

St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church



PARISH OFFICE

6720 Union Mill Road
Clifton, VA 20124-1115

Hours: Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri
9:00 am - 4:00 pm
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(Closed for lunch 12:30 - 1:00 pm)

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Access free Catholic books, programs and recordings using our parish code:

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ST. ANDREW'S SCHOOL

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Rev. Christopher J. Mould

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Joseph D. Bergida

SUNDAY MASSES

Vigil Mass: Saturday at 5:30 pm
7:30 am, 8:45 am, 10:30 am (Latin),
and 12:30 pm

DAILY MASSES

Mon.- Fri. 6:30 and 8:45 am
(No 6:30 am on Federal Holidays)
Saturday 8:45 am
Thursday 7:00 pm
1st & 3rd Thurs. Traditional Latin Mass
All other Thurs. Novus Ordo Latin Mass
Preceded by Novena/Benediction at
6:30 pm
First Fridays 7:00 pm

CONFESSIONS

Thursday 5:30-6:30 pm
Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Masses: Vigil Mass 7:30 pm
Holy Day: As announced

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday 8:00 - 9:00 pm
Friday 9:30 am - 5:00 pm
1st Fridays 9:30 am - 7:00 pm
Email: roseofsharon325@gmail.com

MUSIC

Bill Miller, Organist Bill2400@aol.com

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Registration forms are available on our website www.st-andrew.org, in the church vestibule pamphlet rack, or from the parish office.

SICK CALLS

Please notify the parish office for visits and/or Communion calls to the sick and homebound.

MARRIAGE

Our wedding guidelines are available on our website: www.st-andrew.org. Please call the Parish Office to request a marriage application. The diocese requires that arrangements must begin at least six (6) months prior to the desired wedding date. **Parish registration is required.**

BAPTISMS

Baptisms are held on Sundays at 2:00 pm in the Holy Family Chapel. Please call the parish office to make arrangements.

SACRAMENTAL SPONSORS

Information and forms are on our website: www.st-andrew.org. One Class attendance within 2 years is **REQUIRED for parents and ALL those asked to be Godparents or Confirmation Sponsors.** Classes are held on the 3rd Friday of each month in the Padre Pio Room at 7:30 pm.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please submit requests via email to bulletin.notice@st-andrew.org no later than 9:00 AM on the Monday prior to the next weekend's bulletin (unless otherwise noted).

Mass Intentions For The Week

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*To donate altar flowers in memory of
a loved one, please contact the
Parish Office*

Sat. March 2	8:45 am	Patricia Alley
	5:30 pm	Lois Byassee†
Sun. March 3	7:30 am	Victims of Clergy Abuse
	8:45 am	People of the Parish
	10:30 am	Fernando Laverde
	12:30 pm	Frank Yacovelli†
Mon. March 4	6:30 am	Rev. Dominic Irace†
	8:45 am	Joseph Butt
Tues. March 5	6:30 am	Tom Hobbs†
	8:45 am	Evelyn Powers†
Wed. March 6	6:30 am	The Bahr Family
	8:45 am	Mariellen Leonard†
	5:30 pm	Richard Kirk
	7:30 pm	Rosemary Arcement†
Thurs. March 7	6:30 am	Ofelia Carvajal†
	8:45 am	Donald Trump
	7:00 pm	Margaret Foss
Fri. March 8	6:30 am	Carol Kirk†
	8:45 am	Karen Spicer
	7:00 pm	Gina Kim†
Sat. March 9	8:45 am	Angel Turbolencia†
	5:30 pm	Mariellen Leonard†
Sun. March 10	7:30 am	Jim Bailor†
	8:45 am	Phyllis & Bob Hummel
	10:30 am	People of the Parish
	12:30 pm	Michael Paul McCaskey†

† Rest in peace

Collections

February 24: \$23,735 Weekly Offertory

The second collection on Ash Wednesday will provide aid to the Church in Central & Eastern Europe. Thank you.

Please Pray for....

The Holy Father's Monthly Prayer Intentions:

For March...Recognition of the Right of Christian Communities

That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

Our beloved Deceased

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Nances Bennett, William "Bud" Doyle, Eileen Maulucci, Onofrio Vitale and the souls of all the faithful departed.

