

# ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

A Roman Catholic Community since 1932

4 February 2018

## Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



### SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

11 February 2018

Leviticus 13: 1-2, 44-46

Psalm 32: 1-2, 5, 11

1 Corinthians 10: 31—11:1

Mark 1:40-45

### FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

18 February 2018

Genesis 9: 8—15

Psalm 25: 4-9

1 Peter 3: 18-22

Mark 1: 12-15

### CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST / MASS:

Occasionally due to funerals or other unforeseen and extraordinary events, even sometimes at the very last minute, the schedule may have to be modified. Please contact the parish office to make certain.

Tuesday—Friday:	9:00 AM
NOTE: 1 <sup>st</sup> Friday / 2 March	12:00 PM Mass & Lunch
Saturday Vigil:	5:00 PM
Sunday:	8:30 AM, 11:30 AM
Holy Days:	9:00 AM & 7:00 PM

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for when you're on vacation, and Sunday Mass still matters

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday Evening: 4:00 until 4:40 PM, or by appointment

**Rosary:** Friday: 9:45 AM

**Eucharistic Adoration:**

Friday: 10:00 AM-7:00 PM

### The Prayer Tree:

Call (540) 949-7611 or  
(540) 221-4162 for  
special prayer requests

**Pastoral Care:** Please contact the Parish Office if you are aware of parishioners who are in the hospital or are sick, frail, or grieving at home, or in area rehab, convalescent or retirement facilities.

### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

**We strive to Proclaim the Gospel & to Love One Another  
... RIGHT HERE ... RIGHT NOW.**

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**Parish Office Hours:** Monday through Friday 9:00 AM—3:00 PM

**RECTORY:** (540) 943-4051 (SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES ONLY after office hours; call office during daytime hours for other needs)



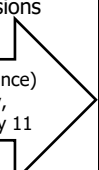
**PARISH INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY:** In the event of inclement weather during the week, we follow the Waynesboro School System closings. If the city schools are closed due to the weather, the Parish Office will be closed and Eucharistic Adoration will be cancelled (if it is a Friday). On Sundays, Christian Formation cancellations are called into WHSV channel 3 and can also be found by calling Michele Kresge's voice mail box at (540) 932-1527.

A warm welcome to all worshipping with us today. If you need a Worship Guide, please ask an usher.






**Please note: children 12 years of age and under must be accompanied by an adult to the restroom during Mass or any church event!**

**"EVERYONE IS SEARCHING FOR YOU."** Is your search for the Lord leading you to a vocation to the priesthood? Contact Fr. Father Michael Boehling, Delegate for Vocations at (804) 359-5661 or [boehling@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:boehling@richmonddiocese.org).



FEB 3 SATURDAY	FEB 4 SUNDAY	FEB 5 MONDAY	FEB 6 TUESDAY	FEB 7 WEDNESDAY	FEB 8 THURSDAY	FEB 9 FRIDAY	FEB 10 SATURDAY
5:00 PM † Mabel Wright	8:30 AM People of the Parish 11:30 AM † George Mitchell		9:00 AM † Rose Mary Hart	9:00 AM † Virginia Trykowski	9:00 AM † Jim Allen	11:00 AM † Jane Zehringer	5:00 PM † Richard Crotty
6:30—8:00 AM, CA Men with a Mission 8:00 AM—12:00 PM, CA Boy Scouts Pinewood Derby 10:00 AM—12:00 PM, FR Clothes Closet 4:00—4:40 PM, CH Confessions	10:00—11:05 AM, OA Breaking Open the Word 10:00—11:15 AM, FR & SC Youth Christian Formation  ST. BLAISE	10:00 AM—12:00 PM, OA Young at Heart Book Club	9:45—11:00 AM, FR Divine Mercy 10:00 AM—12:00 PM, SC Sewing 6:30 PM, CA Boy Scouts 6:30—8:30 PM, SC English Classes 7:00 PM, CH Rosary 7:30 PM, FR Knights of Columbus	PARISH OFFICE CLOSED FOR STAFF MEETING 11:00 AM—2:00 PM 	9:45 AM—12:00 PM, FR Centering Prayer 9:45 AM—12:00 PM, CA Clothes Closet 7:00 PM, CA Cub Scouts	9:30 AM, CA Food Pantry 10:00 AM—7:00 PM, CH Eucharistic Adoration	6:30—8:00 AM, CA Men with a Mission 2:00—4:30 PM, CA First Eucharist Prep 4:00—4:40 PM, CH Confessions
						 DYC (Diocesan Youth Conference) Weekend in Richmond, Friday, February 9—Sunday, February 11	

