



JULY 25/26, 2015

**SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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**REMEMBER THE SICK:** Angelica, Donna Boyle Amadio, Karen Anderson, Mary Bachu, Ryan Ball, Ed Bano, Patrick Beck, Judy Benegar, Donna Borsellino, Joey Bohanon, Millie Bowers, Cynthia Bowser, James Boyd, Evon Brown, John Carney, Bina Chandra, Marie Cherney, Hilary Cohen, Robert Colaizzi, Maureen Crean, Elia Cuomo, Gerard Cuomo, Joan Dalo, Judy DeMonaco, Paula Dunkum, Kathryn Edmonston, David Edwards, Morgan Eller, Brendan Feely, Sarah Flumerfelt, Patricia Galasso, Mike Gilley, David Green, Carol Hall, Pat Harney, Neil Hawley, Kenneth Halloway IV, Mary Gerarde Hood, Candi Hubbard, Charles Jarrett, June Jennings, Mary Ann Johansen, Cindy Johnson, Christopher Kelch, Shannon Kelch, John Kiernan, Amelia Koffman, Kathy Kohlstrand, Kathy Powers Krahlung, Tina Krahlung, Ann Lambert, Bill Laslo, Virginia Laurie, Mark Libaers, Tony Liene, Nancy Light, Thomas List, Logan MacArthur, Patrick McCarthy, Bunnie McClellen, Debbie Merritt, Gary Miller, Sue Niebling, Steven Oakley, Ernest Owens, Kevin Pigg, Daniel Ramsey, Irma Reagan, Betty Rehpelz, Kathy Richards, Harriet Robinson, Jean Robertson, Melissa Rozella, Theresa Sawyer and family members, Chris Schlotterbeck II, Paul Sclafani, Irene Shenasky, Sara Shenasky, Melody Smith, Pam Smith, Judy Spadaro, Barbara Stein, Jean Strangways, Tass Tucker, Maggie Tusmshi, Amy Underwood, Jacob Underwood, Patricia Flower Vermillion, Ryan Waddington, Ken Watson, Kevin Wein, Gene Wells, Oliver Wesolowski, Larry Williams, Baxter Wilson, Mini Willis, Fran Winn, Lena Wolff, Ron Wyles, Charlie Yue, Amelia Zentz

**PRAYER REQUESTS:** Sandy Aichinger, Brianna Alessandro, Vickie Alley, Bruno Baggio, Lumen Barbero, Paul Berger, Jack Boyd, U.T. and Yvonne Brown, Rose Brumley, Bob C., Mark Callahan, Donna Christman, Joseph Cianci, Jack Donahue, Joe Finn, Lorraine Forrer, Steven Lee Forrer, Alivia Grace Furr, Michelle Germano, Joan Geroe, Christina Gordon, Katie Gordon, Jill Haddox, Shelly Hanna, Richard Hegg, Blanche Henry, Ursula Hinkleman, Michelle & Jordan Jackson, Shannon Jennings, Theresa Lee, Nancy Loy, Maryann Lumley, Taccarra Mack, Mary Magoon, Jim Mahoney, Clara Marini, Maria McDonald, Bruce McKenna, John Meier, Eric Menehune, Christopher Molosso, John Murphy, Robert Norbeck, Maria Oakes, Maureen Palmer, Patrick Parnell, Melissa Perkinson, Sandy Piscatelli, Irma Reagan, Brad Richards, Fr. Michael Rigley, Paul Anthony Ross, George Louis Ross, Danny Santos, Colleen Seavey, Maria Sherman, Susan Smith, Roy Starrin, Gwen Stinard, Barbara Stone, Dianna Stookey, Betty Taylor, Ron Thompson, Carole Thompson, Stephanie Thompson, Paul Valentine, Ryder Waddington, Margaret Walker, Linda Weed, Lena Wolff, Susy Wood, Lin Goodwin Yopp

**PRAYERLINE REQUESTS:** Please call the Parish Office at 481-5702.



**CALENDAR**

**SUNDAY, JULY 26**

“Christmas in July” Food Drive  
Summer Schola 8:15 a.m.  
Liturgical Ensemble 10:30 a.m.

