

# St. Mary Catholic Church

9505 Gayton Road, Richmond, Virginia 23229 | 804-740-4044

January 30, 2022 The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



## Weekly Mass Schedule

### Celebration of the Eucharist:

Saturday 5:30 pm  
Sunday 9:00 am and 11:00 am  
Tues. - Fri. 9:00 am

### The Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday in the Daily Mass Chapel  
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

The Blessed Sacrament Chapel, Daily Mass Chapel,  
and Church are open Monday through Friday  
from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm for prayer.

## WELCOME TO OUR PARISH!

Jesus Christ calls us to become members of His Body, and we are delighted that the Holy Spirit has led you to our parish community! We are happy to resume our Parish Registration program and invite you to join us at our next session. During this one-hour program, you will meet other parishioners, our Pastor, and staff, receive an introduction to St. Mary's Parish, and complete the registration documents. Refreshments and childcare will be provided.

**Our next registration session will take place on:  
Sunday, March 20, 2022 at 12:30 pm  
Bishop Sullivan Room**

R.S.V.P. by March 14 to Melanie Ogo, parish office via  
email: [mogo@stmarysrichmond.org](mailto:mogo@stmarysrichmond.org)

## St. Mary's Parish

Website: [www.stmarysrichmond.org](http://www.stmarysrichmond.org)  
Email: [parish@stmarysrichmond.org](mailto:parish@stmarysrichmond.org)  
Fax: 804-740-2197  
Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 9:00am - 4:00pm

## St. Mary's School

Phone: 804-740-1048  
Website: [www.saintmary.org](http://www.saintmary.org)  
Email: [lflint@saintmary.org](mailto:lflint@saintmary.org)

*He said to them, "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." And all spoke highly of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They also asked, "Isn't this the son of Joseph?" — Lk 4:21-22*

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**MASS FOR THE WEEK**

Daily Gospel Reflections - [stmarysrichmond.org/daily-reflections](http://stmarysrichmond.org/daily-reflections)

Mass Intentions	Mass Readings
<b>Sunday, January 30</b> 9:00 am Fr. Lou Rouff 11:00 am Gregory John Lynch	Jer 1:4-5, 17-19 1 Cor 12:31-13:13 Lk 4:21-30 (72)
<b>Monday, January 31</b> No Daily Mass	2 Sm 15:13-14 30; 16:5-13 Mk 5:1-20 (323)
<b>Tuesday, February 1</b> Special Intention	2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b,24-25a, 30-19:3 Mk 5:21-43 (324)
<b>Wednesday, February 2</b> Ed Eck	Mal 3:1-4, Heb 2:14-18 Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
<b>Thursday, February 3</b> Charles LaPaglia	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12 Mk 6:7-13
<b>Friday, February 4</b> Jack Tang	Sir 47:2-11 Mk 6:14-29
<b>Saturday, February 5</b> Joseph E. Farrell	1 Kgs 3:4-13 Mk 6: 30-34
<b>Sunday, February 6</b> 9:00 am Grady Whitehome 11:00 am Eduardo Parong	Is 6:1—2a, 3-8 1 Cor 15:1-11 Lk 5:1-11

**Prayer Requests**

Is there someone you know who needs prayers? Is there some situation that you would like other people to pray about? Members of St. Mary's parish are happy to pray for your intentions! We have dedicated people who serve on our prayer teams, and they are happy to pray for every intention that is brought to our attention. If you have prayer intentions to submit to the parish, please go to the parish home page and scroll down to the "Let Us Pray..." heading.

**Please Pray for the Sick in Our Community**

Carlos Aguerro, Evan Bernstein, Ryan Bowers, Stevie Bowler, Phil Brennan, Beth Brockelman, James Byrne, Charlotte Conradi, Ann Dowdy, Wilson Duenas, Sydney Fogg, Linda Fonseca, Daniel Foster, Joe Gerschick Sr., Brandon Gibson, Gene Giddings, Faye Green, Mason Gregory, Joshua Golub, Bea & John Hammerstrand, Thomas Hampton, Ian Hernandez, Melvin James, Teresa Jones, Suzanne Kilkus, Paul Lambert, Carolyn Lange, Mark Martin, Mary McGill, Janet Driscoll Miller, Diane Mulshine, Merlin Mullins, Ethan Musick, Walter Quill, Kathy Santarsieri, Dorothy Sorg, Sam Spaulding, Donna Stover, Laurie Suwal, William Smith, Mackenzie Stoldt, DeShaunda Vitalis, Isobel Young.