Those who are Ill and their families and caregivers; especially Andrew Bianco, Jimmy Bray, Patricia Bruce, Ninoy Bucktaw, Bishop Michael Burbidge, Sandy Burns, Paula Ann Cerami, Eleanor Comperatore, Adam Deer, Chad Fones, Erik Fones, Joan Green, Fred Grupe, John Hauser, Sean Hill, Jim Hynes, Carol Hoffman, Riley Jadick, Isaiah Raphael Jordan, Tom Lackey, Monica Moore Judge, Kevin Kelly, Francisco Kim, Priscilla S. Lucido, Msgr. Frank Mahler, Ron and Margaret Menard, Michael Munsell, Erin Cooney Nardone, Alina Neas, Kathleen O'Hearn, Doris Reynolds, William Rice, Mary Ann Robinson, Melanie Mulroy Robinson, Janice Rodriguez, James Scholfield, Patrick Sheppard, Payton Wilcox, Tom Yuditsky, Kathy Zimmerman and Timothy Zivnaska.

For all those involved in our Nation's security and our local safety.

For our Military

Please remember to pray for our parishioners serving our country, and their families. Let us pray especially for Matthew Delaney, Nick DiGrado, Josh Arambulo Lopez and David Paine. If you have a relative serving in harm's way and would like to have his/her name included on our prayer list, or if your loved one has returned safely, please contact the Parish Office.

Prayer of the Faithful

Anyone who would like to have a family member remembered in the Prayer of the Faithful, either sick or recently deceased, please call the Parish Office at 703-817-1770.

2019 Bishop's Lenten Appeal - Together in the Light of Christ

This weekend every household in our parish will be asked to complete a Bishop's Lenten Appeal (BLA) pledge form at Mass. The BLA provides an opportunity to unite as a Catholic family and support programs, ministries and services that no single individual or parish could offer by itself. After reflecting upon the many blessings that God has given you, please prayerfully consider making a pledge of support to this important appeal that furthers the Mission of Jesus Christ in our diocese. Your gift is very important! Every donation, regardless of the amount, is vital to the success of the BLA.

Ash Wednesday (Mar. 6) – Saturday, Mar. 9

Masses:

Wednesday, March 6 (ASH WEDNESDAY)

Day of Fast & Abstinence

6:30 am, 8:45 am, 5:30 pm & 7:30 pm

Thursday, March 7

6:30 am, 8:45 am & 7:00 pm (Latin Mass)

Friday, March 8 - Day of Abstinence

6:30 am, 8:45 am & 7:30 pm

Saturday, March 9

8:45 am, Vigil Mass 5:30 pm

Stations of the Cross:

Friday, March 8 at 2:30 & 7:00 pm

Confessions:

Thursday, March 7: 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Friday, March 8: 6:30 pm

Saturday, March 9: 3:00 - 4:30 pm

Adoration:

Thursday, March 7: 6:30 pm

Friday, March 8: 9:15 am - 7:00 pm

Soup Supper:

Friday, March 8 5:00 - 6:30 pm

Regulations on Fast and Abstinence ...

The Law of Abstinence (from eating meat) binds those who have completed their fourteenth year of age.

The Law of Fasting (one full meatless meal is allowed, two other meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together should not equal another full meal) binds all those who have attained their majority (18 years of age) until the beginning of their sixtieth year.

Abstinence (from meat) is to be observed on all Fridays within the season of Lent and Passiontide and on Ash Wednesday.

Fast and abstinence are observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.



Food Pantry Support

Western Fairfax Christian Ministries (WFCM) thanks our parish for our continued support of the food pantry. Since January 2018 our parish has donated over 1700 pounds of food and toiletries! Donations typically decline during the summer months, so please continue to donate by dropping off bagged non-perishable food items and new/unopened toiletries to the bin in Monsignor Hannan Hall.

Thanks to parishioners Mr. & Mrs. Henry DuBois for routinely delivering our collected items to WFCM.

Theological Questions

Answer to last week's question: How many Catholic priests have been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor?

The Medal of Honor is the highest award for valor in action against an enemy force which can be bestowed upon an individual serving in the Armed Services of the United States. It is generally presented to its recipient by the President of the United States of America in the name of Congress.

Since the Civil War, there have been five Catholic priests who have received this award.

Fr. Joseph O'Callahan, S.J. (Lt. Commander, USN) bravely tended to the suffering souls aboard the fiercely attacked USS Franklin on March 19, 1945, near Kobe, Japan, in World War II.

Fr. Emil Kapaun (Captain, USA) heroically tended to and rescued wounded soldiers during combat at Unsan, Korea, on November 1-2, 1950. He remained with the wounded despite risk of certain capture. During captivity, he prevented the execution of an American prisoner, as well as tending to the needs of other prisoners, and inspiring them under adverse conditions. He died as a prisoner of war on May 23, 1951.

