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OCTOBER 6, 2024 • TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He said to them in reply, "What did Moses command you?"
They replied, "Moses permitted a husband to write a bill of divorce
and dismiss her." But Jesus told them, "Because of the hardness of
your hearts he wrote you this commandment. But from the beginning
of creation, God made them male and female." - Mk 10:3-6

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:30 pm
Sunday 7:30 am, 9:00 am,
and 11:30 am

Daily Mass

Monday–Friday
12:00 Noon

Church Hours

Monday–Friday
9:00–4:00 pm
Thursday until 7:00 pm
Saturday
10:00–4:00 pm

Office Hours

Monday–Friday
9:00–4:00pm



Confessions

Monday 12:45 pm–2:00 pm
Thursday 5:00 pm–6:45 pm
Saturday 3:30 pm–5:00 pm

Evening Prayer

Wednesday 5:30 pm

Adoration

Thursday 12:45 pm–7:00 pm

Rosary & Divine Mercy Group

Saturday 9:00–9:45 am

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Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday	(12:00 pm)	Fred Connell †
Tuesday	(7:30 am)	Marta Vasquez & Guillermo Quesada †
Wednesday	(7:30 am)	Amie Sheridan †
Thursday	(12:00 pm)	Rosanne Heffron
Friday	(12:00 pm)	Barry MacRae
Saturday	(5:30 pm)	Wayne Franklin †
Sunday	(7:30 am)	Amie Sheridan †
	(9:00 am)	The people of St. Andrew
	(11:30 am)	Herbert & Beverly Conley, Sr. †

† Indicates the Mass Intention is for the repose of the soul of the person(s) listed

**denotes Mass with incense

Please note: Incense is used after the Thursday Mass during Adoration

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FORMED: Our Lady of the Rosary. Discussion of the painting Allegory of the Battle of Lepanto (1572) by Paolo Veronese, its theological meanings, and how it can speak to us today. (27 min video)



Sacrificial Giving

Collection Report	Sept 22	Sept YTD
Sunday & Holy Days	\$21,962	\$335,532
Maintenance Fund	<u>730</u>	<u>29,050</u>
Total received	22,692	364,583
Total income budgeted	<u>22,480</u>	<u>332,120</u>
Better (Worse)	212	32,463

Thank you for your continued support!

Readings of the Week

Sunday: Gn 2:18-24/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 (see 5)/Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

Monday: Gal 1:6-12/Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c/Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday: Gal 1:13-24/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Lk 11:1-4

Thursday: Gal 3:1-5/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/Lk 11:5-13

Friday: Gal 3:7-14/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 11:15-26

Saturday: Gal 3:22-29/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday: Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 (14)/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27



For a shared mission—We pray that the Church continues to sustain in all ways a Synodal lifestyle, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, the communion and the mission shared among priests, religious and lay people.



Trent Staton, Joann Slan, Nick Leitch, Mary Borgailly, Tim Gehret, Ray Sweeney, Colen Haga, Robert Zublionis, Pam Poole, James Steahly, Lucian Metayer, Jamie Mauck, Elaine Fletchall, Dave & Anna Gibson, Linda Benda, Hans Rott, Jane Gladwell, James Fletcher, Michelle Rossetti, Dylan Kay, John Gilliespie, Robin Boggs, Noel Olin, Camden Thepsimuong, Hadley Grace Vaneekhout, Nancy Weeks, Sandra Miller, Vicky Hurley, Carolyn Warner-Rakes, Dawn Thomas, Curtis Andrews, Barbara Williams, Ed Mayer, Karen Garnand, Anne Smith, Kevin Guardado, Dara Hawkins, Robin Roth, Stuart Hakanson, Anne Grace, Pat Steahly, Lourdes Alba, Mark Pyrak, Hazel Constantino, David Leonard, John Howard, Mary Ann Crock, Joan Butcher, Mary Bellino, Perri Boardwine, Severina Cordero, Ellie Kaufman, Rani Wood, Barbara Farnum, Tiffanie Tinnes, Ken Tuck, Christine Smith, Virginia Warnack, Andy Clark, Cathy Flynn, Kohlton Griffith, Teri Burks, and Raine Walters.



