



SAINT BEDE

CATHOLIC CHURCH



Welcome Home!

SUNDAY, MAY 11, 2025 | FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



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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4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"My sheep hear my voice; I know them,
and they follow me." - Jn 10:27

4º DOMINGO DE PASCUA

"Mis ovejas escuchan mi voz; yo las conozco
y ellas me siguen". - Jn 10, 27

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

SANCTUARY CANDLE

Rachel Eklund di Stefano



PRAYER REQUESTS

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

Laurette Albert	Lynne Rasmussen
Mary Andersen	Langdon Richardson
Andrade Family	Clare Robinson
A. Belfiore & Friend	Ed Schell
Margaux	Ed Schmidt
Campbell	Maureen Sotis
Peg Crews	Claudette Tallon
Mary G. Curry	Glen Tuck
Gerald Della Sala	Nancy Vanderhoof
Jim Ebert	Sharon Wandtke
Amy Formsby	Paul Werder
Colby Frein	Jessy Wheatley
Alfred Guzzi	Harold Wheatley
Emanuel Halioris	
Michelle Hall	
Eleanor Knowles	
Rita Krause	
Claire Lee	
Larry Lobo	
Lobo Family	
Christopher Marcario	
Nancy Obadal	

OUR TROOPS

Cullen Anderson	Nicholas Koch
Whit Armbruster	Michael John Loh
Kellen Baye	James M. Ryan
Ryan Carey	Alexander Seaberg
Brian Connolly	Anders Stanke
Adam Dillon	Erica Stanke
James Dillon	Lee Stephens
Matt Gray	Jasper Swan
Patrick Hart	Edward A. Ustaris
David Holland	Jonathan Weiler
Sorenna Jean	Veronica Williams
Thorin Jean	

SATURDAY, MAY 10

5:30 pm Elizabeth Basquill
Rosemary Basquill
Lynne Rasmussen

SUNDAY, MAY 11

8:30 am Connie Giove †
Edward Vincek †
Chip Wood †
11:00 am Irene Holt †
Cecelia Matyjas †
Venerable Edel Quinn †
2:00 pm Cristina Arriola de
Venegas †
Romelia Cervantes †
Francisco Hernandez †
Parishioners
5:00 pm Parishioners

TUESDAY, MAY 13

9:00 am Willis & Florence
Comfort
Gualberto Coronado †
Josephine Soliven †

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14

9:00 am Aline Coghlan †
Mary Dolph †
Richard Noga †

THURSDAY, MAY 15

9:00 am Gerald Anderson †
Fred Eversley †
Linda Gustafson †

FRIDAY, MAY 16

9:00 am Jane Broe
Terrance Crane
& Family
Gloria Thelma Jovel

SATURDAY, MAY 17

5:30 pm Parishioners

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

LITURGY SCHEDULE

DAILY MASS

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

DIVINE OFFICE

Lauds (Morning Prayer)	
Tuesday-Friday	8:40 am

WEEKEND MASS

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

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

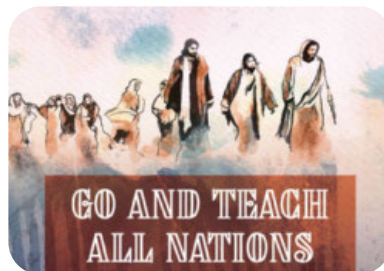
Sunday Mass is live-streamed
at 8:30 am and 2:00 pm

LIVESTREAMING

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK



FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

First Reading:

The Gentiles were delighted when they heard this and glorified the word of the Lord. All who were destined for eternal life came to believe, and the word of the Lord continued to spread through the whole region. (Acts 13:48-49)

Psalm:

We are his people, the sheep of his flock. (Ps 100) Or: Alleluia.