**Born into Eternal Life**

**Ken Eshelman**

**Andrea Forrest**

**Deacon Pat White**, husband of Kay, father of Elizabeth Singleton, grandfather of Lilly and Harvey

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

[stmarysrichmond.org](http://stmarysrichmond.org) (Parish Calendar)

<b>Sunday January 30</b>		
9:00am	Mass & Reception	Church
10:30am-1:30pm	SMCS Open House	School
11:00am	Mass & Reception	Church
12:30pm	Middle School Faith Formation	Lower Commons
12:00pm	K of C Membership Drive	U. Commons
4:45 & 6:30 pm	10th + Grade Formation	Bishop Sullivan
6:30pm	9th Grade Formation	Lower Commons
<b>Monday January 31</b>	No Daily Mass	
<b>Tuesday February 1</b>		
9:00am	Mass	Church
10:00am	Exodus Bible Study	Bishop Sullivan
11:00am	Nifty Needlers	Holy Family
6:15pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal	Church
7:00pm	Exodus Bible Study	Bishop Sullivan
7:30pm	Choir Rehearsal	Church
<b>Wednesday February 2</b>		
9:00am	Mass	Church
10:00am	ESL Classes	Holy Family, St. Mary, LC
		Lower Commons
4:30pm	Elementary Faith Formation	
<b>Thursday February 3</b>		
9:00am	Mass	Church
10:00am	Bible Study - David the King	Bishop Sullivan
7:00pm	Young Adult Bible Study	St. Mary Room
<b>Friday February 4</b>		
9:00am	Mass	Church
9:45 am	Anointing	Church
5:30 pm & 7 pm	First Reconciliation Celebration	Church
<b>Saturday February 5</b>		
10am-2pm	K of C Polish Food To-Go Pickup	Parish Hall
11:30am	Confirmation Retreat	Church, UC, LC, BSR
		Chapel
3:30pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation	Church
5:30pm	Mass	Church
<b>Sunday February 6</b>		
9:00am	Mass	Church
9:30 & 10:15am	Elementary Faith Formation	Gym
10:00 am	RCIA Teens	Holy Family
10am & 12pm	Blood Pressure Checks	Parlor
11:00am	Mass	Church
12:30pm	Middle School Faith Formation	SMCS (Slifka)
12:30pm	K of C Ice Bucket Challenge	Front of Church



**Altar Flowers**  
The weekend of 29 & 30  
In Memory of Gregory John Lynch

**VIGIL CANDLES**

Helen May  
Msgr. William Sullivan  
Kristy Tyll  
Knights of Columbus Prayers for Vocation

January 29  
to  
February 4

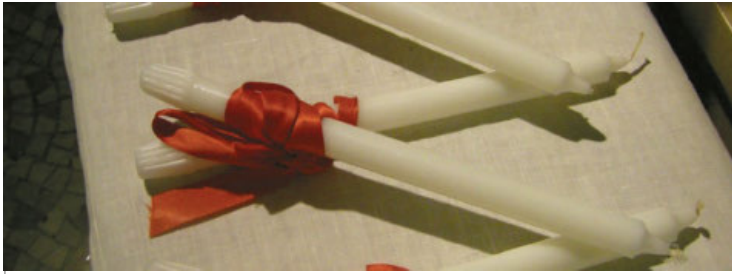


### LITURGY AND MUSIC

Heather Heishman | Hheishman@stmarysrichmond.org or Ext. 122  
Joe Lenich | Jlenich@stmarysrichmond.org or Ext. 124

### INITIATION MINISTRIES

Pat Novak | Pnovak@stmarysrichmond.org or Ext. 113



#### Feast of St. Blaise

In February, the Church recognizes the Feast Day of St. Blaise. On this day the Church gives a "Blessing of the Throats" in honor of St. Blaise. From the eighth century he has been invoked on behalf of the sick, especially those afflicted with illnesses of the throat.

