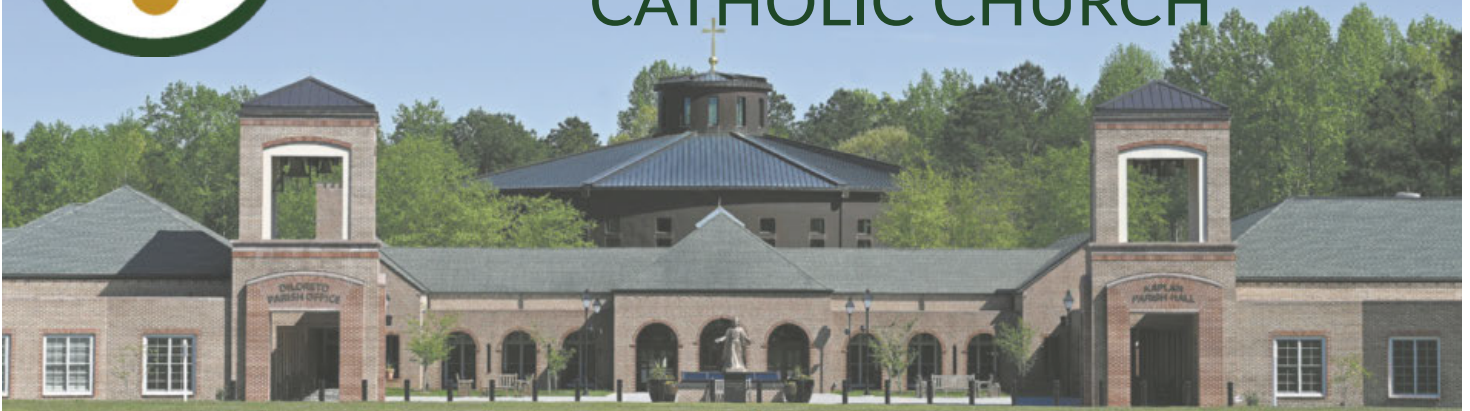




SAINT BEDE

CATHOLIC CHURCH



Welcome Home!

SUNDAY, JUNE 15, 2025 | THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



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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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

"He will glorify me, because he will take from what is mine and declare it to you." - Jn 16:14

LA SANTÍSIMA TRINIDAD

"El me glorificará, porque primero recibirá de mí lo que les vaya comunicando". - Jn 16, 14

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

SANCTUARY CANDLE

Judy Adams



REST IN PEACE

Frances Palmer
Willam Schneider
Marguerite Wagner



PRAYER REQUESTS

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

Laurette Albert	Christopher Marcario
Mary Andersen	Tracy McGuirk
Andrade Family	Nancy Obadal
B. Carrubba	Arya Patel & Family
A. Belfiore & Friend	Lynne Rasmussen
Peg Crews	Nancy Rasmussenm
Andre Dawson	Langdon Richardson
Michael Farson	Clare Robinson
Amy Formsby	Ed Schell
Alfred Guzzi	Nancy Vanderhoof
Megan Gray	Sharon Wandtke
Michelle Hall	Paul Werder
Tom Kenney	
Rita Krause	
Claire Lee	
Brenda Liddy	
Liddy Family	
Lawrence Lobo	
Lobo Family	

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
Sorena Jean	Veronica Williams
Thorin Jean	

SATURDAY, JUNE 14

5:30 pm Parishioners

SUNDAY, JUNE 15

8:30 am Charlotte Burlas †
Lucy Szrama †
11:00 am Ann Baddorf †
Tom Bartsch †
Bob Miller †
2:00 pm Christina Arriola De
Venegas †
Barbara & Gary Curtin †
5:00 pm Seamus Black †
Leonardo Garcia †
Jack Malone †

TUESDAY, JUNE 17

9:00 am Luis Flores †
Maria Alicia Flores †
Pat Williams †



LITURGY SCHEDULE

DAILY MASS

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

ROSARY

Tuesday - Thursday After 9:00am Mass
1st Saturday After 9:00am Mass

DIVINE OFFICE

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

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday Vigil 5:30 pm
Sunday 8:30 am, 11:00 am
2:00 pm (Español)
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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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18

