



SAINT BEDE

Catholic Church

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2024 | SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Welcome Home!



Welcome to Saint Bede Catholic Church, whether you're just visiting us for a brief time, looking for a new parish home, returning to the practice of your Catholic faith, or interested in discovering more about the Catholic Church, we're happy to have you here.

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6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

A leper came to Jesus and kneeling down begged him and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean." - Mk 1:40

6° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

En aquel tiempo, se le acercó a Jesús un leproso para suplicarle de rodillas: "Si tú quieres, puedes curarme".

- Mc 1, 40

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"Unfurl the sails, and let God steer us where He will." - Saint Bede

SANCTUARY CANDLE

Those seeking Sacraments at Easter

RIP

Anne Laib

Robert Napora

PRAYER REQUESTS**May the healing hand of God rest on these people and all others in need.**

Sandra Alley	Darius Polanski
Alonso Family	Lisa Porto
Andrea Emilia Bernebey	Langdon Richardson
Marilyn Arca	Rios Family
Jerry Baum	R. Roitmayer
Caceres Family	Kenny Rood
Gustavo Caceres	Patty Rood
Sandra Chatlos	Clare Robinson
Ande Dawson	Daniel O. Rodriguez
Cynthia Esaher	Santa Cruz Family
Stephanie Gallas	Garrett Saxon
Richard George	Ed Schmidt
Weldon "Herb" George	Paul Schmidt
Cindy Germain	Kathy Sol
Joe Gordineer	Maureen Sotis
Sonny Halors	Spears Family
Richard Hamon	Mike Stephens
Sasha L. Haynie	Maureen Tuite
Joanne Jacoby	Suzanne Weber
Elizabeth Jenkins	Baby Whitley
Karen Kessler	
Lerner Family	
Arne Laur	
Claire Lee	
Cathy Luksic	
Margie Lynch	
Rose Murphy	
Corita O'Brien	
Frank Pappacoda	

OUR TROOPS

Cullen Anderson	James M. Ryan
Whit Armbruster	Logan Sarina
Kellen Baye	Anders Stanke
Ryan Carey	Erica Stanke
Brian Connolly	Lee Stephens
Adam Dillon	Edward A. Ustaris
Matt Gray	Jonathan Weiler
Patrick Hart	Veronica Williams
David Holland	
Sorena Jean	
Thorin Jean	
Nicholas Koch	

MASS INTENTIONS**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10**

5:30 pm Estelle & Mike Cranston †
Joseph Leigh †
Keith Traenkle †

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11

8:30 am Gonzales Davlo †
Amy Lattavio †
Mary Tillotson †
11:00 am John Elias † Joe Leigh †
Virginia Kushnick †
2:00 pm Luisa Garcia †
Virginia Subias Salazar †
5:00 pm Parishioners

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

9:00 am John Gignac †
Veronica Podrasky †
Helen Rumpf †

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

7:00 am Liturgy of the Word w/Ashes
9:00 am Mass w/Ashes;
Carol Bonesteel †
Lewis Dixon †
Tony Obadal †
12:00 pm Liturgy of the Word w/Ashes
5:15 pm Mass w/Ashes
7:15 pm Mass w/Ashes – Español

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

9:00 am Daniel Pearson

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

9:00 am MaryEllen Pitard †
Arthur Shields †
Kristen Smith †

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

5:30 pm Parishioners

Subject to change if there is a funeral or if a celebrant is unavailable

MASS AND RECONCILIATION TIMES**DAILY MASS**

Tuesday - Friday	9:00 am
1st Saturday	9:00 am

RECONCILIATION

Tuesday/Friday	8:00 am - 8:45 am
Wednesday	7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Saturday	3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

ADORATION

Monday	7:00 am - 5:00 pm
Wednesday	7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Friday	9:45 am - 11:00 am

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday Vigil	5:30 pm
Sunday	8:30 am
	11:00 am
(Español)	2:00 pm
	5:00 pm

**Sunday Mass is also
live-streamed at 8:30 am and
2:00 pm**

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Articles should be submitted two weeks prior before the weekend you want it printed.

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WHOM DO I CONTACT FOR SPANISH INQUIRIES?