Second Reading:

"For the Lamb who is in the center of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to springs of life-giving water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes." (Rv 7:17)

Gospel:

Jesus said:

"My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me." (Jn 10:27)

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WEEKLY READINGS

Sunday:

Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 (3c)/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30

Monday:

Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday:

Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday:

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Jn 15:9-17

Thursday:

Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27/Jn 13:16-20

Friday:

Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn 14:1-6

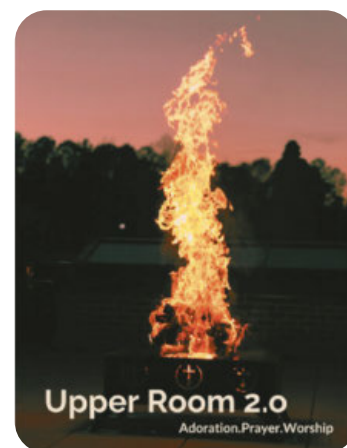
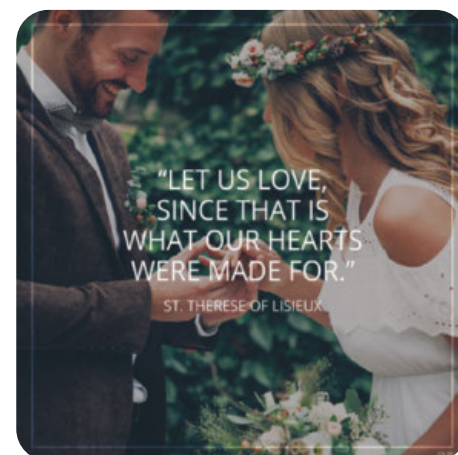
Saturday:

Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 14:7-14

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 14

FOR THOSE PREPARING
FOR MARRIAGE



UPPER ROOM
EVERY SECOND WEDNESDAY
OF THE MONTH

May 14th
June 11th
July 9th
Aug. 13th





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GOSPEL MEDITATION

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



A few years back, I felt as if I couldn't hear God's voice the way I used to. The words in the Bible seemed like cold ink on a page. Prayer felt like sitting anxiously in a lonely room. I was worried — how could I, a priest, preach or help others if I couldn't hear God's voice? It went on for months.

Then a friend encouraged me to go on a retreat and spend as much time as possible in silence. After a day or two of quiet prayer, I noticed gentle but clear thoughts of repentance in two specific areas of my life. I asked God for the grace to change, and I went to confession. Suddenly, the divine silence that haunted me was filled with a sense of God's closeness and goodness. I realized, gratefully, that God had been speaking to me in the quiet voice of my conscience.

This week we hear Jesus say, "My sheep hear my voice. I know them and they follow me" (John 10:27). Jesus links the hearing of his voice to following him. He speaks to us in our conscience in an intimate, personal way, when we most need to hear him. When you feel deaf to God's voice, perhaps it is time to listen in silence for His voice in your conscience calling you to hear and follow the Good Shepherd of your soul.

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OBSERVANCES FOR

THE WEEK OF
MAY 11, 2025

SUNDAY:

4th Sunday of Easter; World Day of Prayer for Vocations; Mother's Day

MONDAY:

Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs; St. Pancras, Martyr

TUESDAY:

Our Lady of Fatima

WEDNESDAY:

St. Matthias, Apostle

THURSDAY:

St. Isidore

FRIDAY:

SATURDAY:

Armed Forces Day

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

FIRST READING:

Paul and Barnabas experienced resistance from some of the Jews and leaders of the city of Antioch. What sustains you in difficult and challenging experiences?

SECOND READING:

John sees a vision in which those who have suffered and died for the faith are comforted by God and relieved of their distress. Is there a family member or friend you could comfort this week?

GOSPEL:

We hear how Jesus gives eternal life to all who follow him. How does following Jesus impact your work or family life?

ACCESSIBILITY & SPECIAL NEEDS RESOURCES

Please feel free to ask our ushers for assistance with any of the available resources for wheelchair access, sensory bags, or hearing coil system to make your Mass experience more enjoyable.





