Bill Doran	-11th and up

## Religious Ed Schedule 2023-24

On Sunday September 10, 2023, all teachers, parents and students will gather in the church at 9:45 am, for our opening school prayer, oath of fidelity (teachers), blessing, and a brief talk by Fr. Marsolle. Students will then be dismissed by class with their teachers for an informal first session. Parents are encouraged to drop by within the following 10-15 minutes to meet the teachers. A map of classrooms will be available on the Religious Education bulletin board near the water fountains.

Classes meet on Sundays from 9:45 am to 10:30 am on the days listed below.

### Fall Term

Class	Sunday
1.	Sept. 17
2.	Sept. 24
3.	Oct. 1
4.	Oct. 8
5.	Oct. 15
6.	Oct. 22
7.	Oct. 29
8.	Nov. 5
9.	Nov. 12
10.	Nov. 19
<i>Thanksgiving</i>	
11.	Dec. 3
12.	Dec. 10
13.	Dec. 17

*Christmas Break*

### Spring Term

Class	Sunday
14.	Jan. 7
15.	Jan. 14
16.	Jan. 21
17.	Jan. 28
18.	Feb. 4
19.	Feb. 11
20.	Feb. 18
21.	Feb. 25
22.	Mar. 3
23.	Mar. 10
24.	Mar. 17
<i>Easter Break</i>	
25.	Apr. 7
26.	Apr. 14
27.	Apr. 21
28.	April 28
29.	May 5
30.	May 12
31.	May 19

**May 25 - 1st Holy Comm.**