

September 15, 2019

The CATHEDRAL of the SACRED HEART

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The Mother Church of the Diocese of Richmond
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TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Today the Catholic Church Celebrates Catechetical Sunday

Today we thank the catechists in our parish who serve in the ministry of teaching our children and adults. Catechetical Sunday reminds us that God asks us to accompany people who walk in faith.

Those who serve the parish as catechists have made a joyful commitment to help reveal and make known the presence of God in every aspect of our life. Faith formation is the work of everyone in the parish. We are a learning community together.

Thank you for your generosity today at the second collection. This collection will help all Cathedral parish formation programs.

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Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday : 12:05 p.m.

Wednesday : 7:00 p.m.

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:15 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. & 5:15 p.m.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday : 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Wednesday : 7:30 p.m.

THIS WEEK AT THE CATHEDRAL

Saturday, September 14, 2019

- 3:00 pm Altar Server Training
- 4:00 pm Confessions
- 5:15 pm **Mass** -- *Cathedral Parishioners*

Sunday, September 15, 2019

- 9:00 am **Mass** † *Maria Roco*
- 10:05 am PREK-HS Formation
- 11:00 am **Mass** † *Kathy McCarthy*
- 12:15 pm Altar Server Training
- 3:15 pm Altar Server Training
- 5:15 pm **Mass** -- *Aleen Causieestko*
- 6:00 pm CCM Sunday Supper

Monday, September 16, 2019

- 12:05 pm **NO Daily Mass**
- 12:45 pm Women's Book Group
- 7:00 pm AFF Bible Study

Tuesday, September 17, 2019

- 10:00 am Tuesdays Together
- 12:05 pm **Daily Mass**
- 6:00 pm RCIA
- 7:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, September 18, 2019

- 5:30 pm CCM Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 pm **Daily Mass followed by Confessions**

Thursday, September 19, 2019

- 10:30 am Richmond Home Schoolers Tour
- 12:05 pm **Daily Mass**
- 6:30 pm Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 pm Letter to a Suffering Church

Friday, September 20, 2019

- 12:05 pm **Daily Mass**
- 5:00 pm Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday, September 21, 2019

- 2:00 pm Wedding
- 4:00 pm Confessions
- 5:15 pm **Mass**

Sunday, September 22, 2019

- 9:00 am **Mass** † *Allen Goolsby West*
- 10:05 am PREK-HS Formation
- 11:00 am **Mass** -- *Cathedral Parishioners*
- 12:00 pm Baptism
- 3:00 pm Altar Server Training
- 5:15 pm **Mass**
- 6:00 pm CCM Sunday Supper

Street Closure for Weekend of September 28-29 NEW!

A small section of Laurel Street, between Franklin Street and the alleyway, will be closed on the weekend of September 28-29. Laurel Street will thus be inaccessible from Franklin Street. All those who normally approach the Cathedral from Franklin Street, please use Floyd Avenue instead if you wish to gain access to Cathedral parking, or West Cary Street to access the VCU Parking Deck.

Cathedral Choir Back in Session

Cathedral Choir is in full swing and rehearses on Thursday evenings at 6:30 in the sanctuary. We are especially in need of tenors. If you are interested in joining, please come to rehearsal.

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

Sick: Aleen Causieestko, Campbell Hodgson, Curtis Payne, Armand Basmajian, Lee Wexler, Caitlin Reagan, Abigail Van Meter, Joan Woody, James Raber, Barry Wilhite, Jake Einwechter, Thelma Robinson, Michele Whitehurst, Doug Toler, Mary Maynard, Mark Drexler, Jr., Bobby Locke, Patrick Cooper, Reed Roberts, Cheryl Hennan, Ann Fincham, Georgia Thompson, Peggy Ross, Debra Brown, Ann King, Barbara Munjas, Theresa Drexler Moody, Knox & Preston Kaliebe, Kevin Smith, Diana A., Joan DeBiasi, John Anderson, Joanie Price, Cindy Cole, John Norment, Frank Flechter, Michael Hollister, Connie Biby, Valerie Booth, Barbara Kersey, Mary Hormachea, Gabriel Peter Norment, Eddie Dunn, III, John Kuhn, Dylan Marshall, Jean Serini, Billie Sutherland Moore, Mark Patrick Cotham, Anne Hutchins, and Janine Thompson. Also, please continue to pray for those written in the Book of the Sick and those in our Armed Forces.

