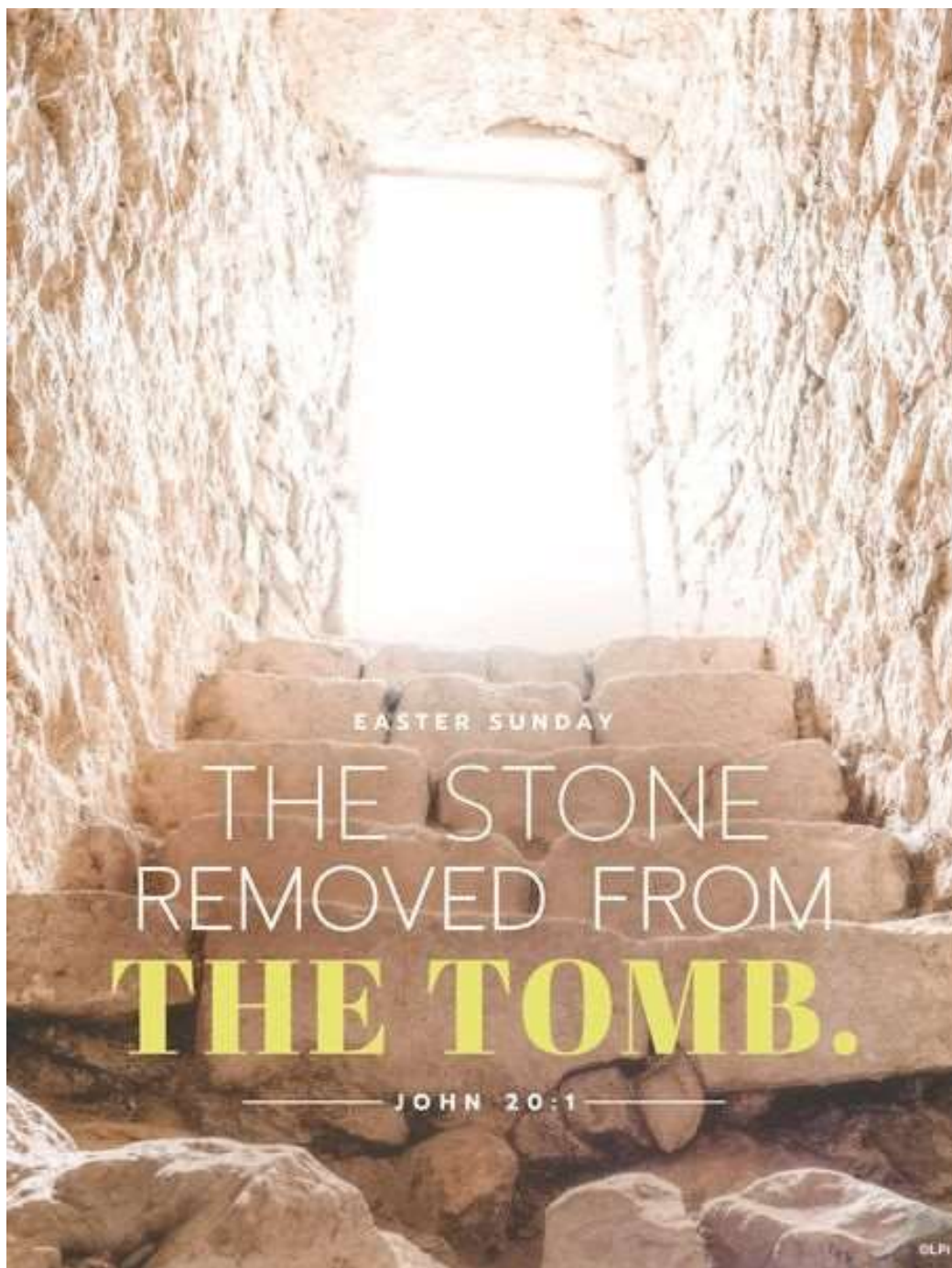




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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

M-F / 9:00 AM—3:00 PM

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FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES
AFTER OFFICE HOURS CALL:

(540) 447-5317

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:30 AM & 11:30 AM

Spanish Mass: 1:30 PM, 3rd Sunday of each month

Weekdays: Tuesday—Friday, 9:00 AM

Holy Days: 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM

Eucharistic Adoration:

After Friday 9:00 AM Mass till 3:00 PM in the Chapel.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 3:30—4:30 PM, or as always by appointment.

Call Fr. Francis for an appointment at a different time.

The Prayer Tree: Call (540) 949-7611 for special prayer requests

PARISH INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY: ALWAYS check the parish website (www.stjohnnevan.com), Flocknote, Facebook, WHSV TV-3, NBC 29 for the most current information on Mass & Parish Office schedule.



