

Ministry of Healing

Please let the parish office know if you or a family member is sick, in the hospital, or suffering. We have resources available for you. We would like to help arrange for Communion visits, phone calls, meals, etc. Please know your parish cares and wants to help. Please contact Deacon Jim or Cherry Macababba in the parish office at (757) 898-5570. Your call is confidential; we will only put names for prayers in the bulletin if you specifically request it. Please be sure to call when it is time to remove a name from the prayer list. Thank you.



York Convalescent Center
Gabriella (Lita) Debeaulieu

Prayers for Recovery

Alex and Anne Cipriano	Sylvia Harman
Yvonne Crow	Albert Jury
Tamera David	Marianna Marder
Nicholas & Evelyn DeLaurentis	Hilda Penyak
Alessandra Elefante	Isabella Rice
Genevieve Graham	Geraldine Rose
Christine Grosshans	Natividad Strother

Daily Readings

Sunday, July 2

2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a;
Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42

Monday, July 3

Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29

Tuesday, July 4

Gn 19:15-29; Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday, July 5

Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Mt 8:28-34

Thursday, July 6

Gn 22:1b-19; Mt 9:1-8

Friday, July 7

Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67
Mt 9:9-13

Saturday, July 8

Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Mt 9:14-17

Sunday, July 9

Zed 9:9-10; Rom 8:9, 11-13
Mt 11:25-30

Meetings

Monday, July 3

6:00 PM Boy Scouts, SH, JP II
6:30 PM Legion of Mary, F & H

Tuesday, July 4

7:00 PM RCIA, F & H, JP II, SH

Wednesday, July 5

9:45 AM Verso L'alto, MFH, WS

Thursday, July 6

10:00 AM Stitches, F & H
10:00 AM through July 9, Steubenville Youth Conference,
Atlanta, GA

Friday, July 7

9:45 AM Eucharistic Adoration, WS

Saturday, July 8

8:00 AM K of C Blood Drive, JP II, SH, Kitchen
9:30 AM CRHP, MFH

Sunday, July 9

12:30 PM Baptism Preparation, Classroom

**Please see cover page for
Reconciliation and Mass schedule.**

**When Holy Mass is not available,
a prayer service will take place.**

Mass Intentions

Sunday, July 2

8:30 AM Butler Family
11:00 AM Deacon Jim Satterwhite

Tuesday, July 4

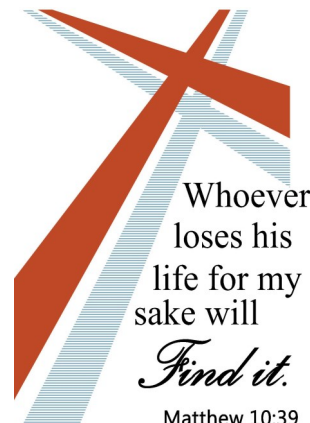
10:00 AM Andrew McCarthy

Saturday, July 8

5:30 PM † Voight Family

Sunday, July 9

8:30 AM † John Bing
11:00 AM † Eric Wannamaker



Welcome

A warm welcome to you from our Lord Jesus Christ, and the People of God at St. Joan of Arc. Newcomers and visitors are invited to make this parish family your own. Registration forms are available in the Parish Commons and the Welcomer will be glad to assist you with any questions or with filling out the forms.

Note to All Those Gathered

Receiving the Holy Eucharist, the Body and Blood of Christ, is at the heart of what it is to be a faithful, worshipping Catholic. Therefore, please receive Holy Communion only if you are **IN COMMUNION** with the Lord and His Church and have observed a fast preparing to receive the Eucharist. We are *in communion* with the Lord if we have not seriously violated our duty to worship the Lord at Sunday or Holy Day Mass nor seriously offended human life. The Eucharistic Fast involves abstaining from all food or drink for one hour (exceptions exist for those 60 years of age or older, or for those who are ill). Medicines and water do not break the Eucharistic Fast.

If the Sacrament of Reconciliation is needed so that we are readmitted to Holy Communion, we must receive that beautiful forgiveness first. Those who are presently not Catholic should respect the centrality of the Holy Eucharist in the life of the Catholic Church, and either remain seated and prayerfully thankful, or step forward to receive a blessing.