Fr. Angelo "Charlie" Liteky (Major, USA) was awarded the Medal of Honor for his actions during Vietnam, braving intense fire to carry 20 wounded soldiers to safety during a battle on December 6, 1967. He later left the active priesthood and the Church, and he renounced his Medal by mailing it to President Reagan with his explanation.

Fr. Charles J. Watters (Major, USA) Jersey City native and U.S. Army Airborne paratrooper chaplain earned his Medal of Honor on November 19, 1967, during the Battle of Dak-To. He bravely administered spiritual and medical aid to soldiers on the battlefield. When the Americans pulled back, he went forward to rescue two wounded soldiers. Several times he exposed himself to intense friendly fire as well as enemy fire to attend to the dying. He was mortally wounded while ministering to the wounded.

Fr. Vincent Capodanno (Lieutenant, USN) He was admired as the "Grunt Padre" by the Marines he served in Vietnam. On September 4, 1967, he brought the sacraments as well as medical aid to many dying Marines on the battlefield, despite heavy enemy fire, even after sustaining a serious wound from mortar fire. He was attempting to reach a wounded Marine when he was killed by a burst of machine gun fire.

The Church has opened the causes for canonization for both Fr. Emil Kapaun and Fr. Vincent Capodanno. They now are officially called "Servants of God" as the Church considers their causes.

New Question: How many Cardinals are there at the present time?

See next week's bulletin for the answer.

High School Youth Ministry

All parishioners are invited!

Hosted by the Knights of Columbus

Guest Speaker:
Deacon Marquez Silva
"The Power of Forgiveness"



Saturday, March 9 6:30-8:30pm

Monsignor Hannan Hall

Refreshments and appetizers provided by the KOC

Deacon Silva speaks and teaches frequently on topics related to Theology of the Body, evangelization and leadership. He graduated from the University of Steubenville and completed his diaconal studies through Notre Dame Graduate school of Christendom college. He is currently assigned to St. Leo parish in Fairfax.

Questions? arodriguez63@aol.com (KOC) cym.standrew@gmail.com (Youth Ministry)

Office of Catholic Schools Annual Teacher Job Fair - March 9

The Office of Catholic Schools invites prospective teachers to a Teacher Job Fair on March 9. The Fair will be held at St. Paul VI High School, 10675 Fairfax Boulevard in Fairfax from 9-11 a.m. For more information visit <https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/Catholic-Schools/Careers/> or call 703-841-2519. We believe in our teachers! Join our excellent schools for a faith-filled experience.

Monthly Intercessory Prayer Holy Hour - March 12

Join us for prayer, praise and worship at St. Leo the Great Catholic Church in Fairfax from 7:30-8:30 p.m. The holy hour will feature popular musical artist Kenny Kohlhaas on March 12. Our special intention will be for the conversion and healing in families. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will also be available. All are welcome. To learn more contact the Office of Family, Marriage and Respect Life by calling 703-841-2550, emailing info@helpafterabortion.org or visiting www.arlingtondiocese.org/healingandconversion.

40 Cans for Lent

The Knights of Columbus and the Western Fairfax Christian Ministries Food Pantry (WFCM) are asking parish households to participate in the "40 Cans for Lent" food drive. The goal is very simple: to have each household contribute one **non-perishable** canned food item for each of the forty days of Lent (**40 Cans for Lent**). Please bring 40 canned food items throughout Lent, all at once, or little by little, and place them in the food drive barrels at the entrances of the church or in the vestibule. **No expired items please.** The items that are most needed are canned fruits, vegetables, meat products, and boxed cereals and pastas. Green beans and soups are not needed. If you wish to donate \$40 for Lent instead, please make your check payable to the WFCM, and contact either Alvaro Rodriguez at arodriguez63@aol.com or Tom Reynolds at uscpcop@msn.com to arrange for pick-up. You may also leave your check at the parish office. Thank you!

Trail Life Mulch Sale

Orders Due By March 11

St. Andrew's Trail Life Troop VA-717 is holding its' annual mulch sale. Free driveway delivery on Saturday, March 16 for all orders. Choose 3-cubic foot double shredded hardwood mulch, or 2-cubic foot color-enhanced black mulch. Cost is \$5/bag (or if you order 40 or more bags, the cost is \$4.60/bag). All orders & payment (checks payable to "St. Andrew Trail Life") must be received by Monday, March 11. To order mulch, contact Francisco Lopez, Troop Master at 703-830-4215 or tlusa.va717@gmail.com. All proceeds help fund Trail Life Troop activities.