Seminarians: Rev. Mr. Anthony Ferguson, Julio Reyes, Marton Lonart, Philip Decker, Tom Lawrence, Kevin Riedel, Dillon Bruce, Armando Herrera, Alex Jimenez, Joe Kauflin, Patrick Walsh, William Buckley, Luke Fitzgerald, Christopher Weyer, Matthew Kelly, Brian Sarnecki, Seth Seaman, David Arellano, William Douglas, Andrew Clark, Greg Guilfoyle, Sam Hill, Robert Kincaid, John Paul Shanahan, Paul Thelen, Graham Fassero, Chase Imoru, Charlie Palmer, Ricky Rivera, Charlie Tamayo, Carl Thompson

Welcome to our new RCIA Community!

Theresa Albone, Jamie Coe, Charlie Connellan, LaShonda Cosby, Meghan Durkin, Brian Engelhardt, Kayle Hipolito, Tristan James, Evan Dillon Jenkins, Holly Anne Jenkins, Alannah Jones, Caitlin Anne Kilcoin, Emma Colleen Knestaut, Scott Lane, Kenneth Mason, Nicolaas Medine, Andy Mensah, Gabriela Nunez-Mir, Kathryn Lynn Orton, Anna Grace Rinehart, Denny Rudzinski, David Michael Searce, Kevin Searfoorce, Rylee Elizabeth Simpkins, January Tims, Savannah Vaughn, Jasmine Witt

The Pope's general prayer intention for September is:

The Protection of the Oceans – That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.

Visits to the Sick and Homebound

If you have a family member, neighbor or friend that is a parishioner of Sacred Heart and they are homebound, hospitalized or in nursing home care, and they would desire communion, please contact John Aune at 217-649-5566. We have a team of eucharistic ministers who would be glad to deliver communion to someone unable to attend Mass. Please contact John Aune at jraune@outlook.com or 217-649-5566.

Weekly Offerings

For Fiscal Year beginning 7/1/2019

The Cathedral is grateful for last week's collections.

Second Collections:

September 14: Cathedral Formation

September 21: Preservation

	2019-2020 Last Week	Year to Date
Regular Offertory		
Amount Budgeted	\$15,682	\$158,351
Amount Received	<u>\$14,005</u>	<u>\$147,076</u>
Difference	-\$1,676	-\$11,275
Preservation	\$1,407	\$9,036
Social Justice		
Poor and Needy	\$268	\$8,739
Haiti	\$80	\$1,970
CCM	\$105	\$4,189

CHILDREN'S, YOUTH AND ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Faith Formation Corner PREK -HS Faith Formation Programs Start This Weekend

Sunday, September 15 from 10:05 to 10:55am

Children in PREK -5th grade are in downstairs classrooms.
Middle School Youth Group meets in the parish office conference room. High School Youth Group meets in the parish hall.
Signs and class lists are outside of each room.
If you have not registered you may still do so!

Upcoming Faith Formation Dates

- Sept 28:** Youth Group Hike with Father Tony
Oct. 5: Busch Gardens Day & Mass. Registrations due Sept. 20.
Oct. 6: Confirmation Orientation 2:00pm, Parish Hall
Much more programming for the year!
Register today for PREK-5th grade, Middle School and High School
www.richmondcathedral.org Joy Weir jweir@richmondcathedral.org

Tuesdays Together at Cathedral **NEW!**

Tuesdays Together is a music and movement program for infants, toddlers, preschoolers and their parent/caregiver (and older homeschool children are welcome to come). We meet from 10am-11am on Tuesdays in the large downstairs classroom. We hope this time together can help us get to know other parents and caregivers with young children. Bring a snack for your child if you like, we will have coffee and refreshments. Our first Tuesday Together is Tuesday, September 17th.

Do you know how to do Calligraphy?

We could use your time and talent instructing our children on how to write in Calligraphy during our faith formation programming. Contact Joy Weir jweir@richmondcathedral.org if you can offer your time and talent!

