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REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Lillian Allen, Clemente Andrews, Anne Awad, Ava Blakeslee-Carter, Andrea Coleman-Young, Tucker Conley, Alan DeNardo, Joseph Wayne Diggs, Rick DuFour, Shirley Dunn, Nancy Eckler, Paul Evans, Valerie Evans, Wayne Ewing, Joan Faison, Stanhope Flournoy, Judy French, Suzanne French, Renee Galietti, Georgina Gerhardt, Nancy Goodman, David Gragnani, Debbie Gray, Leonora Gray, Leslie Gray, James Green, Sandy Haddix, Bret Hall, Michael Harley, Melissa Harrington, Frank Haselton, Barbie Jones, Brittney Jones, Chris Jones, Jeff Konschack, Mare Marshall, Theresa Mosely, Ralph Hyatt, Millie Kennedy, Alison Knickelbine, Sherrie Markow, Trish Markow, Marie Martinelli, Rita Mayer, Stokes McCune, Eileen McLaughlin, A.R.Murray, Dr Paul Ohai, Helen Oliver, Jesse Oliver, Richard Painter, Mildred Parham, Clara Pate, Pat Penhallow, Harvey Purcell Jr, Camilla Raimo, Helen Rice, Sterling Robinson, Warren Ross, Boscoe Sanctafamilia, Mary Margaret Shannon, Jean Small, John & Peggy Smith, Thomas Smith III, Toby Smith, Rachel Snyder, Geraldine Thornton, William Toots, Kathy VanPelt, Ed Walker, Roger Wayte, Richard Williams, Bob & Maggie Wilkins, Sylvia Winston, Jim & Kathleen Wood, Eileen Zorzi

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Formation Opportunity - Father Redmond will lead a special class called "The Basics of Catholicism" open to all parishioners and guests **It will be held at Saint Patrick's in the Social Hall on Wednesdays June 5, June 12, and June 19 - 5:30-6:30 PM.** Coffee and snacks will be provided. We hope you can make it to any or all of these special classes!

Saint John Yard Sale: Thank you to all who donated items, helped to sort, price, and put on display those items, as well as all those who helped our customers get their treasures home! We cleared over \$3600. and more is still coming in!

Pat Hinton, Mary Miskimon, and Pauline Carlson were invaluable as cochairs; others including Diane Yates, Gabrielle Inge, Theresa McDowell helped all week. Danny Hinton, Ken Carlson and Marc LeBeau are wonderful delivery men, and security guards, and Joan Purcell was everywhere! There are too many others who helped before, during, and after to mention! Dan Magee, Steve Bruce, and the Knights helped to pack up and clean up.

Calendar for the new year: As we anticipate another year, the staff will be gathering to plan out the various commitments of our communities on the calendar. If you need space during the year, or would like recurring events in one of the parishes, please try to email your events with as much detail as you can provide, to include: desired location time, day, how often, etc. **Please submit your responses by June 18** to one of the office emails:
officestjohn@richmondcluster.org; officestpatrick@richmondcluster.org; officestpeter@richmondcluster.org.
 Thank you in advance!

**THE PRO-CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PETER
 MUSIC FOR SUNDAY**

Entrance	At that First Eucharist	#733
Psalm	I will take the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord	#863
Offertory	Alleluia Sing to Jesus	#737
Communion	Jesus my Lord, my God, my All	#488
Recessional	God with Hidden Majesty/ Adoro Te Devote	#489

Please email or call the office to add to the prayer list, please let us know how to pray for your loved ones in an intentional way.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Saturday, June 1

10:30 AM **Priesthood Ordination**, Cathedral
 1:00 PM **Wedding**, St. Patrick
 2:00 PM **Wedding**, St. John
 4:30 PM **Confession**, St. Patrick
 4:30 PM **Confession**, St. John
 5:30 PM **Mass**, John Michael Brereton, St. Patrick
 5:30 PM **Mass**, +John & Mary Beach, St. John, **Msgr. Barrett**
 7:00 PM **Asamblea - Renovación Carismática**, San Juan
Hora Santa, **Deacon Domingo Caratachea**

