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March 26, 2023 — Fifth Sunday of Lent

26 de marzo de 2023 — Quinto Domingo de Cuaresma

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

OFFICE HOURS - HORARIO DE OFICINAS

Monday—Thursday - Lunes—Jueves

9a.m.—2p.m.

Friday / Viernes

9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon /medio día

LITURGY SCHEDULE HORARIO LITURGICO

Saturday—Sábado — 5:30 p.m (English)

Sunday— Domingo 9:00 a.m. (English) 12:30 p.m. (Spanish)

Daily Masses: Wednesday— Miércoles 12:00 Noon (English)
..... **Thursday - Jueves** - 8:30 a.m. (English)

CONFESSIONS—CONFESIONES

Saturday—Sábado 4:30 p.m. or by appointment /o por cita

ADORATION—ADORACION

ST. JOHN 1ST WEDNESDAY - 1er Miércoles—6PM (English)

1ST SATURDAY - 1er Sábado—7PM (Spanish)

ST. PATRICK 3RD SUNDAY AFTER MASS

ST. PETER 1ST FRIDAY AFTER MASS

Parish Calendar/Calendario Parroquial

SATURDAY/SABADO **March/Marzo 25, 2023**

4:30 PM Reconciliation

5:30 PM Mass—Souls of Michael Pen

SUNDAY/DOMINGO **March/Marzo 26, 2023**

9:00 AM Mass—Soul of Carl Saunders

12:30 PM Misa—Alma de Damaris Elena Teodoro Sosa

WEDNESDAY/MIERCOLES **March/Marzo 29, 2023**

12:00 Noon Mass—Family of Bob & Theresa McDowell

THURSDAY/JUEVES **March/Marzo 30, 2023**

8:30 AM Mass— Carmen Poligenia Roca

FRIDAY/VIERNES **March/Marzo 31, 2023**

7:00 PM Stations of the Cross—Viacrucis

SATURDAY/SABADO **April/Abril 1, 2023**

4:30 PM Reconciliation

5:30 PM Mass—Souls of Dan Hinton

SUNDAY/DOMINGO **April/Abril 2, 2023**

9:00 AM Mass—Soul of Lloyd Mercer

12:30 PM Misa—

**ST. PETER OFFERS MASS DAILY AT NOON
SAN PEDRO OFRECE MISAS DIARIAS A LAS 12PM**

DONATION FOR FISH

REQUEST FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH

Canned Salmon

DONACIONES PARA FISH EN MARZO

Salmon Enlatado



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

RECUERDE EN SUS ORACIONES:

Keith Pinney, Helen Rice, John & Jolene White, Wayne Ewing, Jeff Kon-schack, Elena Chavez, John & Peggy Smith, Stanhope Flournoy, Betty Yingst, Frank Haselton, Leonora Gray, Leslie Gray, Melissa Harrington, Chris Jones, Virginia Saunders, Hallett Harrison, Joseph Di Ma-rino, Mike Elrod, Theresa Mosely, Joan Purcell, Paul Ev-ans, Kathy McCollum, Red Goodman, Susanne French and Pauline Sorensen.

Readings for the week of March 26, 2023

Sunday: Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7)/ Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45
Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Jn 8:1-11
Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9/Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21/Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Jn 8:31-42
Thursday: Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 8:51-59
Friday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7/Jn 10:31-42
Saturday: Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13/Jn 11:45-56
Next Sunday: Mt 21:1-11/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 (2a)/Phil 2:6-11/ Mt 26:14—27:66 or 27:11-54

Las lecturas de la semana del 26 de marzo de 2023

Domingo: Ez 37, 12-14/Sal 129, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 7-8 (7)/Rom 8, 8-11/Jn 11, 1-45 o 11, 3-7. 17. 20-27. 33-45
Lunes: Dn 13, 1-9. 15-17. 19-30. 33-62 o 13, 41-62/Sal 22, 1-3. 3-4. 5. 6/Jn 8, 1-11
Martes: Nm 21, 4-9/Sal 101, 2-3. 16-18. 19-21/Jn 8, 21-30
Miércoles: Dn 3, 14-20. 91-92. 95/Dn 3, 52. 53. 54. 55. 56/Jn 8, 31-42
Jueves: Gn 17, 3-9/Sal 104, 4-5. 6-7. 8-9/Jn 8, 51-59
Viernes: Jr 20, 10-13/Sal 17, 2-3. 3-4. 5-6. 7/Jn 10, 31-42
Sábado: Ez 37, 21-28/Jr 31, 10. 11-12. 13/Jn 11, 45-56
Domingo siguiente: Mt 21, 1-11/Is 50, 4-7/Sal 21, 8-9. 17-18. 19-20. 23-24 (2)/Flp 2, 6-11/Mt 26, 14—27, 66 o 27, 11-54/Jn 11, 1-45 o 11, 3-7. 17. 20-27. 33-45