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:** Rusty Arbaugh, Sharon Bares, Lisa Bottenfield, Judy Boyd, Sydney Crone, Bertha Dantoni, Ruth Fitzgerald, Ruth Anne Duckworth, Tom Franchini, Gertrude Hughes, Rena Mitchell, Donald Narducci, Diane Neuwirth, Billy Pennington, Thomas Smith, Barb Sobczak, Peggy Vruels; **DECEASED:** John David Miller, Jane Zehringer; **HOMEBOUND:** Sam Scott, Francis Webb; **IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY:** Sr. Airmen Michael Brown US Airforce, Lt. Christopher Farkas USN, LCPL Aric Decker, Sgt. David Grennan US Army, Maj. David Hildebrand US Army, Spc. Christopher Kennedy, Jimmy Negrete, Maj. Shawn Pardee, Maj. Benjamin Sprouse, Lt. Megan Piotrowski USN, Lt. David Piotrowski USNR, and all who go unnamed.

FEB 11 SUNDAY	FEB 12 MONDAY	FEB 13 TUESDAY	FEB 14 WEDNESDAY	FEB 15 THURSDAY	FEB 16 FRIDAY	FEB 17 SATURDAY	FEB 18 SUNDAY
8:30 AM People of the Parish 11:30 AM † Joseph Chen		9:00 AM † Christine Hourigan	9:00 AM † Lucy Black 	9:00 AM † Edward Peck	9:00 AM † Becky Brown	5:00 PM People of the Parish	8:30 AM † Christine Hourigan 11:30 AM † Ken Kramer
9:00 AM—1:00 PM, BLOODMOBILE ON 11 <sup>TH</sup> ST Knights of Columbus Blood Drive 10:00—11:05 AM, OA Breaking Open the Word 10:00—11:15 AM, SC & FR Youth Christian Formation Classes 1:00—2:30 PM, FR RCIA	10:00 AM—12:00 PM, OA Young at Heart Computer Class 12:00 PM, CA Mardi-Gras Prep	9:45—11:00 AM, FR Divine Mercy 10:00 AM—12:00 PM, SC Sewing 6:00 PM, CA Mardi Gras Dinner 6:30 PM, SC Boy Scouts 	ASH WEDNESDAY 6:30 AM, CH Distribution of Ashes (Liturgy of the Word) 12:00 PM, CH Distribution of Ashes (Liturgy of the Word) 6:00 PM, MAIN STREET UNITED METHODIST Distribution of Ashes (Liturgy of the Word)	9:45 AM—12:00 PM, FR Centering Prayer 9:45 AM—12:00 PM, CA Clothes Closet 7:00 PM, CA Cub Scouts	LENT'S COMING!  9:30 AM, CA Food Pantry 10:00 AM—7:00 PM, CH Eucharistic Adoration 6:30 PM, FR Grieving with Great Hope	6:30—8:00 AM, CA Men with a Mission 4:00—4:40 PM, CH Confessions 	10:00—11:05 AM, OA Breaking Open the Word 10:00—11:15 AM, FR & SC Youth Christian Formation <b>BABY MOSES BASKET WEEKEND</b>

**VIRGINIA BISHOPS INVITE ALL** to join them at liturgy for legislators & the needs of the Commonwealth. Catholics are called to pray for our civic leaders as we engage in the public square. Join Arlington Bishop Michael F. Burbidge and Richmond Bishop Barry C. Knestout, along with the Virginia Catholic Conference, their public policy agency, at a special liturgy for Virginia's elected officials and the needs of the state. The third annual Virginia Vespers: Evening Prayer for the Commonwealth will be held at the beautiful, historic Cathedral of the Sacred Heart, Richmond, at 5:00 PM, Thursday, February 15. The hour-long service draws on an ancient Christian liturgy and includes Scripture and sacred music provided by local Catholic school choirs. A wine and appetizers reception follows. Register at [www.vacatholic.org](http://www.vacatholic.org).



## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR FEBRUARY 5— FEBRUARY 10, 2017

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5 • 1 Kings 8:1—7, 9-13 • Psalm 132:6-10 • Mark 6:53-56

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6 • 1 Kings 8:22-23, 27-30 • Psalm 84:3-5, 10-11 • Mark 7:1—13

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7 • 1 Kings 10:1—10 • Psalm 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40 • Mark 7:14—23

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8 • 1 Kings 11:4—13 • Psalm 106:3-4, 35-37, 40 • Mark 7:24-30

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9 • 1 Kings 11:29-32; 12:19 • Psalm 81:10-15 • Mark 7:31—37

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10 • 1 Kings 12:26—32; 13:33-34 • Psalm 106:6-7, 19-22 • Mark 8:1—10