**MONDAY, JULY 27**

The Chosen Group –  
“Singing and Dancing With Dianna” 6:30 p.m.

**TUESDAY, JULY 28**

Cantor Workshop 7:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 29**

J.O.Y. Club 11:00 a.m.  
Boy Scout Troop #587 6:00 p.m.  
Family Addiction Support Group 6:30 p.m.  
Rosary 6:30 p.m.

**THURSDAY, JULY 30**

K of C Officers’ Meeting 7:00 p.m.

**FRIDAY, JULY 31**

Chaplet of Divine Mercy 9:45 a.m.  
Fitzpatrick Wedding Rehearsal

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 1**

Fitzpatrick Wedding 2:00 p.m.  
Reconciliation 4:30 p.m.  
Wine, Cheese, & More (after Mass)  
Theme: “Aloha” (wear Hawaiian attire)

**SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE:** Our Summer Mass Schedule has begun, changing the 11:00 a.m. Mass to 10:30 a.m. This schedule will run through Labor Day Weekend.

**NURSERY:** The Nursery will not be staffed with volunteers for the months of July and August. As always, you are welcome to stay with your child in the Nursery and participate in Mass by watching on the video feed. We will resume staffing the nursery in September. Please contact [hfevangelization@gmail.com](mailto:hfevangelization@gmail.com) with any questions and/or if you would like to volunteer. Thank you!



**FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY:** Please join us next Saturday at 5:00 p.m. to pray the Rosary.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK****Monday, July 27:** Morning Prayer**Tuesday, July 28:** George Phillips III by Janice Hull**Wednesday, July 29:** Lillian "Lil" Moison by Mary Sorrentino**Thursday, July 30:** Leona Jarvis by Adele Frangenberg**Friday, July 31:** Bob Kerr (1st Anniversary)

by Emily Kerr and Family

**Saturday, August 1:** Ruth McMahon by Joanne & Steve Lisk**Sunday, August 2:** 8:15 a.m.: Norma Zitek by David Foote;

10:30 a.m.: Holy Family Parishioners

**DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS****Sun., July 26:** *Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:*

2 Kgs 4:42-44; Ps 145:10-11, 15-18; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

**Mon., July 27:** Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23; Mt 13:31-35**Tue., July 28:** Ex 33:7-11; 34: 5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-13;

Mt 13:36-43

**Wed., July 29:** *Saint Martha:*

Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5-7, 9; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

**Thu., July 30:** *Saint Peter Chrysologus, bishop, doctor of the church:* Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3-6a,8a,11; Mt 13:47-53**Fri., July 31:** *Saint Ignatius of Loyola, priest:*

Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81: 3-6, 10-11b;

Mt 13:54-58

**Sat., August 1:** *Saint Alphonsus Liguori, bishop, doctor of the church:* Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67: 2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14: 1-12**Sun., August 2:** *Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:*

Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Ps 78:3-4, 23-25,54; Eph 4:17, 20-24;

Jn 6:24-35

**PARISH COUNCIL:** Rick Paradiso, Chair; Greg Brown, Co-Chair; Laurie Steentofte, Secretary; Brian Alexander; Joe Kelly; Julianna Luecke (Youth Representative); Richard Serpe; Todd Solomon; Kathy Staskin; Gwen Stinard; Fr. Gaudy.**FINANCE COUNCIL:** Andy Ward, Chairperson; Joy Bixler, Vice-Chairperson; Jean MacLeay, Secretary; Steve Ambrose, Andy McClaskey, Terry McElroy, Fr. Gaudy.**NEW EVANGELIZATION TEAM (NET):** Mike McCormick and Kathy Staskin, Co-Chairpersons; Mike DeJaeger, Shannan LePage, Elizabeth Panchik, Tom Rumely; Dean Schleicher; Steve Winter, Fr. Gaudy.**"LIVING OUR MISSION" CAMPAIGN****UPDATE:** For current updates, listen to the announcements at Mass, check our website, and see the thermometer posters in the Commons. If you have not turned in your pledge card, please do so as soon as possible.**WEEKLY OFFERTORY**