WEEKLY COLLECTION— COLECTA SEMANAL

March/Marzo 18 & 19, 2023

Weekly/Semanal

Actual \$4,726.25

Budget \$4,714.00

\$12.25

Year to date/Anual

Actual \$190,567.75

Budget \$174,418.00

\$16,149.75

MASS ATTENDANCE/ASISTENTES EN MISA

5:30

60

9:00

144

12:30

594

From the Pastor's Desk

In a couple of days, the Church will be entering into the Holy week, the final preparation for the celebration of the paschal feast beginning from Palm Sunday through the Easter Triduum. Bishop Knestout, is inviting all the faithful in the Diocese to celebrate the Annual Mass of the Oils also called Chrism Mass, taking place on Monday of Holy week at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart, the Episcopal See of the bishop of Richmond at 6pm.

Mass of the Oils is a special mass in which the bishop joined by his priests across the length and breadth of the diocese, gather at his Cathedral as a sign of unity and communion between them, to manifest this publicly, and renew their commitment to their vocation to the priesthood. It again reminds us of our oneness in Christ and its holy anointing made possible by the mystery of the bishop and his priests as presbyterate, when Oils are blessed for the lay faithful to be used in various sacraments in the church's sacramental life throughout the year, to deepen their understanding of their use and effects. Three Oils are thus blessed; Oil of Catechumen for baptism, Oil of the infirm, anointing of sick for healing and Holy Chrism for baptism, confirmation and Holy orders, as well as for the dedication of a church in which the altar and walls are anointed. The symbolism of the oils is for sanctification, healing, strengthening, consecration and dedication.

As we join the bishop for this annual event, may our hearts turn to our gracious Lord who bestows His infinite love and mercy to us, as we pray for the bishop and his priests, ministers of the sacraments, that they may be humble and generous servants of the Lord.

Praised be Jesus Christ!

Fr. Maxwell

Annual Diocesan Appeal 2023 Sharing His Love with Others

In today's Gospel, Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead. In doing so, he forecasts two events: his return from the dead and ours.

Death, and the events that follow, are challenging and often hide at the edge of our consciousness. It drives us to avoid aggressive drivers, work harder, or hold close the ones we love at goodbyes.

As difficult as death is, the Resurrection is our hope and Lent is our time to pray, give and spread the word! "I am the Resurrection and the Life," says Jesus (John 11:25). When you support our Annual Diocesan Appeal, you enable us to deliver this same hope and mercy to those in need.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN.

Huge THANK YOU to all the prayer warriors at Planned Parenthood that participated in the 40 days for Life Campaign. Please don't forget to keep praying.

The Busy Bees Spring Craft and Bake Sale will happen Mar. 18/19 and 25/26. Purchase some beautiful spring crafts and treat yourself to some delicious baked goods. Profits go to St. John's Church.

Palm Sunday | Holy Week | Easter Sunday | Schedule

PALM SUNDAY AND DISTRIBUTION OF PALMS | April 1 & 2

Saturday | 5:30 PM

Sunday | 9 AM

Sunday | 12:30 PM – Spanish

MONDAY | April 3

Chrism Mass | 6:00 PM at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart (823 Cathedral Place, Richmond)

HOLY THURSDAY | April 6

Mass of the Lord's Supper | 7:00 PM

The church will remain open until 10:00 PM for Adoration.

GOOD FRIDAY | April 7

Divine Mercy Chaplet | 3:00 PM

Stations of the Cross | 5:30 PM

Good Friday of the Lord's Passion | 7:00 PM

**Confession 12pm—3pm at St. Peter*

HOLY SATURDAY | April 8

Easter Vigil | 8:00 PM

EASTER SUNDAY | April 9

Sunday | 9 AM – English

Sunday | 12:30 PM – Spanish

LENTEN DINNERS

Come and support the **LAST** Lenten dinner. 5-7 PM. Followed by Stations of the Cross at 7:00 PM.

Easter Flowers

Memorialize & Honor Loved Ones

Don't forget to contribute to the Easter Flowers Fund. This fund allows donors to honor the memory of a deceased loved one or to pay tribute to someone living. Easter Flowers envelopes are in your set or at the entrance of the church. You can also contribute through [E-giving](#).

WANTED TOOLS FOR CLUSTER COMMUNITY GARDEN

Do you have "retired garden tools" taking up space and collecting dust? If so, our Cluster Community Garden ministry would love to have them and put them to use. We are accepting hand tools, hoes, rakes, shovel (all sizes), watering cans and the like. You may bring them to church and put in the Conference Room (1st room to the left as you enter the west side of the church.)

Also, some parishioners have asked about giving monetary donations to help support our garden's construction. Please put your donation of cash or check into an envelope marked on the outside: **FOR CLUSTER COMMUNITY GARDEN** and include it in the weekend collection. We thank you for your most generous help in "cultivating" our new cluster ministry!!!