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MARCH 31 SUNDAY	APRIL 1 MONDAY	APRIL 2 TUESDAY	APRIL 3 WEDNESDAY	APRIL 4 THURSDAY	APRIL 5 FRIDAY	APRIL 6 SATURDAY
8:30 AM † Alice & Raymond Brown 11:30 AM † Mary Cizek	HAITI † Howard Martin <div>PARISH OFFICE CLOSED</div>	9:00 AM † Cosmas Nwachukwu	9:00 AM † Gary Kessler	9:00 AM † Carolyn Brown	9:00 AM † deceased members of the Glymph family	5:00 PM People of the Parish
<div>Happy Easter! He is Risen!</div>						
	7:00 PM, NARTHEX Youth Group 7:00—8:00 PM, GALLERY RCIA	10:00—11:00 AM, GALLERY Divine Mercy 10:00 AM, CHARLES RESIDENCE Sewing Ministry 12:30—2:30 PM, GALLERY Knitting Group 6:00—8:00 PM, GALLERY RCIA (Spanish) 7:00 PM, NARTHEX Haiti Meeting	<div>PARISH OFFICE CLOSED 11:00 AM—1:00 PM</div> 9:30—10:45 AM, GALLERY 4 th Day Group 6:30—7:30 PM, CHAPEL Spanish Prayers 7:30 PM, GALLERY Rosary Making & Rosary Rescue	12:00—3:00 PM, GALLERY Catholic Daughters 6:30—8:00 PM, GALLERY GriefShare 	10:00 AM—3:00 PM, CHAPEL Adoration 12:00—1:00 PM, GALLERY Eucharistic Revival Group 1:30—3:00 PM, CH Prayers of Reparation 3:00 PM, CH Wedding Rehearsal	12:00 PM, CH Solano/Clark Wedding 3:30—4:30 PM Confessions

50 DAYS FOR OUR DELIGHT: FOR CHRIST IS RISEN AS ALL THINGS TELL. GOOD CHRISTIAN, SEE YE RISE AS WELL. 🌸🌸🌸

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Bill Christman, Barbara Ferency, Diane Fitzgerald, Nancy Fitzgerald, Hannah Gilbert, Karly Griffin, Craig Huewe, Libby Hobbs, Michelle Johnson, James Mahoney III, Herlinda Negrete, Janet Paynter, Sue Rose, Sean Smith, Charles Vessels;

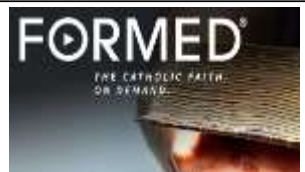


IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY:

Sr. Airman Michael Brown USAF, GM2 Nick Cook USN, LCDR Christopher Farkas USN, Sgt. David Grennan US Army, Col. Brent Harms USAF, Maj. David Hildebrand US Army, Sgt. Christopher Kennedy, LCDR Megan Piotrowski USN, LCDR David Piotrowski USNR, Col. Benjamin Sprouse, 1LT Richard Wilson, Taylor Wright and all who go unnamed.



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Divine Mercy Sunday

Holy Hour, Devotion
and Benediction

Sunday, April 7, 2024
at 3:00 PM



Fr. Francis has graciously agreed to celebrate a Divine Mercy Holy Hour and Benediction with our parish. Please come and support this beautiful service. There will not be a post service reception due to conflict with space, but look out 2025!



Forget your envelope? Use Online Giving to keep up on offertory. Go to www.stjohnnevan.com and click on the Online Giving link, it's quick and easy. Your support throughout the year helps sustain our church. You can choose to sign up to use it often or click Quick Give for a one time offering. Thank you for your generosity.



WE INVITE ALL 8TH–12TH GRADERS to the Diocesan Work Camp this summer June 22–28, 2024 in Hampton Roads, VA. Work Camp is an annual weeklong mission trip experience where teens from all around the Richmond Diocese learn to live their faith through the lens of service and community. Teens and chaperones will complete home repair projects during the day and pray together at night as they embrace the call to be Christ's hands and feet. Registration is now open. Registration forms are available in the Parish Office. For questions email Tami Mullin at tmullin@stjohnnevan.com.

Schedule for Children's Christian Formation Grades 1 –5

March 31	No Class
April 7	4:30–5:30 PM
April 14	4:30–5:30 PM
April 20	1 st Eucharist Retreat
April 21	Last Class 4:30–5:30 PM
May 2	1 st Reconciliation at 5:00 PM (arrive by 4:30 PM)
May 5	1 st Eucharist at 11:30 AM Mass (Instructions to follow)



JOIN US for Breaking Open the Word on Sundays from 10:00–11:00 AM in the Gallery.



