



BASILICA OF SAINT ANDREW

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APRIL 6, 2025 • FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



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Jesus bent down and began to write on the ground with his finger. But when they continued asking him, he straightened up and said to them, "Let the one among you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." - Jn 8:6b-7

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
9:00–4:00 pm



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)	Jerry Cundiff †
Tuesday	(12:00 pm)	Mesio Manello †
Wednesday	(12:00 pm)	Jeanne Ast †
	(5:30 pm)	Catarina Bizzanelli †
Thursday	(12:00 pm)	Amie Sheridan †
Friday	(12:00 pm)	Brenda Johnson †
Saturday	(5:30 pm)	Wayne Franklin †
Sunday	(7:30 am)	Amie Sheridan †
	(9:00 am)	Don Wolter †
	(11:30 am)	The people of St. Andrew †

† 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.



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All That Remains: The Story of Takashi Nagai - The inspiring life story of Nagasaki atomic bomb survivor and Catholic convert, Dr. Takashi Nagai. (1:53 video)



Sacrificial Giving

Collection Report	Mar 23	Mar YTD
Sunday & Holy Days	\$21,387	\$1,228,016
Maintenance Fund	439	98,244
Total received	21,825	1,326,260
Total income budgeted	25,400	1,174,100
Better (Worse)	(3,575)	152,160

Thank you for your continued support!

Readings of the Week

Sunday: Is 43:16-21/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 (3)/Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11 *Scrutiny:* Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7)/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Jn 8:12-20

Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9/Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21/Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Jn 8:31-42

Thursday: Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 8:51-59

Friday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7/Jn 10:31-42

Saturday: Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13/Jn 11:45-56

Next Sunday: Lk 19:28-40/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 (2a)/Phil 2:6-11/Lk 22:14-23:56 or 23:1-49



For the use of the new technologies - Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.



Jim O'Connor, Jane Lee Baker, Danielle Moore, Madeline Grace, Kiersten Dombrowsky, Nick Hiler, Sandy Blessard, Mike Dilling, Jennifer Midkiff, Carolyn Green, Al Greyson, Robin Boggs, Elizabeth Witherspoon, William Rogers, Steve Dunlap, Meghan Neighbors, Benny Fisher, Janet Hamrick, Darlene Juliana, Leon Vinci, Erin Timmerman, Lisa Spicher, Nicole Cutler, Tom Young, Michael Miller, Chad Lafon, Dylan Kay, Tim Grace, Joe Parker, Tim Hill, Kenneth Archer, Deb Hoffman, Elaine Brugh, Genevieve Johnson, Martha Yengst, Pat Shelor, Karin Shelor, McKenzie Anderson, Nick Leitch, Robert Zublionis, Lucian Metayer, Linda Benda, Ed Mayer, Karen Garnand, Kevin Guardado, Dara Hawkins, Robin Roth, Stuart Hakanson, Lourdes Alba, Mark Pyrak, Hazel Constantino, 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 Joan at jmmchooselife@gmail.com, or Kay at djmdjm@aol.com.

Please pray this week for the conversion to truth for all abortionists and those working in the abortion industry. May our Lord send His Spirit among them and open their hearts to repentance and to recognize these little beings as His gifts of love to our world.

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 next Soup Supper is **Wednesday, April 9 at 6:00pm**. Your \$3 donation supports Operation Rice Bowl.



Join us at 5:30pm for Mass in the Church, before the Soup Supper.



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.

Join us on **April 17 at 5:15pm** for **Holy Thursday Supper** prior to the Mass of the Lord's Supper. The cost is \$15 per person. Sign up by calling the Parish Office at (540) 344-9814 or email jmcintyre@bofsa.org. *Reservations only, no walk-ins for this dinner.*



PLEASE REMEMBER that in case of an emergency, the church is equipped with an AED (automatic external defibrillator). The AED is located next to the doors of the Social Hall adjacent to the restrooms.



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.



