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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~ JULY 6, 2025

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PARISH OFFICE

Monday... ..CLOSED Tuesday–Thursday.....9:00 - 4:00 Friday9:00 -1:00 804-329-0473 Press 1 Emergency After Hours

EUCHARIST Saturday: 4:30 pm • Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00 am Wednesday & Friday 8:00 am

PENANCEEvery Saturday 3:00 pm or by appointment

ROSARY

Second Sunday of the month following 11:00 a.m. Mass

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to our parish community. We encourage you to become an active member of the parish. Please obtain a registration form from the Commons or by printing it from the St. Paul's website.
All parishioners, please notify the Parish Office
of a change of address or phone, or if leaving the parish.

VISION STATEMENT
The people of St. Paul's Parish are committed to being Christ's bright light and loving embrace to the community we are called to serve.

PLEASE NOTE

The chairs in front of the confessional are designated seating for individuals wearing face masks. All others are kindly asked to refrain from sitting in that area. Thank you.





NOT ABLE TO ATTEND MASS IN PERSON?? WE WELCOME YOU TO JOIN US ONLINE!! VIEW ONLINE: **GIVE ONLINE:**

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Saturday, July 5

Michelle Korpal †

Sunday, July 6 8:30 am 11:00 am

Beth Lewis † Joseph J. Bucher †

Wednesday, July 9

8:00 am

Frank & Anne Wallmeyer, Jerry Wallmeyer †

Marie Makulik †

Henry &Theresa Bickerstaff † Theresa Cecilia Huong †

Friday, July 11 8:00 am

Herman & Rose Beckstoffer † Herman Beckstoffer, Jr. † Reginald & Chris Berry † Chuck Ajemian †

Mass Intentions are a longstanding tradition in our Church. Mass Intentions are read at each of our daily and weekend liturgies, and are listed in our weekly bulletin as a reminder of the prayer of the community. If you would like to remember a special person with a Mass Intention, you can simply call, email, or stop by the church office. 804-329-0473 or churchoffice@saintpaulscc.com.

Please remember all those who are ill or in need of special prayers, so that they may experience comfort and healing:

Pattie Bevan, Patrick Burke, Audrey Claravall, Nancy Coffield, A'nitra DeVaughn, Haydee Dixon, Michael Duesing, Maceo Gamble, Barbara Gavigan, Robinyette Goode, Ted Grivetti, Theresa Harvey, Jackie Kaneicki, Mike Keller, Paul Keller, Linda McCracken Koebel, Connie Klyver, Beverly Lane, "Midge" Liggan, Robert Losteter, Imani Luck, Vonyetta Marable, Dyvonne Mars, Edith McRae, Bob & Kay Morrow, Joyce Murray, Mimi Murray, Anne Ring, Margaret Rockecharlie, Myriam Sigler, Stephanie Smith, Hugh Snead, Barbara Tomlinson Michael & Cornelia Waters, Lee Wexler, Chloe Williams,

Michael Yohe, Jr.



Father Begley, the staff, and parishioners of St. Paul's are privileged to pray for these persons. We are making an effort to keep the prayer list current to the needs of our parish and community. If you are on the prayer list, know someone who is, or requested someone to be added and time has come to remove the name, please call or email the church office.



"The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few." (Luke 10:2)

God's vineyard is overflowing with opportunities, and there's a heartfelt need for dedicated laborers. Could Christ be inviting you to join this vital work? Take a moment to consider a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life. Your unique gifts could make a profound difference! Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocations Office at 804-359-5661 or via email: vocations@richmonddiocese.org



St. Paul's has established a new Music Ministry Fund. The fund will support the maintenance of our new organ-due to be installed December 2025-as well as contribute to other ongoing expenses such as the purchase of new choir music, piano tuning, or other miscellaneous costs related to the music which uplifts our hearts to God. The funds are never permitted for salaries or stipends.

