



BASILICA OF SAINT ANDREW

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MARCH 9, 2025 • FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

The devil said to him, "All this will be yours, if you worship me."
Jesus said to him in reply, "It is written:
You shall worship the Lord, your God,
and him alone shall you serve."
- Lk 4:6a, 7-8

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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Monday	(12:00 pm)	Kathryn Toye Brennen †
Tuesday	(12:00 pm)	Isidor Kuehn †
Wednesday	(12:00 pm)	Joseph Manello †
	(5:30 pm)	Ray & Joan Hardwick †
Thursday	(12:00 pm)	June Vamenta †
Friday	(12:00 pm)	Diane Lucia Radtke
Saturday	(5:30 pm)	Jack Winston †
Sunday	(7:30 am)	The people of St. Andrew
	(9:00 am)	Tracy LeBeau Benda & Jack Benda †
	(11:30 am)	Etna Bordon †
	(3:00 pm)	The Vietnamese Community

† 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

Online Contribution: Please consider making an online contribution supporting the Basilica of St. Andrew.



Visitor to the Parish? Please consider giving to the Basilica of St. Andrew.

Open the QR code to make a secure online donation.



www.basilicaofstandrew.org



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Novena to St. Joseph - Start on March 11. (3-5 min daily video)



Sacrificial Giving

Collection Report	Feb 23	Feb YTD
Sunday & Holy Days	\$24,409	\$1,107,765
Maintenance Fund	650	89,136
Total received	25,059	1,196,900
Total income budgeted	31,600	1,072,500
Better (Worse)	(6,541)	124,400

Thank you for your continued support!

Readings of the Week

Sunday: Dt 26:4-10/Ps 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15 (see 5b)/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13

Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/Mt 25:31-46

Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19/Mt 6:7-15

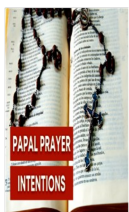
Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19/Lk 11:29-32

Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Mt 7:7-12

Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8/Mt 5:20-26

Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8/Mt 5:43-48

Next Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14/Phil 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1/Lk 9:28b-36



For Families in crisis—Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.



Jennifer Midkiff, Carolyn Green, Al Greyson, Robin Boggs, Judy Conley, Elizabeth Witherspoon, William Rogers, Guillermo Guardado, Ron Kleba, Steve Dunlap, Meghan Neighbors, Benny Fisher, Janet Hamrick, Darlene Juliana, Leon Vinci, Erin Timmerman, Lisa Spicher, Nicole Cutler, Tom Young, Michael Miller, Chad Lafon, Mary-Louise Nackley, Dylan Kay, Tim Grace, Joe Parker, Cecil Black, Cheryl Kessler, Charles Snyder, Tim Hill, Kenneth Archer, Deb Hoffman, Elaine Brugh, Genevieve Johnson, Martha Yengst, Pat Shelor, Karin Shelor, McKenzie Anderson, Mary Ann Valenzuela, Nick Leitch, Ray Sweeney, Robert Zublionis, Lucian Metayer, Linda Benda, Hans Rott, Carolyn Warner-Rakes, Ed Mayer, Karen Garnand, Anne Smith, Kevin Guardado, Dara Hawkins, Robin Roth, Stuart Hakanson, Anne Grace, Lourdes Alba, Mark Pyrak, John Howard, Mary Ann Crock, Ellie Kaufman, Rani Wood, Christine Smith, Virginia Warnack, Andy Clark, Cathy Flynn, Kohlton Griffith, Teri Burks, and Raine Walters.

40 Days for Life Spring Campaign is underway! 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 are 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. Planned Parenthood is located at 2207 Peters Creek Rd. 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: www.40daysforlife.com/roanoke or contact Joan at jmmchooselife@gmail.com, or Kay at djmdjm@aol.com.

Please pray this week for those who will be standing for life at Planned Parenthood during the 40 Days for Life campaign. May our Lord protect them during their vigil, bless their witness for the value of life in the womb and make them effective witnesses for all who may see.



Starting next weekend, **March 15/16**, we begin collecting **last year's palms**. Be sure to bring them by the end of this month. Look for the baskets at the church entrances.

Our next **Women's Club meeting is Monday, March 24**. We gather in the Social Hall at 11:45 to attend Mass as a group. Please RSVP for the luncheon to jmcintyre@bofsa.org or call the Parish Office at (540) 344-9814.



Join us for **Stations of the Cross at 5:30pm every Friday in Lent**. Stations of the Cross in Vietnamese are every Friday at 8:00pm. On Good Friday, Stations will take place at 3:00pm.

Prayers for Pope Francis: Bishop Knestout has asked us all to join him in praying for an outpouring of grace upon Pope Francis. Contemplate joining the daily Rosary for the Holy Father's health that is being held at 9:00pm (3:00pm EST) in St. Peter's Square.