Adult Formation

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

RCIA: A process of conversion for both adults and children who seek the fullness of Christ through the Catholic Church. The RCIA process offers the opportunity for searching souls to arrive at the fullness of what Christ offers. Receive honest answers to your questions from parishioners and clergy and gradually journey closer to God in the fullness of the Catholic Church. For more information, contact the parish office at (757) 898-5570, or speak with Deacon Mark.

Parish News

Office Closed

The Parish Office will be closed on **Tuesday, July 4th**, in observance of the Independence Day holiday. Please pause to give God thanks for authentic freedom in our country which has God as its source.

Divine Mercy

The Divine Mercy Prayer Group will close out its year with a meeting on Thursday, July 6th, at 6:30 PM at Joe and Mimma's Italian Restaurant, 5742 George Washington Highway, Yorktown, VA (located near the Post Office). Please note the change in meeting time. The Prayer Group will not meet again until September. For more information, call Grace at (757) 218-0397; Geri at (757) 890-0165; or the Parish Office at (757) 898-5570.

Blood Drive

The Knights of Columbus is teaming up with the American Red Cross in a blood drive on Saturday, July 8th, from 8:00 AM—2:00 PM at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church in the St. John Paul II Center. Blood supplies are always depleted during the summer months. Please mark your calendar and plan on making your donation during this critical time. Plan to give the gift of life.

Baptism Preparation

***** DATE CHANGE *****

Due to the Independence Day holiday, Baptism Preparation for Parents will be presented on **Sunday, July 9th**, following the 11:00 AM Mass. The session will be conducted in one of the Religious Education classrooms. Please contact Deacon Jim for more information at (757) 898-5570.



Young at Heart

Young at Heart will be dining out at "Hibachi Grill," located at 12745 Jefferson Avenue, Newport News, on Tuesday, July 11th, at 6:00 PM. Telephone committee will call all regular members to confirm attendance. ALL others interested, please call Bill Garber at (757) 898-4684 to ensure accurate reservations.



Bulletin Announcements

Please e-mail any approved bulletin announcements to Cherry Macababba **two** Wednesdays prior to the weekend you would like to see your announcement published at cmacababba@stjoanofarcva.org.



Faith Formation



SAVE THE DATE!

MIGHTY FORTRESS
In Jesus, victory is won!
Vacation Bible School
July 31 - August 4
9 AM—12 Noon

Registration for participants and volunteers is available online (planner.liguorivbs.org/events/StJoanofArc) and in the Commons.

We are looking for wagons to help transport our younger students during Vacation Bible School. Please contact Jennifer Sanders (jsanders@stjoanofarcva.org or 757-898-5570) if you are able to loan your wagon for the week.

Youth Ministry

Remember **Youth Group!** Youth Ministry is engaging middle and high school students both socially and spiritually from 6:30-8:30 on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays and from 6:00-8:30 on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month. These nights start with an Emmaus Dinner and Wednesday nights will include Praise and Worship.

Attention: Youth Group Date Change

We will not be meeting for Youth Group on July 4th, due to the holiday. We will be meeting the following Tuesday, July 11th.

Upcoming Youth Ministry Event

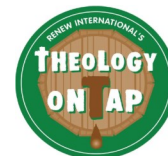
Saturday, July 22nd - Busch Garden's Trip and Concert: Join your peers and youth ministry for an amazing day of thrills and fun at Busch Gardens, Williamsburg. The day will end with a powerful concert by the Christian musicians Jeremy Camp and Rend Collective. We will meet in the church parking lot at 9:30 AM and car-pool to the park. If you are in need of park passes, please contact amccarthy@stjoanofarcva.org ASAP and please RSVP no later than July 17th.



Young Adult Ministry

Upcoming Young Adult Events

Thursday, July 20th – Theology on Tap: Join young adults from across the Peninsula at Jose Tequilas at 615 Thimble Shoals Boulevard, Newport News, at 7:00 PM, July 20th. Our own Deacon Mark Mueller will be engaging all young adults present with amazing content. Theology on Tap takes place every month on the third Thursday. No RSVP required, just show up and have a great time!



Friday, July 21st - Theological Speakeasy at St. Joan of Arc: This event is the answer to all of us who have questions about Church doctrine, teaching, faith, or practices of the Catholic Church? Come gather with fellow young adults in a great environment to move forward in the Truth. Then eat, drink, and enjoy the panel discussion and have fun at 7:00 PM. Please bring a \$10 contribution to support Young Adult Ministry. RSVP to amccarthy@stjoanofarcva.org by July 12th.