Bible Study: *Eternal Rest: The Art of Dying Well*. All Easter season, we celebrate Christ's victory over death. Join us on a journey from death's origin to Christ's final victory at the Cross and Resurrection. *Our 4-week journey starts the week of April 28.* More details will be available next week.

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.



Young Adult Retreat! See details in the half-page ad on the next page of this bulletin!

Want to get connected with LOYAL? Visit:

basilicaofstandrew.org/loyal and fill out the form.

Prayers for Pope Francis: Bishop Knestout has asked us all to join him in praying for an outpouring of grace upon Pope Francis. He has been discharged from the hospital, but let's continue to pray for his healing and perseverance.



The Basilica of Saint Andrew is seeking a qualified and dedicated employee to the new position of Evangelization and Development Coordinator. Please contact the Parish Office at (540) 344-9814 if you are interested.



Madonna House Easter Open House: Bring friends and family to visit anytime between 12:00noon—4:00pm on **Sunday, April 20**. They will have a buffet lunch and traditional Russian Easter koolitch (sweet bread) and Paska (cheese spread). Their intricately decorated pysanky eggs will be on display. The afternoon ends with Solemn Easter Vespers at 4:00pm. *Madonna House will be closed from Monday, April 21—Wednesday, April 23.*

The Catholic Diocese of Richmond **Asian Ministry Retreat** is on **Saturday, April 12** from 8:30am—3:30pm. To register, go to:

<https://richmonddiocese.org/office/asian-ministry-office-of/>

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.

Our **Saturday Morning Men's Group** is taking a break right now. Watch this space for an announcement on when we will resume meetings.

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 *"Persecution in the World."* Contact Jordan Miller at miller.jordanm@icloud.com for more information.



The Men of St. Andrew's (MenSA) will next meet **Tuesday, April 29 at 7:07pm**. Contact Erik at emoledor@bofsa.org with questions or to get added to our email list. **All men are welcome!**

Volunteers needed for the 7Loaves Ministry!

The 7 Loaves Ministry has been active at St. Andrew since 2018 and has helped numerous families by providing short term meal support during challenging times such as illness, death of a loved one, or a new baby! The volunteer commitment is to provide a meal once a month or at least twice a year as your schedule permits. If you love to cook, this could be a perfect fit for you. If you don't love to cook, a store bought meal is just as welcomed and appreciated. For more information and to get involved, go to:



<https://basilicaofstandrew.org/7-loaves-ministry>



Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the **Pontifical Good Friday Collection**, which helps Christians in the Holy Land, where they are now less than 2% of the population. Your support is essential to help the Church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools, and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines of Christianity, including in Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem, to name only a few.

The pandemic had hit Christians in the Holy Land particularly hard. Most of them depend on pilgrimages for work. The war made their situation even more dire. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection is necessary to meet the basic needs of the People of God still living in this Land and to maintain a Christian presence where the Church was born.

For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit www.myfranciscan.org or www.custodia.org.



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.



SAVE THE DATE! Saturday, June 21 is our Sleep in Heavenly Peace Bed Build! We have partnered with Sleep in Heavenly Peace Roanoke for a bed build to help children in our community. For more information, visit our website at:

<https://standrewsva.org/sleepinheavenlypeace> or contact Brian Connell (blconnell76@gmail.com).

Thank you for your generous support of The Catholic Relief Services Collection and for revealing Christ's love to those who are poor and marginalized around the world. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give! Just visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections for more information. #iGiveCatholicTogether also accepts donations for this collection (usccb.igivecatholictogether.org).