HAVE YOU ATTEMPTED Ascension's *Bible in a Year* Podcast with Fr. Mike Schmitz? Do you need more accountability and fellowship to process all of the great lessons? Maybe you've already completed the podcast, but wish to repeat it and process it with your fellow parishioners. All are welcome! Here's the best part—you don't have to begin at the beginning. We meet once per week, Sundays from 6:00–7:00 PM (online and in person) and work on the episodes from that week. Then, we discuss, examine, and reflect. If you're interested in joining this journey, please email Bernadette Griffith at bmdaley17@gmail.com to sign up or for more information!



"THE LORD IS TRULY RISEN!" Are you being called to proclaim the truth of the Lord's resurrection as a priest, religious sister or brother? Talk to your priest or reach out to the Office of Vocations at (804) 359-5661 or vocations@richmonddiocese.org.



DEAR FELLOW PARISHIONERS,

my name is Carter and I am a member of St. John's parish and have been a lector for many years. I am in Scout Troop 33 sponsored by St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in Staunton and am beginning my Eagle Scout Project. My plan is to build two U.S. flag retirement boxes. They will be located at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church and Christ United Methodist Church in Staunton. These U.S. flag retirement boxes are used to collect flags and retire them in a special ceremony along with my Scout Troop. I am asking for donations so I may purchase the needed materials to build these boxes. I will be on the Piazza following each of next weekend's Masses to accept any donations you are able to give. Thank you in advance and God bless you.

HAITI. This Easter join our friends in prayers of renewal. We celebrate the arisen Lord together. The Haiti Ministry team will meet on Tuesday, April 2 at 7:00 PM in the Narthex. You may join us at 6:30 PM in church for silent prayer prior to the meeting. All are welcome to attend. If you prefer to attend by Zoom, please use this link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82165653547>. Our primary purpose is to provide food and shelter to the indigent elderly with no other means of support. We also assist selected families. More information can be found on the St. John website. Many thanks for your commitment. Mesi Anpil.



We're Hiring

JOB OPENING: DIRECTOR OF MUSIC AT ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST. The Director of Music (DM) is responsible for planning and facilitating music at parish liturgical celebrations. The DM works closely with the Parish Staff, especially the Pastor, in coordinating music for these celebrations, and provides training for musicians (i.e. Cantors and Pianists) in and outside of the parish. Interested candidates should submit their applications, cover letter and resume to the Pastor, either by mail or e-mail to fmusolooza@richmonddiocese.org.

MARRIAGE RETREAT! By offering Married Couples the beautiful experience of a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, the Catholic Church is affirming and supporting you in your chosen vocation – Marriage. Take advantage of this great gift to enhance your relationship and enjoy a love-filled weekend away together. It is a positive, simple, common sense, private experience between you and your spouse, that revitalizes marriage by helping you to see again those loving qualities in each other that you may be taking for granted. Sign up today to attend the upcoming WWME Weekends on May 3—5 in Hickory, NC or September 27—29 in Herndon, VA. Register at <http://wwme.org> click "Apply" and search in Virginia. Contact Cathy & Mark Stangler (703) 378-4150 or local couple Kevin & Angie McFarling at (540) 569-6041 with questions.



OPEN POSITIONS

The Catholic Diocese of Richmond is seeking a Full Time Facilities Maintenance Technician at the Pastoral Center. For the full ad and how to apply, please click here <https://bit.ly/3HQzKU8>

The Catholic Diocese of Richmond is seeking an Associate Director for the Office of Christian Formation who will be responsible for Children and Family Ministry. For the full ad and how to apply, please click here <https://bit.ly/4avd8VC>.

For any questions, please contact Kelly Shumate, HR Generalist / Recruiter at jobs@richmonddiocese.org.



Women's Cursillo Weekend

Are you feeling that gentle nudge to get closer to God? We can help! A Women's Cursillo Weekend will be held Thursday, April 25 beginning at 7:00 PM through Sunday, April 28 5:00 PM, at the Blessings Lodge on the campus of Camp Overlook in Keezletown, VA. The theme of the weekend is "Called to Love". A Cursillo is a 3-day encounter to enrich your Spirituality and raise awareness of Christ in every moment of your life. Pope Francis made a Cursillo and recognizes how "Cursillos help people encounter Jesus, helping them understand that living in the Grace of God is beautiful." Cursillo recognizes we aren't meant to walk this journey of life alone – we need Spiritual Nutrition that comes from sharing with other believers to enhance our journey and share tools for a deeper connection with Christ. Come walk this journey alongside other Catholic women of all ages and be filled with the JOY Christ offers each one of us. Applications and more about Cursillo are available at www.valleycursillo.com. All applicants must have a sponsor. Contact Karen and Roy Norville at (540) 246-2371 for more information. Application deadline is April 11.



THEOLOGY ON TAP. Looking for a place to grab a beer, hang out with friends, and hear someone speak about some Church related topic? If so, then come to Theology on Tap. TOT typically takes place at night in a bar, restaurant, or brewery. There are several chapters throughout the Diocese. To find out where one is happening near you click [HERE](#).