9:00 am Carol Hatchard †
James Kendall †
Kathryn Strom †

THURSDAY, JUNE 19

9:00 am Noel Mabutus †
John Poma †
Amelia Zakour †

FRIDAY, JUNE 20

9:00 am Charlotte Burlas †
John Gignac †
Patsy Pagliarulo †

SATURDAY, JUNE 21

5:30 pm Louis Arida †
Joseph Biank †
Maureen Winans †

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

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



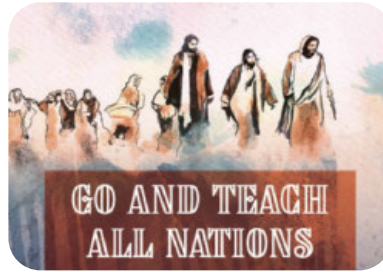
LIVESTREAMING

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

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

First Reading:

"When the Lord established the heavens I was there, when he marked out the vault over the face of the deep; when he made firm the skies above, when he fixed fast the foundations of the earth; (Prv 8:27)

Psalm:

O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth! (Ps 8)

Second Reading:

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. (Rom 5:1)

Gospel:

Everything that the Father has is mine; for this reason I told you that he will take from what is mine and declare it to you." Jn 16:15) ©LPi

WEEKLY READINGS

Sunday:

Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (2a)/ Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

Monday:

2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4/ Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday:

2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a/Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday:

2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9/Mt 6:1-6, 16-1

Thursday:

2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8/ Mt 6:7-15

Friday:

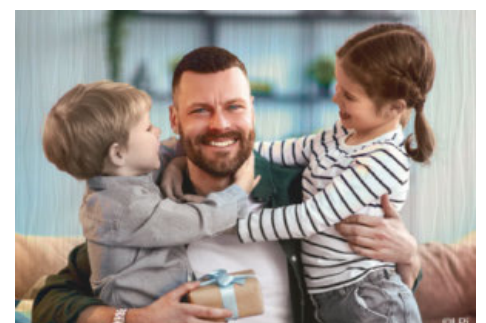
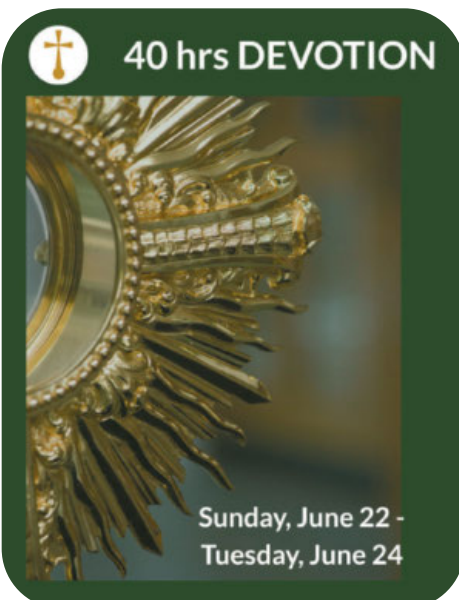
2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 6:19-23

Saturday:

2 Cor 12:1-10/Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Mt 6:24-34 ©LPi

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18

FOR OUR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL PARTICIPANTS AND VOLUNTEERS



04 LITURGY & MUSIC

Sunday, June 15, 2025 | The Most Holy Trinity



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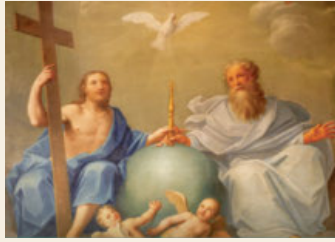
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GOSPEL MEDITATION

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



I am amazed at how my four siblings teach their many kids in age-appropriate ways. For example, now that my nephew Brandon is 24 years of age, they give him insights and freedoms that would have been positively confounding or even dangerous when he was a toddler. Imagine if they had taught him at age four how to drive a car, use a credit card online, or handle power tools. But

eventually, they did, and he is a high functioning young man, I'm proud to say. They are good teachers.