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

RCIA Meal Ministry **NEW!**

Cathedral parishioners have always been so welcoming to the members in the RCIA process. Our parish community supports those seeking full membership in the Catholic faith through prayers, sponsorship, and by providing meals. As a Eucharistic people, we come together to know and understand each other by sharing a meal. The faith of the RCIA community is strengthened by your generous gift of a meal. If you would like to provide dinner for a Tuesday night RCIA Session please email Maria Thorsen at mthorsen@richmondcathedral.org

For Weddings: Call Janice Guzman, Parish Office at 804-212-3891

For Funerals: Call Janice Guzman, Parish Office at 804-212-3891

For Mass Intentions: Call Chris Ferrara, Parish Office at 804-359-5651.

Christian Marriage Formation Program for Engaged Couples:
www.cdrcmfl.org/marriage-family/marriage-preparation/

Infant Baptisms: A Baptism Registration Form is available online on our website - www.richmondcathedral.org
Contact Joy Weir at jweir@richmondcathedral.org or 804-212-3893.



RCIA is a process of conversion and spiritual formation for individuals who are interested in living the Christian life in the Catholic tradition. It is a time of prayer, study, reflection, faith sharing, ongoing discernment and participation in parish life.

1. How do I begin the RCIA process?

If you are interested in becoming Catholic, we welcome your questions about what it means to live in the Catholic tradition.

2. What if I feel unsure of the RCIA process?

Feeling unsure is natural. After all, joining a particular faith community is a significant step.

3. When do I begin?

The first step is to make an appointment with the RCIA coordinator to discuss your questions and talk about the RCIA process.

**To learn more about RCIA please contact Maria Thorsen
or come to one of the scheduled Inquiry Sessions:
mthorsen@richmondcathedral.org**

Adult Speaker Series **NEW!**

September 29 | 7:00pm-8:00pm

The theme for the Cathedral Adult Speaker Series this year will be "Catholic Social Teaching." The Church's social teaching is a rich treasure of wisdom about building a just society and living lives of holiness amidst the challenges of modern society. Please come to the first session on September 29. We will welcome our guest Jay Brown, the CEO of Commonwealth Catholic Charities. "CCC works to alleviate human suffering and restore hope, dignity and opportunities to Virginians. Lunch will be served and nursery care is provided. Bring a friend!

Women's Book Group

Mondays Sep. 16, 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14 | 12:30pm | Parish Hall

Come join the Women's Book Group! Meet new people, nourish your soul, deepen your faith, and enjoy good discussions. We will read the book *The Mystery of Faith: An Introduction to Catholicism* by Michael Himes. Lunch is served and Nursery care will be provided.

Adult Faith Formation Programs 2019-2020

**Adult Speaker Series, Bible Study Programs, All Parish Read,
Women's Book Group, Movie and Pot Luck Supper Night.
For details, visit richmondcathedral.org/adult-ministries**

Nursery is open from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm Sundays for children ages 12 mos. to 3 years. The nursery is on the lower level (take the elevator).

Self-Guided Tour: When visiting the Cathedral, pick up a Self-Guided Tour pamphlet at the front entrance. To view the tour on our website, visit: www.richmondcathedral.org/selfguidedtour.pdf

We welcome new members to our parish! You can fill out a registration form found at the back of the church, email tbaham@richmondcathedral.org, or fill out an online registration form on our website: www.richmondcathedral.org

During Weekday Masses, Parking Passes Are Not Needed

Cathedral of the Sacred Heart Catholic Men NEW!

Online Membership in the Knights of Columbus, through your Cathedral of the Heart Council 11710, is now live in Virginia. Council 11710 is now inviting men to join the Order Online by sending them to www.kofc.org/joinus. For more information and a personal invitation from our membership director/Deputy Grand Knight, please contact John Christmas at 804-916-0392 or e-mail at preshorter@gmail.com. We look forward to welcoming more Catholic Men into our brotherhood and helping them to experience the transformative power of membership in the Knights of Columbus.

Catholic Woman's Club NEW!

Monday, September 23 | 2:00pm

If you are a Catholic woman age 21 or older and practicing your faith please join us for The Catholic Woman's Club Membership Tea on Monday, September 23 at 2pm at The Columbian Center 2324 Pump Road. The Catholic Woman's Club promotes Catholic ideals through intellectual, cultural and spiritual development and philanthropic endeavors. For reservations, please contact Joan Walton 804-266-3612 no later than September 16. Visit www.cwcrva.org for more information.

