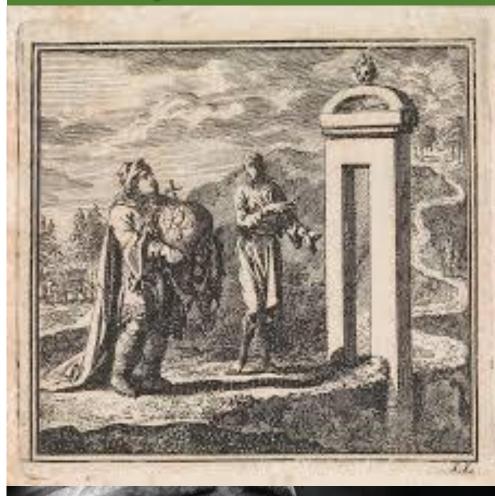


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Twenty-first Sunday in **Ordinary Time** 8/24/2025



esus and the Narrow Door Luke 13:22-30

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

M-F / 9:00 AM-3:00 PM

(Closed 11:00 AM-1:00 PM, on the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month)

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 (bilingual)

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 (<u>www.stjohnevan.com</u>), Flocknote, Facebook, WHSV TV-3 for the most current information on Mass & Parish Office schedule.

UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS? St. John's Friends will bring the Eucharist to you. Contact the Parish Office.





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AUGUST 24 SUNDAY	AUGUST 25 MONDAY	AUGUST 26 TUESDAY	AUGUST 27 WEDNESDAY	AUGUST 28 THURSDAY	AUGUST 29 FRIDAY	AUGUST 30 SATURDAY
8:30 AM † Pedro Urbina 11:30 AM People of the Parish	HAITI † Barbara Perry	9:00 AM † John Lacy	9:00 AM † Violet Poole	9:00 AM † Augustine Scato	9:00 AM † Kim Van Nguyen HAITI Sister Mary Elaine George Special Intention	5:00 PM † Marie & Bernard Bresnahan
10:00—11:00 AM, GALLERY Breaking Open the Word	6:00—8:00 PM, GALLERY Spanish OCIA, Christian Initiation Prep	10:00—11:00 AM, GALLERY Divine Mercy 12:30—2:30 PM, GALLERY Knitting Group 6:00—8:00 PM, GALLERY/ NARTHEX OCIA, Christian Initiation Prep	9:30—11:00 AM, GALLERY 4 th Day Group 4:00—6:00 PM, GALLERY PPC (Parish Pastoral Council) meeting 6:30—7:30 PM, CHAPEL Spanish Prayers 7:30 PM, GALLERY Rosary Making	9:45—11:00 AM, ALCOVE & GALLERY 4 th Day Group	10:00 AM—3:00 PM, CHAPEL Adoration	11:30 AM, CH Baptism 3:30—4:30 PM Confessions



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Helen Baska, Mary Ann Fitzgerald, John Hepner, Isaac Hilbert, Matthew Mello, Deborah Riley, Jose Rodriguez, Rose Sodano, Cindy Steed, Art Steele;

IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY: Jeffrey Crocker, Col. Benjamin Sprouse and all who go unnamed.

HAITI MINISTRY. Haitian friends celebrate the feast day of St. Louis King of France, patron of St. Louis King of France parish in Pointe-a-Raquette, on August 25. Traditionally they celebrate with a fete: parish festival with food sometimes held at Saint Anthony House. Please participate in this celebration with your prayers of support for the parish and those we serve. May God Bless You. Bondye Beni Ou.





Annual Yard Sale is Saturday, September 27 on St. John's property. Item pick up will begin September, 2. They will NOT accept clothing, mattresses, books, baby highchairs, cribs, or car seats. *If you have items to donate, to arrange pick up* email knights10760@gmail.com.





IF YOU MISSED CHRISTIAN FORMATION 2025-26 REGISTRATION FOR <u>GRADES 1-12</u>

visit our website & click the link to register online.

We could use your help! If you are interested in helping with classes, contact Tami, tmullin@stjohnevan.com.

Welcome back *Open House* for children and families grades 1 - 12 will be held **Sunday, September 14 at 4:00 PM**.

This years schedule: Children Grades 1 – 5

Oct. 5, 19, 26 Nov. 9, 16 Dec. 7, 14 Jan. 4, 11, 25 Feb. 1, 8, 22 Mar. 1, 8, 22 Apr. 12, 19, 26 Middle/High School

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Do you have a family member with autism or other learning disability? We have an adaptive learning library to help your loved one learn the faith and celebrate sacraments!