This week we learn that Jesus teaches us in a similar way. He says to his Apostles, "I have much more to tell you, but you cannot bear it now" (John 16:12). How disappointing for them. But imagine at that moment, before his resurrection and ascension, if the Lord had started telling them about synods and sacraments, popes and parishes, martyrs and monasteries, rosaries and relics, catechisms and crucifixes? They would have been absolutely overwhelmed, confused, and discouraged. He tells them what they need to know, when it is time for them to know it.

So he does for us. Jesus has unceasingly taught the Church as she matures through the centuries, just as he teaches you and me through our lives in ways we can understand. Our task should be to learn what he is teaching us now, knowing that (although revelation per se is complete in him and his Apostles), he never ceases to teach us as we spiritually mature. Be confident: he knows what you are ready to learn now.

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OBSERVANCES FOR

THE WEEK OF
JUNE 15, 2025

SUNDAY:

The Most Holy Trinity; Father's Day

MONDAY:

None

TUESDAY:

None

WEDNESDAY:

None

THURSDAY:

St. Romuald, Abbot

FRIDAY:

World Refugee Day

SATURDAY:

St. Aloysius Gonzaga

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

FIRST READING:

Proverbs teaches us that the wisdom of God was present with God throughout creation, playing on earth and finding delight in humans. What brings delight to your life?

SECOND READING:

Paul encouraged believers that in Jesus we have peace with God and through the Holy Spirit we have the love of God in our hearts. Why do you think these fruits of the Holy Trinity have been given to us

GOSPEL:

Jesus taught his disciples that the Spirit gives to believers everything the Father has given to the Son. When have you been generous to others?

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.





CORPUS CHRISTI

In the Eucharistic feast, the gifts of bread and wine really and truly become the Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Christ.

Our parish will celebrate this public witness with a Eucharistic Procession at the conclusion of the 11am bilingual Mass on June 22.

We will process with the Blessed Sacrament outside following the driveway around the grass circle in front of the church. There will be four altars set up around the circle where the procession will pause for singing and benediction.

All are encouraged to participate as we outwardly manifest our belief in this heavenly food on this great solemnity. Recent First Communicants are invited to participate in the procession dressed in their suit/dress that was worn for First Communion.

For safety reasons, the exit from the small south parking lot will not be accessible following the 11am Mass and the two exits into the circle from the large North parking lot will also be blocked off. Egress from the large lot will be at the west end. If you are unable to stay for the procession, we ask that you leave reverently and quietly.

Incense will be used at the 11am and 5pm Masses.



LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Jesus knew how it would be. He knew we would stumble in the dark, grasping for answers. And so he sent us a light: the Holy Spirit, the illumination of all that is true. Dare we look into the light? Are we ready to see the truth?

WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

ROSARIES AS DECORATIONS

QUESTION:

I've seen people hang rosaries over the rear-view mirrors in their cars and a few of them wear them around their necks. Is it OK to do that?

ANSWER:

The practice of hanging a rosary or a religious medal off of the rearview mirror of one's car is a fairly popular custom across many cultures. While there is no particular rule approving or condemning this practice, we should also be mindful of the respect and reverence due to religious objects and devotional items (i.e. sacramentals).

An important point to consider would be the reason why one chooses to place a rosary or religious medal in our cars. Is it a reminder of the protection and intercession of Mary and the saints? Does it encourage us to be mindful of God's presence, even in such a mundane task as driving? Is it an outward expression of our more private devotions?

One advantage of having a rosary or religious medal in our cars is that it can also serve as a reminder to pray when we travel, asking for protection for ourselves and for other motorists or commuters.

Certainly, invoking the protection and prayers of the saints is a wonderful practice for families, helping to reinforce our belief in the communion of saints and the care and concern we owe to one another.



06 EVANGELIZATION & FAITH FORMATION

Sunday, June 15, 2025 | The Most Holy Trinity

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PRAYER TO THE HOLY TRINITY

Glory be to God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit, who calls us into communion with Him, a life of grace and mystery, reconciliation and unity.

Amen



Church Encyclicals

Coming this year! Join us as we explore Four Church Encyclicals that have had a huge impact on the Church and the World. Increase your knowledge through classes and a visiting speaker for each letter.

FIDES ET RATIO

Faith and Reason, John Paul II, 1998
How Faith and Reason go hand in hand and actually compliment each other.