If you feel called to donate to this fund, givers who prefer to donate by check, please make it completely clear on a plain white envelope and in the memo line that the gift is for Music Ministry. Those who give online, or wish to take this opportunity to convert to online giving, the Music Ministry fund is available in the drop-down menu, like all other funds. There are options for automatic recurring donations, manual entry, text-to-give, or scan the QR code in the bulletin or in the pew during the collection. Donations can be made directly from your checking account, credit or debit card, Google Pay, Apple Pay, PayPal/Venmo, whichever you prefer. Access WeShare right from St. Paul's website, www.saintpaulscc.org and click on the Donate Now button or logo.

> Call the donation support phone number 877-316-0260 or click "Need help?" right on the website for assistance setting up your account

CO DONATE ONLINE

St. Paul's is grateful to all the parishioners who are able and continue to contribute online, including those who have recently converted their offertory to WeShare. We also appreciate everyone who is making the effort to mail in their offertory envelopes. We continue to count and post offertory once a week. The faithfulness and generosity of the St. Paul's family sustains our parish and ministries. THANK YOU!

Sunday Offertory: JUNE 22, 2025 TWO WEEKS AGO

Actual: \$6,547	Budget: \$10,403 This reflects the budget for Fiscal Year 2024-2025; a weekly increase of \$818 overlast year.	The parish is grateful for your contributions.	YTD Actual: \$495,622	YTD Budget: \$530,553
Under: \$3,856	Poor & Needy: \$45 This fund, as well as your donations of groceries and paper grocery bags, is the main support of our FOOD PANTRY. Thank You!	This information includes WeShare online giving. Fiscal Year July 1, 2024—June 30, 2025	WeShare giving is accessible via the QR code above or by texting "SPCC" to 1-800-950-9952	Under: \$ 34,931



RETIREES CLUB

THURSDAY JULY 24 MID-DAY MATINEE DEPARTURE & SHOWTIME TBA

On Thursday, July 24, the Retirees' Club will see the new movie, Superman at the Movieland Bow Tie Cinemas on Arthur Ashe Boulevard. At the time this bulletin was uploaded to LPi, the theater had not yet released the show times, but we will plan for a midday showing. The cost will be approximately \$15 per person. Once the details on the time and the cost are released, you will be updated. If interested in attending, please either (a) sign up in the Commons, or (b) contact Deacon John at itucker@saintpaulscc.com or 804-837-4900.



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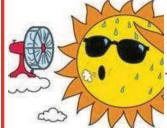


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The Rosary is a meditative prayer based on Scripture. When we pray the Rosary, we **ask Mary to pray for us as we seek to grow closer to her son Jesus** by contemplating His life, death, and Resurrection. Come pray with us and spend 20 minutes with your fellow parishioners after the 11:00AM Mass on the second Sunday of each month. (**NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 13th**) Don't know how to pray the rosary or it's been a long time? No worries. Be a part of our prayerful community. Bring your children. Our Lady has frequently asked us to pray the rosary. Begin again, here at St. Paul's with us. Rosaries and how to pray the rosary will be available. For more information call or text Marge Crowe 862-703-1988.





In the summer months when children are out of school, the demands on our **Food Pantry** increase, while church attendance migrates to resort-community parishes. Those of us who remain can help tremendously by donating children's favorites to the Food Pantry: **cereal**, **pancake mix**, **syrup**, **peanut butter**, **jelly**, **applesauce**, **shelf-stable milk**, **pasta**, & **pasta sauce in plastic jars**.

The summer heat also increases the number of clients at the St. Peter's shower ministry. Please add travel and sample size toiletries to your shopping list for this vital downtown ministry.