Budget 2015/2016 is \$1,077,484.00. This includes Schools Parish Sharing Assessment of \$84,719.00

Our total offertory to date is 6% – \$58,060.64

For July 18/19, the weekly offertory total was \$17,276.47.

Holy Family Operating Fund: \$198,649.14

Social Ministry: \$19,901.84

Haiti Fund: \$77,364.96

Capital Reserve: \$151,573.64

**COLUMBARIUM:** There are Columbarium niches available. The cost is \$2,000.00 for a double niche. Contact Terry McElroy at 481-5702.**FOOD PANTRY UPDATE**This month is our "Christmas in July" Food Drive. Please help us replenish our Food Pantry by bringing extra food. Please bring any of the following: **Peanut Butter, Jelly, Spaghetti Sauce, Spaghetti, Coffee, Tea, Canned Tuna, Canned Fruit, Canned Meat (including Stew and Chili), Canned Soup, Boxed Potatoes, Rice Mixes, Macaroni & Cheese, Cereal, Pancake Syrup, and Pancake Mix.****THANK YOU** to all parishioners who supported our Blood Drive on June 24. We fell short of our goal by only a few but in my estimation the drive was a success. A big thank you to Glenn Rodriguez, Steve Branning, Carla Schneider, and Annette Gibson for their assistance in making this drive possible. A special thank you to my volunteers, Annette Rodgers, Bev Flaschentrager, Carol Palka, Judy Scofield, Gary O'Toole, and John Skuro for their devotion in helping run this drive. Hope to see you at our fall drive in late September or early October. God's blessings to you all, Georgia Skuro, Red Cross Drive Coordinator.



**Freedom:** A well-rounded school gives students freedom to recognize their capabilities and individual potentials. Something as simple as putting toys away or helping set placements for snack time can build good character that will last a lifetime. At the Day School, we foster an atmosphere where thinking, questioning, and imagining are encouraged while enhancing understanding, empathy, and communication skills. Preschool is your students' introduction into the education system; while it is fun and engaging for the children, it is an important responsibility for both parents and teachers. Holy Family Day School accepts students age 2½ (toilet trained) through Kindergarten. With Freedom comes knowledge, and with knowledge comes understanding. We will work to engage your children in a warm, caring, structured environment to help them understand how important they are in the world. Currently we have openings for 2½-Young 3's classes and our older 3 Year Tuesday/Thursday! If you have any questions or would like to take a tour of our school, please call 481-1180. Helpful information can be found on our website: [www.holyfamilydayschool.org](http://www.holyfamilydayschool.org).

**Do You Know What Your Elementary School Student is Doing After School?** Holy Family Day School has a great program limited to 20 students for after school care. Students attending John B. Dey, Trantwood, or Alanton Elementary school may ride a VBCPS bus to Holy Family. The program is structured to include playground time, snack time, homework time, centers, and other activities.

**Box Tops For Education:** Box Top collection is a year-round program and we are so pleased with the excellent response to this fund raiser for the school. The box outside the Chapel is the place to drop off your collection.



## **GOLDEN SENIORS MEETINGS**

**No monthly membership meetings  
in July or August.**

**Mark your calendars for  
Thursday, September 17,  
for our General Meeting at 10:00 a.m.**

**Program/Speaker to be determined.**

### **First Thursdays:**

(Point of Contact: Tom Johnson at 496-8783)

**August 6 – Maritime Museum** in Newport News – near Christopher Newport University at the south end of J. Clyde Morris, 11:00 a.m. – an hour's drive from the church; group admission \$10.00 per person – lunch at Harpoon Larry's at 621 J. Clyde Morris Boulevard.