We will celebrate Mass with the Blessing of Throats on **Wednesday, February 2nd at 9:00 am.** All are welcome to join us.

#### The first "Baptism Weekend" for 2022 is the weekend of February 26 and 27.

There are still openings for the 9 am and 11 am Mass on Sunday, February 27<sup>th</sup>. A family must be a registered member of the parish for at least 3 months prior to celebrating the sacrament.

To register for a child's Baptism under the age of 7, please go to the website: [www.stmarysrichmond.org](http://www.stmarysrichmond.org) Under **Sacraments**, click on Baptism; complete the form and email it to Pat Novak : [pnovak@stmarysrichmond.org](mailto:pnovak@stmarysrichmond.org)

As the challenges of the Covid-19 pandemic persist, we will continue having two options for the Baptism of Children under the age of 7:

- ⇒ Private Baptisms are available on Saturday mornings of the designated weekends. These Baptisms will be celebrated by one of our parish Deacons.
- ⇒ Baptisms can be celebrated at any of the 3 Masses on the designated weekend: Saturday @ 5:30 PM; Sunday @ 9 and 11 AM

If a family will be celebrating the Baptism of a child **for the first time in St. Mary's**, we require the parents to attend a Zoom meeting on "**An Understanding of Baptism**".

- ⇒ The next Zoom Meeting, "**An Understanding of Baptism**" will take place on Thursday evening, February 10 @ 7 PM. To register, please email Pat Novak and the LINK will be sent to you.

All families participate in a Zoom Meeting **the week of their child's Baptism.**

**Feb.**  
**4th**  
**18th**  
**Anointing of the Sick following Daily Mass**



#### One Body, Many Parts – Video Series

**"Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it." (1Cor 12:27)** This statement of Saint Paul takes on new meaning since returning to the practice of our faith at church. There is a renewed sense of hope and joy as parishioners resume the normal activities of being a part of St. Mary's Catholic Church, and the new video series, "**One Body, Many Parts**" aims to capture and share those feelings with the parish. Watch these videos on our website or from the weekly emails as we hear from parishioners reflecting on their personal involvement in various ministries at St. Mary's Church. Is there a ministry that tugs at your heart or one with which you have been thinking about getting involved? Join us or find out more by contacting the parish office!

#### Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends

Give your spouse the gift of a special Valentine. The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience teaches a technique of loving communication that you can use for the rest of your lives. Sign up today for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience **virtually via Zoom on Feb 7, 10, 14, 17, 21, 24 and 28, 2022.** Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit their website at: <https://renewmarriage-vasouth.org/> or contact them at 757-690-1369.

*Funeral*  
PLANNING

If you would like to start the process of funeral pre-planning, please contact Heather for more information.



## HUMAN CONCERNS, SOCIAL JUSTICE & COMMUNITY LIFE

Rebecca Oxenreider | Roxenreider@stmarysrichmond.org Ext. 111

### Food Assistance for Kenwood UMC

On the week beginning Monday, February 7th through Thursday, February 10th, we will collect needed food items to supplement Alice's Pantry at Kenwood United Methodist Church in Hanover County. Kenwood has been assisting local people in Hanover throughout the COVID Pandemic, reaching folks for whom getting groceries is a struggle. Needed are food items such as pasta and sauce, cereals, dry milk, hearty soups and stews, peanut butter, canned green beans, corn, peas and carrots, canned fruit, and applesauce. In addition to food items, also needed are items that cannot be purchased with SNAP money such as toilet paper, paper towels, laundry detergent, dishwashing liquid, bar soap, Kleenex, napkins and Clorox or Lysol wipes. Please leave any donated items on the tables in the lower hallway. Our delivery team will deliver these donations to Kenwood on Friday, February 11. Thank you for your support of this outreach and of all of our outreach in our community!

