

January 21, 2024

**THE THIRD SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**
**‘Come after me, and I will
make you fishers of men.’**

Holy Rosary CATHOLIC CHURCH

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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Sunday Mass..... 8:00 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.
11:00 A.M. Livestreamed Mass each Sunday on
YOUTUBE: To watch access our website at
www.hrccrichmond.org
Sunday Adult Bible Study 9:30 A.M.
and 6:30 P.M. via Zoom
Weekdays:
Wednesdays.. Daily Mass....9:00 A.M.
Eucharistic Adoration every Wednesday after
Daily Mass until 12noon
Holy Days.....TBA
Bible Study-Thursdays.... 10 A.M. via Zoom
Confessions: Sunday 7:15 A.M.—7:40 A.M.
and 10:00 A.M.—10:30 A.M. before Mass.

For information about joining Holy Rosary, please see an Usher or Greeter. For Sacramental information please call the Church Office during business hours.

OFFICE HOURS-CLOSED MONDAY— (In Case of an Emergency call 434-288-0184)
TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY... 9:00a.m.-3:00pm-THURSDAYS-9:00a.m.-2pm
FRIDAYS.....Closed

Mission Statement

We, the people of Holy Rosary, are called to be a Church with a living God and a dynamic heritage; a heritage that encompasses the beliefs and tenets of the Roman Catholic faith as well as the characteristics of the African American culture. We are called to be a welcoming beacon of hope to parishioners and the surrounding community for continued and sustainable spiritual growth to enhance and strengthen our relationship with God, address social issues, and provide parishioners with the necessary skills for increased evangelization.



General Fund Collection

*Current Year: July 01, 2023 through June 30, 2024
Budget vs. Actual as of January 14, 2024*

Collections	Needed Weekly	Y-T-D	Budget	Difference
\$7,508	\$6,923	\$207,578.05	\$200,767	+\$6,811.05

01/14/2024 Attendance 8AM—70 11AM—175

*Debt Reduction Collection (Building Fund)
Current Year: July 01, 2023 through June 30, 2024
Budget vs. Actual as of January 14, 2024
Collection \$1,887.00— Needed Weekly \$1,994.00
Y-T-D— \$ 63,253.92
Budget—\$57,826.00—Difference +\$5,427.92
Loan Payment Monthly: \$9,879.00
Outstanding Balance on Loan **\$1,007,005.61***

† Please remember to write a separate check for Debt Reduction.



Please consider making Electronic Contributions throughout the year. Check our website: www.hrccrichmond.org

Please support Holy Rosary Parish through your donations:

• Mail in your usual donation amount by check to Holy Rosary Catholic Church, 3300 “ R” Street, Richmond, VA 23223 or go to E-Giving to set up your donations. Donations can also be dropped off at the church. Thanks!

Scan the QR code to give online: Just point your camera at the code and click the link that pops up. It’s easy!



PRAY FOR THE SICK.... Baby Gizelle Hill, great-granddaughter of Sylvia Hill, Kathryn Johnston, William Burrell, and all who suffer.

PRAY FOR THE HOMEBOUND....

Alice Wright, Clinton Harris, Jr.

Pastoral Care: If you or a family member is sick, becomes homebound or is anticipating surgery, please notify our Church office 222-1105. We want to know so we can provide prayer, care, -comfort, or the Sacraments.



For the Week of January 21

- Sunday:** Jon 3:1-5,10/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20
- Monday:** 2 Sm 5:1-7,10/Mk 3:22-30
- Tuesday:** 2 Sm 6:12b-15,17-19/Mk 3:31-35
- Wednesday:** 2 Sm 7:4-17/Mk 4:1-20
- Thursday:** Acts 22:3-16/Mk 16:15-18
- Friday:** 2 Tm 1:1-8/Mk 4:26-34
- Saturday:** 2 Sm 12:1-7a,10-17/Mk 4:35-41

Happy Birthday

- January 22:** Terry Hill
- January 25:** Gayle Smith
- January 26:** Delores Antoine, Charlotte Walker
- January 27:** Paul-Jerome Faye, Kevin Jordan, Deidre Menefield, Daryl Spriggs



Liturgical Ministers for January 28 8:00AM

Lectors— Tiara Churchwell and Mario Dance
EOM of Holy Communion—Patricia Clarke
Altar Servers— Phen Hammond and Christiana Huynh
Ushers—Youth/ Young Adults
Greeters—Youth/Young Adults

11:00AM

Lectors—Furmore Gomez and Eunice Alston
EOM of Holy Communion— Sierra Garland
Children’s Liturgist—OFF
Altar Servers—Alain Holly, Walter Jones, Melanie Titmus
Ushers—Youth/Young Adults
Greeters—Youth/Young Adults
Counters—Phillip Robinson and Raja Mason



Sunday	January 21, 2024
8AM	Mass—Julia Harris
11AM	Mass— The Parishioners of Holy Rosary
Tuesday	January 23, 2024
12PM	Mass at Richmond Community Hospital
Wednesday	January 24, 2024
9AM	Mass—Patricia Miles Henry Eucharistic Adoration following Daily Mass until 12 Noon in the Chapel
Friday	January 26, 2024
12PM	Mass at Richmond Community Hospital

***Bible Study** will be held every Thursday 10:00AM via Zoom. Contact Joanna Haliday at joanna.haliday@yahoo.com for Zoom link.

***Adult Bible Study** is held on Sunday mornings at 9:30AM and Sunday evenings at 6:30PM via Zoom. Contact Mario Dance at marioedance@gmail.com for Zoom link.