Sunday, June 2

8:30 AM **Mass**, +Adam Capuano, St. Peter
 9:30 AM **Fellowship**, St. Peter
 9:00 AM **Mass**, +Benjamin Young, St. John
 10:45 AM **Mass**, 2018 Ordination classmates; Fr Baab, Fr O'Reilly, Fr Redmond, St. Patrick
 10:45 AM **Mass**, Increase in Vocations to Priesthood, St. Peter
First Mass of Father David Arellano
 11:45 AM **Fellowship**, St. Patrick Hall
 12:30 PM **Misa**, +Elena Chavez, San Juan

Monday, June 3

11:15 AM **Confession**, St. Peter
 12:05 PM **Mass**, +Havey Yaris, St. Peter

Tuesday, June 4

11:15 AM **Confession**, St. Peter
 12:05 PM **Mass**, +Karin Michelle Haley, St. Peter
 1:45 PM **Bible Study**, St. John
 6:00 PM Deanery Gathering of Priests, St. Patrick Rectory

Wednesday, June 5

10:30 AM **Council of Women Monthly Meeting**, St. John RE building
 11:15 AM **Confession**, St. Peter
 12:05 PM **Mass**, +J. Wayne Hannick, St. Peter
 5:30 PM **Basics of Catholicism**, St. Patrick
 6:00 PM **Holy Hour**, St. John

Thursday, June 6

8:30 AM **Mass**, +Skip Sarosy, St. John
 11:15 AM **Confession**, St. Peter
 12:05 PM **Mass**, +Robert Madia, St. Peter

Friday, June 7

11:15 AM **Confession**, St. Peter
 12:05 PM **Mass**, +Rebecca Bish, St. Peter
 12:30 PM **Holy Hour**, St. Peter
 12:30 PM **Confession**, St. Peter

Saturday, June 8

2:00 PM **Quinceanera**, San Juan
 3:00 PM **Wedding**, St. Peter
 4:30 PM **Confession**, St. Patrick
 4:30 PM **Confession**, St. John
 5:30 PM **Mass**, +Elsie Blanning, St. Patrick
 5:30 PM **Mass**, +Catherine Kolakoski, St. John
 7:00 PM **Asamblea - Renovación Carismática**, San Juan

THE PRO-CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PETER

Weekend Collection

May 26, 2024

Weekly	Year-to-date
Actual \$2,724.00	Actual \$183,574.60
Budget <u>\$3,058.00</u>	Budget <u>\$149,842.00</u>
(\$334.00)	\$33,732.60

Weekend Mass Attendance

9:30 AM	10:45 AM
147	canceled

SAINT PATRICK

Weekend Collection

May 26, 2024

Weekly	Year-to-date
Actual \$2,508.33	Actual \$192,363.46
Budget <u>\$4,097.55</u>	Budget <u>\$179,856.00</u>
(\$1589.22)	\$12,507.46

Weekend Mass Attendance

5:30 PM	10:45 AM
34	116

SAINT JOHN/ SAN JUAN

Weekend Collection

May 26, 2024

Weekly	Year-to-date
Actual \$4,305.00	Actual \$269,886.78
Budget <u>\$4,947.00</u>	Budget <u>\$237,456.00</u>
(\$642.00)	\$32,430.78

Weekend Mass Attendance

5:30 PM	9:00 AM	12:30 PM
66	164	176

All totals include weekly collection and E-Giving



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The Feast of Corpus Christi - *Reception of Holy Communion*

As we celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi that places a special emphasis on the Eucharist, it is a good reminder for us to note *what* we are doing when we approach the Lord. Among any number of areas we could reflect upon, maybe I can mention just a couple, regarding *reverence*.

