



The Catholic Church of ST. MARY THE VIRGIN

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Welcome to The Catholic Church of St. Mary the Virgin. We are a parish of the Personal Ordinariate of the Chair of Saint Peter authorized by Pope Benedict XVI in 2012 for Anglicans seeking to become Catholic. Ordinariate parishes are fully Catholic, while retaining elements of their Anglican heritage and embracing the roots of the Catholic faith's rich tradition through reverent liturgy and historical music. All Catholics are invited to participate in our Divine Worship liturgy and receive communion by kneeling (if able) at the altar rail and receiving our Lord on the tongue.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact the parish for details regarding the preparation program. Under Ordinariate policy, couples should contact a member of the parish clergy at least six months prior to their proposed wedding date.

Liturgical Ministers September 25, 2022

8:00 am	Altar Server Ushers	Jon Carr Brigitte Brignac/Kent Sawtelle
10:30 am	Master of Ceremonies Thurifer Crucifer Torchbearers Boat Boy Ushers	Theo Irlbeck John Paul Morris Nathan Brinkley C.J. Kelley/Owen Morris Rafael Gutierrez Mike Pratt/Dave Kelley
1:00 pm	Altar Server Ushers	Vincent Lohla Jeff Nelson/Jacqui Payne

Divine Worship Order of Holy Mass

**The Fifteenth Sunday
After Trinity
September 25, 2022**

Music of the Mass

Mass Setting: Missa de Angelis

Please see separate hymn sheet

Prelude.....*Organ Voluntary*
Entrance Hymn.....*Before Thy Throne O God*
Offertory Hymn.....*O What their Joy and Their Glory*
Mystery of Faith.....*O Saviour of the World..*
Communion Hymn... ..*Come, Risen Lord!*
Recessional Hymn.....*Tell Out, My Soul!*
Postlude.....*Organ Voluntary*

Adult Choir meets at 9:15 p.m. on Sunday
**Youth Choir meets September 25th after the 10:30
mass until 12:55**

Collect

KeeP, we beseech thee, O Lord, thy Church with thy perpetual mercy: and, because the frailty of man without thee cannot but fall; keep us ever by thy help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

Scripture of the Mass

First Reading

Amos 6:1a, 4-7

Thus says the Lord almighty: "Woe to those who are at ease in Zion, and to those who feel secure on the mountain of Samaria. Woe to those who lie upon beds of ivory, and stretch themselves upon their couches, and eat lambs from the flock, and calves from the midst of the stall; who sing idle songs to the sound of the harp, and like David invent for themselves instruments of music; who drink wine in bowls, and anoint themselves with the finest oils, but are not grieved over the ruin of Joseph! Therefore they shall now be the first of those to go into exile, and the revelry of those who stretch themselves shall pass away."

Gradual

It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord:
and to sing praises unto thy Name, O Most Highest.

V. To tell of thy loving-kindness early in the morning:
and of thy truth in the night season.

Second Reading

1 Timothy 6:11-16

O Man of God, aim at righteousness, godliness, faith, love, steadfastness, gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life to which you were called when you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. In the presence of God who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you to keep the commandment unstained and free from reproach until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ; and this will be made manifest at the proper time by the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords, who alone has immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no man has ever seen or can see. To him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen.

Alleluia

Alleluia. Alleluia.

For the Lord is a great God:
and a great King over all the earth.

Alleluia

The Holy Gospel

Luke 16:19-31

At that time: Jesus said to the Pharisees, "There was a rich man, who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, full of sores, who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man's table; moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried; and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes, and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus in his bosom. And he called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy upon me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in anguish in this flame.'

But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.'

And he said, 'Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.' But Abraham said, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.'

And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if some one goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' He said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced if some one should rise from the dead.'



The Parish Offering

Weekly Offering Forecast.....	\$6,800.00
Sunday Offering.....	\$7,048.80
Variance.....	\$246.80
Attendance.....	485

Thank you for your generosity!