Thursday, March 13, is the anniversary of Pope Francis' election. *Consider joining us for Noon Mass.*



Remember in your prayers these parishioners and family members who are actively serving our country in the military: John Sinclair, Mackenzie Rodgers, Brenna Rodgers, Jacob Kiltz, 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, 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.



Watch the bulletin next week for the announcement of our next Bible Study!



Want to learn more about Catholicism? Interested in joining the Church? Want to get Confirmed?

Go to:

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

Are you a Catholic young adult seeking community and faith-centered fun? **LOYAL** is for you! We come together to grow in faith and build friendships while keeping Christ at the center. From small groups to hikes, sports, and dinners; there's something for everyone. Ready to connect and live your faith with purpose?



Go to basilicaofstandrew.org/loyal and fill out the form.



The Virginia State March for Life is April 2! Please join us for the VA March for Life in Richmond on April 2, 2025. The Basilica of St. Andrew will

have a bus for people to attend the event. You can sign up for the bus on our website at:

<https://basilicaofstandrew.org/respect-life-ministry> under March For Life. For more information, please contact Aimee at avalenzuela@bofsa.org.

Dr. Haywood Robinson, director of medical affairs and education for 40 Days for Life, **Pro Life** and a former abortionist who had a pro-life conversion in 1986 and since then has worked to promote the pro-life cause, is coming to Roanoke. Save the date and come out to hear his story and thoughts on the pro-life movement. He will join our vigil in front of Planned Parenthood at 5:00pm on Thursday, March 20. We will have pizza at the Presbyterian church across the street afterwards. **All are welcome!** Please contact Joan Murano at jmmchooselife@gmail.com to RSVP and let her know if you will be staying for pizza.

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

Our Wednesday morning Men's Rosary group meets in the chapel at 8:05am.

Men, join our *That Man Is You* group on a Lenten journey! We gather for food, faith, and fellowship on Wednesday mornings, 6:30–8:00am.



This week our video presenter, Steve Bollman, will speak about "The Thirst for Christ."

Contact Jordan Miller at miller.jordanm@icloud.com for more information.



SCHEDULE CHANGE: Due to the penance service scheduled for 7:00pm on March 25, we are cancelling our March meeting. We will return to our usual last Tuesday of the month meetings on April 29.

Contact Erik Moledor at emoledor@bofsa.org with questions or to get added to our email list. **All men are welcome!**

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.



Join us during Lent for **Wednesday Soup Suppers!** The Parish provides soup, salad, and beverages. We ask you to bring bread or rolls to share. *No desserts, please!*

Our first Soup Supper is **Wednesday, March 12 at 6:00pm**. Your \$3 donation supports Operation Rice Bowl.

Be here at 5:30pm to join us for Mass in the Church. Our Soup Supper follows.

Ladies Book Club will meet on **Wednesday, March 12 at 1:00pm** in the downstairs classroom.



New members are welcome to attend!

Catholic Community Foundation

of the Diocese of Richmond

2025 Annual Diocesan Appeal

2025 Annual Diocesan Appeal: *Sharing His Love with Others*

Over the past couple of weekends, you have been hearing about the 2025 Annual Diocesan Appeal.

With a goal of \$4,676,409, the 2025 Appeal will provide critical funding to many diverse and impactful ministries that affect the lives of thousands of people in our Diocese.

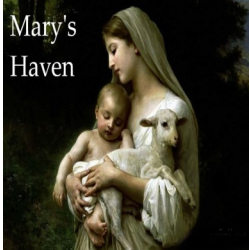
It is our sincere hope that you will answer our Bishop's request and make a generous commitment to this effort.

To see the full list of ministries supported by the Appeal, please visit: richmondcatholicfoundation.org/appeal.

Empowering God's Children: The prevention of child sexual abuse requires more than adult awareness, education, and training about the nature and scope of the problem.



We must also give children and youth the tools they need to help us keep them safe by educating them regarding boundaries, safe and unsafe behaviors and healthy relationships. **Empowering God's Children®** is an age-appropriate comprehensive program through which educators (teachers, catechists and youth ministers) and parents can give children and youth the tools they need to protect themselves and what to do if someone tries to violate their boundaries. The Basilica of Saint Andrew will offer safety programs for grades K-2 (March 9th), grades 3-5 (March 16th), and grades 6-8 (March 16th). All sessions are at 1 pm and are located in Classroom 2 and the Youth Room. *Parental consent form required.* More information available on our website. Questions to Kathy Boyer kboyer@bofsa.org.



Mary's Haven needs help! Due to expanding demand, we are in need of part-time (a few hours, 1-2 days per week) volunteers to fill Assistant Director positions. The areas of need include administrative support, and occasional support with shopping and transportation.

Mary's Haven in Roanoke provides shelter, care, and loving support up to 3 years for women in need who find themselves in an unexpected pregnancy, and who are committed to carrying their babies to term.