40 Days for Life Fall Campaign began on September 25.

40 Days focuses on prayer, fasting and peaceful vigil to end abortion. **We Need You** and ask you to prayerfully consider standing with us in front of Planned Parenthood at a time convenient for you. Vigils run 7:00am–7:00pm every day except Sunday. If you cannot stand in vigil, please consider joining in prayer and fasting to battle this spiritual evil in changing hearts to end abortion. Please help us witness the real presence of life in the womb to mothers coming to Planned Parenthood and those who drive by. **You may just save a life!** You can sign up on the website at www.40daysforlife.com/roanoke. For more information on being a prayer partner or standing in vigil at Planned Parenthood during this campaign, please contact Joan at jmmchooselife@gmail.com or Kay at djmdjm@aol.com.

Please pray this week for mothers in the crisis of unwanted pregnancy and who may be contemplating abortion. May our Lord fill their hearts with hope in His gift of life and give them confidence in their ability to raise their child.

Altar serving training will be offered at the Basilica this **Sunday, October 6**, from 1:00–2:00pm. For more information, please contact Deacon Dan at dderinger@bofsa.org.



The Basilica of St. Andrew Youth Choir is in session! We welcome kids ages 9–13 to join us in the music room at the church on Sunday evenings from 4:00–5:00pm **starting October 6**. *No music experience is necessary!* Kids will learn basic singing techniques and learn 4–5 songs. We are planning to sing during the season of Advent. For more information, please contact Elizabeth at eubbing@gmail.com.

Join us for the **Marian Procession on Saturday, October 12**. After our regular Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet at 9:00am, we will process to the grotto. *Families are welcome!*



Roanoke Catholic School Open House: Join us on **Tuesday, October 29** from 10:00–12:00pm for a tour of the school and a Q & A session with faculty, staff and students. We offer financial aid, parish discounts, and multi-child discounts! RSVP or for more information, please contact Melissa at (540) 982-3532 or email mbarnard@roanokecatholic.com.



Remember in your prayers these parishioners and family members who are actively serving our country in the military: Cole Hartman, Maximilian Ochalek, James Cooper Fennell, Timothy Dayton, Katherine Dayton, Jonathan Dayton, Alex Boyer, Joe Nuñez, Stephen Kavanaugh, Patrick Bennett, Samuel Edward, Joseph Kelly, James Kelly, Jake Vogel, Mason Alexander, Reeve Alexander, Giovanni Allen, Molly Wharton, Lee Hansen, Elton Darren Lewis, Joel Brian, Matthew Allen Crofton, Joseph Lavinder, Chris Bennett, Gilman Fortin, Brendan Carroll, James Dilling, Reuben Flores, David Jacobs, Robert Clifford, Michael Joslin, Dillon Sims, Kyle Norris, Jarred Shockey, Will Klos, Mark Buchy, Frank Jacob Dowie, Charlie Company 4th Platoon Reserves from Roanoke and Lynchburg, Joshua Davis, Marcus Ollie, Steven Jeremy Ayers, Jacob Brookshier, Ches Mitchell, Tommy Nichols, Allen Palumbo, Michael Nghia-Nguyen, Joseph Amos, Timothy Brady, Brian Conlan, Michael Dale Davis, John Downs, William Farmer, Josh Ford, Jamie Williams, John Hinkel, Stephanie Lynn Holliday, Anthony Huff, Jarrod Huff, Herbert Jones, Michael Keller, Jeffrey Robert Klein, Matthew McCorkel, Colin McGuire, Pamela T. Schmecht, Joe Spegele and Dustin Stewart.