2025 EASTER FLOWER OFFERING



Aaron Deceased Family Members
 T. Christopher Abel
 Mr. & Mrs. Alfred L. Achenbach
 Robert & Donna Alt
 Fred & Mary Ambrogio
 Mark Anthony
 Marilyn Bauer
 Leon & Daniel Bernier
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 Phil Bondi
 Mr. & Mrs. Donato Borillo
 Mr. & Mrs. Edward J. Borillo
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 Ida Lou Boykin
 Willie B. Boykin
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 Glayds Braun
 Theodore Braun
 Wayne Braun
 Deann Bryant
 Bryant Family
 Burkhardt Deceased Family Members
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 Louis H. Byers Sr.
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 Mr. & Mrs. George & Kay Cebra
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 Mrs. Terry Cleaves
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 Gerry DeLang
 Helen DeLang
 Janet DeLang
 Joe DeLang
 John C. DeLang
 Johnny DeLang
 Robert DeLang
 Helen & Joseph Desimone
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 Michael J. Elko
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 Joseph Farrell

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 Joseph Fidure, Jr.
 Owen J. Flynn
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 Brenda Fochtman
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 Jesus Garcia Fernandez
 Jose Garcia Fernandez
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 Winifred & Walter Germain
 Gillespie Family
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 Mr. & Mrs. Richard Gilliam
 William & Billy R. Gilliam
 Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Goddess
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 Clare Goggin
 Clare A. Goggin
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 Gerald Goggin
 James A. Goggin
 Jimmy Goggin
 Marie F. Goggin
 Maurice Goggin
 Sr. Kathleen Goggin
 James F. Goggin Sr.
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 Dave Goselin
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 Hart Family
 Bill Hicks
 John & Mary Hostinsky
 Hueber Family
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 Mary Theresa Johnson
 Mary Jordan
 Sarah Julien
 Mr. & Mrs. Frank Karlinek
 Joseph Kendra
 Susan Kendra
 Brian Kernaghan
 Mary & Charles Kernaghan
 Carol Kisielewski
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 Mr. & Mrs. William Kubovcik
 Dr. James D. Lavin
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 Lorena McCarty
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 McPeck Family
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 Bridget Monaghan
 Charles Monaghan
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 Frank & Rose Napolitano
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 Jean O'Brien
 Michael O'Brien
 O'Donnell Family
 James & Colleen Ogborn
 James Olley
 O'Reardon Family
 Otis Family
 Richard Granville Parkhurst
 Joseph Paruolo
 Virginia Paruolo
 Randall Pingley
 Poirier Family
 Chuck Potee
 Rita Marie Powers
 Robert C. Powers
 Joe Pumilia
 Ed Quick
 Albert Randall
 Heinz Rankiewitsch
 Richard Family
 Ridgway Family
 Leldon & Helen Riggelman
 Sherry Riggelman
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 Laura Rodriguez
 Romans Family
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 Mr. & Mrs. Felipe Ronquillo
 Rodrigo Ronquillo
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 Ron Siebert
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 Erwin Town
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 Ray Tyson
 Paula & Ed Ustik

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 William Vantran
 Mr. & Mrs. Jose Videna
 Gwen Vincent
 Jimmy Vincent
 George & Catherine Vittitoe
 Linda Vonderheide
 Steven A. Wandtke
 Page Warden
 Weiler Family
 Werder Family
 Beverley Wetsel
 Florence Wetsel
 L.E. Wetsel Sr.
 Fred & Lelia Wilson
 Marcus M. Wood
 Yaugo Deceased Family Members
 Dennis Zabrowski

06 EVANGELIZATION & FAITH FORMATION

Sunday, May 11, 2025 | Fourth Sunday of Easter

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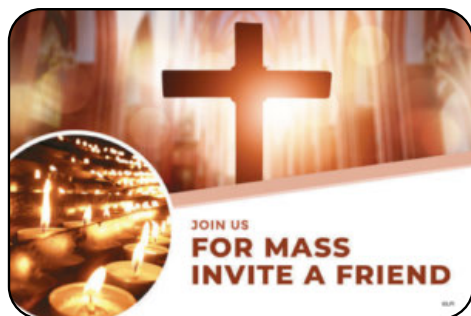
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PRAYER TO THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Beloved Shepherd,
You guide in a way often beyond my
understanding.
You lead to paths yet undiscovered.
Keep me in Your care, as together we
seek green pastures and still waters.

Amen.



