



**August 27, 2023
21st Sunday In
Ordinary Time**

**“ You are Peter, and
upon this rock I will
build my Church.”**

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
Facebook: 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
Current Year: July 01, 2023 through June 30, 2024
Budget vs. Actual as of August 20, 2023

Collections	Needed Weekly	Y-T-D	Budget	Difference
\$6,204	\$6,923	\$52,929.80	\$55,384	—(\$2,454.20)

08/20/2023 Attendance 8AM—68 11AM—124



Please consider making Electronic Contributions throughout the year. This cuts down on the cost of envelopes. 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!



Sunday August 27, 2023
8AM Mass—Lila Garlick
11AM Mass— Steven X. Poe
Wednesday August 30, 2023
9AM Mass—Daisy Blair Henderson
 Eucharistic Adoration following Daily Mass until 12 Noon in the Chapel
Friday September 1, 2023
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.
***The Sunday Bulletin can be downloaded from our website:** www.hrccrichmond.org

Debt Reduction Collection (Building Fund)
Current Year: July 01, 2023 through June 30, 2024
Budget vs. Actual as of August 20, 2023

Collection	\$1,745.00	— Needed Weekly	\$—	\$1,994.00
		Y-T-D	—	\$19,524.12
Budget	—	\$15,952	— Difference	+\$3,572.12
Loan Payment Monthly:	\$9,879.00			
Outstanding Balance on Loan	\$1,050,679.34			

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



PRAY FOR THE SICK... Deacon Will, Clementine Marshall, 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.



Readings for the week of August 27

Sunday: Is 22:19-23/Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20
Monday: 1 Thes 1:1-5,8b-10/Mt 23:13-22
Tuesday: 1 Thes 2:1-8/Mk 6:17-29
Wednesday: 1 Thes 2:9-13/Mt 23:27-32
Thursday: 1 Thes 3:7-13/Mt 24:42-51
Friday: 1 Thes 4:1-8/Mt 25:1-13
Saturday: 1Thes 4:9-11/Mt 25:14-30



August 28: Charles Jeffers
August 29: Ciara Mayo
August 30: Margarita Davis
September 2: Mary Malveaux, Angelo Parker

Liturgical Ministers for September 3

8:00AM

Lectors— Mary Woodley & Joanna Haliday
 Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion— Carolyn Page
 Altar Servers— Walter Jones & Gilbert Menefield
 Ushers— Clarence McGill & Floyd Underwood
 Greeters— Monica Churchwell & Sheila Stanley

11:00AM

Lectors— Gwen Marsh & Alain Holly
 Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion— Mary Ann Jones
 Altar Servers— Jadira Jones, Nicolas Holly, Walter Jones
 Ushers— Jerome Johnson, McCoy Welch, Richard Branch,
 Damian Njoku, Sr.
 Greeters— Paul & Gail Candido

Question of the Week
August 27, 2023



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 Jesus turned and asked you the same question, who would you say he is? How would you describe Jesus to someone who did not know him?

Children: What are three things you know about Jesus?

Reading 1: Is 22:19-23

Reading 2: Rom 11:33-36

Gospel: Mt 16:13-20

12th Annual
Bishop's Cup Golf Tournament
Monday, October 9, 2023



Entry Fee

\$440 entry fee per team

\$110 per single player (If paid in advance) or

\$120 per single player (If paid at tournament)

Payments can be made electronically on the church website at www.hrccrichmond.org or by calling the church office 804-222-1105 with your credit or debt card number.

