

Saint Patrick Catholic Church

February 19th & 20th 2022

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Times:

Saturdays at 5:30pm
& Sundays at 10:45am

Join us after 10:45 mass
for refreshments and
fellowship



Holy Hour

– St. Patrick

Hosted at SPC
on the 2nd Wednesday
of each month
with 6pm Holy Hour
and 7pm Mass.

Message from the Administrator's Desk:

Dear Parishioners,
By the grace of God, after a
broader consultation and
prayerful thinking, I respectfully
inform you now of the "**Cluster
Parish Pastoral Council**"
comprising members from all
the three churches constituted a
few days ago.

Below are the members:

Eddie Baird - St. Patrick
Susan Orenduff - St. Patrick
Anne McMillan - St. Patrick
Kris Mednikov - St. Peter Pro-
Cathedral

Michael Kachuba –
St. Peter Pro-Cathedral
Daniel Mages - St. John
Vanessa Cubas
(Hispanic community, St John)

Neilan Brown - St. John
Mary Miskimon
Council of Women, St. John

Paulita Matheny
Director of Religious
Education and Pastoral
Associate, ex-officio
Deacon Ramon Rivera Robles
Coordinator and Chaplain,
Hispanic community, ex-officio

Kindly address your concerns
through them and more
importantly pray for them, as
they help to advice the
Administrator on Pastoral and
Spiritual issues of the Cluster of
Churches.

God bless you.
Father Maxwell

Adsumus, Sancte Spiritus (Here we are, Holy Spirit)

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as
we gather in Your name. With You
alone to guide us, make Yourself at
home in our hearts; Teach us the
way we must go and how we are to
pursue it. We are weak and sinful;
do not let us promote disorder. Do
not let ignorance lead us down the
wrong path nor partiality influence
our actions. Let us find in You our
unity so that we may journey
together to eternal life and not
stray from the way of truth and
what is right. All this we ask of You,
who are at work in every place and
time, in the communion of the
Father and the Son, forever and
ever. Amen.



2022 Annual Diocesan Appeal: Together, we bestow His first fruits

*Our Annual Diocesan Appeal is in full
swing. If you're looking for an
opportunity to put Christ's
instruction to give without looking
for repayment into action, consider
contributing to the appeal today.*

Many of you received a letter from
Bishop Knestout asking for your
support of the 2022 Annual Appeal.
For those of you who did not receive
a mailing or have not had time to
respond to it,

we will conduct our Digital In-Pew
pledge process at all Masses during
the first and second weekend of
March.

News & Announcements:

JOURNEY TOGETHER: SYNOD ON SYNODALITY

Every Diocese has been asked to participate in this unique process with a particular focus on the local level, specifically parishes and local communities. Within the Diocese of Richmond, Bishop Knestout is asking parishes to begin a consultative process with their advisory bodies (ex. Parish Councils and Finance Councils) and the diverse people of the parish communities. Bishop Knestout wrote: "Our world, and sometimes even the Church, can seem divided along cultural, political and economic lines. We experience division from one another because of our own selfishness and sinfulness. As a counter to this experience, synodality leads us to listening, speaking, accepting co-responsibility for participation in the process, discerning and deciding." The results of the conversation are not what matter most, but rather that the faithful of the Diocese have been able to enter into these unitive moments of discussion with each other. Before local communities and individuals enter into the synodal process it is important to identify what synodality is not. While it is a time for one's voice to be heard, it is not an opportunity to push one's personal agenda. It is not a democratic process where the majority rules or a corporate strategic process. By setting aside our own desires, and instead focusing on the movement of the Holy Spirit synodal discussions can play a more fruitful role in the life of our Church. The synod's three themes of Communion, Participation, and Mission echo throughout the preparatory documents provided by the Vatican. **Next week we will provide you a list of different times and dates for our sessions at St. Patrick.**

Volunteer Opportunity in the Community

Volunteers are needed for Feed More/Meals on Wheels Positions available- Preparation, Meal Preparation Box Preparation, and Drivers. Scheduled days/Times begins on 2/28. Must be 18 and older Please contact- Natalie Battaglia 804-521-2500, mention which parish you are from.

Irish Festival 2022

Meetings have started and will be on Sundays following 10:45 mass in Church Kitchen. Festival Scheduled dates March 26 & 27 Hope to see everyone! For information Stokes McCune 804-356-1093 or stokesmccune@aol.com

Thank you

The Knight of Columbus would like to thank all of those who participated in the Coat for Kids Drive. Many coats were donated for those in need.



WEEKLY COLLECTION February 12 & 13

	<u>Weekly</u>
Actual	\$4,359.55
Budget	<u>\$3,750.00</u>
	(\$390.45)
	<u>Year to date</u>
Actual	\$123,962.48
Budget	<u>\$123,750.00</u>
	\$212.48

Note: Actual totals include weekly collection and E-giving

MASS ATTENDANCE:
2/12 at 5:30: 26
2/13 at 10:45: 115

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If someone is dying or has died & you would like to talk with a priest, please call.