Letter to a Suffering Church by Bishop Barron

September 26 | 7:00pm-8:00pm

You are invited to join is for discussions concerning the sexual abuse scandal that has gripped the Catholic Church. Many Catholics are understandably asking, "Why should I stay?" In *Letter to a Suffering Church* Bishop Barron explains why this is not a time to leave but to stay and fight. Bishop Barron's book helps us understand the current crisis through the lens of Scripture and Church history. Each person will receive a copy of Bishop Barron's book. Please contact Maria Thorsen with any questions: mthorsen@richmondcathedral.org

Donations Needed for our Haiti Parish

Thank you to all our parishioners who continue to generously support our ministry in Haiti! We are pleased to announce that our mission twin in Carissade has now been officially designated a parish by Bishop Jean Desinord, and Pere Pierre Dieunot will serve as the founding pastor. We look forward to receiving him in Richmond over the coming months.

We have now raised \$50,059 to continue our work educating children, caring for the sick, and supporting good livelihoods. Your generosity continues to provide these basic services. Please continue to keep our Haitian sisters and brothers in your prayers, that we may continue to grow in solidarity. If you would like to donate, visit www.richmondcathedral.org/donate/ and select the Haiti fund through our online giving option!

Pick up a QR Code!

Parking Validation for
Saturday & Sunday Mass
ONLY



Valid until June 30, 2020

When you park in the VCU Deck, you must do one of the following:

- 1 - PULL & KEEP A TICKET TO ENTER DECK
- 2 - Scan this code from this bulletin **OR**
- 3 - Pick up a QR Code chit from the basket under the poster in church **OR**
- 4 - Take a photo of the code with your smart phone
- 5 - Insert your ticket first, then when asked for payment, scan the code and the gate will open.

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Exodus 32 : 7-11, 13-14
1 Timothy 1 : 12-17
Luke 15 : e1-32



September 22

Amps 8 : 4-7
1 Timothy 2 : 1-8
Luke 16 : 1-13

To view a weekly reflection on the readings, please visit loyolapress.com and enter "Sunday Connection" in the search bar located at the top right of the page.

Liturgical Changes NEW!

Several liturgical changes, which are meant to enhance our celebration of Mass, will take effect the weekend of September 28-29:

- (1) The altar servers will be seated in the sanctuary so that they can carry out their functions more easily.
- (2) Lighted candles will accompany the Evangeliary or Book of the Gospels at the proclamation of the Gospel (General Instruction of the Roman Missal, nos. 60, 133, 175). The candlesticks in front of the ambo will be removed since they are not envisioned by the Church's liturgical norms, and because the candles used at the proclamation of the Gospel are meant to give due honor to the Evangeliary, which narrates the words and deeds of Christ. (Whereas the Lectionary contains all of the biblical readings used for Mass, the Evangeliary contains only the Gospel readings and is therefore the object of special veneration.)
- (3) At the Preparation of the Gifts, ciboria (bowls) containing unconsecrated hosts will be placed on the altar. This action will complement the placing of chalices with wine on the altar. One ciborium (bowl) will continue to be brought forward at the Preparation of the Gifts, along with a cruet of wine.
- (4) The extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion will enter the sanctuary after the priest has received Communion, according to the Church's norm (no. 162). The extraordinary ministers will also stand closer to the altar, facilitating their reception of Holy Communion.
- (5) There will be a new protocol for the distribution of low-gluten hosts (more information will be forthcoming). —Fr. Tony Marques

Bicentennial Pilgrimage to National Shrine

Saturday, October 12

Join Bishop Knestout as he kicks off the 200th anniversary celebration of the founding of the Diocese of Richmond with a spiritual pilgrimage to the Basilica in Washington, DC on Saturday, October 12, 2019. The day begins at the Basilica at 10:00 am and concludes following the Sunday Vigil Mass at 5:15 pm. The diocese will provide regional buses within an hour of each parish at the costs of \$45 per participant. Pickup locations will be determined in late September. Registration is required. Please only select the regional bus option when registering. For more information including registration, transportation options, and meals, visit 2020.richmonddio-cese.org OR contact 2020@richmonddio-cese.org OR 804-622-5200.

Altar Servers Needed!

Altar Servers are needed for all Masses but especially Saturday and Sunday 5:15 pm Masses. Training is available. If interested, please contact Carey Bliley, careybliley@blileys.com