

## WEEKLY READINGS

### MONDAY

Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5 Ps 24:1-6 Lk 21:1-4

### TUESDAY

Rv 14:14-19 Ps 96:10-13 Lk 21:5-11

### WEDNESDAY

Rv 15:1-4 Ps 98:1-3, 7-9 Lk 21:12-19

### THURSDAY

**Saint Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr**

Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a Ps 100:1b-5 Lk 21:20-28

### FRIDAY

**Saint Andrew, Apostle**

Rom 10:9-18 Ps 19:2-5 Mt 4:18-22

### SATURDAY

Rv 22:1-7 Ps 95:1-7 Lk 21:34-36

### FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

**Color: Violet**

Jer 33:14-16 Ps 25:4-5, 8-10, 14 1 Thes 3:12—4:2 Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

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Basilica of St. Mary of the  
Immaculate Conception  
232 Chapel Street – Norfolk, VA  
23504

**USDA Distribution**  
**Mondays: 9:30am-11:30am**

## PASTORAL CARE

Send a card, make a call, visit and always pray for our brothers and sisters in faith who are ill, including...

**SICK & HOMEBOUND:** Clarence Banks, Jr., Shirley Bailey, Annie Belardo, Daniel A. Brown, Barbara Bryant, Francine Bryant, Marion Bullock, Charles Cabarras, Brenda Cannon, Margaret Church, Matthew Cherry, Gloria Coleman, LaBarbara Cuffee, Vincent C. Eason, Jr., Agna Estaris, Etisha Goode, Thado Greene, Sharon Haynes, Shirley Jasper, Martha Jones, Skip Jones, William Mann, Wardell

Mills, Antonell McGlone, Harvey Nash, Pauline Nash, Vincent "Bubba" Newby, Kenswil Paige, Wendell Paige, Evelyn Proctor, Dr. Howard Richards, Dorothy Sharp, Faye Shaw, Linda Trotter, John Ward, Charles Williams, Rosie Woodis



**Friends of the Basilica:** Albert Aquino, Bertha Adams, Sandra Brooks-Green, Ezra Brown (RaVae Goodwyn's Father), Kenneth

Balbuena, Lucretia Brown, Jean-Claude Condimine, Lamar Cuffee, Nick Edwards, Joseph Jackson, Michael Jenkins, Freddie Johnson, Christine Jordan, Wanda Gunnoe, Doris Wade, Therace Meehan, Chassidy Moore, Bernadette McClain, Patie Neunz, Brenda Speller, Robin Ward, Linwood Washington, Jr., Karen Woodbury, Alice Volz

### **NURSING HOME/REHAB:**

**Katherine Morris**, Greenbrier Regional Medical Center, Rm 301

**Norris Phillips**, Georgian Manor, River Walk

**Emily Ponton**, Elizabeth Allen Crump Rehab, Glen Allen, VA, Rm 12B

**Kema Rodgers**, Sentara Rehab Newtown

### **TO PLACE NAMES ON THE PRAYER LIST:**

Call the Church Office, 757-622-4487

**TO RECEIVE HOLY COMMUNION AT HOME:** Contact Pastoral Care Team

**Tom Bomar**, 757-461-1053 or 757-692-8347

**Cindy Williams**, 757-849-9298

**ANNUAL YOUTH CHRISTMAS BALL**

**DECEMBER 8, 2018**



Tickets are \$10 and will be available for purchase after 5pm Mass on Saturday and between 9 am and 12 Noon Mass on Sunday.

**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Come on Church Family! Let us know what's going on in your Ministry. Send us your announcements for the Parish Bulletin. Please submit print ready announcements for next week's Bulletin by Monday.

**Send an email to [bulletin@bsmic.org](mailto:bulletin@bsmic.org)**

**THANK YOU TO ALL OF THE PARISHIONERS, WHO DONATED TO OUR THANKSGIVING DRIVE. WE WERE ABLE TO PROVIDE A MEAL TO OVER 300 FAMILIES, NONE OF THIS WOULD HAVE BEEN POSSIBLE WITHOUT YOUR LOVE AND SUPPORT.**



**Bishop Knestout encourages anyone aware of misconduct or abuse on the part of clergy or staff of our diocese to notify civil authorities, call the Attorney General's Clergy Abuse Hotline at 1(833) 454-9064, and reach out to the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator.**

**HOMELESS MINISTRY:**

Due to the renovation of our church home, St. Mary's Homeless Ministry will not be housing the homeless this winter. However, last year we were able to provide over 100 homeless sisters and brothers with a bus ticket and a meal ticket to McDonald's or Sub Way. This blessing was possible through your generous donations. This year we would like to offer the Homeless a token of our love on Christmas Eve. If you would like to contribute to this effort, someone will be in the cafeteria collecting the cards and/or monetary donations after each Mass on Sunday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>. We will also be collecting travel size toothpaste, toothbrushes, skullcaps, washcloths, soap, and men's and woman's socks.

Please feel Free to Contact Trig Goodman (757-406-2298) or Jackie Ewing (757-434-1987) if you have additional questions.

**Co-Workers in the Vineyard of the LORD**

**"You too go into my vineyard." (Mt 20:4)**

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**Pastoral Parish Council**

The Pastoral Council serves as the consultative body for the Parish and provides counsel to the rector and lay administration; to help to envision, establish, plan, and monitor the mission and activities of the Parish. Members of the Council include the Rector, Deacon, Pastoral Associate and nine persons elected by the Parish

The Parish Pastoral Council meets the second Tuesday of every month at 6:30pm on the 2nd floor of the Academy in room 202. If you have any questions comments or concerns please send an email to **[parishcouncil@bsmic.org](mailto:parishcouncil@bsmic.org)**.

**Members**

Mr. James Gray-Chair  
[jgray34@cox.net](mailto:jgray34@cox.net)

Mr. JC Gardner-Co Chair  
[ajg0905@yahoo.com](mailto:ajg0905@yahoo.com)

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Mrs. ReVae Goodwyn

Mrs. Latarisha Beamon

Mr. Robert Hewitt, Jr.-robhew@cox.net

Mr. Carlton Sample-  
[carlsonsample@yahoo.com](mailto:carlsonsample@yahoo.com)

The next meeting is December 11, 2018 at 6:30pm. All meetings are open the parishioners.

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**Finance Council**

The Financial Council meets monthly to review collections, expenses, income and the budget of the Parish. Once a year, Council members review the investments of the Parish. Members are appointed by the Rector:

**Members**

Mr. Arcino Quiero, Jr-Chair

Mr. Eric Labat

Mrs. Michele Chesley

Mr. John Butler

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**Pastoral Plan Governing Committee (PPGC)**

The role of the PPGC is to  
Provide a forum to set strategic direction and resolve conflicting views  
Assist with resolutions or responses issues and risks  
Influence project execution by managing change in direction  
Provide final signoff on project acceptance

**Members**

Eric K. Brown-Chair

Rev. Mr. Calvin Bailey-Deacon

Arcino Quiero, Jr. -Finance Council Rep.

Oretha Pretlow-Pastoral Associate

Lyndon Berry-Development Director

Deborah Lamb

Michelle Maull

Luther Adams

Barbara Wright

Ricardo Givens

Nicole Drummond

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