The Prayers of the People

For Those in Special Need

Fr. Stainbrook, our pastor; Charlotte; Samuel; Joanne; Ben; Christopher; Polly; Anne; Jennifer; Mike; Anne; Megan; Susan; Bill; Maxine; Mary; Bonnie; Echo; Jennifer; Jerry; Kathy; Myron; Diane & Pete; Cline; Colleen; Drew; Carol; Ronald; Mike.

For Those Serving in the Armed Forces

Eduardo; Hailey; Kayla; Pierson; Lucas; Patrick; Richard; Victor; Byron; Luke; Christian; Chelsey; Dillon; Mathew; Annie; Brandon; James; Jacob.

For Those Expecting Children

Mari & Russell; Becca & Marcus; Alicia & Aaron; Mary Pat & Sam; Lisa & Ben.

For the Faithful Departed On the Anniversary of Their Deaths

Sunday: Dorothy Krupp; *Tuesday:* Mary Wright; *Wednesday:* Philip Smith; Helen Adamson; Lisa Anne Vera; *Friday:* Esther Holtz; *Saturday:* John Harold Russell.

For Those Celebrating Birthdays

Sunday: Adriana Estrada; Amanda Bell; Graham Muller; Joan Gasper; Lucy Kelly; *Monday:* Edward Lilienshtern; Chyrel Kennedy; Simon Barron; *Tuesday:* Derek Histen; Gregory Graham; Ignatius Porres; Mary Vinson; *Wednesday:* Alice Hager; Eileen Hager; *Thursday:* Cinthya Lara Berardi; Julia Smith; *Friday:* John Harris; Obinna Ezukwo; *Saturday:* Benjamin Hull; Diane Avelar; Erika McDonald; Michael Winward.

This Week at St. Mary the Virgin

Sunday, September 25

Low Mass at 8:00 a.m.
CCD Classes at 9:15 a.m.
High Mass at 10:30 a.m.
Low Mass with hymns at 1:00 p.m.

Monday, September 26

Mass at 12:00 p.m.
(*Mass Intention: James Oliver birthday*)

Tuesday, September 27

Mass at 6:00 p.m.
RCIA classes at 7:00 p.m.
(*Mass Intention: Edith Barner RIP*)

Wednesday, September 28

Confessions at 11:00 a.m.
Mass at 12:00 p.m.
(*Mass Intention: Daniel Smyzek RIP*)

Thursday, September 29

Men's Examen Group at 10:30 a.m.
Mass at 12:00 p.m.
(*Mass Intention: Fernando Ávila RIP*)

Friday, September 30

Mass at 12 p.m.
Adoration 1-5 p.m.
(*Mass Intention: Colette Boyd*)

Saturday, October 1

Saturday Morning Martyrs at 8:00 a.m.
Mass at 9:00 a.m.
Confessions at 10:00 a.m.
(*Mass Intentions: Thanksgiving for Fr Gahl's successful eye surgery*)

First Aid Training

Marcus Lopez, a certified 'Stop the Bleed' instructor will be offering a First Aid training class in the parish. If you are interested in this training, please email or call the parish office so we can develop a list of interested persons.
Date to be determined for the training.

Young Adult Picnic & Prayer

Please join us this Sunday, September 25th, after the 10:30 High Mass for a picnic on UD campus followed by prayer with the Dominican Friars at 4:30pm.



SCAN ME

For further details and future events, check out our calendar:

For more information about this ministry, feel free to contact Emilyann Burr (434-227-3307) or Kaitlyn Gainer (832-984-4534).

Brown Scapular Enrollment - October 1st

The Brown Scapular Enrollment is scheduled for Saturday

October 1 after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please call the parish office to get your name enlisted.

Carlo Acutis Youth Group meeting

This group will meet on Oct. 1, 2022, in the parish at 6:00—8:00 p.m. All teens are welcome. There will be board games, prayers and Saints Party to be organized.

