

**HAPPY  
FATHER'S  
Day!**

June 17

**Church of The Ascension Monthly Insert**

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**Upcoming Parish Events**

**June 3 Knights of Columbus Parish Thank You Breakfast**—free of charge after the 8:45am & 10:30am Masses

**June 5 YOA Golf Outing deadline registration** visit website: YOAGolf.dojiggy.com; or call Christine, 495-1886, 427 to register or purchase tickets. Event June 8 at Heron Ridge.

**June 5 Vacation Bible School** Youth Volunteer Orientation Meeting at 7:00pm in the Conference Room.

**June 9 BELONGING**, Baptism Preparation Session at 8:30am, contact Kathy Ahearn to register or online on the website.

**June 17 Father's Day Golf and Family Picnic.** Contact Tony Constand, 955-0508

**June 26 Vacation Bible School** Youth Volunteer Orientation Meeting at 7:00pm in the Conference Room



**Church of the Ascension is creating an**

**Emergency Response Team**

**to serve during our weekend Masses.**

Do you have first responder experience?

Do you have medical experience?

Do you have military experience?

Do you have police experience?

Do you have a willingness to serve?

If you are interested in volunteering for this ministry

please come to the

**Emergency Response Team Interest Meeting**

on **Thursday, June 21, 2018 at 7:00 pm** in the Ascension Community Center.

Questions? Please email Mary Bergen-Bish at [bishm@ascensionvb.org](mailto:bishm@ascensionvb.org)

# Welcome

TO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

**Michelle Davidson**

**Jason & Christine Rieling, son Jeter**

**Alfred & Mary Ann West**

**We welcome these families to our faith community!**

**FIND OUT MORE** about our thriving faith community of Ascension, registering is easy. There are three ways to register:

- 1) Complete a form located at the Information Desk
- 2) Stop by the Parish Office during the work week
- 3) 24/7 online at our website, [www.ascensionvb.org](http://www.ascensionvb.org), under "new parishioners" menu tab.

## FAREWELL TO THOSE WE LOVE

For May:

**Dorothy Fix**

**Marie Vinciguerra**

**Patricia Hubbard**

*May they rest in peace*



## BAPTISMS FOR MAY

**Daniel Osinachi Nwazuruokeh 5 yrs.old**

**Makena Kay Klutch 10 months**

**Julian Capistrano 10 months**

*If you have a child under 7 years of age and are interested in your child being Baptized or you have been asked to be a Godparent for a Baptism, contact Kathy Ahearn, 495-1886,411 to register for the next Baptism session called **Belonging on June 9 at 8:30am.***

*If you have a child over 7 years of age needing sacraments such as Baptism, First Communion contact Mary Bish, 495-1886, 426*

## MINISTRY FAIR??    MINISTRY SIGN-UPS ???

Historically we have had Ministry sign-ups in the spring. This year we will be postponing until late fall, for many reasons, the biggest of which is a planned Parish Mission in October on Intentional Discipleship with Tracy Wel-liver, the author of *Everyday Stewardship* and motivational speaker. Tracy facilitated a one-day mini retreat for staff members and Parish Council in February. His insights were, for some of us, very eye opening and transforming. Mark your calendar for the Fall Parish Mission (Retreat), October 14, 15 and 16.

More information to come.

There will be some ministries that need help prior to the late fall sign ups. Please watch the bulletin for inserts or announcements.

## Father's Day Prayer

God our Father, you govern and protect your people and shepherd them with a father's love. You place a father in a family as a sign of your love, care, and constant protection.

May fathers everywhere be faithful to the example shown in the Scriptures; steadfast in love, forgiving transgressions, sustaining the family, caring for those in need.

Give your wisdom to fathers that they may encourage and guide their children. Keep them healthy so they may support a family.

Guide every father with the Spirit of your love that they may grow in holiness and draw their family every closer to you. Amen.





**Knight's Korner**  
**Saint Teresa of Calcutta Council 12117**  
**June—July 2018**  
**CONGRATULATIONS**

The following are the newly elected/appointed\* Council 12117 officers for fraternal year July 2018- June 2019. Sunday, July 1<sup>st</sup> at 12:15pm is the Corporate Mass followed by the Awards and Installation banquet at 2pm in the ACC: All Knights of Columbus and Ladies Auxiliary members are encouraged to attend both the Mass and Banquet.