Couldn't join one of our parish Bible Studies? Follow along on your own or with your family! We continue to explore the Church on mission in the *Acts of the Apostles*. Our challenge this week is to:

- *Read* ~ Acts, Chapter 2
- *Listen* ~ to *The Bible in a Year Podcast*, Episode 323
- *Consider* ~ How can I be open to the Holy Spirit for a "personal Pentecost"?
- *Act* ~ Proclaim Christ to your family, friends, or community in one way this week.

Links to these and other resources are on our Bible Studies page at: basilicaofstandrew.org/bible-studies

What is God's Word? How the Church Reads the Bible: We know we should be Bible readers, but what should we do when we read it? What expectations should we bring to this book, and how should we "take in" or react to what we find there? What are our options when we come across passages that are surprising, hard to understand, or even alarming?



Join us in the **Social Hall** from **3:45 - 4:45 on Saturday, October 5** for the first of three sessions on how the church has (and has not!) read the Bible across the centuries. The presenter is Dr. John Bugbee, a scholar of theology and literature; there will be time for Q&A and discussion after the talk. A small packet of (optional) readings, including illustrative passages from the Bible, will be available in the Commons and the parish office vestibule starting next weekend. Optional enrollment by emailing Erik at emoledor@bofsa.org.



Considering Catholicism? Are you a Baptized Catholic adult desiring Confirmation? Join our 2024-25 Inquiry and Initiation class. Weekly classes meet Thursdays, 6:30-8:15pm in the Social Hall. *Classes have begun, but it's not too late to join!* For more information, go to:

basilicaofstandrew.org/becoming-catholic-rcia and submit the contact information form or email Erik at emoledor@bofsa.org.

As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another.
~Proverbs 27:17



New—Saturday Morning Men's Group! Start your weekend out right, in prayer and fellowship with other like-minded men in our new group dedicated to St. Joseph! This fall, we will be running the excellent *Alpha* program which creates a space for honest conversation around some of life's biggest questions while providing the chance to encounter Jesus. "When you take [Catholics] to Alpha, you know it will propose Christ, and it will be fun." —Fr. Mike Schmitz

Saturdays from 7:00-8:30am in the Social Hall. It's not too late to join! Registration not required. Just show up! For more information, contact Phil at woodphil76@yahoo.com.

Men, join our **That Man Is You** group for faith, fellowship, and hot breakfast Wednesday mornings, 6:30 - 8:00am, in the Social Hall.



We enter into a deeper understanding of God's word this week with a video from Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers on the *Armor of God*. We work to rediscover and reclaim our identity as soldiers, saints, brothers, disciples, and apostles, while encountering practical tools that aid in spiritual defense and development. For more information, contact Jordan Miller at miller.jordanm@icloud.com.



The *Men of St. Andrew's (MenSA)* will next meet in the Social Hall **Tuesday, October 29 at 7:07pm**. Contact Erik at emoledor@bofsa.org with questions.

The **Ladies Book Club** meets on **Wednesday, October 9**, in the downstairs classroom, at 1:00pm. New members are always welcome to come and see if they would like to join us!



Women and men religious offer gratitude: "Sincere thanks to the donors of the Retirement Fund for Religious. I hope we meet, if not in this world, then in the next," says Sister Teresa Korycka, 81, of the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate. Your gift impacts over 24,000 senior women and men religious, providing them a dignified retirement. To hear how your donation helps, please visit: retiredreligious.org.



Upcoming Men's Cursillo Weekend at the Peaks Retreat and Adventure Center in Thaxton, VA is **November 7-10, 2024**. You must be 18 years of age or older, be a practicing Catholic and have a sponsor, someone who has been on a weekend. The cost of the weekend is \$225 which includes meals and supplies. If you would like to discover a great relationship with Jesus Christ, this weekend can be a life changing experience. **The deadline for applications is October 24.**

For more information, contact Jeannie at (540) 344-9814 or email jmcintyre@bofsa.org or Michael at (540)798-1326 or email m.schiavonilpta@gmail.com.