### Meals-On-Wheels Update

We now have received word that our Meals On Wheels routes will not begin until February 28. Since we are responsible for five routes on the fourth Wednesday each month, our first time to return to this vital outreach will be March 23. We thank our coordinator, Elynor Lange and our delivery team: Carol and Bon Newcomb, Christine Irvine, John and Kathleen Szeker, and Siobhan Zuccaro. This is a vital outreach---helping to feed and keep people healthy!

### Marywood Apartments Update

Our ReachOut Team, went down to Marywood Apartments on Sunday, January 23, to celebrate with the residents all of the January birthdays. A good time was enjoyed by all with sparkling cider and beautifully decorated cupcakes! As we were leaving, the residents asked us to please thank the entire parish for our constant involvement with them. They shared that during the ice/snow storm on January 3, they lost power at Marywood, but they all had the lanterns that St. Mary's had provided them, and, THEY WORKED!! So, they wanted us to share that and to let you know how much being with them means to them---and, to us! We enjoy getting to know our next door neighbors and were happy that we were able to bring a little light into their lives on January 3!! If you would like to join our ReachOut Team, please contact Erin Puryear at: [reccp4@comcast.net](mailto:reccp4@comcast.net) or Rebecca in the parish office.

### The Shepherd's Center Lunch and Life Series



We received word that sadly The Shepherd Center Covid Task Force has made the decision to **cancel all in-person** meetings for the winter session of Open University. With numbers going up, they are concerned that they will not be equipped to provide the highest level of safety for the attendees.

**Winter Session dates are: February 2 & 9**  
Please join **virtually** this winter using the link below:

**Join Zoom Meeting**  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86866211384>  
**Meeting ID: 868 6621 1384**

For questions, please contact Rebecca in the parish office.

### WINTER SESSION SPEAKERS

**February 2:** Emily Atkinson, MPH; CHES; advocate for the aging, Henrico County. "All about Aging: What You Need to Know as You Age"

**February 9:** Suzanne Vinson, associate pastor, Grace Baptist Church, Richmond. "Worship and Creative Art: Engaging our Senses as We Worship God"



We prepare and serve a hot dinner at LVS on the third Saturday of each month. We have been made aware that they still have evenings in 2022 where so far, they do not have a commitment for a meal for their residents. If we can get some more volunteers to help with the meal preparation and delivery, we could add another Saturday this year. If you would like to help us figure this out and volunteer for a piece of this, please contact coordinator, Scott Csaky at [scottcsaky@gmail.com](mailto:scottcsaky@gmail.com)

## CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

John Sweet | [jsweet@stmarysrichmond.org](mailto:jsweet@stmarysrichmond.org) or Ext. 117

## YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

Chris Jenkins | [Cjenkins@stmarysrichmond.org](mailto:Cjenkins@stmarysrichmond.org) or Ext. 116  
Laura Stapleton | [Lstapleton@stmarysrichmond.org](mailto:Lstapleton@stmarysrichmond.org) or Ext. 138

Visit [www.stmarysrichmond.org/children](http://www.stmarysrichmond.org/children) for more information about our Children's programs.

Our preparation program for **First Sacraments** is open to all children, 2nd grade and up, who have been baptized Roman



Catholic. Our first celebration of First Reconciliation will take place on **Friday, February 4**. Please keep our children and their families in your prayers.

**Elementary Faith Formation Program**  
Our next gatherings are:

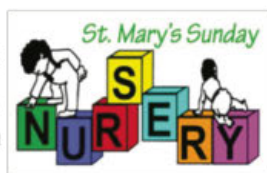


- + February 2 (Wednesday)
- + February 6 (Sunday)

**Children's Liturgy of the Word** is offered at the 9:00 am Mass. At this time, we do not have enough adult volunteers to offer CLOW at the 11:00 am Mass. If anyone would like to help make CLOW happen at the 11:00 am Mass, please contact John Sweet in the Parish Office as soon as possible.