Annual Gaelic Mass in Honor of St. Patrick March 11

All are invited to the annual Mass in honor of St. Patrick, featuring Gaelic music and celebrated by Rev. M Valentine Keveny from County Mayo, Ireland. Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral of St. Thomas More, Monday, March 11, at 7:30 p.m. For more information, contact Jim Carmody at (703) 560-2676.

St. Joseph's Feast Day

March 19 Italian tradition states, relief from a great famine in Sicily was granted through the prayers of the faithful to St. Joseph. In thanksgiving for favors granted then and now, St. Andrew the Apostle School will host a St. Joseph Table on **Tuesday, March 19 at 9:30 a.m.** following the 8:45 Mass. Once the table has been blessed, parishioners and friends are invited to enjoy Italian and not-so Italian treats. If you would like to bake a favorite treat, we would love to include your specialty. This is not a fundraiser, but rather a way to honor St. Joseph. For more information contact Robin Maranian at robinmaranian@cox.net.

Religious Education Calendar

2019-2020 RE Registration Forms are now available

- March 4 & 5** RE Classes Meet
- March 6** LENT begins - Ash Wednesday
(a day of fast and abstinence)
- March 8** A day of abstinence - Soup Supper/
Stations of the Cross/Mass
- Mar. 11 & 12** RE Classes Meet; Seeds of Faith Meet

St. Paul VI Catholic High School Close Up Night March 5

This special evening is for all students accepted into the Class of 2023 and 8th graders and their families who are considering a Catholic high school education. Join us at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 5 at 10675 Fairfax Blvd. in Fairfax to experience all that PVI has to offer your student. Questions? Email Eileen Hanley at ehanley@pvipanther.net.

St. Andrew the Apostle Youth Ministry Presents...

LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS

Friday, March 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5, 12

5:00pm-6:30pm

Monsignor Hannan Hall

Followed by Confession, Stations of the Cross and Mass



Bring your family and enjoy *homemade* Soup, Pasta, and Bread!

(Suggested Donation: \$5 per person/\$20 per family)

Proceeds benefit the Youth Ministry program. Contact cym.standrew@gmail.com for more information.

8TH ANNUAL FISH BOWL

Mark 1:17 "Come follow me, and I will make you fishers of men."



SATURDAY, MARCH 16

MIDDLE SCHOOL 2:00PM-4:00PM

HIGH SCHOOL 7:00PM-9:00PM

"BOWLERO" 13814 LEE HWY CENTREVILLE, VA

\$20.00

(INCLUDES UNLIMITED BOWLING, SHOE RENTAL, TWO SLICES
OF PIZZA AND ENDLESS SOFT DRINKS)

(Please Make Checks Payable to St. Andrew the Apostle)

RSVP to cym.standrew@gmail.com BY MONDAY, MARCH 11

Help Needed!

Volunteers as well as meatless soup and bread donations are needed each week! Please contact Bethany Rogers if you are interested in sharing your time and talents with our parish community by email at:
cym.standrew@gmail.com



Diocesan Science Fair Judges Needed April 13

The Diocesan Science Fair needs individuals with a science background to help judge 7th and 8th grade students' projects for the 2019 Diocesan Science Fair from 8 a.m.-12 p.m. on Saturday, April 13 at St. Paul VI High School.

Scout Sunday March 24

St. Andrew's parish will be observing Scout Sunday on March 24 at the 8:45 a.m. Mass. All Parish Girl Scout, Boy Scout, Cub Scout, Heritage Girls, and Trail Life Troops/Packs are invited to attend Mass together and celebrate scouting. Scouts and leaders should meet in Monsignor Hannan Hall by 8:20 a.m. to prepare to enter the church before Mass.

The Diocese has prepared a patch which your troop can purchase for the scouts participating on Scout Sunday (www.arlingtondiocese.org/Youth-Ministry/Scouting-Scout-Sunday-Patch-Order-Form.pdf).

If you have scouts receiving religious emblems, contact Helen Martin at helenmartin@verizon.net or 571-225-2926 so emblem recipients may be recognized after Mass.

Day of Prayer for Adults with Mental Health Conditions - March 16

Join the Labre community for spiritual help in the journey of mental health recovery on Saturday, March 16 from 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Basilica of St. Mary, Alexandria. The day will feature talks by Deacon Ed Shoener of Scranton and Father Kevin Barnekow, a doctoral candidate at Divine Mercy University. Free, but RSVP requested. Email stlabresociety@gmail.com or Facebook/groups/The Labre Community, by March 10 please.