ON-GOING OPPORTUNITIES TO HELP THOSE IN NEED

ST. PAUL'S FOOD PANTRY

Canned spaghetti sauce cold cereal canned beans, carrots, vegetables jelly peanut butter pasta soup canned chicken, tuna applesauce, canned fruit rice mac & cheese

shelf stable milk



The food pantry's a long standing ministry at St. Pauf's Your donations sustain this ministry. Conations may be brought to Mass and placed in the bins in the cloak room between Commons and Church or brought to the parish office weekdays during normal office hours. Feel free to order online for shipment or delivery directly to St. Pauf's 908 Flemnie Ave. RVA 2022

ST. PETER'S SHOWER MINISTRY for men & women –travel and sample size:

soap
shampoo & conditioner
toothbrushes & toothpaste
deodorant
lip balm/chapstick
lotion
moist towelettes
disposable razors & shaving cream
hand warmers
feminine hygiene products

Assembly 3677 of the Knights of Columbus, consisting of Cathedral, Holy Rosary, St. Ann. and St. Paul is collecting travel -size toiletries for St. Peter's ministry to the homeless. St. Peter's serves meals, and provides showers, to the homeless population in downtown Richmond adjacent to the State Capital. There is a bin in the cloak room between Commons and Church or may be brought to the parish office weekdays during normal office hours

MINISTRY TO HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

Prior to COVID, the parish had an active ministry to homebound parishioners.

COVID restrictions prevented this ministry from continuing.

The parish is now looking to restart this valuable ministry.

How can you help? You can assist in this ministry in two ways:

- 1. By volunteering to visit homebound parishioners and, if they choose, distribute Holy Communion to them. You will be trained in the proper way to distribute Holy Communion. The visits can, but need not, take place on a Sunday. You can volunteer to visit as often as you like and to visit as many parishioners as you like. In other words, we will tailor your participation in the ministry to your availability.
- **2.** By volunteering to make phone calls to check on and talk with homebound parishioners. Again, you can volunteer to make as many calls as you like to as many people as you like.



Homebound parishioners who would like to be visited or called may contact Deacon John using the email or phone number you see below.



Ministry to Homebound Parishioners

To volunteer contact Deacon John Tucker: jtucker@saintpaulscc.com 804-837-4900

Rosary Makers of St. Paul's invites you to join us for the Dominican Rosary Pilgrimage 2025. This is a special opportunity to share prayer and fellowship with thousands of Catholics for a full-day, event at the National Shrine in Washington, D.C., on Saturday, September 27, 2025, hosted by the Dominican Friars. The day will include conferences on the Rosary preached by the friars, several hours of Eucharistic Adoration, Confessions, recitation of the Rosary, Mass,

and more. Learn pilgrimage by visiting Please help us inviting your family, participate in this Rosary Makers will us to Washington, DC There are 55 seats per person. Your

more about the rosarypilgrimage.org. spread the word by and friends to beautiful event. charter a bus to take on September 27th at a cost of \$50.00 payment guarantees

your seat on the bus. Sign up in the Commons. Pay by CHECK made out to Rosary Makers or ZELLE to Marge Crowe 862-703-1988. We will depart St. Paul's Catholic Church 909 Rennie Ave. Richmond, at 8:30AM and return around 7:30PM. Please feel free to bring snacks for the bus ride. Lunch will be on your own. You may bring a lunch or buy lunch at a restaurant near the Shrine. The bus will not be stopping either way. ~ Questions?? You may contact Marge Crowe 862-703-1988 or margecrowe64@gmail.com



CATHOLIC FEST:

A one-day festival of music, food, family fun, fellowship, and worship together as part of the diocesan celebration of the Jubilee of Hope! Please join Bishop Knestout and the entire diocese at The Diamond in Richmond on Saturday, October 11th. Musical acts will include Scythian, The Young Escape, Marie Miller, and local performers from our diocese. Complete with a Kid's Zone, vendors, food trucks, and more, you won't want to miss this opportunity for the whole family. Bring your friends, family, youth group, class, ministry, or your whole parish! And for young adults, festivities kick off with a pre-Fest mixer at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart on Friday, October 10th. Learn more about Catholic Fest at https://catholicfest.richmonddiocese.org/



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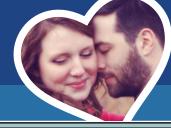
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