Our **Sunday Nursery** is open (when we have volunteers) during the 9:00 am and 11:00 am Masses. The nursery is open to all children who are walking through age 4. The nursery will be located in a kindergarten classroom, under the church in the Early Childhood Development Center.



If you need to register for or have questions about Elementary Faith Formation or First Reconciliation/Communion preparation, contact John Sweet in the parish office.

### Youth Formation for Sunday, January 30, 2022

- **Our Middle School Faith Formation Group** meets VIRTUALLY 12:30-1:30pm. Check your email for the Zoom link.
- **Our 9th Grade Formation Group** will be offered at 6:30pm in the Lower Commons
- **Our 10th Grade and up High School Faith Formation Groups** will be offered at 4:45pm and 6:30pm in the Sullivan Room (6:30pm will have a virtual Zoom option to use if needed due to illness or weather)

**Per Diocesan guidance, masks (covering mouth & nose) must be worn by everyone at all youth programs regardless of vaccination status.**

**PARISH TEEN CONFIRMATION RETREAT: Sat. Feb. 5, 11:30 a.m. — 6:30 p.m.** is NEXT weekend. It is for Teen Candidates ONLY. It will include noon prayer with Fr. Renninger, pizza lunch, a service project, and series of guest panelists and activities exploring how to live your faith as an upperclassmen in high school and beyond into college and young adulthood, and 5:30pm Mass in which we will have a special blessing. We have 68 teens preparing to celebrate the Sacrament May 12 @ 7pm with Bishop Knestout. Please keep our Confirmation Teens in your prayers.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE 2022 DIOCESAN YOUTH CONFERENCE (DYC) COMING UP:** 42 St. Mary's teens and 6 adult chaperones will join over 650 other youth and youth leaders from across our Diocese to celebrate our Catholic faith as a diocesan church.

**SAVE-THE-DATE: 2022 Diocesan Work Camp in Southwest, VA** is Sat.-Fri., June 18-24, 2022. It is open to high schoolers (rising 2022-23 9th Graders and graduating Class of 2022 12th Graders). Work Camp is a week of service and outreach to residents in need of help whose homes could use improvements to make them safer, drier, greener, cleaner, or more accessible. E-mail Laura/Chris to be added to an "interested list", so we can update you as we get more details in the new year.



SAINT MARY'S  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

# 44% financial aid gap

**YOU CAN HELP!**

**Matching funds from parishioners like you**

support both new and existing students at Saint Mary's. This year, Future Full of Hope matching gifts aided several school families suffering hardships related to COVID-19.



## \$100K MATCHING CHALLENGE



While 56 percent of needs at Saint Mary's Catholic School were met, 44 percent of the requests for assistance went unfunded.

82 of 411 students at Saint Mary's Catholic School received some form of need-based financial aid, totaling nearly half a million dollars in 2020-2021

Future Full of Hope scholarships make Catholic Education more affordable for families who share our faith!

For more information on making a matching donation, contact Jennifer Janus (Development) at 740-1048 or Gregg Kamper (Finance & Development) at 740-4044

SAINT MARY'S  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

# JK-8th Grade Open House

SUNDAY,  
JANUARY 30TH  
10:30AM OR  
12:30PM

RSVP



**PARISH FORMATION**

Teresa Lee | Tlee@stmarysrichmond.org or Ext. 123

**PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT**

Gregg Kamper | Gkamper@stmarysrichmond.org or Ext. 120

**Desert Spirituality**

*What is desert spirituality asking of you?*

**A Retreat for Men**

Saturday, February 12th  
9 a.m. until 3 p.m.  
Roslyn Retreat Center

*Presented by:*

*Deacon Melvin Dowdy, PhD, LCP*

The four questions asked by the desert can lead you to a new depth of spiritual awareness. Most of us find ourselves in the spiritual desert sooner or later. We wander lost in the hills and valleys of a dry and often empty spirituality. What we don't recognize is the invitation of this desert experience. In this retreat we will take a look into this opportunity and try to discover a vitality of the spirit that is waiting for us. We will be using the book *crossing the desert* by Robert J. Wicks, included in the registration fee of \$25.

