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MAY 18, 2025 • FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



POPE LEO XIV

Vicar of Jesus Christ
Vicario de Jesucristo

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

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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)	Helen Connell †
Tuesday	(12:00 pm)	Joan Alouf †
Wednesday	(12:00 pm)	June Vamenta †
Thursday	(12:00 pm)	Mesio Manello †
Friday	(12:00 pm)	Amie Sheridan †
Saturday	(5:30 pm)	Dorothy & Henry Skellington †
Sunday	(7:30 am)	The people of St. Andrew
	(9:00 am)	Nathaniel Ptaschek †
	(11:30 am)	Gerry McGrath

† 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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Soldiers of the Pope - The story of the Swiss Guard, whose duty is to defend the Holy Father at any cost, giving their own lives if necessary. (50 min video)



Sacrificial Giving

Collection Report	May 4	May YTD
Sunday & Holy Days	\$30,383	\$1,430,782
Maintenance Fund	6,495	116,961
Total received	36,878	1,547,743
Total income budgeted	30,500	1,358,600
Better (Worse)	6,378	189,143

Thank you for your continued support!

Readings of the Week

Sunday: Acts 14:21-27/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 (see 1)/Rv 21:1-5a/Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

Monday: Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16/Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21/Jn 14:27-31a

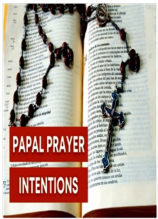
Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Jn 15:1-8

Thursday: Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11

Friday: Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12/Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21

Next Sunday: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (4)/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/Jn 14:23-29



For working conditions - Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfillment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanized.



Melody Hollingsworth, Camden Thepsimuong, Mike Stritmater, Ann Rickards, Anna Black, Maria Nguyen Thi Linh, Trinh Tran, Bernard Nicholas, Raymond Ortiz, Mary Anderson, Sarah Rudolph, Tatiana Cooper, Robert Fulgaro, Matthew Crofton, Cecil Black, Theresa Biggs, Joseph Mendez, Terri Ast, Laura Grace, Jim O'Connor, Jane Lee Baker, Danielle Moore, Madeline Grace, Kiersten Dombrowsky, Nick Hiler, Sandy Blessard, Jennifer Midkiff, Al Greyson, Robin Boggs, Elizabeth Witherspoon, Lisa Spicher, Chad Lafon, Pat Shelor, McKenzie Anderson, Lucian Metayer, Linda Benda, Ed Mayer, Karen Gamand, Kevin Guardado, Dara Hawkins, Robin Roth, Stuart Hakanson, Mark Pyrak, Mary Louise Nackley, 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.

Prayer for Pope Leo XIV

O God, who in your providential design willed that your Church be built upon blessed Peter, whom you set over the other Apostles, look with favor, we pray, on Leo XIV our Pope and grant that he, whom you have made Peter's successor, may be for your people a visible source and foundation of unity in faith and of communion.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

- *The Roman Missal (2011), Prayers for the Pope*



The Annual Migrant Ministry collection begins Memorial Day weekend. Please bring your items to the lower level and place them in the collection boxes. For more information, please see the insert on the next page or call the Parish Office at (540) 344-9814.



There will be a **Baptism preparation class on Monday, June 9, at 7:00pm** in Classroom 2. Parents who have children to be baptized are asked to attend this class before a baptism is scheduled. RSVP for the class by filling out the form on the Baptism page of our website, or by calling Kathy Boyer at (540) 344-9814 ext. 124.

Our last **Women's Club** until Fall is **Monday, June 2, at 11:45am**. We meet in the Social Hall to gather as a group and attend Mass. Our luncheon follows. Please RSVP to Jeannie at jmcintyre@bofsa.org to let us know you will be there!



Mark your calendars for our annual **Vacation Bible School** at the Basilica of St. 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! *Registration deadline is June 2.*

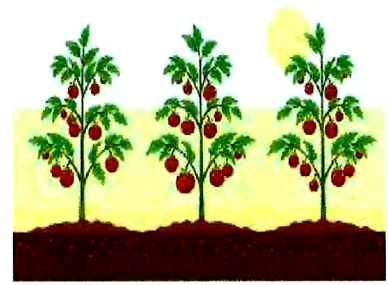


Remember in your prayers these parishioners and family members who are actively serving our country in the military: John Sinclair, Mackenzie Rodgers, Brenna Rodgers, Jacob Kiltz, Cole Hartman, Maximilian Ochalek, James Cooper Fennell, Timothy Dayton, Katherine Dayton, Jonathan Dayton, Alex Boyer, Joe 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.



Migrant Ministry 2025

Collection: May 24 - June 1



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Each year since 2003, the four Catholic parishes in the Roanoke Valley collect basic necessities needed for **2,000+** documented migrants living in **7** camps and working in the fields along Virginia's Eastern Shore during harvest season.

