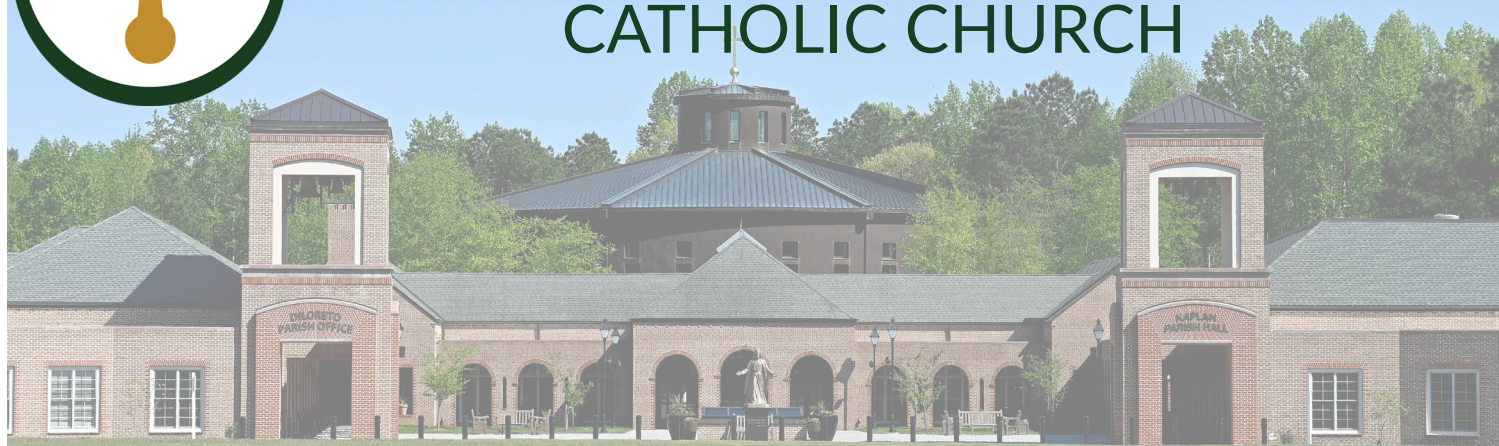


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CATHOLIC CHURCH



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SUNDAY, JULY 7, 2024 | FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

When the sabbath came he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astonished. - Mk 6:2

14° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Cuando llegó el sábado, se puso a enseñar en la sinagoga, y la multitud que lo escuchaba se preguntaba con asombro. - Mc 6, 2

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

SANCTUARY CANDLE



Saint Bede Clergy



PRAYER REQUESTS



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

Linda Alberti	Nicol Orzech Family
Patrick Alberti	David Osstead
Marilyn Arca	Frank Pappacoda
Jerry Baum	Lisa Porto
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William Booze	Bob Rasmussen
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Gerald DellaSala	Mary L Richardson
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Adam Dillon	Lee Stephens
Matt Gray	Jasper Swan
Patrick Hart	Edward A. Ustaris
David Holland	Jonathan Weiler
Sorena Jean	Veronica Williams
Thorin Jean	

SATURDAY, JULY 6

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

SUNDAY, JULY 7

8:30 am Suzanne Carr †
Deceased Members of the
Darryl/Hansen Family †
Owen J. Flynn †
11:00 am Francis White
2:00 pm Alberto Gonzalez †
5:00 pm Parishioners

TUESDAY, JULY 9

9:00 am Rosanne Black †
Mary Buser †
Julia McGroarty †



Mass Schedule

DAILY MASS

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



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday/Friday 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

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10

9:00 am Fr. Anthony Ferguson
Sonny Halioris

THURSDAY, JULY 11

9:00 am Marcia Codina Morales
Steff Short †
Susan Whalen †

FRIDAY, JULY 12

9:00 am John McGinn †
James Murphy †

SATURDAY, JULY 13

5:30 pm Ted Cors †
Connie Mirarchi †

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

ADORATION
OF THE EUCHARIST

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

LIVESTREAMING

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

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



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading:

But you shall say to them: Thus says the Lord GOD!
And whether they heed or resist —
— for they are a rebellious house —
they shall know that a prophet has
been among them. (Ez 2:4-5)

Psalm:

Our eyes are fixed on the Lord,
pleading for his mercy. (Ps 123)

Second Reading:

I will rather boast most gladly of my
weaknesses, in order that the power
of Christ may dwell with me. (2 Cor
12:9)

Gospel:

"A prophet is not without honor
except in his native place and among
his own kin and in his own house."
(Mk 6:4)

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WEEKLY READINGS

Sunday:

Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 (2cd)/2
Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a

Monday:

Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3,
4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday:

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6,
7ab-8, 9-10/Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday:

Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5,
6-7/Mt 10:1-7

Thursday:

Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b,
15-16/Mt 10:7-15

Friday:

Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14
and 17/Mt 10:16-23

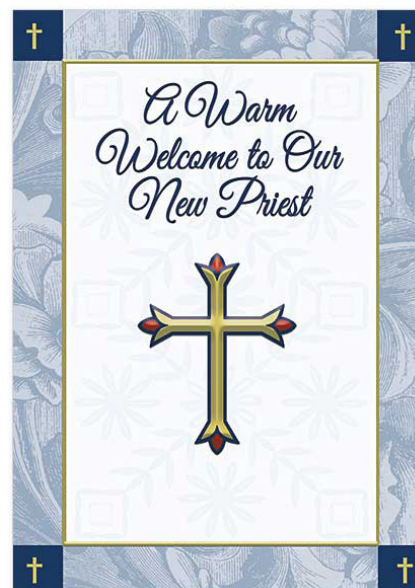
Saturday:

Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt
10:24-33

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HOLY HOUR INTENTION

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10
FOR OUR YOUTH ON THEIR
UPCOMING TRIP AND THOSE
THEY ARE SERVING



*Welcome to your
New Home!*

**FATHER
RAFAEL RIVAS**



We wish Father Rivas the very best in
his new assignment here at Saint Bede
and we look forward to sharing many
wonderful moments and making
greast memories.

Please take a moment after Mass and
say hello!!

04 LITURGY & MUSIC

Sunday, July 7, 2024 | Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



LITURGY AND MUSIC STAFF

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OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 7, 2024

SUNDAY:

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MONDAY:

None

TUESDAY:

St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs

WEDNESDAY:

None

THURSDAY:

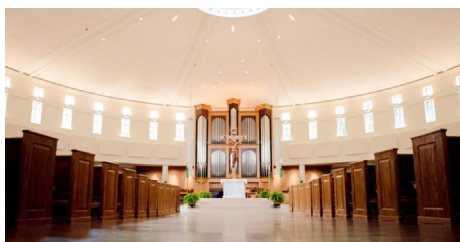
St. Benedict, Abbot

FRIDAY:

None

SATURDAY:

St. Henry



GOSPEL MEDITATION

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



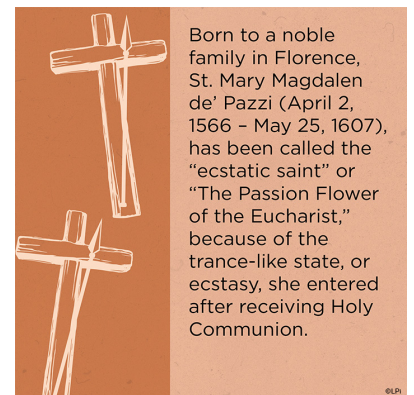
Recently I watched a bunch of YouTube videos on how to optimize willpower in the face of weakness. The message was: do not accept your weakness. Crush it. Dominate it. In one video, however, at the end of a rant by a willpower coach, the muscular stoic admitted, "You'll never actually get what you want, no matter how hard you try." Amazingly, he admitted that willpower alone is not sufficient for us weak-willed humans.

What does God want us to do with our weaknesses, if crushing them with willpower won't work? For example, what should I do with my tendency to arrogance and self-isolation? Or my procrastination? Or my intellectual and physical limitations? Or my selfishness?

The counter-intuitive answer is clear in this week's words from St Paul, "***I will rather boast most gladly of my weaknesses in order that the power of Christ may dwell in me (2 Cor. 12:9).***" Boast of our weaknesses? Paul isn't promoting weak-mindedness or laziness. Rather, he perceives that Jesus loves us not despite our weaknesses but because of them. Boasting of our weakness means claiming human will is not all we have. It means turning to God whenever we feel weak, which—let's face it—is almost all the time. When we do, we learn to love our weaknesses, because it's there that we meet the strength of Christ. This week, I challenge us to find ways to boast not in willpower but in weakness.