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

First Reading:

"As long as the sore is on him he shall declare himself unclean, since he is in fact unclean. He shall dwell apart, making his abode outside the camp." (Lv 13:8)

Psalm:

I turn to you, Lord, in time of trouble, and you fill me with the joy of salvation. (Ps 32)

Second Reading:

Whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God. (1Cor 10:31)

Gospel:

Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean."
 The leprosy left him immediately, and he was made clean. (Mk 1:41-42)

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WEEKLY READINGS

Sunday:

Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11 (7)/1 Cor 10:31–11:1/Mk 1:40-45

Monday:

Jas 1:1-11/Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76/Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday:

Jas 1:12-18/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19/Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday:

Jl 2:12-18/2 Cor 5:20–6:2/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday:

Dt 30:15-20/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 9:22-25

Friday:

Is 58:1-9a/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19/Mt 9:14-15

Saturday:

Is 58:9b-14/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 5:27-32

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LENTEN DISCIPLINES OF FASTING & ABSTINENCE

Catholics in good health ages 18 to 59 are required to fast and to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Fasting consists of eating only one meal, with the possibility of two smaller snacks that do not add up to a single full meal.

Catholics age 14 and older are to abstain from meat on all Fridays in Lent.

Join us for Lenten Suppers



Saint Bede Council
No. 6828 of the Knights of
Columbus is hosting meatless
Lenten meals each Friday during
Lent, from 6-7 pm in Kaplan Parish
Hall.

All are welcome and freewill
donations will be accepted. The
weekly menu includes:

16 Feb – Fish Fry
23 Feb – Soup Supper
variety of soups and
grilled cheese

1 Mar – Fish Fry
8 Mar – Eggs, pancakes, and
potatoes
15 Mar – Fish Fry
22 Mar – Spaghetti Marinara, Salad,
Garlic bread



MARDI GRAS

A Taste Of Mardi Gras!

It's time to celebrate Mardi Gras and the burning of
the palms

Tuesday February 13, 2024 6:30 pm — 8:00 pm

The Scouts of Saint Bede invite you to come enjoy the
flavors of New Orleans. There will be food, fun, and
fellowship.

There will be **Homemade Jambalaya, Gumbo,
and King Cake!**

We will also have New Orleans own **Café Du
Monde** coffee (and tea/lemonade as well)!



National Marriage Week

National Marriage Week (Feb. 7-14) is an opportunity to focus on building a culture of life and love that begins with supporting and promoting marriage and the family. The week's theme, "Marriage... one flesh, given and received," highlights the one-flesh union of husband and wife that is willed by God. It also indicates the personal self-gift of each spouse, one to the other. These concepts point to Christ who gives Himself under the appearance of bread and wine – as real flesh and blood.

📅 February 7, 2024 - February 14, 2024

GOSPEL MEDITATION

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Recently I had a skin rash, and it was awful. (Please don't tell anyone.) I am embarrassed to admit that I didn't handle it well. Complaining, whining, begging for sympathy, and crying

were my responses to the merciless itching and burning. In the aftermath, a silver lining emerged. I feel a new heartfelt sympathy for all those vexed with chronic skin problems. If you've ever had a seemingly unending skin problem, you know how that sympathy flows up from deep inside.

This gut-level compassion is something like what the Gospel describes in Jesus when the sore-covered leper says, "If you will it, you can make me clean." At this, just before the healing, Jesus was "moved with compassion." The Greek word used here is strong and earthy, closer to "his bowels and guts trembled with the deepest emotions of sadness, pity, and love." In Jesus, God heals our infirmities not from a divine distance but by learning what it feels like to be us. He acquires first-hand experience of what it costs us to be afflicted and still be faithful to God. He sympathizes with the burning, itching, and blistering of human existence in the deepest, first-hand way. To discover that is to touch Jesus' heart.

What in your life, right now, is breaking out like diseased skin? What is getting worse the more you try to soothe it? Perhaps only you feel it. Or maybe it's exposed to all. A bad habit, broken relationship, loneliness, fear of failure, self-hatred? Name it, and then find a way to bring it confidently to Jesus who will feel what we are feeling, and thereby heal us.

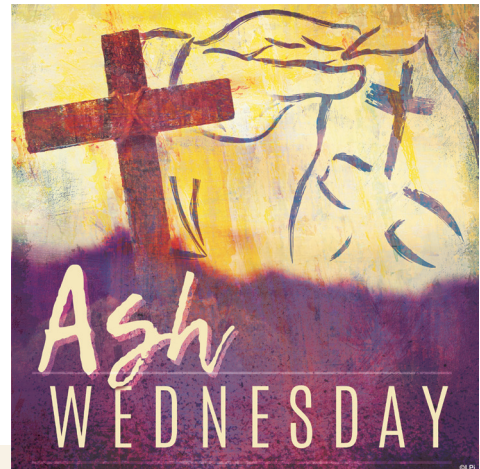
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USHERS NEEDED

There are many ministries that support the activities of our parish, and one that is in immediate need of your help is the Usher Ministry. Help is needed at all Masses, but particularly for the Sunday 11am and 5pm Mass.

Please consider giving of your time in this ministry of

hospitality to others. If you would like more information or have questions, please contact the usher coordinator, Jim Carini (757) 221-0972 or by email Jim.Carini@Cox.Net



FEBRUARY 14

7:00 AM	LITURGY OF THE WORD W/ DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES
9:00AM	MASS W/DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES
12:00PM	LITURGY OF THE WORD W/ DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES
5:15PM	MASS W/DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES
7:15PM	MASS W/DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES – EN ESPAÑOL

Time and Talent

BRING OUR MOST SACRED TREASURE

The Body and Blood of Jesus Christ—to fellow parishioners at Masses.

Additional Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are needed. One must have a love for Christ in the Eucharist and be a fully initiated Catholic in good standing with the Church.

Training will be Monday, February 12 at 6:00pm in the church. Contact our Eucharistic Ministry coordinator, Emma McMillan, emmamcmillan@cox.net if interested

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06 EVANGELIZATION & FAITH FORMATION

Sunday, February 11, 2024 | Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time

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UPCOMING YOUNG ADULT EVENTS

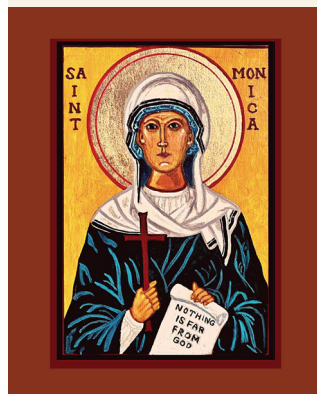
FEBRUARY 13 - NO TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY

FEBRUARY 15 - TRIVIA

Thursday, Young Adult Trivia will be at Virginia Beer Company, 401 2nd St. Williamsburg, VA 23185

Young Adult Ministry is for ages 18-39. Please feel free to email **Daniel Mehr** with any questions.

COMING IN FEBRUARY!! ST. MONICA MINISTRY



Most Catholics have children, siblings or relatives that are no longer practicing their faith!

Would you like to get involved with a new ministry at St Bede? The St Monica Ministry is a group of people who gather for support and prayer in regards to fallen away Catholics.

For more information or to get connected, visit our Adult Formation Page <https://bedeva.org/adult> or email Deacon Grimm at ppalm@bedeva.org

THE SPIRITUAL TREASURES OF SAINT BONAVENTURE

Saint Bonaventure was a medieval theologian, philosopher, teacher, and Cardinal who spent his life enriching the Catholic Church and the Franciscan Order with his profound love for Jesus.

Join us during Lent to learn more about the teachings of this wonderful saint and how his spirituality can truly deepen our love for Jesus Christ during the Lenten Season.

Classes will be offered on Fridays during Lent:
February 16 @ 10:00 am (Trinity)
February 23 @ 10:00 am (Creation)
March 1 @ 10:00 am (Humanity)
March 8 @ 10:00 am (Incarnation)



YOUTH BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAYS STARTING FEBRUARY 21 | 6-7 PM

Come, journey through Lent together. Each week, we will prepare our hearts, study the readings, and reflect on our journey for the upcoming Sunday of Lent. We will have five Wednesday evening sessions starting on February 21st from 6-7 in the Youth Room. This bible study is for youth grades 6-12. Please feel free to invite a friend. If you have any questions, please contact Brittney Kinstetter at bkinstetter@bedeva.org. Please register online at www.bedeva.org/youthbiblestudy



MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

SEXTO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO



En la actualidad, a pesar del avance de la medicina, existen enfermedades incurables. ¿Cuáles son las enfermedades incurables ahora? ¿De qué padecemos? ¿Quiénes son los leprosos actuales? ¿Qué personas son las expulsadas de la ciudad y

de la sociedad? En tiempo de Jesús, era la lepra; los enfermos, al adquirir esta enfermedad, eran expulsados de la ciudad y no podían acercarse a las personas sanas. Hoy, Jesús sigue haciendo milagros de todo tipo, sigue curando, tocando y aliviando a los necesitados. Acercarse al pobre significa luchar y comprometerse con su persona para que salga de su pobreza y enfermedad. ¿Cómo tocamos y ayudamos a los que sufren en la sociedad actual?

La curación del leproso del Evangelio nos dice que Jesús tocó al leproso sin temor a contagiarse. Su compasión se muestra con el diálogo entre ambos: «Se le acercó un leproso, que se arrodilló ante él y le suplicó: **“Si quieres, puedes limpiarme”**. **Sintiendo compasión, Jesús extendió la mano y lo tocó diciendo: “Quiero, queda limpio”**» (Marcos 1, 40-41). Jesús rompe las reglas al tocar el leproso, lo importante en este caso era la empatía, la compasión, el ser uno con el otro. Lo que hizo Jesús le traerá consecuencias fatales, romper la ley no era aceptable. El acercamiento con respeto a los enfermos significa una muestra de amor grande para ellos. Salgamos de nuestra burbuja, busquemos a los que sufren, que, con seguridad, están en la familia y amigos. ¡No seamos indiferentes a su sufrimiento!

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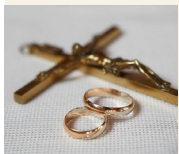
RITO DE ENVÍO Y RITO DE ELECCIÓN DE CATECÚMENOS - FEB 17 -18

Oremos por todos los Catecúmenos de la Parroquia que buscan ser iniciados plenamente en la fe en la Vigilia Pascual.



¡SEMANA NACIONAL DEL MATRIMONIO! DEL 7-14 DE FEB.

Oración por Nuestro Matrimonio



Dios Todopoderoso, te pedimos que bendigas nuestro matrimonio con tu gracia y amor eterno. Fortalece nuestros lazos y ayúdanos a crecer en unidad, respeto y amor mutuo. Que tu presencia divina sea el centro de nuestro hogar y que tu paz y alegría nos acompañen siempre. Amén.

COMIENZA LA CUARESMA- TIEMPO DE AYUNO, LIMOSNA Y ORACIÓN

Miércoles de Ceniza - Misa en español - 14 febrero a las 7:15pm

AYUNO: Católicos mayores de 18 años y menores de 59. Sólo una comida al día es permitida en ayuno. Dos comidas adicionales pequeñas son permitidas por el día, si, no sobrepasen en cantidad la comida principal. **Días de Ayuno: Miércoles de Ceniza y el Viernes Santo.**

ABSTINENCIA: Para católicos mayores de 14 años. No se permite comer carne en días de abstinencia, a menos que esto ocasione problemas de salud. **Días de Abstinencia: Miércoles de Ceniza, todos los viernes durante la cuaresma y el Viernes Santo**



ORAR AYUNAR DAR

VIA CRUCIS EN ESPAÑOL Y CENA POR LOS CABALLEROS DE COLÓN

Todos los viernes de Cuaresma a las 6pm, comenzando 16 febrero



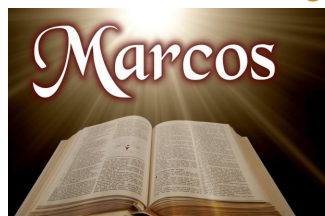
CONVIVIO PARROQUIAL

Convivio Parroquial antes de Cuaresma martes, 13 feb 6:30-8pm

Al final del Convivio, se quemarán las palmas secas del año pasado para las cenizas de este año. ¡Traiga las suyas! **HAY QUE INSCRIBIRSE**, vea link en facebook y website de iglesia.



ESTUDIO DEL EVANGELIO DE SAN MARCOS – TODOS LOS MARTES @ 7PM POR ZOOM



Sólo necesita su Biblia y un corazón abierto a la Palabra del Señor. Si no tiene Biblia, tenemos disponibles. ¿Preguntas? Llame a Ileana al 910 689 5603

Inscríbese aquí para el link :<http://tinyurl.com/4skxjd98>

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STEWARDSHIP UPDATE



Quilts of Valor local group, Patriots Triangle, recently awarded Deacon Bill Westerman a quilt for his 22+ years of military service to our country.

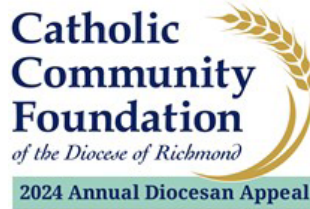
The non-profit Foundation awards quilts, across the country, to military veterans "touched by war" with comforting and healing quilts. They will be awarding quilts to some Knights of Columbus members later this month. Do you know an active military service member or veteran to recognize and honor with a Quilt of Valor?

Visit www.qovf.org and click on Nominations. email: ptqov.wmbg@gmail.com

STEWARDSHIP VERSE OF THE WEEK

Brothers and sisters,
Whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do,
do everything for the glory of God.
Avoid giving offense, whether to the Jews or Greeks or
the church of God,
just as I try to please everyone in every way,
not seeking my own benefit but that of the many,
that they may be saved.
Be imitators of me, as I am of Christ.

STEWARDSHIP RESOURCES AND REMINDERS:



The 2024 Annual Diocesan Appeal is next weekend February 17/18. The Appeal benefits the parish and the diocese in many ways.

For our parish and community, we are able to support:

1. Seminarian formation for one of our parishioners
2. Fuel and Hunger Fund
3. Respect Life grants for the House of Mercy
4. Catholic Campus Ministry at the College of William & Mary.

We hope you will prayerfully consider this request. For those of you who did not receive a mailing or have not had time to respond to it, we will conduct our In-Pew Process at all Masses during the weekends of February 17th/18th and February 24th/25th. You can also use the QR code here to link to the Annual Diocesan Appeal site.

An important aspect of the Appeal is that all parishes receive back a portion of their funds collected to be used for important local priorities. Thank you in advance for your support of the 2024 Appeal.



KOVAR

The Knights of Columbus will be in the Commons this weekend collecting donations for KOVAR. KOVAR supports Virginians with Intellectual Disability [ID]. Please make checks payable to KOVAR. There is also an online donation ability using this QR code.



UPCOMING EVENTS

KOVAR - FEBRUARY 3-4 & 10-11

NEWCOMERS RECEPTION

February 11 after the 11 am Mass in Kaplan Parish Hall

LENTEN DINNERS - FRIDAYS AT 6PM

FEBRUARY 16 - Fish Fry

ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL- FEBRUARY 17-18



**Thank you
COFM Volunteers
for your help!**

We are grateful to the mission of COFM that enables our community to become a place of respite for those precariously housed. We are made instruments of His peace in our assistance to others.



SAINT BEDE
Catholic Church



**EXPERIENCE THE
WALSINGHAM WAY.**

Walsingham Tuition Assistance

Goepper Fund Tuition

Assistance Applications for Walsingham Academy 2024-2025 school year are available through the Pastor's Office. The source of this funding is the Goepper Scholarship Fund created by a bequest from H. Holtman Goepper to assist young people, who are members of Saint Bede parish, in achieving a Catholic education through attendance at Walsingham Academy.

Applicants must be practicing Catholics, registered and contributing members of Saint Bede Parish. Please call (757) 229-3631 or stop by the parish office to pick up an application. Applications must be submitted to the Pastor's Office no later than Friday, April 26, 2024

TAX TIME

Williamsburg AARP Tax-Aide

Williamsburg AARP Tax Aide provides free tax return preparation to taxpayers with low to moderate income and with special attention to those aged 60 and older. Service is provided out of both the downtown and Croaker Rd libraries. Walk-ins are welcome, but for those wishing to make appointments, phone lines and a new on-line easy-to-use website are available. Hours and appointment details are below:

Williamsburg Library
515 Scotland Street
Mon-Wed: 9am-6pm
Thurs-Fri: 9am-2pm
Sat: 10am-3pm
(757) 354-1260

James City County Library
7770 Croaker Road
Mon & Thurs: 9am-5pm
Sat: 10am-2pm
(757) 561-0545

WilliamsburgJamesCityTaxaide.as.me