Grand Knight	Ramon Villa	Inside Guard	Kevin Webb
Deputy Grand Knight	Ed Hobbs	Inside Guard	Gerald Palisano
Chancellor	Glenn Webb	Outside Guard	Richard Diaz
Warden	James Byrd	Outside Guard	Mike Kreutter
Recorder	Chad Cooper	GK Delegate	Ramon Villa
Advocate	Mark Rupprecht	PGK Delegate	Ed Hobbs
Treasurer	Bernie Sokolsky	Alt GK Delegate	Glenn Webb
3-year Trustee	Gary Wasson	Alt PGK Delegate	Lanny White
2-year Trustee	Lanny White	Financial Secretary*	Dave Geisler
1-year Trustee	Bill Rockwell	Chaplain*	Father Daniel Malingumu
		Lecturer*	Deacon Gary Harmeyer

**CONTACT US**

See our calendar on our website: [www.kofc12117.org](http://www.kofc12117.org) ... or ... join online at [www.kofc.org/joinus](http://www.kofc.org/joinus)  
 And "like us" on our facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/KofC12117>

Ramon Villa, Grand Knight  
 gk12117vb@gmail.com

**Italian Fest at St. Gregory Catholic Church with entertainment by our own Frank Cubillo**

The Knights of Columbus St. Benedict Council #9056 hosts its annual Italian Fest at 5:00 PM on 28 July at St. Gregory the Great Catholic School. Your favorite Italian dishes cooked on site and served buffet style. Home-made desserts including cannoli, drinks including beer and wine. Dance to the sounds of renowned Frank Sings Frank! \$17 Advance Sale tickets (\$10 age 7-13) available at the St. Gregory the Great Parish Office (757) 497-8330. Credit Card sales (757) 472-4380.

## AREA NEWS

### Positions Wanted:

**Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Norfolk, VA** is seeking an **Administrative Assistant** to provide clerical, administrative and managerial support to the pastor and other staff members and provide reception services for the parish. This position will also maintain parishioner records and mailing lists via the parish database, record Mass intentions using Excel, and coordinate with the Director of Religious Education to prepare and collect sacramental paperwork, among other duties and responsibilities. Familiarity with the Mission of the Catholic Church is required, along with a minimum of three years of relevant experience in a secretarial or office management role. Must possess computer competency with Microsoft Office proficiency. Database and social networking experience required. Interested candidates should send a cover letter, resume and Diocesan Application to Fr. Paul Muyimbwa at [frpaul@sacredheartnorfolk.org](mailto:frpaul@sacredheartnorfolk.org).

**The Virginia Catholic Conference**, the public-policy agency of Virginia's Catholic bishops and their two dioceses, seeks applicants for the **position of Associate Director**. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to: Advocacy of Conference positions to lawmakers, development and delivery of presentations (e.g., testimony at public hearings, speeches, panel remarks and media interviews), policy analysis, research and development, and drafting of alerts and updates. Qualified candidates will demonstrate knowledge of and commitment to Catholic social teaching, interest in legislative advocacy and outstanding written and oral communication skills. A practicing Catholic in good standing is required, as well as an understanding of the operations of the Catholic Church at the parish, diocesan and national levels. Previous advocacy experience is preferable but not required. The position will require some evening and weekend hours. Full benefits available. For consideration, **please send cover letter and resume no later than June 29** to: Jeff Caruso, Executive Director at [jeff@vacatholic.org](mailto:jeff@vacatholic.org). For a more complete listing of responsibilities, please visit <https://richmonddiocese.org/office/office-of-human-resources/>.

**Help us to support the Bishops' Initiative on marriage!** Couples who attend Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekends not only rediscover the joy, intimacy & romance in their relationships, but also become more active in their parish. Together, we are making marriages, families and our Church stronger & healthier. ***You can help couples in your parish find us by placing information and a link to Worldwide Marriage Encounter (<http://www.wwme.org/>) on your parish website. Contact us and we can provide information about WWME and a logo that can be used. Thanks!*** Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekends are: Aug 3-5, 2018 in Chapel Hill, NC and Sep 21-23, 2018 in Herndon, VA. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://renewmarriage-vasouth.org/> or contact us at [applications@renewmarriage-vasouth.org](mailto:applications@renewmarriage-vasouth.org) or 757-690-1369.

**St. Mark Catholic Church** is having a Men's Retreat. Facilitated by Deacon Calvin Bailey (Deacon at the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception in Norfolk) June 16 9am-4:30pm at New Creation Renewal Center followed by 5:30 pm mass at St. Mark's. Signup is online <https://www.stmark-parish.org/> \$10 donation is encouraged.