Mark your calendars for our annual Vacation Bible School at the Basilica of Saint Andrew! Our wild rollercoaster week is **June 23–27 from 9:00am–Noon**. Our VBS offers a thrilling adventure where kids will discover that choosing Jesus is the best choice of all! Registration available NOW on the VBS page of our parish website, or call the Parish Office at (540) 344-9814 ext. 124. We also have volunteer registration open for both Teens and Adults! *Early Bird registration deadline is May 12.*

HOW TO PRAY LIKE A MONK AND NOT QUIT YOUR DAY JOB A YOUNG ADULT RETREAT

MAY 9 - 11, 2025

Daily mass, adoration, confession, and conferences. \$100 cost covers food, lodging, snacks, and use of the facility, which has a swimming pool, hiking trails, mini golf, and a basketball court.

For more information, email Brennen McCoy at bmccoy@bofsa.org. Registration at basilicaofstandrew.org/loyal



THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

Sunday	(9:00 am)	Catholic Initiation class
	(10:25 am)	Christian Formation K-12
	(4:00 pm)	Confirmation class
	(4:00 pm)	Youth Choir
Monday	(9:00 am)	ENDOW
	(6:30 pm)	Bible Study
Tuesday	(10:00 am)	Nursery meetup
	(1:00 pm)	Ladies Game Day
Wednesday	(6:30 am)	TMIY
	(1:00 pm)	Ladies Book Club
	(6:00 pm)	Soup Supper
	(7:00 pm)	Liturgy Committee meeting
Thursday	(10:00 am)	Bible Study
	(6:30 pm)	Catholic Initiation class
	(6:30 pm)	Bible Study
Friday	(5:30 pm)	Stations of the Cross
	(8:00 pm)	Stations of the Cross in Vietnamese
Saturday	(9:00 am)	Rosary
Sunday	(10:00 am)	Catholic Initiation class
	(10:25 am)	Christian Formation K-12
	(3:00 pm)	Vietnamese Choir
	(4:00 pm)	Youth Choir



RCS is seeking a dedicated and innovative **Computer Science and Robotics Teacher** for **grades 6-12**. The ideal candidate will have a passion for STEM education and the ability to engage students in a dynamic learning environment. This position includes

teaching AP Computer Science, introductory and advanced computer science courses, and robotics. The teacher will foster critical thinking, problem-solving, and creativity in students through hands-on projects and real-world applications. Strong candidates will have at least a Bachelor's degree in Computer Science, Robotics, Engineering, Education or a related field. Teaching certification or willingness to obtain certification is preferred. For more information, please go to:

<https://roanokecatholic.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/Computer-Science-Robotics-Teacher.pdf>.

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter, resume, and three professional references to Jon Templeton at:

jtempleton@roanokecatholic.com.

Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until the position is filled.

Roanoke Catholic School is seeking the following teachers for the 2025-2026 school year:

- o a qualified, **full time Lower School Teacher**
- o a **full-time High School Science Teacher**
- o a qualified **Catholic Theology Teacher**

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.



The **Ancient Order of Hibernians** and the **Knights of Columbus** are co-sponsoring Lenten Fish Frys on all Friday's in Lent at **Our Lady of Nazareth** on **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.*

Knights of Columbus is sponsoring Fish Frys at **Church of the Transfiguration** in Fincastle on **Friday, April 11** from 5:00-7:00pm. The cost is \$12, age 7 and under are free! Little to no wait! Eat in or take out.



Married Couples Retreat – May 2-3, 2025. Join married couples from across the Diocese of Richmond for a married couples retreat at the beautiful Wintergreen Mountain Resort with Catholic authors and speakers, Ennie and Cana Hickman. The retreat will offer keynote presentations, prayer, Mass, Adoration, Reconciliation, and plenty of time for couples to spend with each other in conversation and reflection. For couples of all ages/lengths of marriage. Learn more at <https://evangelizerichmond.org/events/married-couples-retreat-2/>

ROANOKE CATHOLIC

OPEN HOUSE

Wednesday, April 9th
12:00 - 2:00 pm

Meet our faculty, staff, and students, attend an information session, and enjoy a guided tour of our campus.

We look forward to welcoming you!



Scan the QR code to RSVP or contact Melissa Barnard: mbarnard@roanokecatholic.com / 982.3532 ext. 1001