



SAINT PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mass Schedule

Sunday: 8:30 & 10:45 am Weekday: 12:05 pm

Holy Day: Call the Parish Office or See Notices

Confession: Mon. thru Fri., 11:45 am

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 10, 2016

Mass Intention: Richard J. Savage

TODAY'S MUSIC

ENTRANCE #512

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

PSALM #909

Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.

OFFERTORY #590

This is my will

COMMUNION #594

Christian, Do You Hear

RECESSIONAL #588

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

HOMEBOUND/HOSPITALIZED

David Adams, Carolyn Alford, Anthony Arrighi, Rollo Brown, Steve Campbell, Stuart Cary, David Coffman, Bill Holzgreffe, Shirley Hudson, Camilla Hull (mother of Doyle Hull), Connie Klyver, (friend of Ginnie & Marilyn), Maria Konwerska, Emma Mednikov, Jim Melton, Jesse Oliver, Rachel Robinson, Marilyn Reilly, Nancy Severns, Beulah Taylor, Greg Stowers, Bob Webster, Flordeliza Ybanez. Thank you for your prayers.

If you know of anyone who is sick, hospitalized, homebound, or dying and desires a visit from a priest, please call or email us. Without your help, we have no way of knowing.

LECTOR & EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

8:30 am: Maggie Wilkins Extraordinary Ministers:

Adriane Allen-Henderson, Bill Lipchak, Cathy Lipchak

FINANCE: Kathleen & Anthony Seal, Tom Fahed

10:45 am: Joe Naman Extraordinary Ministers:

Nancy Gowen, Jim Martinelli, Marie Martinelli

FINANCE: Kathy Kelly, Richard Williams

NEXT SUNDAY

8:30 am: Will Rogers Extraordinary Ministers:

Linda Shisler, Maggie Wilkins, Robert Wilkins

FINANCE: Bill & Cathy Lipchak, Gabi Wolz

10:45 am: Colin Schmidt Extraordinary Ministers:

Joe Naman, Kimberly Taylor, Mimi Schoof

FINANCE: Steve Gerloff, Chris Thomas

SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

Mon.: Mass Intention: Phyllis Lee

Tues.: Mass Intention: Rico Revera

Tues.: Social Ministry: 10:30 am – 12:30 pm

Wed.: Mass Intention: James Harley

Thurs: Mass Intention: Chrissy Bottcher

Fri.: Mass Intention: Lee Patasomit

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

Hello everyone,

I hope you had a great 4th of July holiday this past week. I spent time with my family. They live in the Yorktown area which is nice...not too far.

A funny story...when I was being transferred to these parishes in Richmond, the Bishop is the one who told me the news. I happened to be at a meeting at the Chancery

in Richmond and the Bishop came up, very casually and said, “hey Gino, how’s it going...[small talk...small talk]...hey I wanted to let you know we are going to be making you the pastor of a few Churches...it’s going to be a new cluster...” At this point I was trying my best to have a poker face...not sure if it worked. But then when he started naming the parishes, I had NO idea where in the heck these parishes were. In fact, I thought they were way out west, like in Jonesville or Grundy, which is a full 6 hours from Richmond and 7 hours from Yorktown. And all I could think was “well...looks like I’m not going to be seeing my family much,” which would have been very difficult. But then the Bishop kept talking and I was able to gather the parishes were somewhere in the Richmond area...although I still had no idea.

But all is well and worked out. I am blessed to be able to see my parents, brother and sister and the nieces and nephews regularly. I have great admiration for the international priests who leave their families to serve the Gospel here in America. It is not easy and I am sure they miss their families greatly, in a similar way to our ancestors who came to this country assuming they would probably never see their families again.

Our new parochial vicar who starts August 1, Father Ernest Bulinda, is originally from Kenya. He has been in the United States for a good number of years and has served across our diocese. He is a missionary to us. I am looking forward to having him with us and to be ministering alongside him. He will be a great addition to our parishes.

I would like to leave you with a favorite prayer of mine. As the Holy Father has declared this year the Year of Mercy, this prayer is very appropriate, as it is the closing prayer for the Divine Mercy Chaplet (the Divine Mercy Chaplet was given through revelation by Our Lord to St. Faustina Kowalska).

“Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we may not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to your holy will, which is love and mercy itself.”

Say it often, it’s really good.

Peace!

Fr. Rossi

Attention Alumni of All Saints, St. Paul’s, St. Elizabeth’s, St. Patrick’s, Van de Vyver Catholic Schools and all those who celebrate the tradition of Catholic education – the All Saints’ sponsored “reunion” will be held again in the fall of 2018. To ensure you are on the invitation list for the next reunion, send your contact information (name, full address, e-mail address, phone number, school and year of graduation) to allsaintsreunion@gmail.com or mail to 3418 Noble Ave., Richmond, VA 23222, Attn: Alyssa McBride. Please visit the ALUMNI page at www.allsaintsric.org for regular updates. Thank you!

Outreach & Social Ministry – Many thanks to all the dedicated volunteers who help organize and serve the Tuesday lunches and Wednesday dinners to the homeless.

Barrels, Brews & BBQ – Yes, it’s back for another year and this year BBQ is on the menu! Come to Barrels, Brews & BBQ Saturday, July 30, 2016 from 3:30 – 7:30 pm at James River Cellars Vineyards and help raise funds for Commonwealth Catholic Charities. Enjoy delicious barbecue prepared by the Knights of Columbus and wash it down with any number of refreshing wines from James River Cellars and beer from Loveland Distributing. Live music will be provided by the Sons of Zebedee. Visit Facebook.com/CCCOFVA or www.ccofva.org for tickets and info.

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