All donations are distributed to the workers by the Migrant Ministry Committee at St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church in Onley, VA on Virginia's Eastern Shore on the DelMarVa Peninsula! Donation boxes will be available **beginning Memorial Day weekend.**

WHAT WE NEED: New or clean, gently-worn donations; washed and folded

Men's Clothing: Summer pants and jeans (38 waist max), sweat pants, shorts, flannel shirts, t-shirts, long-sleeve shirts, hoodies, sweatshirts, lightweight jackets, new/packaged socks & underwear

****Special request for adult male sacrament candidates:** **WHITE** long sleeve and short sleeve new or gently-used collared dress shirts (sizes small or medium); red neckties

Men's Shoes: tennis shoes, short leather boots, sandals, flip-flops (Size 8-10 MAX)

Religious Items: Spanish Bibles and dictionaries; rosaries

Toiletries: Deodorant, shampoo, bars of soap, combs/brushes, toothbrushes/toothpaste

Sun Protection Items: Sunglasses, sunscreen, lip balm, insect repellent, hats, caps

Household Items: lightweight cotton blankets, towels, sheets, washcloths, pots & pans, plastic dishes, laundry detergent, insulated lunch-bags, backpacks, duffle bags, skillets, griddles, plastic ware Window fans (new or very good condition), Soccer balls, basketballs, playing cards

NO Women's Clothing this year

We cannot accept: Medications, baby food, baby formula, swimsuits, liquid bleach, electrical appliances, formal wear (tuxedos/evening gowns), prom dresses, bed pillows, wool and winter-wear, glass and ceramic dishes, placemats, tablecloths, bed skirts, pillow shams, or luggage

Contact the Parish Office with any questions.

Thank you for your ongoing generosity.



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?

Visit basilicaofstandrew.org/loyal and fill out the form.



The Basilica of Saint Andrew will be hosting a **VIRTUS** training on **Sunday, June 8, at 1:00 pm**. In accordance with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People and the Diocese of Richmond, all volunteers who regularly work with children or youth under the age of 18 are required to participate in a VIRTUS "Protecting God's Children for Adults" training session. There is no charge for this training. Register yourself at:

basilicaofstandrew.org/protecting-gods-children.

Questions to Kathy Boyer at (540) 344-9814 ext. 124, or email kboyer@bofsa.org.

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

Our Wednesday morning Men's Rosary group will be meeting in the chapel at 8:30am starting this week.
No need to sign up!



Our Saturday Morning Men's Group is on break for the summer. Watch this space in the fall for information on a new meeting schedule.

Our *That Man Is You* group has finished its spring program and is on break. Watch this space for information on our summer program.



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



The *Men of St. Andrew's (MenSA)* will next meet **Tuesday, June 3 at 7:07pm**. Note the change in date from our usual last Tuesday of the month.

Contact Erik at emoledor@bofsa.org with questions or to get added to our email list.

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.



Volunteers needed for the 7 Loaves 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 then a store bought meal is just as welcome and appreciated. For more information and to get involved, go to:

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

Join the ladies of St. Andrew for a **Book Club** meeting on **Wednesday, May 21 at 1:00pm** in the downstairs classroom. *All ladies are welcome to attend!*



THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

Sunday	(10:00 am)	Christian Initiation
	(10:15 am)	Christian Initiation for Children
Monday	(9:00 am)	SAMs Mini Retreat
	(5:30 pm)	SVDP Prayer
	(6:30 pm)	Bible Study
Tuesday	(10:00 am)	Nursery meetup
	(6:30 pm)	Theology Tuesday
Wednesday	(1:00 pm)	Ladies Book Club
	(5:30 pm)	Evening prayer
Thursday	(10:00 am)	Bible Study
	(6:30 pm)	Bible Study
	(6:30 pm)	OCIA class
Saturday	(9:00 am)	Rosary
Sunday	(10:00 am)	Christian Initiation

Our second collection this weekend, **May 17/18**, is for the **St. Vincent de Paul Society**. These funds help people in our community with emergency needs.

Our second collection next weekend, **May 24/25**, is for **Diocesan Home Missions**. These funds help parishes with pastoral services including religious education and ministry training.

Please give generously!



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



Roanoke Catholic School is seeking a full-time **High School Science Teacher** for the 2025-2026 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.

Host families needed for exchange students:

International students who wish to attend Roanoke Catholic School are in need of host families. If you are interested in hosting a student, please contact MJ Sullivan at (540) 816-9643 or Anna Marie Sullivan at (540) 816-0711.



Learn more at <https://host.yfu.org/>

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 details, please contact Brian Connell at blconnell76@gmail.com.



Please visit our website at:

<https://basilicaofstandrew.org/sleepinheavenlypeace>

LEBANESE FESTIVAL



ROANOKE, VA

First Weekend after Labor Day | Friday, Sept. 9 – Sunday, Sept. 11

The **Roanoke Lebanese Festival** is **Saturday, May 30–Sunday, June 1**. Come out for three days of food, fun, and culture presented by St. Elias Maronite Catholic Church. Free admission and parking. You can order online and takeout is available.

For more information, please go to: Lebanesefestival.steliaschurch.org