Need a ride to the meeting?  
Call Barbara Morris at 496-2696.

Membership information?  
Call Cathy Haley at 463-0525.

## **CHRISTIAN FORMATION:**

Are you still undecided about which ministry to join? Do you like working with children? Would you like to share the richness of the Catholic faith with the children of our parish? Then catechetical ministry is the ministry for you! Please consider joining the K-5 Catechist team! We need catechists for grades 1, 3, 4, and 5. We are looking for energetic and dedicated adults to teach the youth of our parish. VIRTUS and background check, Pathways training, and occasional meetings are required. Supplies, support, and materials are provided. Contact Tiffany in the parish office if you are interested at [DRE@hollyfamilyvb.org](mailto:DRE@hollyfamilyvb.org).

## **THE DVDs ARE HERE!**

We are excited to announce that we now have DVD copies of the three presentations given by Fr. Mike Renninger at the "Holy Homes – Holy Hearts" Retreat in January. There are 15 copies available for purchase. A donation of \$10.00 is suggested. All proceeds will go to our parish outreach of financial assistance to those in need. The church also has several copies that are available for loan. Please contact Alfie at [pal@hollyfamilyvb.org](mailto:pal@hollyfamilyvb.org) to purchase a DVD or borrow one.



**BULLETIN:** The deadline for bulletin notices is Mondays at 9:30 a.m. Please submit to Carla, the Parish Secretary. Any inserts will need to be digital as everything is emailed to the publishing company.





### **The New Evangelization – The Domestic Church**

Pope Paul VI, in his great encyclical on evangelization, *Evangelii Nuntiandi*, quotes the Second Vatican Council's description of the Christian family as the domestic church. For Pope Paul VI, this means that to truly become a domestic church "there should be found in every Christian family the various aspects of the entire Church." The Second Vatican Council also taught that every Catholic is called to holiness.

And since the great majority of Catholics live out their lives in families, it is clear that the family should be a place in which each family member can grow in holiness.

As the saints have shown throughout history, holiness in life leads inevitably to witness in our daily lives. In our time, the work of evangelization is not reserved only for an elite few, but is the responsibility of all baptized Christians.

From Knights of Columbus, *Building the Domestic Church*



### **HOLY FAMILY BOOK CLUB:**

Please join us on Tuesday, August 4, at 7:00 p.m. to discuss *Mere Christianity* by C.S. Lewis. In the classic *Mere Christianity*, C.S. Lewis, one of the most important writers of the 20th century, explores the common ground upon which all of those of Christian faith stand together. *Mere Christianity* provides an unequalled opportunity for believers and nonbelievers alike to hear this powerful apologetic for the Christian faith. Please contact Mike McCormick at [sixmcc89@gmail.com](mailto:sixmcc89@gmail.com) or 419-0145 for more information.

### **NATIONAL VOCATIONS AWARENESS:**

"Lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness." Have you considered a vocation to the priesthood or the consecrated life? Call Father Michael Boehling at 804-359-5661 or e-mail at [mboehling@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:mboehling@richmonddiocese.org).

### **FR. ROBERT BARRON COMING TO HAMPTON ROADS**

The **Bishop Keane Institute** brings the leading voices in Catholic thought, ministry and education to Hampton, Virginia, as a way of engaging our local community in the ongoing and wider mission of Christ's Church.



**Fr. Robert Barron**

**AUGUST 14, 2015 AT 7:30 P.M.**

**HELD AT BETHEL CHURCH: 1705 TODDS LANE,  
HAMPTON, VA 23666**

**DOORS OPEN FRIDAY, AUGUST 14, AT 6:30 P.M.**

Tickets are available for purchase \$15.00 each (limit 4 per person) through Holy Family beginning **July 18**. Please contact **Tiffany Watson** at [DRE@holymfamilyvb.org](mailto:DRE@holymfamilyvb.org), or at the **Parish Office** at **481-5702**, if you are interested in purchasing tickets. Please include full name, number of tickets, email address, and phone number along with payment. Checks must be made payable to "Church of the Holy Family" and please write "Keane Institute - Fr. Barron" in the memo line. Deadline for ticket purchase through the parish is July 28.

