



April 6, 2025
5th Sunday of
Lent:
(Third Scrutiny)
Lazarus

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 to reach Fr. Tochi after Office Hours)
TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY... 9:00am-3:00pm- THURSDAY-9:00am-2pm
FRIDAY.....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, 2024 through June 30, 2025
Budget vs. Actual as of March 30, 2025

Collections	Needed Weekly	Y-T-D	Budget	Difference
\$7,253	\$7,404	\$279,917.22	\$288,756	—(\$8,838.78)

3/30/2025 Attendance 8AM—96 11AM—150

Mortgage Payment Collection (Debt Reduction)
Current Year: July 01, 2024 through June 30, 2025
Budget vs. Actual as of March 30, 2025
 Collections \$2,116.00—Needed Weekly \$1,994.00
Y-T-D \$84,248.17
 Budget— \$77, 766 — Difference +\$6,482.17
 Loan Payment Monthly: **\$9,879.00**
 Outstanding Balance on Loan— **\$930,396.85**

† 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!



Florine Davis-Morman, Joyce Hill and all who suffer.
HOMEBOUND.... Alice Wright and 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.

Daily Scripture Readings For The Week Of April 6

- Sunday:** Ez 37:12-14/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45
- Monday:** Dn 13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62/Jn 8:12-20
- Tuesday:** Nm 21:4-9/Jn 8:21-30
- Wednesday:** Dn 3:14-20,91-92,95/Jn 8:31-42
- Thursday:** Gn 17:3-9/Jn 8:51-59
- Friday:** Jer 20:10-13/Jn 10:31-42
- Saturday:** Ez 37:21-28/Jn 11:45-56



- April 6:** Joyce Johnson
- April 7:** Janice Hairston, Isaac Mason
- April 8:** Mary Woodley
- April 9:** Claudia Brickhouse
- April 11:** Kanika McBride

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR SUNDAY April 13, 2025



ONE MASS— 10:00AM
Parishioners gather in the Parish Hall for Blessing and Distribution of Palms.

- Lectors—Denise Branch and Cheyenne Fauria
- EOM of Holy Communion—Eloise Murphy
- Altar Servers—Chikanyima Njoku, Rob Jones, Jadira Jones
 Alain Holly
- Children’s Liturgists—Jane Henderson and Gloria Cokes
- Ushers—TBA
- Greeters—TBA
- Counters— Donita Harper and Sheila Miles

Worship Schedule

Sunday	April 6, 2025
8AM	Mass-George and De’Borah Pollard
11AM	Mass-The Parishioners of Holy Rosary
Tuesday	April 8, 2025
12PM	Mass at Richmond Community Hospital
Wednesday	April 9, 2025
9 AM	Mass-Geraldine Carter
Friday	April 11, 2025
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 YouTube visit:** www.hrccrichmond.org

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

Question of the Week
April 6, 2025



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: Against whom do you hold prejudices? Who do you believe is a greater sinner than yourself?

Children: How does the Sacrament of Reconciliation help us experience God's forgiveness?

Reading 1: Is 43:16-21

Reading 2: Phil 3:8-14

Gospel: Jn 8:1-11



In today's Gospel, Jesus is the model of compassion and kindness. He shows us how to be merciful and nonjudgmental.

When we give to the needy, God indeed pours his love, peace and mercy into our hearts and into the hearts of those suffering.

AIDS Spiritual Reflection

Blessed are they who have kept the word with a generous heart and yield a harvest through perseverance.

AIDS Fact: Global HIV/AIDS Target:

Reducing new infections: Leaders have committed to reducing the annual number of new HIV infections to below 370,000 by 2025



Weekdays

*Daily Mass Wednesdays 9:00 A.M. (Holy Rosary)
 Eucharistic Adoration after daily mass until 12Noon*

April 13, Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion
*9:45 A.M. Parishioners gather in the Parish Hall
 Blessing and Distribution of Palms
 ONE MASS 10:00 A.M.*

Monday, April 14

6:00 P.M. Chrism Mass (Cathedral of the Sacred Heart)



The Triduum (April 17,18,19)

*April 17, Holy Thursday
 (Mass of the Lord's Supper) - 7:00 P.M.
 Followed by Eucharist Adoration and
 Meditation in St. Joseph Chapel*

*April 18, Good Friday (The Passion of the Lord)
 Liturgy 7:00 P.M.*

April 19, Holy Saturday Vigil Mass- 8:00 P.M.

*April 20, Easter Sunday (The Resurrection of the Lord)
 ONE MASS 11:00 A.M.*

***Celebrating Our Heritage
 Building Our Future Campaign -UP-DATE***

# of Gifts	7
Amount Raised	\$312,142
# of Households	291
% of Participation	0.03%
% of Goal	22.29%
Average Gift	\$44,592

April Announcements and Upcoming Events

Every Monday

1:00PM-3:00PM- Knitting Ministry

Wednesdays 9:00AM

Daily Mass and Eucharistic Adoration

Every Thursday

Bible Study

10:00AM Via Zoom

Every Tuesday

12Noon Mass at Richmond Community Hospital
6:30PM- Mass Choir Rehearsal

Every Friday

12Noon Mass at Richmond Community Hospital

April 12

9:00AM- Social Justice Mgt.

10:00AM- Children's/Youth Choir Practice

11:00AM- Practice for Palm Sunday and Holy Week

April 13

10:00AM-ONE MASS-PALM SUNDAY

April 14

6:00PM-Christm Mass
(Cathedral of the Sacred Heart)

6:30PM- Group Reunion

April 15

6:00PM- AIDS Ministry Mgt.

April 16

5:30PM- Ladies' Sodality Mgt.

6:00PM- KOC Mgt.

April 21

6:30PM- SVDP Mgt.

April 26

10:00AM- Children's/Youth Choir Practice

4:00PM- Prayer Ministry

April 28

6:00PM- Group Reunion

April 30

6:00PM- Parish Council Mgt.



The Knights will host it's Annual Easter Egg Hunt on **Sunday, April 20, 2025**, following the 11:00 Mass.

*** Age Limits: 5 and Under & 6-12 Years old**

***Bring your own Basket**

***Parishioners can donate already wrapped candy and Plastic Eggs-to be brought to the Church on Palm Sunday, April 13th.**

Commonwealth Catholic Charities would like to share some exciting news!

Our Income & Asset Development program is hosting a Career and Networking fair on Tuesday, April 22nd at the East End Branch Richmond Public Library.

Join us to connect with potential employers, network with various agencies, and access valuable career development resources!

This is a free event and all are welcome.

Spots are limited so please **RSVP by April 10th.**

RSVP - Career Fair



The Ladies' Sodality 2nd Annual Mother's Day Raffle

1st Place Prize

Gospel Cruise for 2 on the Spirit of Norfolk

2nd Place Prize

\$100 gift certificate to Mama J's Restaurant

3rd Place Prize

\$50 Visa gift card

Purchase tickets after each Mass - **\$5 each.**

Winners announced **May 11** at the 11 a.m. Mass.