

# *Saint Richard Parish*

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*Director of Faith Formation  
Ms. Maryellen Carroll [dre@strichardchurch.org](mailto:dre@strichardchurch.org)*

*Pastoral Associate  
Sr. Marian Gregory, IHM*

*Baptisms  
Baptisms are celebrated at St. Richard Church mostly every Sunday at 12:30 PM. Contact Fr. Weber to make arrangements.*

*Reconciliation—Confession  
Saturdays at St. Richard Church 3:30—4:15 PM  
And before all Masses on Sunday.*

*Marriage  
Couples planning a Catholic Wedding should contact Fr. Weber a minimum of six months in advance to begin the marriage processes.*

*Anointing of the Sick and Homebound Visits  
Arrangements can be made for anointing or communion to be brought to the sick or dying by calling the rectory.*

*Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults  
Any adult wanting to join the Catholic faith or any adult who was baptized but never received First Communion or Confirmation please contact Fr. Weber or Maryellen Carroll.*

*Exposition and Benediction (Tuesdays September through May)  
Exposition following 8:30 AM Mass  
Benediction with Prayers for Vocations 3:00 PM*

*Novena Prayers (Following the 8:30 Mass)  
Monday Miraculous Medal Novena  
Thursday Novena to Our Lady of Knock*

*Parish Registration  
New parishioners are welcome and should register. Registration may be conveniently done by contacting the parish office.*

*Choir  
Our 11:30 Mass is enhanced by our choir. New members are welcome*

*Saint Vincent de Paul Society  
Provides charitable outreach to the community. Members meet monthly. See bulletin for details and events.*



## *Celebration of the Eucharist*

### Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil 4:30 PM at St. Richard  
Sunday 8:00 AM at St. Richard  
Sunday 10:00 AM at Holy Spirit  
Sunday 11:30 AM at St. Richard

### Weekday Mass

Monday through Saturday 8:30 AM at St. Richard  
Holy Day Mass as Announced

## *Parish Rectory*

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### **Office Hours:**

Monday to Thursday 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM  
and any time by appointment

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**SUNDAY September 12**

8:00 Josie Theodore  
Requested by Frank, Nicole, Mia and Frank Talamo

10:00 **HOLY SPIRIT**

Rosemary Camilari  
Requested by Camilari Family

11:30 Frank and Mary Lou Talamo  
Requested by Frank, Nicole, Mia and Frank Talamo

**MONDAY September 13**

8:30 Grandparents of the Baldino Family  
Requested by Family

**TUESDAY September 14**

8:30 Joseph Raffaele  
Requested by son, Andrew

**WEDNESDAY September 15**

8:30 Michael Blaney  
Requested by Jennie and Anthony Filippello and family

**THURSDAY September 16**

8:30 Helena Raffaele  
Requested by son, Andrew

**FRIDAY September 17**

8:30 Danny Palermo  
Requested by Children

**SATURDAY September 18**

8:30 Kenneth Arabia  
Requested by Donna D'Orazio  
4:30 Vigil Joseph Pasquarella  
Requested by Marie Pasquarella

**SUNDAY September 19**

8:00 Nancy Pigliacelli  
Requested by Robert and Carmella Colleluori

10:00 **HOLY SPIRIT**

Edward Fletcher  
Requested by son, Patrick

11:30 Frank Perri  
Requested by Lottie and Raymond

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

As we commemorate 20 years since the tragic events on September 11, 2001, below is the prayer that Pope Benedict XVI prayed while visiting the memorial in 2008, and some words of Pope Francis when he visited the memorial in 2015. Let us all continue to pray for true PEACE!

O God of love, compassion, and healing,  
look on us, people of many different faiths and traditions,  
who gather today at this site,  
the scene of incredible violence and pain.

We ask you in your goodness to give eternal light and  
peace to all who died here—  
the heroic first-responders:

our fire fighters, police officers, emergency service  
workers, and Port Authority personnel,  
along with all the innocent men and women  
who were victims of this tragedy  
simply because their work or service  
brought them here on September 11, 2001.

Pope Benedict XVI

“...The flowing water is also a symbol of our tears. Tears at so much devastation and ruin, past and present. This is a place where we shed tears, we weep out of a sense of helplessness in the face of injustice, murder, and the failure to settle conflicts through dialogue. Here we mourn the wrongful and senseless loss of innocent lives because of the inability to find solutions which respect the common good... This flowing water reminds us of yesterday's tears, but also of all the tears still being shed today... This place of death became a place of life too, a place of saved lives, a hymn to the triumph of life over the prophets of destruction and death, to goodness over evil, to reconciliation and unity over hatred and division... Let us implore from on high the gift of commitment to the cause of peace. Peace in our homes, our families, our schools and our communities. Peace in all those places where war never seems to end. Peace for those faces which have known nothing but pain. Peace throughout this world which God has given us as the home of all and a home for all. Simply PEACE.”

- Pope Francis

Peace!



Our **SANCTUARY CANDLE**  
will be burning in loving memory of  
**Maryann Smiley**  
Requested by Cavalieri Family

**Entrance Antiphon:** Give peace, O Lord, to those who wait for you, that your prophets be found true. Hear the prayers of your servant, and of your people Israel.