When we receive Our Lord, we recognize that it is a kind of “refuge for sinners” and medicine for the weak, but it presupposes that we are in a state of grace, free of mortal sin, to benefit from the graces that this union with Our Lord offers. Being in a state of grace is not *subjective*. Your *objective* choices determine whether you are prepared adequately to receive the Eucharist. We cannot rationalize sin away, come to confession, prepare to receive the Lord freely.

How do you receive, on the tongue, in the hand? It is your choice, though the universal norm is to receive kneeling on the tongue, and the US norm is standing. When you present yourself for Communion, don't forget to make a profound bow (with the waist), if not kneeling, and present *your tongue, or one hand*. Sometimes, we get very creative presentations of hands and tongues, please be mindful that we need to know if you are receiving. If you come in the line with hands crossed before your chest, we assume you want a blessing; if you present two open-faced palms, you are not helping me determine where to place the host. What should we be aiming at: an open and extended tongue, a *flat* hand, with one underneath. Let's strive for devotion and focus as we approach our Lord in Holy Communion. Why am I suggesting all this? It is due to the reality that *the Lord* is present in the sacrament, and we owe Him due honor.

Please be assured of my prayers this week. - Fr. Capuano

THE PRO-CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PETER

Social Ministry This week, we fed over 289 guests a hot meal, 14 guests utilized the showers, 61 guests utilized the clothing closet, 25 bags of groceries were given out to those in need. Saint Peter continues assisting the Department of Social Services, helping those financially, spiritually, and physically.

Wish List Jars of pasta sauce, pasta, & **dry cereal**.

190th Anniversary Celebration: Thank you so much for your flexibility and participation in our little anniversary celebration. It was a joyous occasion. Many thanks to the Anniversary Committee for preparing such a lovely event for the benefit of the parish especially: Linda Shisler, Liz Aldridge, Chris Thomas, Mike & Mary Ellen Kachuba, Joe Koch, Karen Perreault, Helen Oliver, Barbara Goode, Lorraine Hewitt, Greg Hannah, Linda Fernandez, Edie Jeter, everyone who donated old photos and Stan Huddleston for the beautiful landscaping. **Please continue to send in photos!**

Please join us in the hall after every 8:30 AM Mass for fellowship!

SAINT PATRICK

Sacristans: We would like to continue to grow our parish. In order to do this, your assistance is necessary. Please prayerfully consider if you could assist with Masses in the parish on weekend. Please see Fr. Capuano if you would like to assist.

St. Patrick Office, UPDATE: Last weekend I met with a team of volunteers that offered to assist with forming a volunteer office to open the Church during the week and handle some light administrative duties. We need to update the phone system in the cluster and install some cameras, as well as create some new signage. Hopefully in the coming weeks, we'll be close to opening the office. We're aiming at 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM, Monday-Friday. Please see Karen Lipscomb for more information, or to offer to help staff the office on a rotating basis. - Fr. Capuano

Duplex Update: Last weekend I met with a small team to review the second floor apartment to prepare it to be rented out, after the departure of current tenants at the end of July. We will be looking to do some repairs to the roof, possibly the front steps and the interior of the second floor apartment in August and September. - Fr. Capuano

Please join us after 10:45 Mass for an ice cream social in the church hall.

MUSIC AT SAINT PATRICK & SAINT JOHN

In contrast to times of the year when the church calls for more reserved musical embellishment (ex. the use of the organ to accompany voices only during Advent and Lent, and not to be played solo), the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Our Lord, Corpus Christi [literally, the Body of Christ], calls for a full flourishing of the musical tradition that the history of the Church has to offer. Not the least of which is exemplified in the twenty-four verse sequence hymn for this Sunday! “The most solemn musical expressions (i.e. this long sequence) retain their primary responsibility of engaging human hearts in the mystery of Christ that is being celebrated on a particular occasion by the Church.” (*Sing to the Lord*, USCCB, 2007)

SAINT JOHN

Eastern Henrico FISH, Inc. depends on the help of local churches and charitable organizations. It provides clothes, food, and financial assistance for people with short term emergencies. **May needs: canned green vegetables.**

Thank you - St. John parishioners who donated 'pop tops' for Ronald McDonald House from Sept '23-May '24 over 60lbs collected. Your donation provided a two night stay for a family with a sick child at one of the local hospitals.

