

Christendom College Visit Days
 Come to Front Royal, VA, and see an authentically Catholic college on one of our visit days! We offer two open houses: 21 Sept. and 23 Nov, and a homeschool visit day on 12 Oct, where prospective families will tour our campus, experience class with one of our professors, and learn about our academic program, Catholic culture, financial aid, and countless leadership opportunities! Register in advance: christendom.edu/visit

FSSP Seminary Appeal
 Postage-paid envelopes are available at the back of the main church. Checks should be made out directly to The Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter. Thank you for your generosity in supporting the education of our future priests.

Annual Bishop's Appeal 2024
 As in prior years, the appeal is primarily online, but there is a limited supply of envelopes on the back table of the church. All funds received above our parish target will go toward our parish organ fund. Scan the QR code below or visit: <https://richmondcatholicfoundation.org/appeal/>
 Questions can be directed to GiveCentral: 833-716-2612 or support@givecentral.org



“Lord, thou hast been our refuge from generation to generation.”

(Ps. 89:1)



August 18, 2024

Saint Joseph Parish

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

Sunday Offertory for Aug. 11, 2024

	Collection	Budget	Surplus/(Deficit)
Operations			
In Pew	\$6,510	—	—
Online	\$6,886	—	—
Assumption			
In Pew	\$20		
Total	\$13,416	\$11,500	\$1,916
YTD	\$79,354	\$69,000	\$10,354
Capital Improvements			
In Pew	\$490	—	—
Online	\$2,056	—	—
Total	\$2,546	\$2,596	(\$50)
YTD	\$13,716	\$15,576	(\$1,860)

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Rev. Karl Marsolle, FSSP, Pastor

Rev. Peter Byrne, FSSP, Vicar
 —
office@stjosephrichmond.org

Schedule for Holy Mass

Sunday	8:30 am (Low) 11 am (High) 1:30 pm (Low)
Monday	9 am
Tuesday	9 am
Wednesday	6 pm
Thursday	9 am
Friday	7 am & 6 pm
Saturday	9 am

Parish Office

Hours: Mon. - Fri., 9 am — 12:30 pm
 828 Buford Rd., N. Chesterfield, VA 23235
www.stjosephrichmond.org
 Voice: (804) 320-4932
 Text: (804) 307-8390
 Fax: (804) 451-1009
Sacramental emergencies: (804) 396-5665

Beverly Howe, Business Manager
office@stjosephrichmond.org

David Pedersen, Choirmaster
music@stjosephrichmond.org

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

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
Altar Flowers Ann Yost 540-846-9556	Knights of Columbus Ken Diman 804-320-4932 kofc@stjosephrichmond.org	Religious Education Katy Hichborn edu@stjosephrichmond.org	Volunteer Coordinator Kristen Treadwell volunteer@stjosephrichmond.org
Event Coordinator Lorraine Hewitt events@stjosephrichmond.org	Library Tim Olmsted library@stjosephrichmond.org	Sacristan Monica Mell sacristan@stjosephrichmond.org	Web Master website@stjosephrichmond.org
Finance Council Bob Stolle finance@stjosephrichmond.org	Maintenance Johnny Howe 804-320-4932	Safe Environment Committee Mary Poerstel 804-432-5134	

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

MASS SCHEDULE — INTENTIONS — REQUESTED BY		
Sun. August 18 13th Sunday after Pentecost (2nd Cl)	8:30 am Pro Populo 11:00 am Ramiro L. Menendez † 1:30 pm FSSP & the TLM	— DT —
Mon. August 19 St. John Eudes (3rd Cl)	9 am Nicholas Zelenka	CZ
Tues. August 20 St. Bernard of Clairvaux (3rd Cl)	9 am The Greg Middleton Family	KB
Wed. August 21 St. Jane Frances de Chantal (3rd Cl)	6 pm Ronald Bonilla <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	CB
Thurs. August 22 Immaculate Heart of the B. V. M. (2nd Cl)	9 am Alison Pepe	DP
Fri. August 23 St. Philip Benizi (3rd Cl)	7 am Linda Lowman † <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm Margaret Byrne †	JAM JPB
Sat. August 24 St. Bartholomew (2nd Cl)	9 am Juliette Moehl & Family	JC
Sun. August 25 14th Sunday after Pentecost (2nd Cl)	8:30 am Matthew Seeley 11:00 am Pro Populo 1:30 pm Michael Max Hadley †	AMS — LF
Mon. August 26 Feria (4th Cl)	9 am Dorman & Jean Hartley	CH
Tues. August 27 St. Joseph Calasance (3rd Cl)	9 am Julie Pastore	JP
Wed. August 28 St. Augustine (3rd Cl)	6 pm Hali Yun <i>Adoration 7 pm to 8 pm</i>	UK
Thurs. August 29 Beheading of St. John the Baptist (3rd Cl)	9 am Henry & Claire Verdini	CV
Fri. August 30 St. Rose of Lima (3rd Cl)	7 am Suki Simpson <i>Adoration 8 am to 12 noon</i> 6 pm Margaret Stacy †	UK KS
Sat. August 31 St. Raymon Nonnatus (3rd Cl)	9 am Janet Stern	BH