***Our Sunday Livestream Services can be seen on You Tube visit: www.hrccrichmond.org**

***The Sunday Bulletin can be downloaded from our website: www.hrccrichmond.org**

Question of the Week
January 21, 2024



All catechesis flows from the liturgy nothing is as important as what happens at the Sunday Mass. Christ is present in four fold ways, in the bread and wine, the Presider, the word of God and the community gathered. But for a lot of people the Sunday mass and readings and homily goes too quickly. In order for people to think back on the mass, we will have the "Question of the Week". The purpose of the "Question of the Week" is to bring together people of all ages to learn about and share their faith. The question will be relating to one of the readings from Sunday's Mass. The question will allow different ministry groups and families to break open the word and share faith throughout the week.

Question of the Week:

Adults:: *If someone asked you, "To what work has Jesus called you?" how would you answer?*

Children: *What do you think it was like for the people in today's Gospel to be called by Jesus? What did they have to give up in order to follow him?*

Reading 1: Jon 3:1-5,10

Reading 2: 1 Cor 7:29-31

Gospel: Mk 1:14-20



In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus says: "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." As disciples, we are called to continue God's work on earth. Taking care of God's poor is indeed living gospel values.

SVdP Seeking Treasurer

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul-Saint Teresa of Calcutta Conference (St. Bridget, Holy Rosary and Saint Elizabeth) is looking for someone to join our conference and assume the role of Treasurer.

The Society is a 200-year-old organization made up of lay Catholics who grow in holiness by serving our neighbors in need. Join us and deepen your spiritual life!

For additional information please contact Steve Szewczyk at 804-672-2141 and check out our website: www.svdp-stteresa.org

AIDS Spiritual Reflections

Jesus gives us a continuing call. Our transformation doesn't come all at once but takes place throughout our lives.

Make no distinction in our brothers and sister we serve because in them, we see the face of Christ.



Head Into the Heights this March

Looking at the mountains and reflecting on creation, you can find peace and perspective that comes from the Lord. As young adults, we have the opportunity journey *into the heights* of God's love by taking a step *out* of our normal lives and *into* the Blue Ridge mountains & Our Lady of the Angels Monastery.

This one-day event will include 2 talks, an easy-to-moderate level hike, prayer with the Trappist-Cistercian nuns, and lunch.

Into the Heights: A Young Adult Lenten

Reflection & Hike is Saturday, March 16 from 10am-6:30pm at Our Lady of the Angels Monastery in Crozet, VA.

\$40/person includes lunch and other retreat supplies.

*Limited space available - don't wait to sign up!
 Register Today!*



ATTENTION PARISHIONERS:

Every First Friday at 5:30PM beginning February 2 we will have First Friday Mass, Reflection and Adoration. First Friday Masses will continue for the remainder of the year.

January

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

January 21 2024

12:30PM– Youth/Young Adult Mgt.

January 22, 2024

6:00PM– Group Reunion

6:30PM– SVDP Mgt.

January 25, 2024

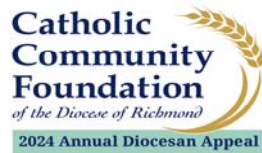
6:00PM– Pastoral Council Mgt.

January 27, 2024

10:00AM– Children’s /Youth Choir Practice

January 27, 2024

4:00PM– Prayer Ministry



2024 Annual Diocesan Appeal: *Sharing His Love with Others*

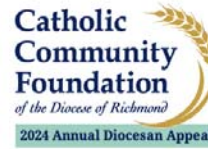
The 2024 Appeal will provide critical funding to three key areas of our Diocesan Church:

Empowering the Next Generation, Providing for Those in Need, and Strengthening Catholic Communities. In addition, our parish receives back a portion of the funds collected.

This year, the funds returned will be used to enhance the effectiveness of our ministries.

In complement to the funds returned to our parish through the parish sharing formula, the 2024 Appeal also benefits us through the following ministries and programs: Fuel and Hunger Fund grants, Youth and Young Adult Ministry, Christian Formation and the parish revival held in 2023 with Fr. Anthony Bozeman.

For additional information regarding the Annual Appeal please visit **Give Central**: they serve as key donor support for online gifts made to the Appeal. Their contact information is (833) 716-2612 or email support@givecentral.org or click on the **“Chat with an Expert”** button at www.givecentral.org.



“Gifts to the Annual Diocesan Appeal help to build up the Church and answer the call to *Share His Love with Others.*”

– Most Reverend
Barry C. Knestout
Bishop of Richmond



AWAKENING OUR PERSONAL SPIRITUALITY#

Come to our introductory gathering immediately after 11 a.m. Mass on Sunday Feb 11th for information on exploring the topic “Awakening our Personal Spirituality.” These meetings will help you develop your own personal spirituality which we hope will lead to a deepening of your spiritual relationship with God and with our Holy Rosary community.

We will be using books by well-respected spiritual thinkers, like Thomas Merton, Henri Nouwen, James Hillman, Thomas Moore, Saint Augustine, Howard Thurman and Thea Bowman to name a few! These authors will help us find the depths of our own spirituality.

This discussion and study group will meet once a month. If you’re interested in attending or finding out more about the group being formed, please come to the introduction gathering or email Tom Keys at safetkey@gmail.com. Tom will be organizing the group.

Diocesan Fuel and Hunger Grant

On behalf of The Most Reverend Barry C. Knestout and The Office of the Propagation of the Faith, Holy Rosary Parish has been awarded \$10,000.00 from the Fuel and Hunger Grant.

The grant will provide emergency assistance to persons in need of assistance with utilities and housing.