Includes: Green fees, cart, range balls, Continental breakfast, lunch and prizes

Location

Brickshire Golf Club
 5520 Virginia Park Drive
 Providence Forge, VA 23140
 (804) 966-7888

Prizes

Bishop's Cup Trophy for 1st Place Parish Team

Tournament prizes for 1st place winner

Longest drive (Men & Women)

Closest to the pin (Men & Women)

Prize Drawings and Give-A-ways

Registration form can be found on the church Website: www.hrccrichmond.org
Call the church office at 222-1105 or contact Walter Jones at 757-287-7889 for more details
~Donations Accepted~

PARISH EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH



"We've Got A Testimony"

Celebrating A Legacy

We are asking each member of Holy Rosary to donate \$170 to keep the vision alive!
Please donate by October 1, 2023

For more information contact the church office at 804.222.1105 or Visit our website - www.hrccrichmond.org

Installments can be made
 Check (please put 70th in the remarks section)
 Cash, Electronic Donations or the QR Code



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Family Stories & Fellowship (Parish Hall)

with Msgr. Walter C. Barrett, Jr.

September 27, 2023 @ 6:00 p.m.

Parish Retreat

September 30, 2023 @ 10:00 a.m.

Jubilee Kickoff and Installation of Father Tochi Iwuji with Bishop

Barry C. Knestout, Celebrant

October 1, 2023 @ 10:00 a.m. (One Mass)

Youth and Young Adult Sunday

October 8, 2023 @ 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Friends and Family Day

October 15, 2023 @ 10:00 a.m.

Anniversary Mass & Celebration

October 22, 2023 @ 10:00 a.m.

FAITH * COMMUNITY * SERVICE



The Legion of Mary

Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Praesidium invites you to a Celebration of the Birthday of Mary, Mother of God; (The nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary-9/8/23).

When: Sunday, September 10, 2023

Where: In The Commons Area

So join us for Conversation, Birthday Cake and Punch, and information about The Legion of Mary.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FIRST TOUCH SPORTS



First Touch Sports is currently registering soccer players ages U5-U19 for its Fall soccer season. Fields open August 28th and the season begins September 7th. Scan this QR code or visit firsttouchsports.org for more information and to register your child. Games are played at Bensley Park and Stratton Park in Chesterfield County.

If you have additional questions, please contact Greg Daye at (804) 615-1476. All are welcome!



The Youth & Young Adults Planning Committee will meet on **August 30 at 6:30pm** in the large conference room.



Non-Perishable Canned Goods

Parishioners, please remember to bring in your non-perishable canned goods to church on the **First Sunday of each month**. Place your bag under the table in the commons. Thank You!

Ladies' Sodality

The Ladies' Sodality will meet in the large conference room on **Wednesday August 30 at 5:30pm**.

Pray the Rosary Each Sunday at 2PM

Join the Office of Black Catholic Ministry, Arlington Diocese as they Pray to end Racism and Gun Violence. Catholics throughout the country join each Sunday to ask the Blessed Mother's help to end these attacks against the Sanctity of Life.

Call 1-605-313-5111/Access Code 840082#

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Like Peter in today's Gospel, we can find that when we open our eyes to see, our ears to hear and our hearts to experience Jesus' presence in our daily lives, God reveals himself to us.

Have you considered answering the call to help serve the poor by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul?

AIDS Ministry Spiritual Highlights

Today's gospel is an invitation to respond to Jesus, to come to him. We need periods of prayer-filled solitude to restore our energies and renew our vision of what God is inspiring us to do in our ministry.

AIDS Fact: HIV infection has become a manageable chronic health condition, enabling people living with HIV to lead long and healthy lives. For this we are eternally grateful.

Slave Trail Walk

Join Deacon Frank Nelson on **September 9 or October 28, 2023** for the Slave Trail Walk at the Manchester Docks from 8:30am-1:00pm. Registration will be required. Space is limited. Visit the Office for Black Catholic website to register: obc@richmonddiocese.org Flyer available on the table in the Commons.

I Will Live Until I Die

A Musical on the Life of Sr. Thea Bowman

When:

Saturday, September 16, 2023 at 7:30pm
Sunday, September 17, 2023 at 2:00pm

Where:

Martin Luther King Performing Arts Center
1400 Melbourne Rd. Charlottesville, VA

Learn More:

804-383-2839 or www.vallimar.com

Admission:

\$20 General- \$15 Seniors & Youth
Free admission children 12 and younger.
See Flyer on table in the Commons!