**5<sup>TH</sup> WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME, JUSTICE CHALLENGE:** On February 4<sup>th</sup> we celebrate the birthday of Rosa Parks, a woman of courage (and in her words, a tired woman) who chose to take a stand against segregation by refusing to move to the back of the bus. Rosa Parks is a stellar example of wisdom which can only come with age and experience. There is a tradition in the African American community of honoring the oldest person present at prayer or worship by inviting that elder to sit in a place of honor. The presider or lector then asks their permission to lead the community in prayer or to proclaim the Word. Your challenge this week is to honor an elder in your life—a grandparent, a senior citizen who lives next door, or a “Rose Parks” type of person in the parish or community. Invite this person to share some wisdom with your family through storytelling or simple conversation. Let the person’s 70 or 80 or 90 years of faithful living give your family insights into what God calls all of us to do. Then go out and do it! *Weekly Justice Challenges Winter season, Year B ©Center for Ministry Development, 2017*



### FAITH FORMATION QUESTION OF THE WEEK

**Children:** What could you do this week to comfort someone who is sad?

**Adults:** When have you felt the sadness of Job? When have you felt the joy of those who witnessed the healing works of Jesus?



**5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIMES  
YEAR B, MARK 1:29—39**

### LA FORMACIÓN DE LA FE PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA

**5° DOMINGO DE TIEMPO ORDINARIO  
AÑO B, MARCOS 1:29—39**

**Niños:** ¿Que puedes hacer esta semana para consolar a alguien que esta triste?

**Adultos** ¿Cuándo has sentido la tristeza de Job? ¿Cuándo has sentido la alegría de aquellos que presencian los trabajos de curación de Jesús?



## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR FEBRUARY 12— FEBRUARY 17, 2018

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12 • James 1:1—11 • Psalm 119:67-68, 71-72, 75-76 • Mark 8:11-13

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13 • James 1:12-18 • Psalm 94:12-15, 18-19 • Mark 8:14—21

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14 • **ASH WEDNESDAY**

Joel 2:12-18 • Psalm 51:3-6, 12-14, 17 • 2 Corinthians 5:20—6:2 • Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15 • Deuteronomy 30:15-20 • Psalm 1:1-4, 6 • Luke 9:22-25

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16 • Isaiah 58:1—9 • Psalm 51:3-6, 18-19 • Matthew 9:14-15

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17 • Isaiah 58:9-14 • Psalm 86:1-6 • Luke 5:27-32



**6<sup>TH</sup> WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME, JUSTICE CHALLENGE:** This Sunday’s Gospel is about the leper who touches Jesus’ heart. While leprosy isn’t rampant in our communities today, many people suffer from the poverty of relationships which lepers suffered in Jesus’ time. There are people in our own communities who have no one who loves them except God. And they may not experience God’s love because they have no human love to help them recognize God’s love. They are the lonely, the alienated; some are scared, or angry or wounded. Your challenge this week is to take the love in your heart beyond your immediate circle of loved ones and extend it to someone who is alone. What can you do as a family or household to bring love into this person’s life? And can you commit to making it more than a one-time act of kindness and care? How can you continue to let this person know that he or she is not alone in this world, that God loves them, and that you do, too? *Weekly Justice Challenges Winter season, Year B ©Center for Ministry Development, 2017*



### FAITH FORMATION QUESTION OF THE WEEK

**Children:** What can you do this week to be an example to others?

**Adults:** Would you have the courage to tell others to do as you do in order to be a Christian? Why or why not?



**6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME  
YEAR B, MARK 1:40-45**

### LA FORMACIÓN DE LA FE PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA

**6° DOMINGO DE TIEMPO ORDINARIO  
AÑO B, MARCOS 1: 40-45**

**Niños:** ¿Que puedes hacer esta semana para ser un buen ejemplo para otros?

**Adultos:** ¿Tendrás el coraje para decirles a otros que actúen como tú para poder ser buenos cristianos? ¿Por que y por que no?



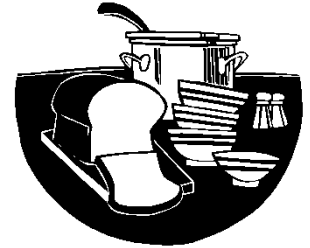
### ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE (WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14)

Join us for Ecumenical Prayer Service with Distribution of Ashes:

<u>Time</u>	<u>Place</u>
6:30 AM	St. John the Evangelist
12:00 Noon	St. John the Evangelist
6:00 PM	Main Street United Methodist

### LENTEN LUNCHEON SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Speaker</u>
February 21	First Presbyterian	Westminster Presbyterian, Rev. Cranford
February 28	Main Street United Methodist	First Baptist, Rev. Owen
March 7	Westminster Presbyterian	First Presbyterian, Rev. Chapman
March 14	First Baptist	St. John the Evangelist, Rev. Castillo
March 21	St. John the Evangelist	Main St. United Methodist, Rev. Kusse-Wolfe



Lunch begins at 12:00 noon each Wednesday and includes soup, sandwiches and dessert provided by the host church at a cost of \$3.00 per person. Please sign up at a church entrance each week so we can let the host church of that week know how many will be attending.