A.R.T DOMINE!

A.R.T.Domine is happy to bring: Our Holy Vocation as Wives & Women on Oct 1, 2022, from 9:00 -12:00. 1st Saturdays of the Month we will be meeting at 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. After the 9 am. Mass, confession is available. 10:00 Breakfast & Fellowship at SMV Parish Hall 10:30 Learn, Know and Love your vocation: we will start with the 2 books (Love and Responsibility by St. JP II and Men, Women, and the Mystery of Love by Edward Sri. During the year we will add books & Speakers 11:30 Closing and Fellowship

Box of Joy

Beginning in the first week of October, our parish will once again participate in the Christmas Box of Joy program sponsored by Cross Catholic. Keep your eyes open for information coming soon!

Dear Friends in Christ:

Last week I wrote about “Caring Catholic Customs” in my bulletin article. This week I would like to touch on “Confessional Courtesies”. SMV offers Confessions twice a week – on Wednesday at 11:00 am to 11:50 am and on Saturday from 10:00 am to 11:00 am. In order to be able to hear as many penitents as possible, it would be helpful if we all practiced these courtesies.

Please have the list of which sins one wishes to confess ready before entering the confessional. Many of the waits experienced by those in line are due to penitents who wait until they are already in the confessional before thinking about which sins, they wish/need to confess. Making a list is fine, and can often expedite the wait time.

Please confess your sins, not those of others (family members, coworkers, partners, spouses, etc.) Sympathetic as we may be, we can only absolve those sins of the actual penitent – please leave lazy coworkers or ungrateful daughter in laws out of one’s own confession.

Please try to keep the line moving. While there are plenty of seats along the south transept leading to the confessional, it is very helpful if those in line move forward to the next nearest seat, rather than staying four or five seats behind. This courtesy makes entering the confessional much smoother than walking three, four or five rows to the confessional.

Parents, please prepare your children on how to make their confession. Both Fr. Kennedy and I are able to gently lead a child who doesn’t know how to make a confession by supplying the words “Bless me, Father...” and the Act of Contrition at the end of the confession just before the words of absolution, but it is most helpful if the child already knows what to say.

By practicing these “Confessional Courtesies”, we hope to make the wait time much shorter, and the grace of the Sacrament available to more penitents.

Faithfully, Your Friend and Pastor,
Fr. Christopher C. Stainbrook.



Prayer for Vocations

Priest: Please kneel for our prayer for vocations. / Let us ask God to give worthy priests, brothers and sisters to His Holy Church.

All: O God, / we earnestly beseech Thee / to bless this Ordinariate / with many priests, / brothers / and sisters, / who will love Thee with their whole strength / and gladly spend their entire lives / to serve Thy Church / and to make Thee known and loved.

Priest: Bless our families. / Bless our children.

All: Choose from our homes / those who are needed for Thy work.

Priest: Mary Queen of the Clergy!

All: Pray for us. / Pray for our priests and religious. / Obtain for us many more. Amen.

Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam

(For the Greater Glory)

Flowers: Estrada Family for Adrian Estrada’s birthday

Sanctuary Light: John Quin for Claire Quin’s birthday

Lamp at the Shrine of Our Lady: John Quin in loving memory of Ann Quin

Lamp at the Shrine of Joseph: Oliver Family for Jameson Oliver’s birthday

Lamp at the Shrine of St. Therese: Oliver Family for Kacy Reynolds’s birthday

Lamp at the Shrine of Blessed Charles I: Rease Parton for St Phillip and St Augustine Catholic Academy

Lamp at St. Thomas More: John Quin for the spiritual welfare of the Quin Family

Lamp at St. John Fisher: Brignac’s Family for Joey’s birthday

Lamp at the Altar of Relics: Carol/Paul Denning for Chad Joseph Denning’s birthday