JUNE 13-14

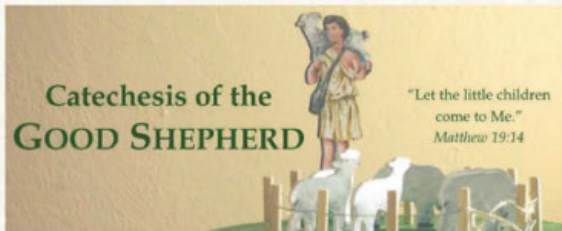
MEN'S

Retreat

ST JOSEPH: AN EXAMPLE OF HOPE

ST CLARE OF ASSISI RETREAT CENTER 620 Buckroe Ave, Hampton, VA 23664	JOIN FR KYLE & DEACON JIM Growing in the virtues of humility, purity, and service	FAITH, FELLOWSHIP, AND RETREAT Cost \$50 includes Lodging and 4 meals
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**QUESTIONS OR REGISTRATION: DEACON GRIMM AT
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REMAINING ATRIUM SESSIONS

WEDNESDAYS

APRIL 30

MAY 7, 14, 21

3:30PM - 5:30PM

FRIDAYS

MAY 2, 16, 30

10:00AM - 12:00 PM

THANK YOU CATECHISTS!

MAY 30 6 PM KAPLAN PARISH HALL

Please join us for fellowship and food to **THANK YOU** for your dedication for sharing your faith with our parishioners, youth, and children.

We will provide hotdogs, hamburgers, and the fixings. Please feel free to bring your families and a dish or dessert to share.

*We will have activities for everyone!

*Don't miss the chance to win a raffle basket!





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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

Ileana Garcia (910) 689-5603

PREPARACIÓN SACRAMENTAL (RECONCILIACIÓN, COMUNIÓN, CONFIRMACIÓN)

Niños de 7 a 18 años (Bautizados)
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MATRIMONIOS Y QUINCEAÑERAS

LLAME POR LO MENOS 9 MESES ANTES DE LA FECHA
Alfie Martinez (757) 229-3631 ext. 2107

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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LEGIÓN DE MARÍA, PRESÍDIUM REINA DE LA PAZ JUEVES @ 6PM EN LA IGLESIA

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Elda Jacobo

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Rosarios de Difuntos, Peregrinación de Virgen de Guadalupe y Más

Liz Alcantar (757) 775-4516

MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

IV DOMINGO DE PASCUA



Hoy Jesús nos revela que formamos parte de su rebaño. Son muchas ovejas, pero el Pastor trata con especial cariño a cada una de ellas, las conoce, cuida y protege del enemigo. Nunca olvida a ninguna de ellas, las ama y trasmite su amor. ***“Nuestra vida está totalmente segura en las manos de Jesús y del Padre, que son una sola cosa: un único amor, una***

única misericordia, reveladas de una vez y para siempre en el sacrificio de la cruz. Él es nuestro guía, nuestro maestro, nuestro amigo, nuestro modelo, pero sobre todo nuestro salvador. A veces Jesús nos llama, nos invita a seguirle, pero tal vez sucede que no nos damos cuenta de que es Él” (Papa Francisco).

¿Te das cuenta de cuándo Jesús te ha llamado? ¿Escuchas su voz o te haces el sordo? En la sociedad actual, vale la pena reflexionar sobre lo siguiente: ¿Qué voces nos dan confianza? ¿Cuáles nos hacen sentir seguros? Sobre todo, los niños y los jóvenes están muchas veces tan confundidos al escuchar voces que los llaman solo para perderlos, atacándolos con falsas promesas. Sin embargo, hay voces buenas que llaman a la unidad y a la paz, como el Papa Francisco, además de muchos padres y madres de familia, profesores y amigos buenos, que guían e instruyen para crecer en el bien y andar por el buen camino. Es un reto muy grande, pero no imposible de llevar a cabo. Dios te ama. ¡Grábatelo en el corazón!

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INSCRÍBANSE

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>.

HORAS Y SACERDOTES EN ESPAÑOL

MARTES / VIERNES - 8AM

MIÉRCOLES - 7PM

SÁBADOS - 3:30PM

Si desea saber cuál sacerdote estará ofreciendo el sacramento en cada ocasión, vaya a Misas y Confesiones en la página principal de <https://www.bedevea.org/>





¡MUCHAS GRACIAS!

