

Online Giving

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Marriage Banns

Miss Valerie Elizabeth Taylor is marrying Mr. Matthew Gerard Kunkel. This is the second posting of the banns.

“Whatsoever you do in word or in work, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, giving thanks to God and the Father by him.”
(Col. 3:17)



January 7, 2024

Sunday Offertory for Dec. 31 2023			
	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$6,602	—	—
Online	\$6,030	—	—
Christmas			
In Pew	\$1,085	—	—
Online	\$670	—	—
The Circumcision			
In Pew	\$1,363	—	—
Online	—	—	—
Total	\$15,750	\$10,962	\$4,788
YTD	\$377,667	\$285,012	\$95,655
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$757	—	—
Online	\$1,028	—	—
Total	\$1,785	\$2,404	(\$619)
YTD	\$68,823	\$62,504	\$6,319
Thank you for your continued generosity!			

Special Collections December 2023	
Collection	Total
Altar Flowers	\$1,990
FSSP Seminary Burse	\$3,061
Poor Box	\$2,792.03
St. Bernadette Fund	\$3,159

Adoration Bernadette Piccininni 291-8961	Gift Shop Rose Mary Cosby 272-3908	Parish Pastoral Council Joe Treadwell council@stjosephrichmond.org	Ushers Greg Hice 804-320-4932
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For parish social groups and activities, please see the bulletin board by the parish library.			

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Schedule for Holy Mass	
Sunday	8:30 am (Low) 11 am (High) 1:30 pm (Low)
Monday	9 am
Tuesday	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

Feast of the Holy Family

MASS SCHEDULE — INTENTIONS — REQUESTED BY		
Sun. January 7 Feast of the Holy Family (2nd Cl)	8:30 am Yvonne Laschon † 11 am Pro Populo 1:30 pm Gail Campbell †	JC — TD
Mon. January 8 Feria of Epiphany (4th Cl)	9 am Betty Shaughnessy-Knave †	SJP
Tues. January 9 Feria of Epiphany (4th Cl)	9 am Denise Hall	DF
Wed. January 10 Feria of Epiphany (4th Cl)	7 am Jordan & Annette Robbins 6 pm Kepha Sanctafamilia <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	CF JVS
Thurs. January 11 Feria of Epiphany (4th Cl)	7 am Lucy & Jonathan Babington 9 am Holy Souls in Purgatory	TC TL
Fri. January 12 Feria of Epiphany (4th Cl)	7 am Maria Liberatore <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 pm</i> 6 pm George Palm †	ML CP
Sat. January 13 Baptism of our Lord Jesus Christ (2nd Cl)	9 am Karin Haley †	LH
Sun. January 14 Second Sunday after Epiphany (2nd Cl)	8:30 am Pro Populo 11 am Nick & Jennifer Cresci 1:30 pm FSSP & the TLM	— JVS —
Mon. January 15 St. Paul First Hermit (3rd Cl)	9 am Joe Bush †	KS
Tues. January 16 St. Macellus I (3rd Cl)	9 am Holy Souls in Purgatory	PW
Wed. January 17 St. Anthony (3rd Cl)	7 am Bernadette Piccininni 6 pm Rick Brennan <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	GH LB
Thurs. January 18 Feria (4th Cl)	7 am Peter Gibbons 9 am Joey Hartley	TM BCH
Fri. January 19 Feria (4th Cl)	7 am Cruess Family <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 pm</i> 6 pm Holy Souls in Purgatory	LA MVN
Sat. January 20 St. Fabian (3rd Cl)	9 am Margaret Ansari	PH

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PRAYER INTENTIONS

Cliff Cosby, James & Judy Stephens, Freddie Cahoon, Andrew Piffat, Sr., Cooper Hammerman, Anahid Velasquez, Theresa Ward, Patricia DiGirolamo, Tom Hancock, James Walsh, Nick Heinz, and all the chronically ill & homebound of our parish.

In your charity, please remember the souls of Louise McMurray and all the faithful departed. Requiescant in pace.

Mass Schedule

Please carefully note the numerous Mass time changes highlighted in grey.

Epiphany Water

Epiphany Water is available at the front of the church. There is enough for every family to take a regular water bottle size (about 16 ounces) to have and use in their homes. This holy water should be used during Epiphany-tide. When it runs out, you can refill your bottle with the holy water offered at the parish year-round.

Epiphany Chalk

Chalk is available in the vestibule while supplies last. First come, first serve, but please be considerate.

Used Book Sale

Sun. 21 Jan. is our next used book sale. If you have any books to donate (only books, please), they may be dropped off in the alcove near the 1st Grade classroom. Our sales are always by donation only, and all proceeds go to support our Religious Ed. Program.

Upcoming Events

Jan 15—Parish Office Closed
Jan 21—Used Book Sale
Jan 27—New Parishioner Mass & Event
Jan 31—Feeding the Hungry

From Fr. Marsolle

In our efforts to make our church a house of prayer, and taking into account numerous and well-founded complaints, the ushers will assist the priests of St. Joseph Parish by:

- helping people find seats 10 minutes before Mass starts

- asking the parent of a disruptive child to take the child out into the vestibule

- asking someone who will not silence their phone after repeated disruptions to do so.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Feeding the Hungry Downtown

Wed. 31 January, 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.

New Parishioner Welcome Mass

Sat. 27 Jan. The 9 am Mass will be offered for the intentions of everyone who joined our parish from May 2022 through December 2023. After Mass, we will have light refreshments in Fr. Adrian Hall for these families so they can meet the parish staff and other new parishioners. Please RSVP by finding your name on the sheets posted on the bulletin board outside the parish library and marking how many in your family will be attending.

Women’s Silent Retreat Registration

The parish is hosting a silent retreat for women ages 18 and up, Fri-Sun., June 21-23, 2024 at the Roslyn Retreat Center on River Road. This traditional retreat will be led by Fr. Anthony Mastroeni.

Registration began Sun, 10 Dec. for St. Joseph parishioners; registration will open to other women on 15 Jan. Full details and registration forms are on the bulletin board in the hallway near the Parish Library.

Pastor’s Corner

Dear Faithful,

As we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany we meditate on this “manifestation” of Our Lord. The wisemen come from afar bearing gifts of wondrous significance: gold for a King, incense for His Divinity, and myrrh for His burial. What a beautiful manifestation of Christ’s identity and the purpose for which He came into our midst!

Epiphany water will be blessed on the eve of the feast. Blessed chalk will be available for the head of each family to bless the entrance of their home.

Here is a little tutorial on what should be done at the main entrances of your homes:

-The finished inscription should look like this:

20 + C + M + B + 24

- The following words in bold are spoken aloud by the head of the family. As he speaks, he writes the part of the inscription listed in italics.

The three wise men,

Caspar, *C*

Melchior, *M*

and Balthasar, *B*

followed the star of God’s Son who became man

two thousand 20

twenty-four years ago. 24

Crosses are added from left to right as follows:

May Christ bless our dwelling, +

& remain with us throughout the new year, +

& grant that our comings and goings +

will be in search of truth. +

Almighty God, incline your ear. May you bless us and all who are gathered here. Send your holy angel who will defend us and fill with grace all who live here. Amen.

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

Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP