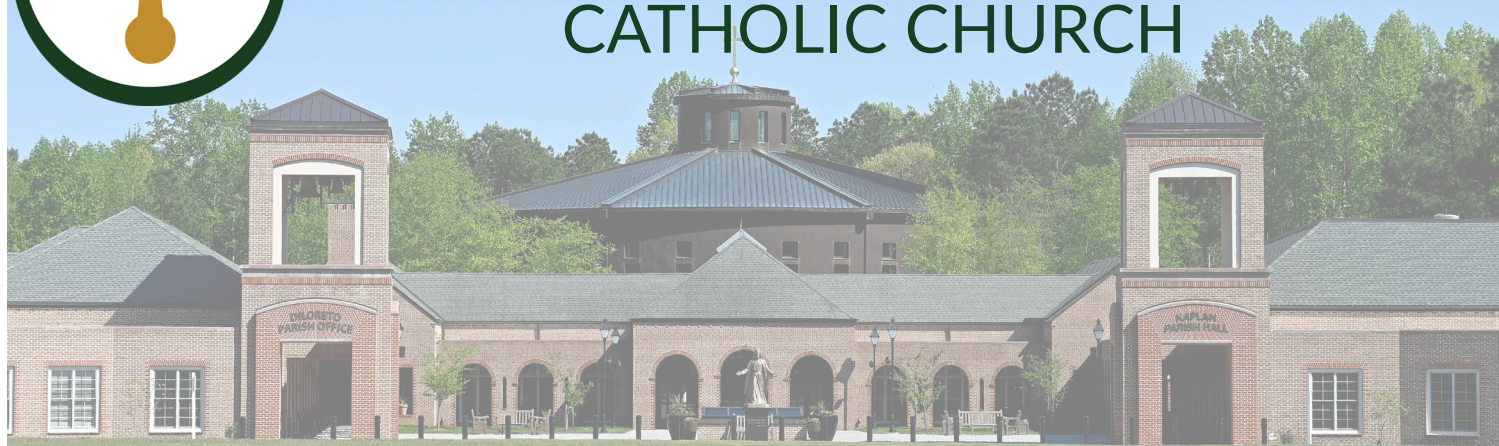


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CATHOLIC CHURCH



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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SUNDAY, JUNE 30, 2024 | THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He took the child by the hand and said to her, "Talitha kum," which means, "Little girl, I say to you, arise!" - Mk 5:41

13º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

La tomó de la mano y le dijo: "¡Talitá, kum!", que significa: "¡Oyeme, niña, levántate!" - Mc 5, 41

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"Christ is the Morning Star, who opens everlasting day." - Saint Bede

SANCTUARY CANDLE



Dick Gonyea

REST IN PEACE

Alberto Gonzalez

PRAYER REQUESTS



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

Linda Alberti	Corita O'Brien
Patrick Alberti	Nicol Orzech Family
Marilyn Arca	David Osstead
Jerry Baum	Frank Pappacoda
Andrea Bernabey	Lisa Porto
William Booze	Michael Randall
Sandra Chatlos	Bob Rasmussen
Gerald DellaSala	Lynn Ray Family
Walter Doran	Langdon Richardson
Kathy Drozdowski	Mary L Richardson
Cynthia Esher	Hermana Contreras Rivas
Stephanie Gallas	Kenny Rood
Richard George	Patty Rood
Joe Gordineer	Clare Robinson
Annette Gross	Daniel O. Rodriguez
Sonny Halvors	Ned Ruckner
Michelle Hall	Garrett Saxon
Richard Hamon	Ed Schmidt
Ellen Hendricks	Paul Schmidt
Karen Kessler	Kathy Sol
Kysha	Maureen Sotis
Claire Lee	Spears Family
Cathy Luksic	Mike Stephens
Margie Lynch	Samantha Stevens
Barbara Moon	Maureen Tuite
Ed Montgomery	Nancy Vanderhoof
Rose Murphy	Barbara Wall
Mary O'Connell	Colin Watson

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	Jasper Swan
Matt Gray	Edward A. Ustaris
Patrick Hart	Jonathan Weiler
David Holland	Veronica Williams
Sorena Jean	
Thorin Jean	
Nicholas Koch	



SATURDAY, JUNE 29

5:30 pm Madeleine Schneider †
Art Shields †

SUNDAY, JUNE 30

8:30 am Mamie Dolph †
Cathe Harris †
Otto Payonzeck †
11:00 am Parishioners
2:00 pm Jose Luis Cruz †
Jose Trinidad DeHaro Salas †
5:00 pm Fr. Anthony Ferguson

TUESDAY, JULY 2

9:00 am Ted Astemborski †
Mary Buser †
Dick Gonyea †

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3

9:00 am Joseph Lavelle †
Diana MacElroy †
Ling Ngo †

THURSDAY, JULY 4

No Mass

FRIDAY, JULY 5

No Mass

SATURDAY, JULY 6

9:00 am Pat Moore
Cathy White
5:30 pm Ted Cors †
Alexander John Dennis †

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



DAILY MASS

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



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

WEEKEND MASS

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



Monday 7:00 am - 5:00 pm
Wednesday 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

PLEASE NOTE:

In observance of the 4th of July holiday, the church and parish office will be closed Thursday, July 4 and Friday, July 5. There will be no Mass, Reconciliation, or Holy Hour those days.

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

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BULLETIN DEADLINES

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

During holidays deadlines will be earlier. Please check with communications for any questions you may have.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK



THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading:

But by the envy of the devil, death entered the world. (Wis 2:24)

Psalm:

I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me. (Ps 30)

Second Reading:

Not that others should have relief while you are burdened, but that as a matter of equality your abundance at the present time should supply their needs, so that their abundance may also supply your needs, that there may be equality. (2 Cor 8:13-14)

Gospel:

He took the child by the hand and said to her, "Talitha koum," which means, "Little girl, I say to you, arise!" (Mk 5:41)

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WEEKLY READINGS

Sunday:

Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13 (2a)/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

Monday:

Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23/Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday:

Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8/Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday:

Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 20:24-29

Thursday:

Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 9:1-8

Friday:

Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131/Mt 9:9-13

Saturday:

Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 9:14-17

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With Gratitude for Your Ministry and Service, Father



Thank you!
AND FAREWELL

FATHER ANTHONY FERGUSON



This weekend we say farewell to Father Anthony Ferguson. As he leaves Saint Bede parish, he can be assured of our heartfelt appreciation, love and prayers.

The gifts that Father Anthony has shared with us will remain and will be a reminder for us all to share our faith with others.

From all your family here at Saint Bede, goodbye and God bless. We wish you well in your new assignment.



FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY DEVOTION - JULY 6

Is prayed on the first Saturday of each month following 9:00am Mass in the Nave. All are invited on Saturday, July 6 to pray the Rosary led by members of the Legion of Mary and Knights of Columbus.

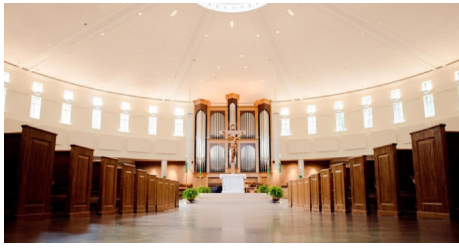
HOLY HOUR INTENTION

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3 FOR OUR COUNTRY



04 LITURGY & MUSIC

Sunday, June 30, 2024 | Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 30, 2024

SUNDAY:

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MONDAY:

St. Junipero Serra, Priest

TUESDAY:

None

WEDNESDAY:

St. Thomas, Apostle

THURSDAY:

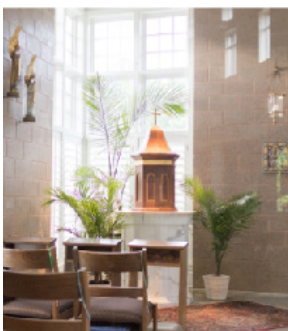
Independence Day

FRIDAY:

St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; St. Elizabeth of Portugal

SATURDAY:

St. Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr



GOSPEL MEDITATION

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Sin isn't given its due these days. Downplaying sin is dangerous. But there is also another spiritual misstep in which we make way too big a deal out of sin. It happens, for example, when we persistently wonder if our confessed sins are "really" forgiven, or suspiciously ponder what God "really" thinks about us, behind His merciful face. Or when someone returns to Church, and we question whether his or her conversion was

genuine. Or when we commit some sin and put on a sad face for days, thinking, "Maybe my sins are too great for God to deal with." God save us from that attitude!

Well, he does just that, this week, in the raising of Jairus' daughter. The dead twelve-year-old's house is filled with a spirit of excessive moaning and groaning, tumultuous weeping and wailing. They even laugh at Jesus in a mocking tone. It's shocking how easy it is for him to raise the dead child. It is equivalent to gently waking a kid from a light nap. And then he sends her off to get some lunch. No big whoop. The overactive drama is actually part of the problem, and removing it is a key part of the miracle.

Friends, sin can and does kill, but Jesus is always ready and able to raise us back to life, often without much hullabaloo. His ease of forgiving should never be a pretext for presumption, minimizing sin, or taking lightly the cost he pays for our sins on the cross. But for God's sake, we often need Jesus to put out the weepers and wailers. He's the Lord. And remember, the girl is not dead, she's just sleeping.

SAINT OF THE WEEK



Venerable Antonietta Meo, born in Rome, died of bone cancer at just 6 years old. In her short life she wrote hundreds of little letters to Jesus and Mary displaying a deep spiritual maturity and had a profound understanding of the redemptive value of suffering.

Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Talitha kum. Girl, arise! Jesus said this to the dead daughter of the synagogue official, and she obeyed. Listen for his voice when you are weighed down, burdened with doubt or misery, for he says it to you, too. Arise!

Jesus said to the synagogue official, "Do not be afraid; just have faith." When they arrived at the house of the synagogue official, he caught sight of a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. So he went in and said to them, "Why this commotion and weeping? The child is not dead but asleep."

- Mk 5:36bc, 38-39

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

THE TOUCH OF CHRIST

For a long time, I didn't understand why the virtual Masses of the pandemic were so wearisome to me. Theoretically, shouldn't it be a tired mother's dream, fulfilling her Sunday obligation from the couch, not having to worry how much noise the kids are making? But it wasn't. Seeing Mass without experiencing it left me hungry. It left me starving. Then a wise priest explained it to me. "Watching virtual Mass is like taking a virtual shower," he said.

Grace might not be something we can see with our eyes, but it is very much something that is transmitted physically. Jesus has a human body for a reason. He needs to touch people. We see that nowhere more clearly than in this Gospel. The crowds are pressing on him, everyone trying to get close, everyone trying to share his space. The hemorrhaging woman claws her way through, desperate to make physical contact with him, any part of him, even his cloak. The synagogue official begs Jesus to come and "lay hands" on his daughter, knowing that this is the only way for her to survive. He doesn't ask for Jesus' good thoughts or approving gaze. He knows that isn't what he needs. In the Gospels, Jesus saves people chiefly through his own touch because he wants to show us — you and me, sitting in the pews — something very important about how we are saved. But where do you and I find the touch of Jesus Christ? Where do you and I find salvation? It's in the water flowing over the infant's forehead. It's in the Host dissolving on our tongues. It's in the oil that is pressed to the skin of the confirmand, the dying man, and the brand-new priest. It's in the embrace of the newly married couple. It's in the extended hand of the priest as he says, "Your sins are forgiven." It's still here, two thousand years later. It's still waiting for us to reach out and grasp it.

"If I but touch his clothes, I shall be cured." — Mark 5:28

WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED -

FACE-TO-FACE CONFESSION

QUESTION:

In today's digital world, do we really need to be face-to-face with a priest to confess our sins? Would Facetime or Zoom ever be allowed?

ANSWER:

The question of whether or not Catholics can celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation virtually (via social media, by phone, or in some other way) is a question that has actually been around for several years. The recent COVID-19 pandemic brought the question back in a new way, especially as many parishes were forced to introduce a sort of "social distanced" confession, with the sacrament being celebrated outdoors.

In reflecting on this question, however, there are a couple points that we want to keep in mind. First, as the Code of Canon Law observes in different places, the faithful have a right to the sacraments of the Church and the Church's ministers have a responsibility to make them accessible. At the same time, however, we always have to be sure that we respect the nature of the sacraments themselves.

Although modern forms of technology and communication can help us in our work of evangelization catechesis, the Pontifical Council for Social Communication has reminded us that, "Virtual reality is no substitute for the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist, the sacramental reality of the other sacraments, and shared worship in a flesh and blood human community."

There are no sacraments on the internet" (The Church and the Internet, no. 9). Although our encounters with others on the internet and via social media can be considered "real" in one sense, in the sacraments we encounter Christ in a personal and ecclesial way. It is never just a private experience but is always grounded in the life of the Church and this means that it must truly be personal, including the contact between the confessor and the penitent. While the convenience or ease of online celebrations might be appealing for many reasons, at heart, we always want to keep in mind the fullness of the Church's tradition and the meaning of the sacraments.

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Prayer

Lord, help me get out of bed quickly to learn about your world.

Mission for the Week

Make a Get Well card and give it to someone who is sick.

CONNECT WITH US!

We are back on social media! Be sure to like and follow us on Facebook and Instagram! Search for Saint Bede Youth on Facebook and Instagram. Encourage your teens to follow to stay up to date on prayer, service, and community opportunities coming up.



THANK YOU !! VOLUNTEERS AND STAFF

We would like to thank all the over 100 wonderful volunteers who have made our VBS experience a memorable one.

The children have enjoyed every day and had lots of fun as well as many faith learning and music moments. We have over 130 children and we look forward to 2025 VBS.

Bellow are some photos from the beginning of VBS Week.





PARENT YOUTH MINISTRY TEAMS

This year, we will be adding an opportunity for parental involvement to our program with different teams within the umbrella of Youth Ministry.

Please prayerfully consider where God is calling you to help with the program in the upcoming year. It is a beautiful testament to your teens when they see you offering your time and talents to the ministry that helps to raise them spiritually.



YOU CAN SIGN UP FOR MORE THAN ONE TEAM.

1. Core Team works directly with the teens in small groups on Sunday!
2. Social Events Team will help build the community by helping to organize fun events where teens can encounter God through building community with their peers.
3. Hospitality Team will help set up, serve food, and clean up at our youth events and Sunday Evenings.
4. Prayer Team will establish a prayer network so that every one of our teens is being covered in prayer throughout the year.
5. Retreat Team will help run the various retreats/ trips we have throughout the year.
6. Music Team will consist of teens and adults with a passion to praise our Lord through song.

FRIENDSHIP BRACELET DONATIONS WANTED!



Saint Bede Youth Ministry wants to share the friendship and love of Christ with others!

Our youth ministry will meet together to make friendship bracelets before our youth conference in Steubenville, OH. There will be thousands of youth at the conference, and we want to have an ample supply of bracelets to share before we get there!

Any help you are able to provide is appreciated! If there are other friendship bracelet materials you'd like to donate, please feel free to deviate from the list.

Please use this link. https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/s/3AEMB2KIG4YJZ?ref_=wl_share

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Clase es pre-requisito para escoger la fecha
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FORMACIÓN EN LA FE/ CATECISMO -GRADOS PREK3 A 8 GRADOS - VIERNES @ 6PM

Ileana Garcia (910) 689-5603

PREPARACIÓN SACRAMENTAL (RECONCILIACIÓN, COMUNIÓN, CONFIRMACIÓN)

Niños de 7 a 18 años (Bautizados)
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LLAME POR LO MENOS 9 MESES ANTES DE LA FECHA

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GRUPO DE FE ADULTOS – MEDITANDO EN EL EVANGELIO, MARTES - 7PM POR ZOOM

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GRUPO DE ORACIÓN CON ESPIRITUALIDAD CARISMÁTICA, SÁBADOS @ 7PM EN LA IGLESIA

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MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

LITURGIA DE LA PALABRA – 30 DE JUNIO DE 2024 DECIMOTERCER DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Sabiduría 1:13-15, 2:23-24; Salmo 30; 2 Corintios 8:7, 9, 13-15; Marcos 5:21-24, 35b-43



El libro de la Sabiduría nos recuerda que hemos sido creados a imagen y semejanza de Dios, y somos partícipes de su naturaleza. Sin embargo, debido al pecado, nos hemos convertido en seres mortales. Pero el Señor nos ha rescatado por medio de Jesús, que restaura la vida y venció la muerte. Al curar a la hija de Jairo y a la mujer que padecía

flujo de sangre, Jesús demostró su poder. Parafraseando lo que Pablo escribió a los corintios, podemos decir que Jesús, al darse a sí mismo, nos ha enriquecido copiosamente.

“No temas, basta que tengas fe”, le dice Jesús en el Evangelio de hoy a Jairo, cuya hija estaba a punto de morir. Por difícil que haya sido para Jairo, parece que es aún más difícil para nosotros ahora. Cuando estamos de luto por un ser querido que hemos perdido, o ansiosos por una enfermedad propia o de alguien cercano, o preocupados por la situación del mundo o de nuestro país, ¿podemos encontrar una fe lo suficientemente fuerte como para calmar nuestros temores? Reunidos aquí hoy para dar gracias y alabar a Dios, permitamos que las palabras del libro de la Sabiduría nos reanimen. Dios es bueno e imperecedero y nos ha creado a nosotros de la misma manera. Pongamos nuestra confianza en Dios.

Pregunta de la Semana:

¿Como afecta mi fe la manera en que anticipo la muerte?
¿Como pudiera aumentar mi valentía? ¿Como puedo ayudar a otras personas a mantener su fe?

Investidura del Escapulario Marrón de la Virgen del Carmen - 14 de julio (con Rosario después de la Misa)



¿Qué es el Escapulario de la Virgen del Carmen? El Escapulario es el signo externo de devoción mariana, que consiste en la consagración a la Santísima Virgen María por medio de

la inscripción en la Orden Carmelita, en esperanza de su protección maternal. El escapulario tiene 3 significados: (1) El amor y la protección de María, (2) Pertenencia a María y (3) El suave yugo de Cristo. El escapulario simboliza ese yugo que Jesús nos invita a cargar pero que María nos ayuda a llevar.

ANUNCIOS

Este fin de semana nos despedimos del Padre Antonio. ¡Gracias, Padre Antonio, por compartir sus dones con todos nosotros! ¡Vaya con Dios y que Él le proteja y le bendiga en su ministerio en su nueva parroquia! ¡Siempre estará en nuestros corazones y nuestras oraciones!



BIENVENIDA DEL PADRE RAFAEL - 7 DE JULIO -

¡A llenar la Iglesia con nuestro
primer sacerdote hispano!

¡NO FALTEN! Traiga un plato
para compartir.



LA IGLESIA Y LAS
OFICINAS PARROQUIALES
ESTARÁN CERRADAS
EL 4 Y 5 DE JULIO POR EL
DÍA FERIADO.

¡ÚLTIMA OPORTUNIDAD!

12 y 13 de julio son los
últimos dos días para
participar en el Directorio
Parroquial. Puede hacer su
cita en nuestro sitio web o
llamando a la oficina
parroquial.

Por su participación, le
regalan una foto 8 X 10
GRATIS.

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

THANK YOUR USHERS THIS WEEKEND!



Thanks to all those who serve in our Usher Ministry. These men and women are helping folks find a place to sit, equipping them with assistive listening devices and responding in emergencies.

One of the great favors you can do for them is move to the middle of your pew so folks don't have to climb over you!

STEWARDSHIP VERSE OF THE WEEK

Brothers and sisters:

As you excel in every respect, in faith, discourse, knowledge, all earnestness, and in the love we have for you, may you excel in this gracious act also.

For you know the gracious act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, for your sake he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich. Not that others should have relief while you are burdened, but that as a matter of equality your abundance at the present time should supply their needs, so that their abundance may also supply your needs, that there may be equality.

As it is written:

***Whoever had much did not have more,
and whoever had little did not have less.***

2 Cor 8: 7,9, 13-15

STEWARDSHIP RESOURCES AND REMINDERS:

SACRED ART UPDATE

We have just placed another order for mosaics bringing our current order to 6 new panels. We anticipate installation of Panels 22-27 sometime between November and early January.

You will notice the background of the panels is dark reflecting the nighttime progression. As you look at the panels from the right of the organ clockwise, you will note the background begins at dawn and moves to daylight, dusk, nighttime and eventually back to dawn.



PANEL 27

**ST. PETER, ST. PAUL, ST. FRANCIS, ST. CLARE,
ST. JOHN PAUL II**



FOOD DRIVE FOR FISH- JULY 6/7

Saint Bede will be hosting a Food Drive July 6/7 for the benefit of FISH. The Knights of Columbus will be passing out bags on June 29/30 at all Masses and collecting the food in the parking lot on July 6/7 at all Masses. Since 1975, FISH has provided food, clothing, and small housewares to persons in need who live in Williamsburg, James City County and York County. FISH is a volunteer-operated, non-profit organization that was started by and is still supported by a number of Saint Bede parishioners.

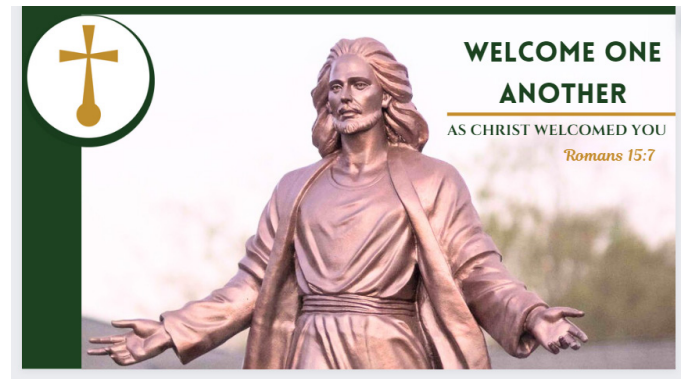
Please Welcome OUR NEW MEMBERS

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Atul & Geraldine Gour
Miguel L. Aragon

William & Alice Lifka
Sandford & Patricia Marcuson
Sucely Ruiz
Bevin Saldana
Rosa Segovia Del Cid

As of May 31, 2024



JOY MINISTRY

JOY Ministers and Legion of Mary visit the sick and homebound and bring the Eucharist to hospitals, nursing/convalescent homes, and those that are homebound and unable to attend Mass. For information on serving in the JOY Ministry or joining the Legion of Mary, email Deacon Bill Westerman.

If you or a loved one is in need of this ministry's services, please contact the parish office at 757-229-3631, or Deacon Bill Westerman at wwesterman@bedeva.org.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Founded on the principles of charity, unity and fraternity, the Knights of Columbus is a fraternal organization established in 1882 by Father Michael J. McGivney to bring assistance and financial aid to the sick, disabled and needy members and their families. The Saint Bede Council is a highly active community of men focused on Faith, Family, Community and Life with direct impacts to the parish, state, and international community. Group/Ministry contact: Sean Donohue gk6828@vakofc.org



We invite you to learn more at WWW.KOFC6828.ORG or WWW.KOFC.ORG and please come join us!

KNITTING MINISTRY

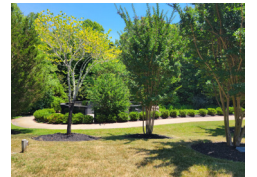
Whether you knit, crochet or have a desire to learn, this may be the ministry for you. Meetings are each Wednesday at 10:00am in the parish office. All items are fashioned from donated yarn and then distributed to various charities throughout the Commonwealth.



Additional hands are always needed and always welcome. For more information, contact Jane Chambers (757) 258-3849 or Margaret Robinson (757) 345-2749

LANDSCAPING MINISTRY

Volunteer gardeners for the Church. Area of coverage to be the Columbarium, Church entrances and Piazza, Church road sign, and the Rectory. Planting, weeding, and watering as needed. Please contact Bob Locke (Facilities Supervisor) 757-229-3631 ext.# 2301 meeting day and times



LECTORS



Those who are called to the ministry of Lector or Reader apply their talents and time to proclaim God's Word to the worship community. This ministry requires preparation of the Old and New

Testament Readings in the Liturgy of the Word. Lectors are also scheduled to serve as Commentators at the beginning of Mass and to lead the community in the Universal Prayer when there is not a Deacon present. After completing an orientation, lectors are scheduled to proclaim the Word approximately once every 4-7 weeks.

All lectors are at least 14 years of age, practicing Catholics in good standing with the Church, registered with the parish, and have received the sacraments of Baptism and Eucharist. For more information, please email the Lector Coordinator Peter Kushnick at pkushnick@gmail.com

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion sees as its priority the spiritual and social welfare of each individual. The members participate in the life of the parish through visitation of families, the sick, both in their homes and in hospitals. For more information contact Heather Clemens at heather.clemens@cox.net



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PARISH OFFICE MESSAGE

CLOSED - HOLIDAY

THURSDAY, JULY 4TH AND FRIDAY, JULY 5TH

In observance of the Independence Day holiday, both the church and parish office will be closed Thursday, July 4 and Friday, July 5. There will be no Mass, Reconciliation, or Holy Hour those days. On behalf of the Saint Bede clergy and staff, we wish you all a Happy 4th of July.

God bless America!





**BEGINNING SUNDAY, JUNE 30TH - AUGUST 25
TWICE A MONTH**

Saint Bede Council No 6828 of the Knights of Columbus is hosting pancake and egg breakfasts in Kaplan Parish Hall every other Sunday beginning June 30th and ending August 25th after the 9am and 11am Masses.



***Come share a meal and fellowship.
All are welcome and freewill donations will be accepted.***



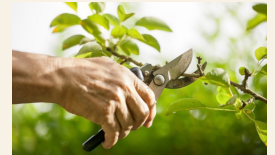
**GOOD NEWS!!
SAINT BEDE DIRECTORY**

We have added two additional parish directory photo opportunities: Friday, July 12th and Saturday, July 13th.

These two days will be the last chance to have your picture included in the Saint Bede Parish Directory.

Don't miss out! Sign up on our website or call the Church office to schedule your appointment.

**GROUNDS
MAINTENANCE
VOLUNTEERS
JOIN OUR GROUNDS
MAINTENANCE MINISTRY**



Your help with ideas for flowers, bushes, weeding, watering, and planting for the Church, Columbarium and Rectory are needed. If you are interested in joining please contact Bob Locke via email at rlocke@bedeva.org or contact parish and ask for ext. 2301.

NEXT MONTH IN JULY



**Prayer
REQUESTS**

Please call our parish office if you would like a prayer request for you or a loved one. Our volunteers are ready to take your requests.
Parish Office (757) 229-3631



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