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SAINT OF THE WEEK



Born to a noble family in Florence, St. Mary Magdalen de' Pazzi (April 2, 1566 – May 25, 1607), has been called the "ecstatic saint" or "The Passion Flower of the Eucharist," because of the trance-like state, or ecstasy, she entered after receiving Holy Communion.

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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

When Jesus taught in the synagogue of his native place, he didn't fit the image of the Messiah the people expected. They dismissed him. Let's learn from their example and remember that God often comes to us in forms that are surprising — even challenging.

PRAYER FOR TRUTH

Dear Lord,
Your prophets were those who spoke Your Truth.
Help me to be a speaker of truth as well, one who reminds of Your love, encourages the lowly, and points ever more deeply to You.
Amen.

Jesus said to them, “A prophet is not without honor except in his native place and among his own kin and in his own house.” So he was not able to perform any mighty deed there, apart from curing a few sick people by laying his hands on them.

- Mk 6:4-5

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Questions of the Week

Invite Parishioners to Reflect and Respond to Scripture

First Reading:

The Lord encourages Ezekiel to be courageous in his role as a prophet, regardless of the response of the Israelites. Can you think of a time when you had to be courageous in facing uncertainty?

Second Reading:

Paul learned a “thorn in his flesh” that was given to him to teach him that God’s grace alone should be sufficient for his ministry. What are some obstacles in your life you have had to overcome?

Gospel:

We hear how the villagers of Nazareth were “offended” by Jesus and lacked faith in him. How do you support family or friends who have been hurt by others?

WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

GOSPEL OF MARK

QUESTION:

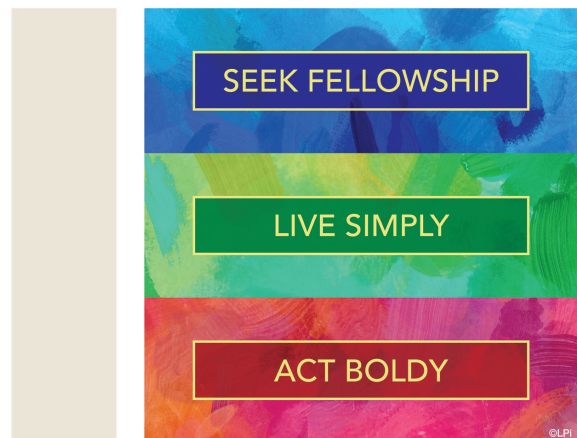
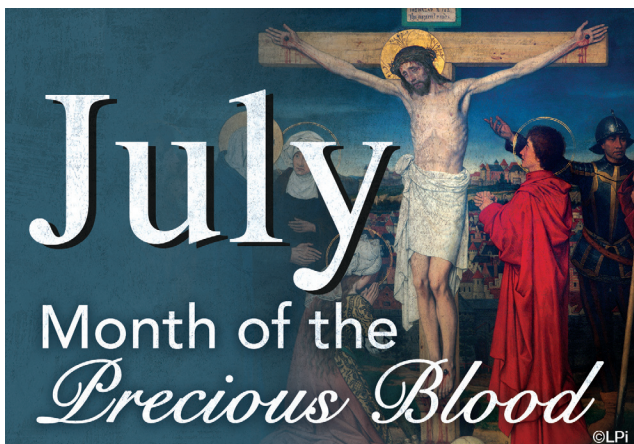
In Year B, we hear primarily from the Gospel of Mark. Since each Evangelist has a unique perspective, what are the key issues that Mark addresses in his Gospel?

ANSWER:

Gospels are a particular faith community’s reflection on Jesus. Each Gospel’s author reflected that community’s faith in Jesus. Jesus’ message is made relevant to the community’s situation and context. Mark was the first Gospel to be written. When Matthew and Luke wrote theirs, they imitated and adapted Mark for their communities.

Mark’s Gospel seems to be addressed to a faith community undergoing turmoil, rejection, and persecution—forces that threaten to overwhelm them. This provides the context around which Mark fashions the story of Jesus. He presents Jesus as the One sent by God to confront the forces of evil. That is the good news of Jesus.

Jesus’ struggle with the demonic forces leads to confrontation, rejection, outright opposition, and a conspiracy to do away with him. Realizing this, Jesus is not deterred. Rather Jesus calls for total faith in God who helps us to overcome the forces of evil. Suffering and even death seem to be the consequences of this struggle. Yet, that is not the end. The one who suffers for the sake of others, the suffering servant, will be the one through whom redemption and salvation will come to all. For Mark, this is what discipleship demands and what true faith in God can and will accomplish. See if you can detect these themes as you read Mark’s Gospel.