Please join us for a day of spiritual reflection, scriptural guidance, and to gain an understanding of how to let go, see clearly, and live simply.

*See the Parish website for registration information.*

**Women's Book Club**



February's selection is *The Family* by Naomi Krupitsky. Set in New York City in the 30's and 40's, *The Family* tells the tale of two women, friends since birth, who must fight to preserve their friendship when their loyalty to each other is tested. Please choose **Wednesday February 9th at 7 p.m. or Friday, February 11th at 10 a.m.** for the discussion.

**Upcoming Titles and Dates**

March 9/11-*the stranger in the lifeboat* by Mitch Albom  
April 6/9-*Beneath a Scarlet Sky* by Mark Sullivan

Please see the Parish Website for information on all Parish Formation programs. Contact Teresa Lee for more information (Tlee@stmarysrichmond.org)

**Period Ending 01/16/22**

<b>Offertory</b>	<b>Weekly</b>	<b>MTD</b>	<b>YTD</b>
Offertory - Envelope	9,681	51,463	674,024
Offertory - Loose	18	1,004	20,157
Offertory - E-Giving	9,930	27,570	337,254
<b>Total Offertory</b>	<b>19,629</b>	<b>\$80,037</b>	<b>\$1,031,435</b>
Amt. Budgeted	31,108	93,324	952,122
Versus Budget	(11,479)	(13,287)	79,313
<b>School Reno/Mortgage</b>	993	2,789	41,089
<b>Human Concerns</b>	5,698	9,008	95,570
<b>Haiti</b>	778	1,945	52,945
<b>Monthly Mortgage Payment \$ 8,495.65</b>			



**2021 St. Mary's  
Contribution Statements**

Given tax law changes resulting in fewer households itemizing their taxes and in effort to conserve resources, St. Mary's will not bulk mail 2021 contribution statements. Statements will be available after January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022. If you need a contribution statement for your tax filing, there are 4 ways to get a 2021 statement:

- 1) If you contribute via E-Giving you can print a statement from your online E-Giving account at any time. E-Giving account login can be accessed from the St. Mary's website at [www.stmarysrichmond.org](http://www.stmarysrichmond.org) by clicking on E-Giving.
- 2) Register for a My Own Church account (MOC). Having a MOC account allows you to edit personal and contact information directly in the parish database. It also allows you to see all your contributions and print a year-end statement. Go to [www.stmarysrichmond.org](http://www.stmarysrichmond.org) and click on My Own Church. These electronic statements will be available after January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022
- 3) For an e-mail copy or paper copy of your 2021 statement you can send a request e-mail to: [taxstatement@stmarysrichmond.org](mailto:taxstatement@stmarysrichmond.org)
- 3) Finally, you can call the parish office at 740-4044 and ask for Karen Martin at ext. 115 to get assistance.





## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Mike Chiffolo, Grand Knight 804-720-4345  
 Jim Hribar, Deputy Grand Knight 804-339-8204

The Knight of the Month for January of 2022 is  
**Richard Mallory**

The Family of the Month for January 2022 is  
**The Jose and Claudia Florez Family**

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Feb. 6 Ice Bucket Challenge (see below)  
 Feb. 12/13 Membership Drive  
 Feb. 7 Council Meeting (social at 6 pm, meeting at 7 pm)

2022 Knights College Scholarship Application is available  
 at <https://www.saintmarysknights.org/>  
 Applications are due NLT January 31, 2022.

Read more about the Knights of Columbus by visiting:  
[www.stmarysrichmond.org/Knights-of-Columbus](http://www.stmarysrichmond.org/Knights-of-Columbus)  
 Join the Knights for free online:  
[www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-the-knights.html](http://www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-the-knights.html)



**Special Olympics**

### AN ICE BUCKET Challenge To Support the Intellectually Disabled!!

As a "Founding Champion of the World Games," the Knights of Columbus has supported the games and the Intellectually Disabled since the first Special Olympics in 1968.