Le invitamos a una tarde de convivencia en
**EN AGRADECIMIENTO A NUESTROS
CATEQUISTAS Y VOLUNTARIOS**

De Formación en la Fe,
Preparación Sacramental,
RICA para Niños, Jóvenes y Adultos
(en español e inglés)
colaboradores incansables en la
tarea de Evangelización de la Iglesia.

viernes, 30 de junio 6pm
En el Salón Parroquial Kaplan

Su familia está también invitada,
solo déjenos saber cuantos vienen.

RSVP: Linda 757 871 4949, Alfie 757 974-2975



EXPERIENCIAS DE VERANO PARA JÓVENES

Steubenville - Atlanta
Conferencia de Jóvenes
Julio 11 - 13 Grado 9 (en sept) - 12
¡Acompañados por Padre Rafael!

Inscriba a sus Hijos en
<https://bedeva.org/summer>
Habrá oportunidades para recaudar fondos

CONOZCA SUS DERECHOS

  **martes, 13 de mayo 6pm**
Salón Parroquial Kaplan
EN TEMAS DE INMIGRACIÓN



RETIRO CARISMÁTICO Camino a Pentecostés

SÁBADO, 24 DE MAYO

Iglesia Católica Saint Bede
3686 Ironbound Rd, Williamsburg, VA

Invitados

Padre Rafael Rivas, Iglesia Católica Saint Bede
Díacono Ramón Rivera, Iglesia Católica San Agustín
Hno. Lorenzo Linares
Min. Alabanza Alma Misionera,
Iglesia Católica Ntra. Sra. de los Dolores, MD
Min. Danza Llamas de Fuego
Iglesia Católica San Agustín

Ofrenda \$20

Contacto: Hugo 757-816-7190
Auspiciado por Renovación Carismática Católica
La Fuerza del Espíritu Santo - Iglesia Católica Saint Bede

Domingo del Buen Pastor
Jornada Mundial de Oración
por las Vocaciones

*«La cosecha es abundante, pero los
trabajadores son pocos.
Rueguen al dueño de los sembrados que
envíe trabajadores para su cosecha». (Mt
9,37-38)*

La Iglesia nos invita a todos en este día en especial, pero también en la vida diaria de nuestras comunidades, a orar y promover las vocaciones. Roguemos especialmente por mas vocaciones en nuestras comunidades hispanas. ¡Que el Señor toque los corazones y permita a cada uno escuchar con gratitud el llamado en su vida, y encontrar el valor para decir "Sí" a Dios en el servicio de su pueblo!

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

We are in that time of the year when food donations typically run low. Each week, the House of Mercy picks up food from our drop bin here. Next time you are shopping, please consider picking up some items for the House of Mercy, and drop them into the bin located in the Commons.



STEWARDSHIP RESOURCES AND REMINDERS:

WELCOME TO NEW FAMILIES!



OUR SEMI-ANNUAL WELCOME DINNER WILL BE FRIDAY, MAY 16 AT 6:00 PM IN KAPLAN PARISH HALL.

All new Families since December of 2024 are encouraged to attend. Invitations will be emailed to new families but feel free to RSVP to ssamorian@bedeva.org if you are able to attend.

STEWARDSHIP VERSE OF THE WEEK

I, John, had a vision of a great multitude,
which no one could count,
from every nation, race, people, and tongue.
They stood before the throne and before the Lamb,
wearing white robes and holding palm branches in their hands.

Then one of the elders said to me,
"These are the ones who have survived the time of great distress;
they have washed their robes
and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

"For this reason they stand before God's throne
and worship him day and night in his temple.
The one who sits on the throne will shelter them.

They will not hunger or thirst anymore,
nor will the sun or any heat strike them.
For the Lamb who is in the center of the throne
will shepherd them
and lead them to springs of life-giving water,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Revelation 7:9, 14b-17

FREEWILL

SPRING IS A GREAT TIME TO...