### FRIDAY LENTEN MEALS MENU:



February 23	Meatless Baked Ziti, Salad, and Bread (Knights of Columbus)
March 2	Fried Fish, Rice, and Veggie Medley (Moser family & Community Life)
March 9	Bean Soup, Salad, Crusty Bread, and Tropical Fruit Medley (Leadership Round Table)
March 16	Mac-n-Cheese, Tuna Sandwiches, and Applesauce (Young at Heart)
March 23	Potato Bar, Vegetarian Chili, and Corn Bread (Confirmation Kids)

Dinner begins at 6:00 PM with a short reading and reflection about the Gospel for the next Sunday and should end by 7:00 PM. Please sign up at a church entrance each week so we know how many will be attending.

**COME ONE COME ALL** and join us for a grand Mardi Gras parade and dinner. Come in your best Mardi Gras get-up. We will provide chicken, rolls, and drinks. Please bring a side dish and a dessert to share. Sign-up sheets are at the church entrances.



Fuel for body and soul. Thank you to Diane Butler who prepared a wonderful lunch and offered true Christian witness in both word and deed to our Confirmation candidates and their catechists during their preparation session January 21st! Faith isn't taught it is caught! The light of Christ shines beautifully through you.

The date for Confirmation has been set and finalized!!! We will celebrate the sacrament on Monday, May 14th at 7PM at the Church of the Incarnation in Charlottesville. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend!!

Please keep in prayer our 23 participants in the Diocesan Youth Conference taking place at the Richmond Convention Center February 9 – 11th. The theme is Truly Present taken from the example of Jesus to the Samaritan woman at the well. How are you present to others knowing them, their needs, hopes, joys, and sorrows? How do you share "living water" with them?

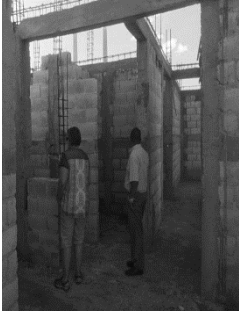
**BREAKING OPEN THE WORD.** Join us every Sunday from 10:00—11:05 AM. Coffee, tea, hot chocolate and great fellowship and discussion are available to any adult who wishes to participate. You can drop in any Sunday!

**TO THOSE INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC (RCIA),** St. John's Christian Initiation for Adults is year round and tailored to each individual's needs. Please contact Fr. Rolo or Jeanne Branch if you wish to explore the possibility of becoming Catholic and joining our parish community. We look forward to assisting you on your faith journey! Don't wait ... we will get you started on your journey whenever you are ready.



**RCIA CATECHESIS.** Our candidates and team will meet on Sunday, February 11th, from 1:00 to 2:30PM (note new time) in the O'Brien Family Room, for "The Sacred Season of Lent" which will explore the significance, symbols, and activities of this sacred penitential season preparing us for the renewal of our baptismal vows at Easter. All baptized members of the parish are responsible for the catechesis of those seeking initiation, and are welcomed to participate and share and learn more about the history of this key liturgical season.

**RACE AND FAITH: LESSONS FROM CHARLOTTESVILLE.** Thank you for the tremendous turnout and participation in starting the conversation about the evil of racism as we are experiencing it today. Special thanks to all those who provided hospitality and such wonderful food. The planning team reviewed the evaluations and discussed how to continue moving the conversation forward. Stay tuned as the next actions are discerned by interested parish groups.



**ST. ANTHONY HOUSE AND FOOD PROGRAM, ANNUAL SITE VISIT TO POINTE-A-RAQUETTE.**

Please keep our parishioners, Mike Radoiu, Sue Pauly, and Jeanne Branch in your prayers as they visit our brothers and sisters in Pointe-a-Raquette, LaGonave, Haiti to see the progress on the construction of the new St. Anthony House, visit our food program participants and residents of St. Anthony House and learn more about and from our Haitian friends of their resilience, dedication, and determination. This trip Dr. Mike will be working with the local clinic staff training them in basic eye care and with Dr. Etienne holding eye clinics in Pointe-a-Raquette and at a chapel in Picmi, a remote fishing village that is part of the parish. While in Port-au-Prince, our team will meet with the owner of a Haitian solar energy company to discuss the possibilities of using solar energy to power the new St. Anthony House.