In the last 9 years alone the Virginia Knights of Columbus have raised over \$543,000 for Special Olympics Virginia. Since 1968 the Knights of Columbus has donated more than \$600 million to programs for people with intellectual and physical disabilities.

Please consider supporting our team by making a donation. The process is fast, easy, and secure ... and you can be sure that it will benefit a great cause! The secure link to donate is: <https://bit.ly/icebucket14129>

A member of St. Mary's KofC council will take the challenge and have a very large bucket of ice dumped on him after the 11am Mass on February 6<sup>th</sup>. Please come and watch and support this very worthy cause.



## FROM THE DIOCESE

Bishop Knestout encourages anyone aware of sexual abuse of minors on the part of clergy or staff of our diocese to notify civil authorities, call the Attorney General's Clergy Abuse Hotline at 1-833-454-9064, and reach out to the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator, Karen Loper at 877-887-9603.



## PARISH STAFF

*PARISH To reach a staff member, call 804-740-4044 + ext.*

Rev. Michael Renninger	Pastor	Ext. 112
Rev. Dr. Frank Baskind	Permanent Deacon DeaconFrank.stmarysrichmond@gmail.com	
Rev. Mr. Kirk Collins	Permanent Deacon DeaconKirkVA@gmail.com	
Rev. Mr. Joe Morlino	Permanent Deacon jmorlino@stmarysrichmond.org	
Rev. Mr. Peter McCourt	Permanent Deacon pmmcourt73@gmail.com	
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Christopher Jenkins	Youth Minister	Ext. 116
Gregg Kamper	Finance & Development	Ext. 120
Teresa Lee	Director of Evangelization	Ext. 123
Joe Lenich	Minister of Music	Ext. 124
Karen Martin	Bookkeeper	Ext. 115
Pat Novak	Director of RCIA & Baptisms	Ext. 113
Melanie Ogo	Receptionist/Admin. Asst.	Ext. 110
Rebecca Oxenreider	Minister of Human Concerns, Social Justice & Community Life	Ext. 111
Joyce Park	Special Assistant to the Pastor	Ext. 139
Jeff Sechrest	Facilities Manager	Ext. 114
Laura Stapleton	Youth Minister	Ext. 138
John Sweet	Director of Christian Formation	Ext. 117
Prayer Line	(24 hours)	Ext. 152
Parish Nurses	(call for hours)	Ext. 125

*SCHOOL To reach a staff member, call 804-740-1048*

Brandon Hess	Principal
Mary Jordan	Asst. Principal
Lisa Flint	Admin. Asst. to the Principal
Anne Leigh Bisese	Admissions Director

## PARISH INFORMATION

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Families must be registered and participating in the parish for at least 3 months before attending the required preparation classes. Expectant parents are encouraged to attend classes before the birth of their child. Please contact Pat Novak at 804-740-4044 Ext. 113 to make arrangements.

### RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

For those who are seeking God and choose to enter a journey of faith and conversion leading to initiation into the Roman Catholic Church. Please contact Pat Novak at 804-740-4044 Ext. 113.

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is offered on Saturdays from 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm in the Daily Mass Chapel or by appointment. Contact Joyce Park at 804-740-4044 Ext. 139 to make an appointment.

### SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

At least one of the parties must be registered and participating in the parish for at least 3 months prior to contacting the Parish priest to begin pre-marital preparation. You must plan to begin pre-marital preparation 6 months prior to your proposed wedding date. Contact Heather Heishman 804-740-4044 Ext. 122.

### SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS and RELIGIOUS LIFE

Serve God as a priest, deacon, or religious. Contact the Diocesan Office of Vocations at 804-359-5661.

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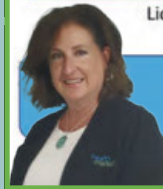
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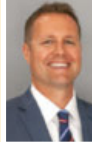
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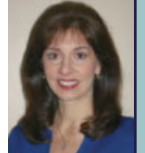
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