SAN JUAN

Una nota del Párroco - La Fiesta del Corpus Christi - Recepción de la Sagrada Comunión

Al celebrar la Fiesta que pone especial énfasis en la Eucaristía, es un buen recordatorio para nosotros tomar nota de lo que debemos hacer cuando nos acerquemos al Señor. Entre muchas áreas sobre las que podríamos reflexionar, tal vez pueda mencionar solo un par, con respecto a la reverencia:

Cuando recibimos a Nuestro Señor, reconocemos que es una especie de “refugio de los pecadores” y medicina para la débil, pero presupone que estemos en estado de gracia, libres de pecado mortal, para beneficiarnos de las gracias que esta unión con las ofertas de Nuestro Señor. Estar en estado de gracia no es subjetivo. Tus elecciones objetivas determinan si estás preparado adecuadamente para recibir la Eucaristía. No podemos racionalizar el pecado, confesarnos, prepararnos para recibir al Señor libremente.

¿Cómo se recibe, en la lengua, en la mano? Es su elección, aunque la norma universal es recibir arrodillado sobre la lengua, y la norma estadounidense es de pie. Cuando te presentes a comulgar, no olvides hacer una profunda reverencia (con la cintura), si no de rodillas, y presentar la lengua o una mano. A veces, recibimos presentaciones muy creativas de manos y lenguas; tenga en cuenta que necesitamos saber si las está recibiendo. Si vienes en la fila con las manos cruzadas ante el pecho, asumimos que quieres una bendición, si presentas las dos palmas abiertas, no me estás ayudando a determinar dónde colocar la hostia. Esforcémonos por tener devoción y concentración mientras nos acercamos a nuestro Señor en la Sagrada Comunión. Tengan la seguridad de mis oraciones esta semana. - P. Capuano

Lista de deseos para FISH

Eastern Henrico FISH, Inc. depende de la ayuda de iglesias locales y organizaciones caritativas. Proporciona ropa, alimentos y asistencia financiera a personas con emergencias a corto plazo. **Este mes de abril necesitamos vegetales enlatados.**

Reparaciones del techo: Comenzamos las reparaciones del techo sobre la entrada, las salas comunes y las salas auxiliares frente a la Iglesia. Esperamos tener ese proyecto concluido esta semana. Muchas gracias por su amable generosidad y apoyo.

¡Una clase especial! Padre Nicolás va a ofrecer una clase especial sobre la Santa Misa y la vida litúrgica de la Iglesia este mayo y junio. Las fechas van a ser: los martes 11 de junio, y 18 de junio - a las 7 hasta las 8:30 por la noche cada martes. ¡Esperamos verlos en estas clases!



Servant of God

Francis J. Parater

October 10, 1897 - February 7, 1920

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I have nothing to leave or give but my life and this I have consecrated to the Sacred Heart to be used as He wills... This is what I live for and in case of death, what I die for...

Servant of God, Frank Parater, pray for us!

Please ask for his intercession and send favors granted to chancellor@richmonddiocese.org.

INTERESTED IN ASSISTING?/

¿INTERESADO EN AYUDAR?

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Outreach Schedule at The Pro-Cathedral of Saint Peter

Tuesday Lunch – 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM
Tuesday Clothes Closet – 12:30 – 3:00 PM
Tuesday Pantry Bags – 12:00 PM
Tuesday Shower – 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM
Wednesday Dinner – 4:30 – 5:30 PM