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THANK YOU WE COULDN'T DO IT WITHOUT YOU!!

We would like to thank all the over 100 wonderful volunteers who have made our VBS experience a memorable one. We are very grateful to all those staff members and volunteers who helped from the car lines, to the stations, to snacks and to escorting each age group.

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

SEE YOU NEXT YEAR VBS 2025!!



Prayer

Dear God, help me to listen to you and to accept the help that you want to give me. Amen.

Mission for the Week

Read today's Gospel with your family. Talk about ways that people sometimes turn Jesus away. Pray together, asking God to keep you close to Jesus.

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.





BUBBLE TIME



SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS



VBS OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES AND GAMES



PLENTY OF WATER BREAKS



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.

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BAUTISMOS (NIÑOS MENORES DE 7 AÑOS)

Clase es pre-requisito para escoger la fecha

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FORMACIÓN EN LA FE/ CATECISMO -GRADOS PREK3 A 8 GRADOS - VIERNES @ 6PM

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

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MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

LITURGIA DE LA PALABRA – 7 DE JULIO DE 2024 DECIMOCUARTO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Ezequiel 2:2-5; Salmo 123; 2 Corintios 12:7 Marcos 6:1-6



Ezequiel recuenta su llamado en la primera lectura de hoy, relatando que Dios le dijo sin rodeos que la audiencia de un profeta es obstinada y rebelde. Pablo habla de sus propias dificultades, pero insiste en que las ismas le ofrecen oportunidades de ser fortalecido por el poder de Cristo. La gente

de Nazaret se molestan por Jesús y no están en disposición de aceptar que este carpintero del pueblo les pueda enseñar acerca de Dios. Estamos atentos a la voz de Dios, aquí y dondequiera que la oigamos.

Cada domingo el Espíritu Santo nos convoca aquí para escuchar la palabra de Dios, para recibir a Cristo en la Eucaristía y para adorar al Señor. Nosotros oramos para que nuestra fe se fortalezca por este tiempo que pasamos en oración. Cuando Jesús predico en su propio pueblo, se asombro de la falta de fe de sus vecinos. Ellos fueron a la sinagoga a rezar, pero salieron preguntándose como ese vecino modesto podía enseñar con tanta autoridad. Que nosotros miremos más allá de las impresiones exteriores para encontrar el alimento para nuestra fe.

Pregunta de la Semana:

¿Como reacciono cuando alguien me critica o me desafía?
¿Descarto enseguida sus palabras? ¿Como me ayudaría un espíritu de oración a considerar tales críticas y consejos?

MANTÉNGANSE AL TANTO

VINIENDO EN JULIO



Clase de Preparación de Bautismo para Padres y Padrinos de Niños menores de 7 años el 17 de julio @ 6pm

En el Nivel de Ministerio (sótano). Inscribbase para clase en:

<http://tinyurl.com/yc6pr2hw> o usando el código QR



Es importante estar inscrito (matriculado) en la parroquia Saint Bede, especialmente si desea recibir sacramentos o visitas pastorales para usted o su familia. Llame a la Iglesia para inscribirse o puede hacerlo en línea en <https://bedeva.org/feligreses-y-visitantes>.

ANUNCIOS



**BIENVENIDO
PADRE
RAFAEL**

**¡SOMOS BENDECIDOS
CON SU PRESENCIA
ENTRE NOSOTROS!**



INVESTIDURA DEL ESCAPULARIO MARRÓN DE LA VIRGEN DEL CARMEN



**14 DE JULIO
(CON ROSARIO DESPUÉS DE LA MISA)**

El Significado Espiritual del Escapulario Marrón encuentra sus raíces en la tradición de la Orden Carmelita, que lo reconoce como un signo de la protección

maternal de María. Por lo tanto, tiene varios significados espirituales aprobados por la Iglesia católica desde hace varios siglos:

- **Representa el compromiso de seguir a Jesús como María, el modelo perfecto de todos los discípulos de Cristo.** Este compromiso encuentra su origen en el bautismo cuando nos convertimos en hijos de Dios. La Santísima Virgen nos enseña a a) estar abiertos a Dios, y a su voluntad; b) escuchar la Palabra de Dios, creer en ella y poner en práctica lo que nos pide; c) orar en todo momento; d) involucrarnos con las personas siendo atentos a sus necesidades.
- **Nos introduce a la comunidad del Carmelo.** Nos llama a vivir el ideal de esta familia religiosa: amistad íntima con Dios a través de la oración.
- **Nos recuerda el ejemplo de los santos del Carmelo** con quienes establecemos un lazo íntimo de hermandad mutua.
- **Es una expresión de nuestra creencia** que algún día encontraremos a Dios en la vida eterna, ayudados por la intercesión y la oración a María.

El Escapulario de la Orden Carmelita NO es un amuleto NI un collar NI una garantía automática de salvación NI una dispensa para no vivir las exigencias de la vida cristiana.

El recibir y portar el Escapulario NOS OBLIGA a vivir como auténticos cristianos en línea con las enseñanzas del Evangelio, recibir los sacramentos, y profesar nuestra devoción especial a la Santísima Virgen. El Escapulario Marrón se impone sólo una vez por algún sacerdote o persona autorizada.

Fuente: <https://ocarm.org/es/our-way-of-life/the-brown-scapular>

**Movimiento de Cursillos
Diócesis de Richmond**

INVITACIÓN A CURSILLISTAS

ULTREYA

**Domingo, 21 de julio
3:30 - 5:30pm
Después de la Misa en Español**

**Salón Parroquial Kaplan
Iglesia Católica Saint Bede
3686 Ironbound Rd, Williamsburg, VA**

¡Trae un plato para compartir!

**¡Muchas Gracias
a Todos Nuestros
Jóvenes Voluntarios!**

**¡Nos vemos en
VBS 2025!**



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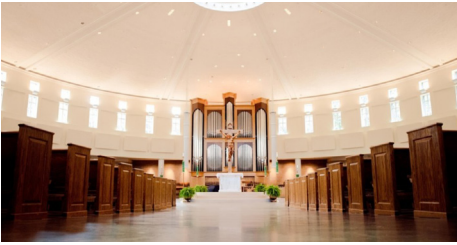


**¡ÚLTIMA
OPORTUNIDAD!**

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



With summer upon us, there are plans for vacations and time away. All of our ministries remain active, especially our Liturgical Ministries. If you have ever considered serving in summer is a great time, to get started and we can use your help. From welcoming people as they enter, to serving as an Usher, Lector, or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, the "harvest" is abundant with opportunity.

Contact Aaron Renninger (arenninger@bedeva.org) to express your interest and he will route you to the lead for that particular ministry.

Thank you to all who currently serve in our Liturgical Ministries!

STEWARDSHIP VERSE OF THE WEEK

Brothers and sisters:

That I, Paul, might not become too elated,
because of the abundance of the revelations,
a thorn in the flesh was given to me, an angel of Satan,
to beat me, to keep me from being too elated.

Three times I begged the Lord about this, that it might leave me, but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness."

I will rather boast most gladly of my weaknesses,
in order that the power of Christ may dwell with me.

Therefore, I am content with weaknesses, insults,
hardships, persecutions, and constraints,
for the sake of Christ; for when I am weak,
then I am strong.

2 Cor 12:7-10

STEWARDSHIP RESOURCES AND REMINDERS:

SCHOOL'S OUT! SUMMER IS IN!



Saint Bede Catholic Church asks that before you begin your vacations, travels and other summer plans, consider eGiving through our secure site with Faith Direct to ensure your

support for our parish remains consistent even when you're away. Your recurring gifts will not only sustain our parish throughout the summer months, but you will help our staff steward God's resources well by reducing our costs for envelopes, paper and spending less staff time processing cash and checks, allowing more time for missions and ministries.

Getting started with eGiving is easy. Here are the ways to sign up:

- Visit our Stewardship page:
<https://bedeva.org/online-giving>
- Call Faith Direct Customer Service at 866-507-8757
- Scan the QR code



SUMMER IS A GREAT TIME TO VOLUNTEER!