St. Elias Ladies Guild is hosting a Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday, October 13, at 12:00 noon at St. Elias Social Hall. Adults are \$12.00; Children (10 & under) \$8.00 or Family \$30.00.

Dinner includes pasta with your choice of meat sauce or marinara sauce, salad, garlic bread and a drink. There will also be a bake sale so save room for dessert! For advance tickets, please call the St. Elias office at (540)562-0012.



Catholic Sprinkles

Sprinkles of Scripture, Catechism, crafts and activities to help build your Domestic Church!

October

- + October is full of wonderful Feast Days to celebrate with your family.
- + One way to celebrate Feast Days throughout the year is through Liturgical Cooking. Liturgical Cooking brings in elements of Saints, Solemnities, Holy Days, and the Liturgical seasons and provides for opportunities to share the faith at the dinner table.

Below are two Catholic blog websites that provide an enormous array of ideas, recipes, and lessons to teach the faith to your family. They are easy to follow and a lot of fun to incorporate into your home ☺

LITURGICAL MEALS:

- + "Mealtime provides the perfect opportunity for observing these different seasons and feasts of the Catholic Church in our homes, the "Domestic Church." We are all cooking and baking every day, why not sanctify these mealtimes and teach our families even more about our beautiful faith at the same time?" **Jessica Gordon, Catholic Cuisine**

+ Jessica Gordon has a wonderful website called "Catholic Cuisine" that provides meals for celebrating many Feast Day. (www.catholiccuisine.blogspot.com).

LITURGICAL TEA PARTIES:

- "Tea parties are so quick and easy to pull together. They can be fancy or they can be simple, but no matter what the kids always have an amazing time." **Lacy Lynch, Catholic Icing** (www.catholicicing.com)

+ Lacy provides so many fun ways to celebrate the Liturgical Year through her tea parties. Not only does she give ideas and recipes, but she also provides facts and crafts for these Feast Days.

"God walks among the pots and pans." St. Teresa of Avila

SAMs (St. Andrew Moms): SAMs is the umbrella group for different activities for Catholic Mothers (no matter your stage in motherhood: young mom, grandma, spiritual mom, mom-to-be) at St. Andrew in Roanoke.



If you'd like to receive emails and updates of upcoming **SAMs events**, please email Kris at kalevy63@gmail.com.

Our Mission this year: To provide studies, events, support and resources for moms, grandmas, and spiritual moms so that we may expound on ways to nurture and preserve our "domestic churches" to better evangelize our children, grandchildren and those around us.



Playgroup Wednesday's have switched back to 3:30pm for the school year.

If you'd like to join in on the SAMs playgroup, please email Maria at:

samsplaygrouproanoke@goodlegroups.com.

Join us for the **ENDOW Study on Monday, October 7** in the Youth Room. We start at 9:00am with coffee and fellowship, followed by the study "'St. Catherine of Siena: Setting the World Ablaze", from 9:30–11:00am. Led by Mary O'Connor.



This year we will be diving into a study on St. Catherine of Siena and looking at how her witness and wisdom can draw you closer to Jesus, helping you to follow the advice that Catherine both gave and completely embodied: *Be who God made you to be, and you will set the world ablaze*". The study book is \$20. You may make your checks payable to the Basilica of St. Andrew.



Our next **SAMs Mini Retreat** is **Monday, October 21** in the Youth Room. Join us for a morning with Seminarian Brennen as he shares his story about his calling and journey. We begin at 9:00am with coffee and fellowship, followed by the presentation at 9:30am.

