# St. Paul Catholic Church

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#### SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~ JULY 20, 2025

#### STAFF

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#### **PARISH OFFICE**

Monday... ..CLOSED Tuesday–Thursday..... .....9:00 - 4:00 Friday .... .9:00 -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

**PENANCE**Every Saturday 3:00 pm or by appointment

#### ROSARY

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

#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

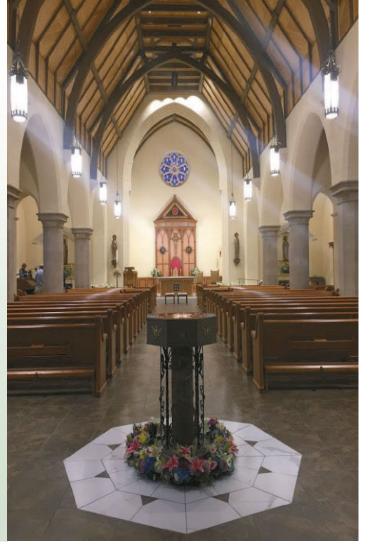
#### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

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:**

LIVESTREAM ALL OF OUR MASSES & THE ROSARY www.facebook.com/St.PaulRichmondVA



https://saintpaulscc.weshareonline.org/



Saturday, July 19

Exsey Bell †

Sunday, July 20 8:30 am 11:00 am

The People of St. Paul's Claire McCoy †

Wednesday, July 23

8:00 am

Frank & Anne Wallmeyer † Jerry Wallmeyer †

Marie Makulik †

Henry &Theresa Bickerstaff † Theresa Cecilia Huong †

Friday, July 25 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 <a href="mailto:churchoffice@saintpaulscc.com">churchoffice@saintpaulscc.com</a>. 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.



"Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, and it will not be taken from her." (Luke 10.41-42) Consider prioritizing time with God, following Mary's example. Are you being called to dedicate your life to prayer and service in the Church as a consecrated religious? 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.

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: JULY 6, 2025 TWO WEEKS AGO

Actual: \$	Budget: \$10,461 This reflects the budget for Fiscal Year 2025-2026; a weekly increase of \$58 over last year.	The parish is grateful for your contributions.	YTD Actual: \$	YTD Budget: \$10,461
Under: \$offertory figures will be unavailable for a few weeks while the parish office transistions to a new computer and new bulletin publishing software. Thank you for your patience.	Poor & Needy: \$ 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, 2025—June 30, 2026	WeShare giving is accessible via the QR code above or by texting "SPCC" to	Under: \$ offertory figures will be unavailable during a transition period in the parish office. Your generosity is appreciated as we begin a new fiscal year. THANK YOU!

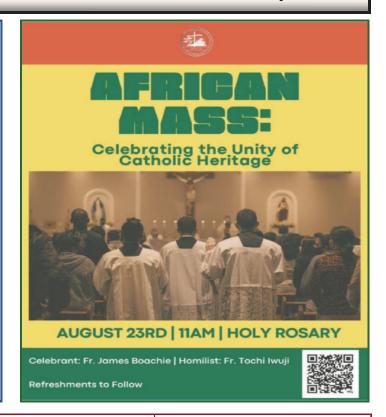


RETIREES CLUB

# THURSDAY JULY 24th MID-DAY MATINEE DEPARTURE & SHOWTIME TBA

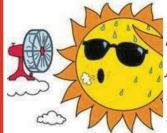
On Thursday, July 24, the Retirees' Club will see the new movie, Superman at the Movieland Bow Tie Cinemas on Arthur Ashe Boulevard. At the time this bulletin was uploaded to LPi, the theater had not yet released the show times, but we will plan for a midday showing. The cost will be approximately \$15 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 jtucker@saintpaulscc.com or 804-837-4900.





#### "I PLACE MUCH OF MY HOPE FOR THE FUTURE IN MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER".





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 is a long standing ministry at St. Pauls. Your donations sustain this ministry Donations may be brought to Mass and placed in the bins in the doak room between Cammons 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. Paul's 909 Rennie Ave. RVA 23227

#### 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 garish affice weekdays during normal office hours





# DON'T DUCK OUT THE SIDE DOOR! COME TO THE COMMONS FOR CHRISTMAS IN JULY!



# School Supply Drive 2025

A successful school year starts with a full backpack! Help us send children in our foster care and refugee programs back to school ready to learn!



#### **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

- ☐ #2 Pencils
- Pencil sharpener
- Pencil pouch
- Highlighters
- 24 count crayons
- Colored wide markers
- ☐ Fiskars scissors
- Glue sticks
- □ Elmers alue
- ☐ 1 inch binders
- Folders with pockets
- Loose leaf paper, wide-ruled
- 1 subject spiral notebooks
- Composition notebook, wide-ruled

- MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL
- ☐ Black/blue pens
- Red pens
- Pencil pouch
- Highlighters
- Colored pencils
- Colored markers
- Flash drives
- ☐ Index cards
- Graph paper
- 2 inch binders
- ☐ Folders with pocket
- Loose leaf paper, college-ruled
- 3 subject spiral notebooks
- Composition notebooks, college-ruled
- □ Clear Backpacks (solid/neutral colors) □ Clear Backpacks (solid/neutral colors)

Please return

 $\underline{NEW}$  school supplies to

the Commons by

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3rd

Thank you!





Commonwealth Catholic Charities

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



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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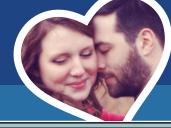
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