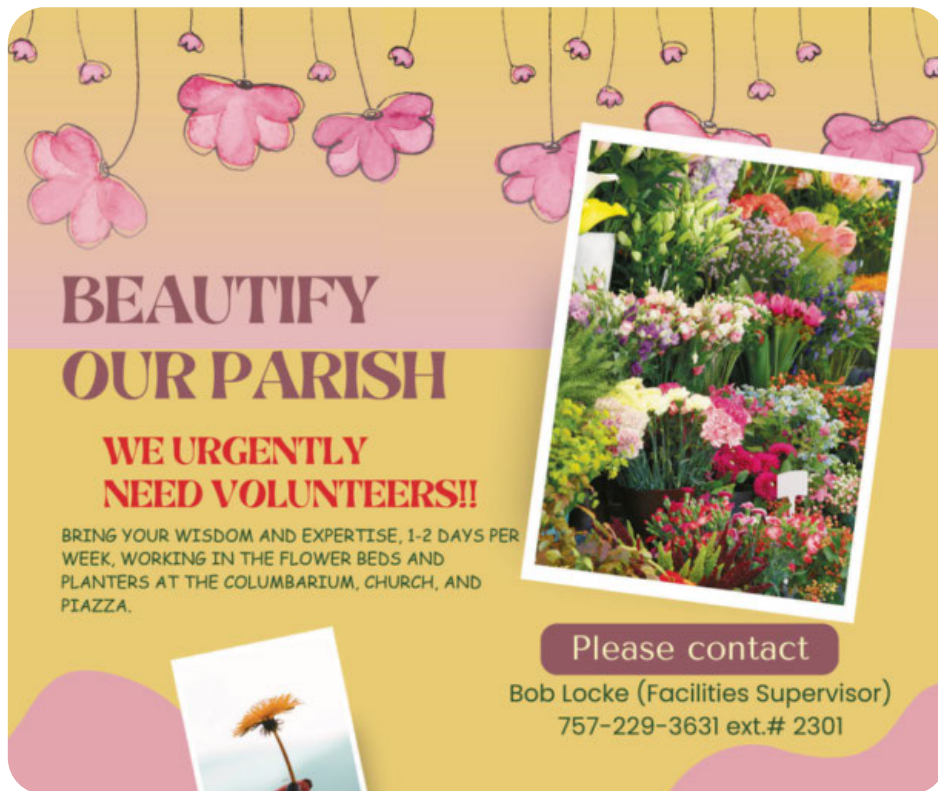
Talk with your family about important matters. Do you have a will? Advance Medical Directive? Powers of Attorney? If you do, be sure your family knows how to access them quickly. If you don't, the parish has a number of tools for you.

Contact Sam Samorian (ssamorian@bedeva.org) or visit our parish site: <http://freewill.com/stbedewilliamsburg> to start your FreeWill today!

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 16

Newcomers Semi Annual Dinner



**BEAUTIFY
OUR PARISH**

**WE URGENTLY
NEED VOLUNTEERS!!**

BRING YOUR WISDOM AND EXPERTISE, 1-2 DAYS PER WEEK, WORKING IN THE FLOWER BEDS AND PLANTERS AT THE COLUMBARIUM, CHURCH, AND PIAZZA.

Please contact
Bob Locke (Facilities Supervisor)
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USHER MINISTRY

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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



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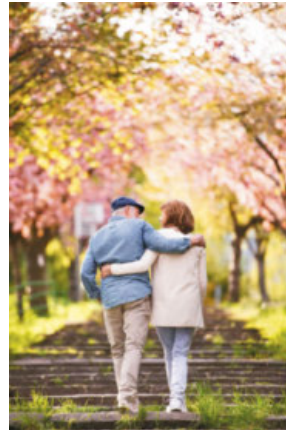


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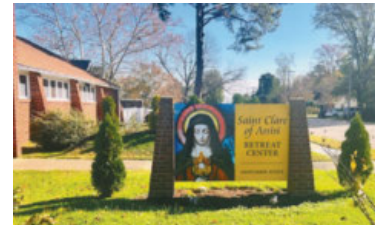


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