HUMANAE VITAE

On Human Life, Paul VI, 1968
Learn the history of this controversial and prophetic document and why it was written.

VERITATIS SPLENDOR

The Splendor of Truth, JP II, 1993
The only encyclical ever written to explain the moral teachings of the Church.

RERUM NOVARUM

Social Teaching, Leo XIII, 1891
The best kept secret of the Catholic Church, why it was written and how it has shaped the Church.

WALKING WITH PURPOSE WELCOME EVENT

SUNDAY, September 14th in Kaplan Hall
9:30– 11:00 AM

Pick up study guides, reconnect with friends, learn more about WWP

Deadline to pre -order study guides is SEPTEMBER 3RD

COME AS YOU ARE!

WWP Bible studies enable women to encounter Jesus Christ personally through Scripture.

Register online at:
[https:// bedeva.org/walking -with-purpose](https://bedeva.org/walking-with-purpose)



Congratulations!

SAINT BEDE
GRADUATION MASS
SUNDAY, JUNE 29 – 5PM MASS



CELEBRATE OUR 2025 GRADUATES – JOIN US FOR GRADUATION MASS! JUNE 29 AT 5 PM MASS

A big congratulations to all our amazing graduates this year – we're so proud of you!

We're excited to invite all 2025 graduates to a special Graduation Mass on Sunday, June 29 at 5 PM. Graduates are welcome to sit with their families, and we highly encourage everyone to wear their graduation caps and gowns—let's celebrate your achievements in style! Once again, congratulations, graduates! We can't wait to celebrate with you.

AFTER MASS, BE SURE TO STICK AROUND FOR A GROUP PHOTO TO CAPTURE THIS SPECIAL MOMENT.



POTLUCK SOCIAL BEFORE UPPER ROOM JULY 9, AND AUG 13

Middle and high school teens and their families are invited to join us in KPH at 5:30 pm for a fun-filled potluck before Upper Room!

CHOSEN SEASON 1- HS JUNE 19; AND JULY 10, 17, 24, 31

Dive into the Gospels, and become part of the story as we watch and discuss Season 1 of The Chosen! We will meet 6-8:30pm in the Youth Room.

TRIP MEETING DATES

Steubenville Meeting- July 6 at 4pm
Hidden Lake Meeting- July 20 at 4 pm

20 JULY ULTIMATE FRISBEE
After 5 pm Mass- Ice-cream social

MORE QUESTIONS?
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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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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

LA SANTÍSIMA TRINIDAD



Un solo Dios Trino, pero no solitario, sino comunitario. El misterio de la Santísima Trinidad es eterno, y si bien no lo comprendo del todo en mi corazón, por mi fe siento que es único y verdadero; me da vida como Padre, me ayuda y acompaña en mi jornada como Hijo, y habita en mí como Espíritu Santo, desde mi bautismo. El

Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica, en el numeral 261, nos dice que “El misterio de la Santísima Trinidad es el misterio central de la fe y de la vida cristiana. Sólo Dios puede darnoslo a conocer revelándose como Padre, Hijo y Espíritu Santo”. ¿Cómo te relacionas con Dios Trino? ¿Cuál de las Tres Divinas Personas invocas en tu oración?

“La fe católica es esta: que veneremos un Dios en la Trinidad y la Trinidad en la unidad, no confundiendo las personas, ni separando las substancias, una es la Persona del Padre, otra la del Hijo, otra la del Espíritu Santo; pero del Padre y del Hijo y del Espíritu Santo una es la divinidad, igual la gloria, coeterna la majestad” (Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica numeral 266). El amor de Dios es infinito y misericordioso, y su deseo es que el pueblo santo participe y goce de su misma vida divina. Por eso, es importante que, como discípulos, anunciemos la Buena Nueva del Evangelio, que es la salvación. Gloria al Padre, al Hijo, y al Espíritu Santo, sea siempre nuestra oración al despertarnos y al concluir el día.

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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/>





Legión de María

JUNIO

- 27 @ 7pm Rosario Mundial por los Sacerdotes En el Santuario Virgen de Walsingham
- 29 @ 3pm Rosario honrando a Ntra. Sra. Perpetuo Socorro - Capilla Santísimo Sacramento

JULIO

- 6 @ 3pm Catequesis Escapulario del Carmen Salón Walsh
- 20 @ 2pm Investidura Escapulario de la Virgen del Carmen - Durante la Misa en español
- 20 @ 3pm Rosario honrando a Ntra. Sra. del Carmen Capilla Santísimo Sacramento
- 26 @ 9am Retiro Espiritual - Activos y Auxiliares Salón Parroquial Kaplan

¡Bajo tu amparo nos acogemos, Santa Madre de Dios!



Solemnidad del Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo

Misa Bilingüe y Procesión Eucarística
22 de junio a las 11am
No hay Misa en español a las 2pm

SOLEMNIDAD DEL CUERPO Y LA SANGRE DE CRISTO 22 de junio Misa Bilingüe a las 11am (no habrá Misa en español a las 2pm).

Necesitamos ayuda con flores y mano de obra para construir el Altar de la Comunidad Hispana. Para ayudar, contacte a Liz Alcántar al 757 775 4516

VERANO 2025

SAINT BEDE YOUTH MINISTRY



CHOSEN SEASON 1 (LOS ELEGIDOS)
Sólo High School
Adentrate en los Evangelios y sé parte de la historia mientras vemos y platicamos acerca de la primera temporada de The Chosen.
Junio 19; Julio 10, 17, 24, 31
6-8:30pm Salón de Jóvenes

20 ULTIMATE FRISBEE
JULIO Y Ice Cream después de Misa de 5pm en Kaplan

¿PREGUNTAS?
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CONVIVIO ANTES DE ADORACIÓN, CADA SEGUNDO MIÉRCOLES DEL MES
Jóvenes Middle y High school y sus familias están invitadas a Convivencia antes de Adoración. Traiga un plato para compartir.
Salón Kaplan @ 5:30pm
July 9, y Aug 13

RESERVE ESTAS FECHAS



CONVIVIO EN EL PARQUE
domingo, 22 junio 2025 2:30pm
Veterans Park - Kidsburg
Cerca de la iglesia
El 22 junio NO hay misa español a las 2pm. Si va a llover se moverá la fecha del Convivio.

DESPEDIDA DE NUESTROS SACERDOTES
sábado, 28 junio 2025 6:30pm
Salón Parroquial Kaplan



40 Horas de Adoración

Del domingo, 22 junio @ 6pm
Al martes, 24 junio @ 9am



Las 40 horas de Adoración Eucarística serán día y noche, desde el 6/22 @ 6pm hasta el 6/24 @ las 9am.

Todos están invitados a orar en cualquier momento durante las 40 horas, incluso si las dos posiciones de adorador ya están ocupadas.

Necesitamos al menos 2 Adoradores por hora para garantizar la seguridad del Santísimo Sacramento. Inscribise para acompañar al Señor a una hora específica. Necesitaremos ayuda especialmente con las horas de la madrugada.



<https://tinyurl.com/40HorasAdoracion>

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

THANK YOUR ALTAR SERVERS THIS WEEKEND!

The young men, women and adults who serve at the Lord's table each week are fulfilling a special role in assisting with our liturgies. They deserve our thanks for the hours they give in before, during and after Mass to help things run smoothly. What a great blessing to have young people eager and willing to serve the Lord!



STEWARDSHIP VERSE OF THE WEEK

Brothers and sisters:

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith,
we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,
through whom we have gained access by faith
to this grace in which we stand,
and we boast in hope of the glory of God.
Not only that, but we even boast of our afflictions,
knowing that affliction produces endurance,
and endurance, proven character,
and proven character, hope,
and hope does not disappoint,
because the love of God has been poured out into our hearts
through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

ROMANS 5:1-5

DO YOU FIND YOURSELF WRITING A CHECK FOR A TAX BILL IN VIRGINIA?

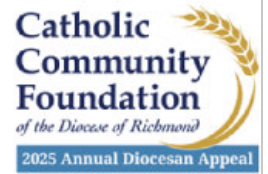
Thanks to Virginia's Education Improvement Scholarships Tax Credits (EISTC) program, donations to approved foundations will provide scholarships for students from low income families at non-public schools. Individual or business donors then receive a 65% tax credit.