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Amy Ngo, Carol Bailey, James Jones, Nick Heinz, Beau Simpson, Judith Boutin, Jim Carlson, Kenneth Howerton, Mary Claire Adams, Terry McQueen, Brian Jones, James Armstrong, and all the chronically ill & homebound of our parish.

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

Adult Catechism Class Registration

Our Adult Catechism classes are beginning on Thurs. 5 September at 6 pm. This class is for anyone interested in becoming Catholic, or to learn more about the Faith. See the handout on the back table of the church for full details.

Religious Ed News!

Registrations are now open; classes will begin on 8 Sept. Forms are available in Fr. Adrian Hall and online. Please note there are multiple forms. Please register your children by 1 Sept. so we can buy books. To register online, log into your account on stjosephrichmond.org Email edu@stjosephrichmond.org with any questions.

Upcoming Book Sale

Sun. 25 Aug. There will be a used book sale to benefit the Religious Ed. Program. This one will include only educational materials and children's books. There will be a full sale in a few months. If you have any materials to donate, please contact Katy Hichborn. edu@stjosephrichmond.org

Activities for St Joseph's Youth

Sun. 18 Aug. & 25 Aug. Visit the information table in Fr Adrian Hall to learn more about activities for the children of our parish with Troops of St George boys group, Little Flowers & Little Women girls groups, St. Joseph's Youth Group, and Mayflower Homeschoolers.

Upcoming Events

Aug 25—Book Sale - Educational Materials & Children's Books only

A Note From Fr. Franco

I just wanted to send a brief note to everyone. I have safely arrived in Sacramento. Thank you for all your prayers, thank you notes, and very generous gifts. I am truly humbled by everything you have written in your letters. I wish I could individually thank each and every one of you. Please be assured of my continued prayers for all y'all. In Christ through Mary, Fr. Franco

Parish Pilgrimage Brigade

Email Colin Sheppard colinsheppard09@gmail.com to access the sign up sheet for the brigade. Registration is open for all ages and both sexes; options exist for those who do not wish to perform the full 60 mile pilgrimage. The Brigade of St. Vincent de Paul expects to perform some preparatory exercises during August and September to give an idea of the level of exertion for participants in the pilgrimage.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

I was approached by parishioners who greatly benefited from this program. I think many married couples here would benefit from it as well. Please note: This program is not for marriages that are already in crisis. The liturgy involved is not TLM; this shouldn't detract from the usefulness of the tools provided. Maybe this is what you've been waiting for to reestablish good communication & strengthen trust. ~ Fr. Marsolle
Make a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. For more info or to register, go to wwme.org, click "Apply" and search for "Virginia" or your desired location. Questions? Contact Mark & Cathy Stangler: 703-378-4150 or mstang1987@aol.com
Here are a few upcoming events:
Sept. 27—29 Herndon VA
Oct. 11—13 College Park, MD
Nov. 15—17 Virginia Beach, VA

Pastor's Corner



Dear Parishioners,

Fr. Franco has arrived safely to his new assignment. He drove across the country along the historic Route 66 and then through Nevada and finally into Sacramento, California. Many of you have asked me for his new address:

Fr. Franco, FSSP
St Stephen the First Martyr Parish
5461 44th Street, Sacramento, California 95820
And his personal cell phone number where you can reach him 24/7 is: ... j/k!

Thank you for the kindness, generosity and support you have shown Fr. Franco. May God reward you abundantly!

As was announced on the transfer list on the Richmond diocese website, we will be getting Fr. Franco's replacement, Fr. Lillard, FSSP. Because of assignment and timing, he will not be able to be here until late August, having to drive across the country himself. We keep him in our prayers for safe travels as we prepare to welcome him to St Joseph's.

Of course, for priests, moving into a new assignment is never easy. Most times when a priest gets transferred, he hits the ground running. The adjustment period can be very unmerciful. Sometimes, he doesn't get to unpack that last box until a couple years into the new assignment. I have heard some priests joke that they don't bother unpacking anymore.

As I mentioned, I am sorry for the suddenness of the transfers this summer. We had extraordinary circumstances due to timing of the FSSP General Chapter and elections of superiors. The dust seems to be settling as we get ready to tackle another year.

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

Fr. Karl Marsolle FSSP