### **Potluck Picnic for Holy Family Social Ministries Sunday, August 9, at 5:00 p.m.**

If you participate in any of these Social Ministries: JCOC, Haiti Ministries, Financial Outreach, Food Pantry, Giving Tree, Holiday Food Baskets, Migrant Ministry, Red Cross Blood Drive, Meals on Wheels, Winter Watch, Environmental Committee, and The Chosen, you are invited to a Potluck Picnic. You may bring whatever sides you wish to share. Holy Family will provide the hot dogs, burgers, and drinks. We will have outdoor games for the kids and adults to enjoy!  
Thank you for all you do for the least of our brothers and sisters in Christ.  
RSVP to [pal@holymfamilyvb.org](mailto:pal@holymfamilyvb.org).



### Are you curious to learn more about the Catholic faith?

Are you an adult contemplating Baptism? Have you been baptized in another Christian faith but now find yourself being led to the Catholic Church? Are you looking to complete your Sacraments of Initiation by receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation as a baptized Catholic adult? Then RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation) is the place for you! Come with your questions to one of our Inquiry Sessions where you can meet team members and find out how we can accompany you on your faith journey. Classes begin in October and are held on Sunday mornings between the Masses.

#### Inquiry Dates

- **Saturday, August 22**  
(after 5:30 p.m. Mass)
- **Sunday, August 23**  
(between the Masses 9:30 a.m.)
- **Saturday, September 12**  
(after 5:30 p.m. Mass)
- **Sunday, September 13**  
(between the Masses 9:30 a.m.)

*We welcome you to our "Family"  
and look forward to you becoming part of  
"Church of the Holy Family."*

For more information,  
contact Tiffany Watson at [DRE@hollyfamilyvb.org](mailto:DRE@hollyfamilyvb.org).



#### 2015-2016 BAPTISM CLASSES AND DATES

Class: Thursday, August 13, 2015 – 7:00 p.m.

Baptism Date: Sunday, August 30 – 10:30 a.m. Mass

Class: Thursday, October 15, 2015 – 7:00 p.m.

Baptism Date: Saturday, October 24 – 5:30 p.m. Mass

Class: Thursday, January 21, 2016 – 7:00 p.m.

Baptism Date: Sunday, January 31 – 11:00 a.m. Mass

Class: Thursday, April 14, 2016 – 7:00 p.m.

Baptism Date: Saturday, April 30 – 5:30 p.m. Mass



**"CARE FOR OUR EARTH:"** In 2009, 45 states reported water-stressed conditions which was an increase of 15 additional states since 1990 (Sierra Club newspaper). We need to get more serious about water conservation. Virginia, our Hampton Roads region, could become #46 or #48. It was not too long ago that Hampton Roads suffered a drought that lasted a year or more. Careful use of our water supply saves money, but more importantly, prevents the possibility of starvation. 70% of fresh water is used for agriculture; freshwater fish and other species are a major part of people's diets. In America, approximately 1,000 gallons of water per person per day is used to produce food and other products we consume. One ESTIMATE is that by 2030, our planet's need for water will outstrip its reliable supply by 40%. Water conservation is not only a matter of being aware of how we use this precious resource, but also among numerous other practices includes the protection our forests and wetlands which store, filter, and supply clean water. Some people who have wells may think they are free to use water as they please. The fact is that wells draw on the water table depleting it. The bottom line is that water conservation extends beyond our personal use of water in our houses and yards.

Ed Marroni (587-4887)

Holy Family Parish Environmental Committee