**At the Lamb's High Feast**

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At the Lamb's high feast we sing Praise to our victorious King, He has washed us in the tide Flowing from his open side; Praise we him, whose love divine Gives his sacred Blood for wine, Gives his Body for the feast, Christ the victim, Christ the priest.

Where the Paschal blood is poured, Death's dark angel sheathes his sword; Israel's hosts triumphant go Through the wave that drowns the foe. Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed, Paschal victim, Paschal bread; With sincerity and love Eat we manna from above.

Text: 77 77 D; Ad regias Agni dapes; Latin, 4th cent.; tr. by Robert Campbell, 1814–1868, alt.

Music: Jakob Hintze, 1622–1702; adapt. by Johann Sebastian Bach, 1685–1750.

**First Reading:** A reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah

The Lord GOD opens my ear that I may hear; and I have not rebelled, have not turned back. I gave my back to those who beat me, my cheeks to those who plucked my beard; my face I did not shield from buffets and spitting. The Lord GOD is my help, therefore I am not disgraced; I have set my face like flint, knowing that I shall not be put to shame. He is near who upholds my right; if anyone wishes to oppose me, let us appear together. Who disputes my right? Let that man confront me. See, the Lord GOD is my help; who will prove me wrong?

**Responsorial Psalm:** I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.

**Second Reading:** A reading from the Letter of Saint James

What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him? If a brother or sister has nothing to wear and has no food for the day, and one of you says to them, "Go in peace, keep warm, and eat well," but you do not give them the necessities of the body, what good is it? So also faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead. Indeed someone might say, "You have faith and I have works." Demonstrate your faith to me without works, and I will demonstrate my faith to you from my works.

**Gospel:** A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

Jesus and his disciples set out for the villages of Caesarea Philippi. Along the way he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that I am?" They said in reply, "John the Baptist, others Elijah, still others one of the prophets." And he asked them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter said to him in reply, "You are the Christ." Then he warned them not to tell anyone about him. He began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer greatly and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and rise after three days. He spoke this openly. Then Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. At this he turned around and, looking at his disciples, rebuked Peter and said, "Get behind me, Satan. You are thinking not as God does, but as human beings do." He summoned the crowd with his disciples and said to them, "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake and that of the gospel will save it."

**Communion Antiphon:**      **The chalice of blessing that we bless is a communion in the Blood of Christ; and the bread that we break is a sharing in the Body of the Lord.**

**HOW CAN I KEEP FROM SINGING**

ENDLESS SONG

*Verses*



1. My life flows on in end-less song;      A -  
 2. Through all the tu - mult and the strife,      I  
 3. What though the tem - pest 'round me roar,      I  
 4. When ty - rants trem - ble, sick with fear,      And  
 5. The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart,      A

1. bove earth's lam - en - ta - tion.      I hear the real though  
 2. hear that mu - sic ring - ing;      It sounds and ech - oes  
 3. hear the truth it liv - eth.      What though the dark - ness  
 4. hear their death knells ring - ing;      When friends re - jice both  
 5. foun - tain ev - er spring - ing.      All things are mine since

1. far - off hymn      That hails a new cre - a - tion.  
 2. in my soul;      How can I keep from sing - ing?  
 3. 'round me close,      Songs in the night it giv - eth.  
 4. far and near,      How can I keep from sing - ing?  
 5. I am his;      How can I keep from sing - ing?

*Refrain*

No storm can shake my in - most calm,      While to that rock I'm  
 cling - ing.      Since Love is Lord of heav - en and earth,  
 How can I keep from sing - ing?

Text: 87 87 with refrain; attr. to Robert Lowry, 1826-1899, alt.; verse 3, Doris Pfenn. Music: Quaker Hymn; attr. to Robert Lowry.

**Keep In Mind**

Lucien Deiss, CSSp

Keep in mind that Jesus Christ has died for us and is risen from the dead. He is our saving Lord, he is joy for all ages.

1. If we die with the Lord, we shall live with the Lord. If we endure with the Lord, we shall reign with the Lord.
2. In Christ all our sorrow, in Christ all our joy. In him hope of glory, in him all our love.
3. In Christ our redemption, in Christ all our grace, In him our salvation, in him all our peace.

Text: 2 Timothy 2:8-12, Lucien Deiss, CSSp, 1921-2007

Tune: Lucien Deiss, CSSp, 1921-2007 © 1965, World Library Publications

**Lift High The Cross**

Crucifer

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim till all the world adore his sacred name.

1. Led on their way by this triumphant sign, the hosts of God in conquering ranks combine.  
Lift high the cross...
2. Each newborn servant of the Crucified bears on the brow the seal of him who died.  
Lift high the cross...
3. O Lord, once lifted on the glorious tree, As thou hast promised, draw the world to thee.  
Lift high the cross...

Text: 1 Corinthians 1:18; George W. Kitchin, 1827-1912, and Michael R. Newbolt, 1874-1956, alt., © 1974, Hope Publishing Co.



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September 12, 2021

**VOTIVE CANDLES**



**ILM** *Tricia Martelli*  
*Requested by Cavalieri Family*

**ILM** *Helena Raffaele*  
*Requested by Jane Condo*



**Prayer to St. Michael**

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.



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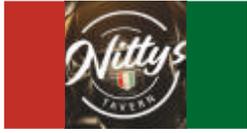
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