College Care Outreach—Letters and goodies from St. Andrew's Moms(SAMs) would like to reach out to your college student(s) by sending them a care package and encouraging notes for their winter exams. If you would like your student to receive a care package from St. Andrew, please email kalevy63@gmail.com by



November 1 with your children's name(s), college address, college email address, and the dates of their winter exams. *Please indicate if your child has any food allergies.*

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

Sunday	(10:00 am)	Catholic Initiation class
	(10:25 am)	Christian Formation K-12
	(1:00 pm)	Altar Server training
	(2:00 pm)	Simbang Gabi practice
	(3:00 pm)	Vietnamese Crowning practice
Monday	(9:00 am)	ENDOW
	(6:30 pm)	Bible Study
Tuesday	(6:30 pm)	Theology Tuesday
Wednesday	(6:30 am)	TMIY
	(1:00 pm)	Ladies Book Club
	(5:30 pm)	Evening Prayer
	(6:00 pm)	MSYG
Thursday	(10:00 am)	Bible Study
	(1:30 pm)	Bereavement
	(6:30 pm)	Catholic Initiation class
	(7:15 pm)	Bible Study
Saturday	(7:00 am)	Men's Group
	(9:00 am)	Rosary
	(9:45 am)	Marian Procession

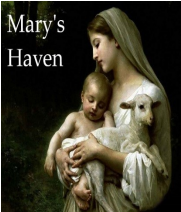


Roanoke Catholic School is seeking to fill **two part-time Cafeteria positions**. One would operate one of two cash registers during lunches and assist with food prep or cleaning when not needed on a register. The other position will focus on washing and sanitizing trays and other pots, pans, dishes and utensils and keeping the café clean.

Please submit an application or letter of interest to Peter Radjou at pradjou@roanokecatholic.com.

Roanoke Catholic School is looking for a part-time **Middle School Girl's Basketball Coach** and a part-time **Middle School Boy's Basketball Coach** for the 2024-2025 season. Candidates must possess administrative and organizational skills and be able to communicate effectively with students, staff, parents, and the community. Roanoke Catholic Athletics is about building character and the ability to function in a team setting. We believe that sports, academics, and faith go hand in hand to build character in young women and men. Please send a resume to Shawn Good, RCS Athletic Director, at sgood@roanokecatholic.com.

Roanoke Catholic School has recently chartered a Cub Scout Pack and is in the process of chartering a Boy Scout Troop - youth of St. Andrew are welcome! Cub Scouts is open to grades K-5 (co-ed) and Boy Scouts grades 6-12 (boys only). For over a century, Scouts BSA has helped youth grow through a focus on service, outdoor adventure, and leadership. The RCS Scouting program will be working to earn Catholic religious emblems. If your family is interested, please contact Scoutmaster John Thomas at: jthomas@roanokecatholic.com.



Mary's Haven in Roanoke provides shelter, care, and loving support for women who find themselves in an unexpected pregnancy. The mission of Mary's Haven is to provide, as guided by the teachings of Jesus Christ, comprehensive residential care in a loving and supportive environment for expectant mothers who are in a homeless or other unexpected situation and who have committed to carrying their babies to term. If you are pregnant and need help, or would like to become a supporter of Mary's Haven, go to marys-haven.org. For more information, please contact Dorothy at (540) 397-3963 or email dcmchooselife@gmail.com.

Church of the Transfiguration in Fincastle invites you to their **Fish Fry on Friday, October 11 and Friday, November 8**. The event is from 5:00–7:00pm. The cost is \$12 per person and kids ages 7 and under eat free. Eat in or take out. Invite your friends and neighbors! Proceeds to benefit the Greenfield Elementary Backpack Ministry and Botetourt's Food Pantry and Resource Center. *Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.*



You're invited to join the **Catholic Campus Ministry at Virginia Tech** (Newman Community) in commemorating 100 years of faith, service, and community! On **October 20**, Bishop Knestout will celebrate a Centennial Mass at 10:00am on campus. Following the Mass, our ministry will be hosting a Lunch Gala with the Bishop at the University Club in Lane Stadium at 12:30pm. Tickets for the Centennial Gala are \$30 per person and can be purchased using the QR code.

We look forward to coming together for this blessed occasion!

