

PARISH EVENTS and LITURGIES

Sunday, January 25

- 8:30 am Christian Initiation, FLC
- 9:00 am Religious Education K-12, FLC & SH
- 10:30 am Preschool, FLC
- 10:30 am Mass - Alberta Ickes †**
- 11:30 am Olive Branch Open
- 11:30 am Father & Daughter Dance Tickets, Pick-up
- 12:00 pm Franciscans, SH & FLC
- 5:00 pm Roanoke College Mass

Monday, January 26

- 12:00 pm Mass - Maria Carrier (Intentions)**

Tuesday, January 27

- 11:00 am Confessions
- 12:00 pm Mass - Bobby Coleman †**

Wednesday, January 28

- 3:00 pm Adoration 3-6 pm & 7-9pm
- 4:00 pm Olive Branch Open
- 5:00 pm Confessions
- 6:30 pm Mass - Peter Nguyen †**
- 7:00 pm Liturgy Committee, FLC

Thursday, January 29

- 10:30 am Bible Study, FLC
- 12:00 pm Mass - Phyllis Austin †**
- 7:00 pm Roanoke College Mass
- 7:00 pm Cantors & Instrumentalists
- 7:30 pm OLPH Choir

Friday, January 30

Saturday, January 31

- 11:00 am** Funeral Mass for David Vecellio
- 12:00 pm Funeral Reception, SH
- 3:00 pm Olive Branch Open
- 3:30 pm Confessions
- 5:00 pm Vigil Mass - OLPH Parishioners**
- 6:00 pm Spaghetti Dinner Ticket Sales, Commons
- 6:00 pm Father & Daughter Dance Tickets, Pick-up

Sunday, February 1

- 8:30 am Christian Initiation, FLC
- 10:30 am Mass - Andrew Marciniac †**
- 11:30 am Lunch & Learn with Fr. Kyle, SH
- 11:30 am First Treats, SH
- 11:30 am Olive Branch Open
- 11:30 am Spaghetti Dinner Ticket Sales, Commons
- 11:30 am Father & Daughter Dance Tickets, Pick-up
- 11:45 am Confirmation Prep, FLC
- 5:00 pm Roanoke College Mass

	January 31 Saturday Mass 5:00 pm	February 1 Sunday Mass 10:30 am
Altar Servers	Jacob Rodriguez Joshua Rodriguez	Haylee Gillinger Cora Clouse
Lectors	Susan Moore Nancy Harbach	Susan Thompson Matias Tenorio
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Norman Ata Therese Ata Parish Deacon	Vicky Rowland Janie Christian Jeff Krajnik Mary Martinez Parish Deacon Bill Thompson Jan Hoffman
Linen Washer		Sharon Nelson
Ushers	Paul Chauvin Bogdan Czachor Jerry Ferguson Al Scalera	Bryan Boggs Dave Hafey Gary Rowland Greg St. Clair
Bus Driver		Steve Capaldo

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK
January 25 - February 1, 2026**

Sunday: Is 8:23-9:3/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

Monday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10, 21-22, 25-26/Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday: 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday: 2 Sm 7:4-17/Ps 89:4-5, 27-28, 29-30/Mk 4:1-20

Thursday: 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29/Ps 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14/Mk 4:21-25

Friday: 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6a, 6bcd-7, 10-11/Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Mk 4:35-41

Next Sunday: Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps 146:6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10/1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 5:1-12a

Please pray for our sick, that they may be strengthened by the love of Christ.

Rob Ahlers
Joe Birkenmaier
Emanuel Clements
Lois Conn
Patricia Dopp

Therese Huynh
Jeanette Keener
Marieta Keener
Bernie Langheim
Joseph Mukuni

Dec. Steve O'Connell
Judith Perrine
Jackie Richards
Sue Thompson
John Wizorek



January 25, 2026
3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Matthew 4:12-23

I was 22 years old, lying in bed one night while on a pilgrimage, when I suddenly sensed an idea in my mind: “Go to the seminary.” There was no voice, no vision, but a gentle and unmistakable clarity. I simply prayed, “Lord, if that’s from you, let me find great joy in it.” Three days later, my heart was bursting with joy. I dropped everything and entered the seminary. The older I get, the stranger my rather careless and hasty departure seems to me. I followed not because it made sense, or because I was especially brave. I went because the Lord called me.

Something like this happens in today’s Gospel. Jesus walks by Simon, Andrew, James, and John and says, “Come after me” (Matthew 4:19). And immediately they leave their nets and follow. There’s no explanation, no hesitation ... just movement. Why? As St. John says, “In this is love: not that we have loved God, but that he loved us” (1 John 4:10). They do not leave their nets because his call made perfect, calculable sense. They left them because they were called. And Jesus’ call is powerful.

Take a moment this week to remember when Christ first called you. However small or quiet it was, recall it, and give thanks. The more we marvel that Christ has called us personally, the more passionately and freely we will follow him.

~Father John Muir



OLPH
WOMEN’S
CLUB
SPAGHETTI
DINNER
FEBRUARY
15th

Tickets go on sale the weekend of January 31st & February 1st and the following weekend February 7th & 8th.

Tickets are adults \$12 and \$6 under 12.

Come and enjoy spaghetti with meatballs, salad, bread, dessert and drinks.

Dine in or take out!
Bring a friend!
Delicious dinner!

Blessing of Light

Where you have known darkness, may the light stretch and shine.

Where you have dwelt in shadows, may the sun reach its gentle rays.

Where you have hidden in shame, may you know light-filled redemption, healing, belonging, and rest in Jesus.

~Amen

WEEKLY OFFERING	Jan. 10th & 11th 2026	JULY 1st YTD
Sunday - Holy Days	\$ 11,007.00	\$ 397,471.00
Total Income Budgeted	\$ 10,710.00	\$ 299,360.00
Better or Worse	\$ 297.00	\$ 98,111.00
Capital Improvement	\$ 572.00	\$ 46,952.00

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