Divine Mercy Care hosts an Abortion Pill Reversal Lecture - March 20

On March 20 at 7:30 p.m. at St. Veronica's Catholic Church in Chantilly come and learn about the new technological innovation that allows women a second chance at choosing life! Come hear Dr. George Delgado, inventor of the abortion pill reversal, share moving stories of lives saved and explain more about his life-saving work. Find more info and RSVP at divinemercycare.org

The Dignity of Life in a Throwaway Culture March 23

On Saturday, March 23, from 5-9 p.m. at the Church of the Nativity in Burke join well-known Catholic author and George Mason University Professor Helen Alvaré and Bishop Michael Burbidge for the Diocese of Arlington Peace and Justice Commission's annual conference. We will explore Pope Francis' words about upholding "The Dignity of Life in a Throwaway Culture."

The Conference includes Mass, followed by dinner, the keynote address, and features a roundtable discussion with Professor Alvaré, Bishop Burbidge and others, and concludes with a social. It will address a range of issues including reverence for life from the child in the womb until natural death, marriage and family life, the dignity and equality of women, and healing of the scourge of abuse of any kind. The Conference will bring together people throughout the Diocese who work for justice and peace, including the aforementioned areas as well as creation care, abolishing the death penalty, immigration and refugee resettlement, and inclusion and gifts to the developmentally disabled.

Holy Trinity's Spiritual Treasures Book & Gift Shop

Need a gift for someone about to celebrate a sacrament? Want to deepen your love for Christ by reading spiritual books that nourish your Catholic faith? Come check out Spiritual Treasures Book & Gift Store at Holy Trinity Church in Gainesville. We are well-stocked with a vast selection of rosaries, statues, medals, scapulars, numerous books, as well as RCIA, 1st Communion and Confirmation items! Open after weekend Masses, Thursday evenings and Fridays after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. For more information contact Dawn at htgiftshop@gmail.com or 703-753-6700 ext. 139.

Easter Baskets - Donations Needed

St. Andrew's Girl Scout Troops will be preparing Easter baskets for clients of Western Fairfax Christian Ministries (WFCM) and need donations of the following items: **Easter baskets, wrapped candy, small toys, new stuffed animals, children's books.** Please bring donations to the Parish Office by **Friday, April 5** (before 4:00 p.m.)

Girl Scout troops will be filling Easter Baskets on Saturday, April 6 from 10-12 Noon in Monsignor Hannan Hall. Please feel free to come by to help. Questions? Contact Kerry Shaher at kshaher@steelriver.com or 703-314-8192. Thank you for your kindness and generosity.

Ropes Course Vocations Events for High School Students

For any high school students open to the idea of a priestly or religious vocation, don't miss the Quo Vadis Ropes Course & Zipline (for boys) on Saturday, March 30 or the FIAT Ropes Course & Zipline (for girls) on Saturday, April 6 at Sandy Spring Adventure Park. These are great opportunities to challenge yourself, enjoy the great outdoors and get to know men and women who are following God's call as a priest, seminarian or religious sister.

For more information and to register, contact the Office of Vocations at vocations@arlingtondiocese.org or (703) 852-2514. Deadline to register is two weeks before the event.

Quo Vadis and FIAT Discernment Camps Registration Lottery Now OPEN

Quo Vadis Days and FIAT Camps are great opportunities for Catholic high school students (rising freshmen through rising seniors) to have fun while exploring their vocations and deepening their faith. Quo Vadis (for boys) is staffed by Arlington seminarians, priests and religious, and runs July 7-11. FIAT (for girls) is staffed by religious sisters runs July 14-18. Both are held at Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, MD. The registration lottery will be open March 1-31.

See the videos and photos from last year, get more information and register for the lottery at ArlingtonDiocese.org/QuoVadis or ArlingtonDiocese.org/FIAT.

Save the Date: *Live Jesus!* 2019 - March 30

The Oblates of St. Francis de Sales cordially invite you to deepen your Lenten experience by attending the 16th Annual *Live Jesus!*, a Lenten morning of reflection, fellowship, and prayer. *Live Jesus!* will be held at St. John Neumann Catholic Community, 11900 Lawyers Road, in Reston on Saturday, March 30. This year's theme is *Jesus, Church, and Me: Finding True North*.

Registration is required: go to www.Oblates.org and click on the *Live Jesus!* icon.