Please contact Dorothy at (540) 397-3963, or email: dcmchooselife@gmail.com

Who are the Lay Dominicans? What do St. Catherine of Siena, St. Martin de Porres, and Bl. Pier Giorgio Frassati have in common? They were all third order (lay) Dominicans! You are invited to come meet the men and women who live out this unique vocation in the modern world today. Learn about life as a Lay Dominican and see if God may be calling you to join this great family. An open meeting will take place on **March 15, 2025**, beginning at **8:30am** in the Chapel at **Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church** in Salem, Virginia. *All visitors are welcome!*



Go to LayDominicans.org for general information or contact Beverly Gilrairie, O.P. (Bevnp1@gmail.com) or Patty Steinbach, O.P. (psteinbachrn1@msn.com) for more information.

Dedicated to helping you heal

Virtual Support Group for those who have suffered abuse by clergy or lay personnel residing in the Catholic Diocese of Richmond.

We invite you to join the group on the second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. These gatherings, led by an independent facilitator, will offer a safe environment for participants to connect, share experiences, support, and heal. Spouses and affected community members are also welcome.

Questions or to join please email Paula Kaempffer at kaempfferp@archspm.org or call 763-688-3978.

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

Sunday	(10:00 am)	Catholic Initiation class
	(10:25 am)	Christian Formation K-12
	(1:00 pm)	VIRTUS for Children
Monday	(5:30 pm)	SVDP Prayer meeting
	(6:15 pm)	Evening Prayer
	(6:30 pm)	LOYAL
	(7:00 pm)	ENDOW (via Zoom)
Tuesday	(1:00 pm)	Ladies Game Day
	(6:30 pm)	Theology Tuesday
Wednesday	(6:30 am)	TMIY
	(1:00 pm)	Ladies Book Club
	(6:00 pm)	Soup Supper
	(7:00 pm)	Parish Council meeting
Thursday	(6:30 pm)	Catholic Initiation class
Friday	(5:30 pm)	Stations of the Cross
	(6:00 pm)	MSYG
	(8:00 pm)	Stations of the Cross in Vietnamese
Saturday	(7:00 am)	Men's Group
	(9:00 am)	Rosary
	(8:00 pm)	Vietnamese Choir
Sunday	(10:00 am)	Catholic Initiation class
	(10:25 am)	Christian Formation K-12
	(1:00 pm)	VIRTUS for Children



Roanoke Catholic School is seeking a qualified, **full time Lower School Teacher for the 2024-2025 school year**. Qualified candidates will possess a Virginia Department of Education license in the appropriate areas.

Interested candidates should send a resume and email of interest to Gemma Booth, Dean of Faculty at: gbooth@roanokecatholic.com.

Roanoke Catholic School is looking for a **part time Varsity Volleyball Coach**. Interested candidates should direct questions and/or send a Diocesan Application to Shawn Good, Athletic Director, at sgood@roanokecatholic.com.



The Shamrock Hill Run is Saturday, March 15 at 9:00am!

Brought to you by **Roanoke Catholic School**, the 5K and 1-miler gives you a healthy, fun start to all of Roanoke's St. Patrick's Day.

Both races will start and end at Roanoke Catholic and feature a new route that winds its way through Gainsboro and Lick Run Greenway. Medals will be awarded in all men's and women's age groups, along with special prizes to the best St. Patrick's Day costumes following the race at the awards ceremony in Roanoke Catholic's Gillespie Family Gymnasium. Participants as well as the general public are invited.

Race chip-timing provided by Run Roanoke.

Registration is \$35. Race shirts are guaranteed for all who register by **March 7**, though we will do our best to accommodate all registrations.

<https://runsignup.com/Race/VA/Roanoke/ShamrockHillRun>



The **Ancient Order of Hibernians** and the **Knights of Columbus** are co-sponsoring **Lenten fish fries on all Friday's in Lent at Our Lady of Nazareth**: March 7, March 14, March 21, March 28, April 4 and April 11 from 4:00–7:00pm. Cost is \$15 for adults; \$10 children 10 and under. *Proceeds will be used for the charitable purposes of the AOH and the Knights.*

Our Lady of Nazareth Creation Care Ministry invites you to attend Dr. Laura Hartman's presentation "*Creation Care: A Calling for Catholics*". The presentation will be given in the Fellowship Hall at **Our Lady of Nazareth Church on Thursday, March 13 at 6:30pm**. Light refreshments will be provided. *All are welcome!* For more information, contact Diane Koropchak at diane.creationcare@gmail.com.



The **Joseph D. Berna Scholarship** is for **graduating seniors** of Roanoke Catholic High School and graduating seniors who attend Our Lady of Nazareth Catholic Church and/or The Basilica of St. Andrew and plan to attend an accredited college or university in the United States no later than the start of the next academic year. Recipients should be actively involved in the life of their parish and in service to the broader community. **Application deadline is March 10.**



To request an application, email Maggie F. Keenan, Ed.D. at the Catholic Community Foundation at:

mkeen@richmonddiocese.org or call (804) 622-5221.