Catechetical Sunday
September 21, 2025 at the
8:30 AM Mass
Blessing and Commissioning

Blessing and Commissioning of Catechists and helpers



DEAR ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST,

We greatly appreciate offering the sacrifice of the Mass on December 7, 2025 at 8:30 AM. We are so grateful to be a part of the Catholic community at St. Johns.

Thank you for your prayers, *Denise, Dave & DJ Nichols*

Join Us for the ECO Pilgrimage – Pilgrims of Hope Date/Time: Sunday, September 28, 2025 at 2:00 PM Location: South River Greenway Trail



While the walk is part of the Jubilee Year, Pilgrims of Hope for Creation initiative, this is an ecumenical pilgrimage bringing together our whole community. This approximate 2-mile walk is flat and paved for its

entirety. We invite everyone to walk and pray with us as we contemplate our call to protect and care for all of God's creation.

DRIVERS WANTED

RIDE NEEDED to and from Regency Senior Living, located near Augusta Health Hospital, 43 Pinnacle Dr, Fishersville for any weekend Mass. Contact Jennifer at the Parish Office if you can help.



RISE AGAINST HUNGER. We again have the opportunity to join with our wider community in the fight against global hunger. On Saturday, September 13, Grace Lutheran Church will sponsor the Rise Against Hunger event, at Kate Collins Middle School. There, together with volunteers from 22 other congregations and community organizations, we hope to package 40,000 meals for distribution across the world! There are jobs for all ages, which makes this a great service opportunity for families! It is a fun and fast paced morning, and usually only a few hours from beginning to end. If you would like to participate, register at http://events.riseagainsthunger.org/WaynesboroChurches2025

For more information check out www.riseagainsthunger.org!
Specific questions can be addressed to pastorpingel@gmail.com, or kencel2@msn.com.

Thanks, and hope to see you there!



Job Openings

Holy Comforter Parish in Charlottesville is seeking a <u>part-time Music Coordinator</u> to begin October 1. The successful candidate will plan, coordinate, lead and direct the parish music program including scheduling and oversight of music and musicians at liturgical celebrations. Bachelor's degree in music or equivalent education and experience, as well as instrumental and/or vocal skills. One-three years of related experience and strong knowledge and appreciation of Roman Catholic Liturgy is required. Please submit a Catholic Diocese of Richmond application for employment and send it along with a resume to Rev. Joseph Mary Lukyamuzi, Pastor, Church of the Holy Comforter, 208 East Jefferson Street, Charlottesville, VA 22902, <u>office@holycomforterparish.org</u>.

The Catholic Diocese of Richmond, Office of Communications, is seeking a <u>Managing Editor for The Catholic Virginian</u>. For the full ad and how to apply, please visit https://bit.ly/45pBIpS For any questions, please contact Kelly Shumate, HR Generalist / Recruiter at jobs@richmonddiocese.org.

The Catholic Diocese of Richmond is accepting applications for our <u>Campus Ministry Fellowship Program</u> for the 2025-2026 academic year at James Madison University. For the full ad and how to apply, please visit https://bit.ly/3ITJdxH. For any questions, please contact Kelly Shumate, HR Generalist / Recruiter at jobs@richmonddiocese.org.

The Catholic Diocese of Richmond, Office of Development – the Catholic Community Foundation, is seeking a <u>Parish Fundraising and Stewardship Officer</u>. For the full ad and how to apply, please visit https://bit.ly/46N1wyu. For any questions, please contact Kelly Shumate, HR Generalist / Recruiter at jobs@richmonddiocese.org.

The Catholic Diocese of Richmond is seeking a <u>full time Program and Marriage Preparation Coordinator</u> for the Office for Evangelization, in Richmond, Virginia. The Office for Evangelization seeks to evangelize individuals and families across the diocese, and the coordinator assists in that goal by assisting in the coordination of events sponsored by the office. Additionally, they oversee the implementation of the Unveiled Marriage Prep Program by managing the logistics of each session. They will also help in the creation and oversight of the Spanish Unveiled program, and as such candidates must be proficient in Spanish, both spoken and written. The coordinator would be an important part of the team dedicated to supporting the Diocese of Richmond in the work of evangelization. For the full ad and how to apply, please visit https://bit.ly/4cNBz2S. For any questions, please contact Kelly Shumate, HR Generalist / Recruiter at jobs@richmonddiocese.org.