The Catholic Diocese of Richmond's McMahon Parater Scholarship Foundation is approved by the Virginia Department of Education to receive donations under this program. The Foundation distributes scholarships to qualifying students who attend one of the 30 Catholic schools in the Diocese.

Contact Sam Samorian (ssamorian@bedeva.org) for more information.

STEWARDSHIP RESOURCES AND REMINDERS:

**2025 ANNUAL
DIOCESAN APPEAL:
SHARING HIS LOVE
WITH OTHERS**



A MESSAGE FROM FATHER ERIC

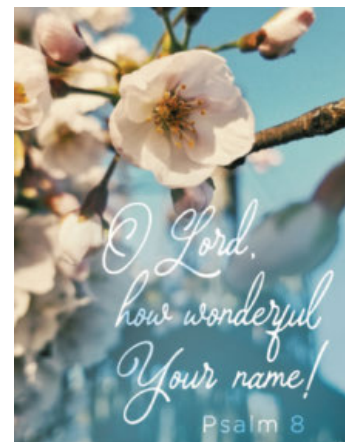
Thank you all for your outstanding support of the Annual Diocesan Appeal. I am pleased to report that Saint Bede has exceeded its goal! However, there is still much work to do. Supporting the 2025 Annual Diocesan Appeal is about supporting important ministries of our Catholic Church.

For example, did you know that the Appeal:

- Funds the cost of room, board, tuition, and health insurance for our seminarians.
- Supplements health insurance and long-term care for our priests who have given their lives in service to the Church.
- Defrays the cost of providing ongoing professional, spiritual, and theological formation for our priests.

If you have not yet made a commitment, I hope you will join me in helping to not only meet but exceed this year's goal. Fifty cents of every dollar raised now will be shared back with our parish.

Please visit richmondccatholicfoundation.org/appeal to make a secure online donation or visit our parish office for a hard copy pledge card. Thank you for partnering with us on this important ministry of our Catholic Church.





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



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 29th and ending September 7th after the 8:30am and 11am Masses.

Come share a meal and fellowship. All are welcome. Freewill donations accepted.



Saint Bede Council 6828 welcomed new brothers Johnathan Kigongo (center left) and Johnathan Hanson (center) to the Knights of Columbus on May 13. St. Kateri Tekakwitha Council 17189 also welcomed a new brother, George Persico (center right). Join the Knights online at kofc.org/joinus. Contact Chris Harvey if you have questions, at 701-340-9314.

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Echoing the age-old message of the prophets, the Jubilee reminds us that the goods of the earth are not destined for a privileged few, but for everyone. The rich must be generous and not avert their eyes from the faces of their brothers and sisters in need. Here I think especially of those who lack water and food: hunger is a scandal, an open wound on the body of our humanity, and it summons all of us to a serious examination of conscience. I renew my appeal that "with the money spent on weapons and other military expenditures, let us establish a global fund that can finally put an end to hunger and favor development in the most impoverished countries, so that their citizens will not resort to violent or illusory situations, or have to leave their countries in order to seek a more dignified life". [8]

Another heartfelt appeal that I would make in light of the coming Jubilee is directed to the more affluent nations. I ask that they acknowledge the gravity of so many of their past decisions and determine to forgive the debts of countries that will never be able to repay them. More than a question of generosity, this is a matter of justice. It is made all the more serious today by a new form of injustice which we increasingly recognize, namely, that "a true 'ecological debt' exists, particularly between the global North and South, connected to commercial imbalances with effects on the environment and the disproportionate use of natural resources by certain countries over long periods of time".

As sacred Scripture teaches, the earth is the Lord's and all of us dwell in it as "aliens and tenants" (Lev 25:23). If we really wish to prepare a path to peace in our world, let us commit ourselves to remedying the remote causes of injustice, settling unjust and unpayable debts, and feeding the hungry.



Pope Francis, Spes non confundit, #16



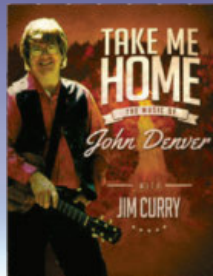
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