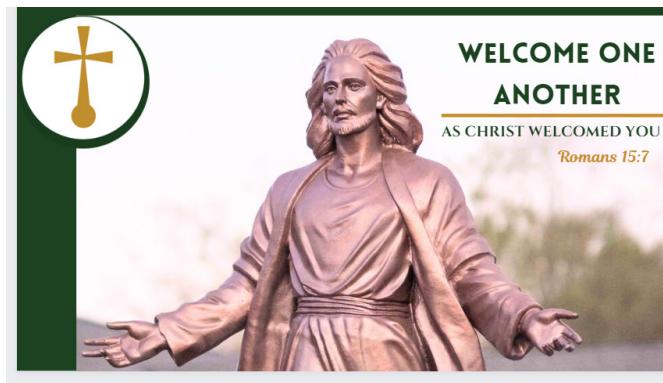
There is still time...

Volunteer at the House of Mercy:
contact Becki at becki@williamsburghouseofmercy.org

Volunteer at FISH:
fishwilliamsburg.org

Check out our website for ministries you can get involved with: bedeva.org/ministries





NURSE MINISTRY

The Parish Nurses are a visible symbol of the healing that embraces the whole person - body, mind, and spirit. As qualified, health care professionals, parish nurses enhance the stewardship of life and health via education and counseling. If you believe your professional services or your lay gifts and talents would be valuable to this ministry, please contact the parish nurses at 757-585-2967.



Parish nurses help parishioners as health educators either by individual appointments, classes or newsletters. The nurses also act as a liaison for parishioners wanting or needing community services. Blood drives are offered twice a year in conjunction with the American Red Cross.

If you are a licensed nurse and would like to volunteer within the parish nurse ministry, please contact: Kathryn Coletti, RN at 757-585-2967 or parishnurse@bedeva.org

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

In our parish Prayer Shawl Ministry, care and love of knitting and crocheting have been combined into a prayerful ministry that reaches out to those needing comfort and solace. Blessings are woven into each shawl. Recipients' names are placed on our prayer list and shawls are packaged for pick up on the first Tuesday of each month. The blessing is rippled from sender to receiver, with both feeling the unconditional embrace of a sheltering and loving God. Prayer Shawl Ministry meets Mondays at 6:30 pm in the parish office's ministry level (downstairs). All are welcome.



To request a prayer shawl for a friend, loved one, or someone in need, please contact Debbie Vanover at dvanover777@gmail.com or Renee Ferreri at rferreri44@hotmail.com

THE PRISON MINISTRY

The Prison Ministry's focus areas are: to provide a Catholic presence in local jails by offering sacraments, visitation, and prayer, and to partner with "Williamsburg Walks the Talk" prison ministry and United Way "Welcome Home" re-entry guest houses.



Contact Deacon Greg Ballentine at 229-3631 for more information.

ROSARY MAKERS MINISTRY

Saint Bede Rosary Makers Ministry is a self-funded ministry consisting of men and women. Meetings are weekly on Thursday mornings at 10:00 am at the parish office ministry level. A few gather in the parish ministry level to tie rosary beads. These rosaries are then blessed and placed in our church or given to outside requestors.



If you think you'd like to become a member of the ministry, come see one, come tie one, and give one.

If interested in "tying a rosary", please come to one of our meetings or contact Dorothy DeRose at (757)220-1760 or Bruce Pollock at (757)565-2792.



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**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.***



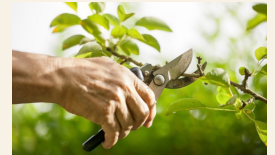
**GOOD NEWS!!
SAINT BEDE DIRECTORY**

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

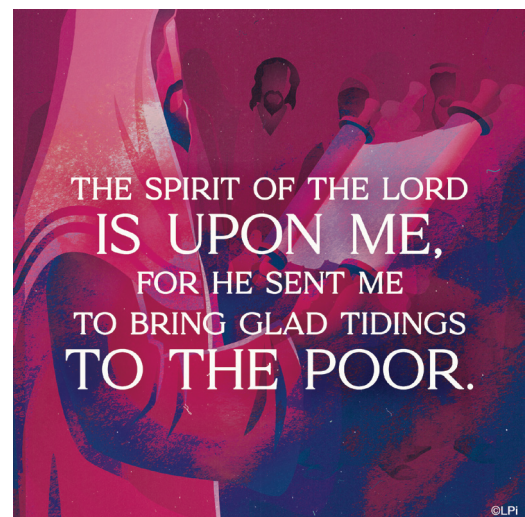
These two days will be the last chance to have your picture included in the Saint Bede Parish Directory.

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

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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.



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