2017-2018 Faith Formation Registration Now Open For All Youth

Registration is now available for the 2017—2018 Faith Formation Programs. Online registration is available on the St. Joan of Arc website and in person registration is available in the parish office and in the Commons. Faith Formation is necessary for all those entering kindergarten through 12th grade. K-5 classes meet between the two morning Masses, from 9:45 AM to 10:45 AM. Middle and high school classes meet on Sunday evenings, from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM. Registration is also open for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. Please contact Jennifer Sanders for more information (jsanders@stjoanofarcva.org or 757-898-5570).

Parish Ministries

Parish Councils

Finance Council Daniel Burton
Pastoral Council Bill McHenry

Pastoral Ministry

Baptism Coordinator Deacon Jim
Liturgy Committee Deacon Jim & Jerry Wilkins

Liturgical Ministries

Altar Servers Randy Vis
EMHCs Denis Morhiser
Hospitality Mark Mulvaney
MCs Jerry Wilkins
Music Lyudmila Syrochkina
Readers Carl Chesley & Patti Komornik

Organizations

Knights of Columbus Ricky Sowell
Ladies Auxiliary Lynda Fairman
Legion of Mary David Cienski
Women's Club Yvonne Crow
Young at Heart Bill Garber

Non-Liturgical Ministries

Altar Linens Dixie Nowak
Liturgical Environment Gerry Cannon
Bereaved John Bryant, III & Tom Carroll
Building Maintenance Hank Rose & Dave Marin
Coffee & Donuts Bill Betts
Divine Mercy Grace Dickens & Geri Leatherbury
Emergency Needs Linda O'Dell
Kitchen Bill Garber
Landscape Jim Orband
Lazarus Cathy Fowler
Manna Cathy Fowler & Kathy Fisher
New Evangelization David Cienski
Sick & Homebound Deacon Mark & Cathy Mueller
Social Ministries Chris Ladnier
Vocations Chalice Deacon Phil
Web Master Trey Morris



*Now there are varieties of gifts,
but the same Spirit.*

1 Corinthians 12:4

Diocesan News

Diocesan Safe Environment Policy

The Catholic Diocese of Richmond is committed to ensuring that diocesan institutions and ministries provide a safe and nurturing environment for children, young people and vulnerable individuals. The mission of the diocese *Safe Environment Program* is to create a safe environment incorporating the standards as outlined in the *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*. For more information, visit http://richmonddiocese.org/child_protection_virtus/.

In a commitment to support and facilitate healing, individuals who have been sexually abused by a cleric, religious, employee, or volunteer of the Diocese of Richmond are encouraged to contact the Civil Authorities and the confidential Victim's Assistance Reporting 24-Hour Number at (877) 887-9603 or in writing to the Office of the Bishop.

Retrouvaille Marriage Repair

Do you feel lost and alone in your marriage? Do you feel hurt or betrayed by your spouse? Are you constantly fighting? Are you thinking about separation or divorce? Retrouvaille is a lifeline for troubled marriages. For more information, call Deacon Jim Satterwhite or Chris Ladnier at the parish office, (757) 898-5570, or visit www.retrouvaille.org.



Peninsula Catholic High School

Peninsula Catholic High School is seeking candidates for the following positions: resource teacher, part-time math (pre-calculus/calculus), part-time Spanish, and school nurse. For information, please visit <http://www.peninsulacatholic.com/RelId/622409/ISvars/default/Employment.htm>.

Life Planning Seminar Series

The Diocese of Richmond's Center for Marriage, Family, and Life is hosting a three-part series intended for anyone who would like to learn how to anticipate common issues that might arise toward the end of life. The next seminar is on Thursday, August 24, from 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM. A panel of speakers will present practical guidance for how to care for an aging parent or spouse and what to consider when choosing among several long-term care options. *There is no cost to attend and lunch is included with your free registration.* Each session will be offered live at the Diocese of Richmond Pastoral Center and broadcast to satellite locations in the Western and Eastern Vicariates. Learn more and register at www.cdrcmfl.org or call the office at (804) 622-5109.