

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
Wed. 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

(Closed for lunch 12:30 - 1:00 pm)

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FORMED.ORG

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

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ST. ANDREW'S SCHOOL

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Principal Mrs. Mary Baldwin
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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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| Sat. Mar. 30 | 8:45 am | Betty Childers† |
| | 5:30 pm | John D. Palmer† |
| Sun. Mar. 31 | 7:30 am | Kathy Roser |
| | 8:45 am | People of the Parish |
| | 10:30 am | Kevin Roshak† |
| | 12:30 pm | Maria B. Franks† |
| Mon. April 1 | 6:30 am | Kevin Kelly |
| | 8:45 am | Susan Ruoti† |
| Tues. April 2 | 6:30 am | Rev. Joseph Loftus† |
| | 8:45 am | The Lukasewicz Family |
| Wed. April 3 | 6:30 am | Sophia Kim |
| | 8:45 am | Matthew Nagel |
| Thurs. April 4 | 6:30 am | Msgr. Thomas Scannel† |
| | 8:45 am | Mary Ann Smore† |
| | 7:00 pm | The Werner Family† |
| Fri. April 5 | 6:30 am | Lucero Chang |
| | 8:45 am | Jim Bailor† |
| | 7:00 pm | Victims of Clergy Abuse |
| Sat. April 6 | 8:45 am | Jon-Paul Kaczmarek |
| | 5:30 pm | Joseph Buonocore |
| Sun. April 7 | 7:30 am | Carmela & Benjamin Ternullo† |
| | 8:45 am | Victims of Clergy Abuse |
| | 10:30 am | People of the Parish |
| | 12:30 pm | Jim Bailor† |

† Rest in peace

Collections

March 24: \$24,284 Weekly Offertory

The second collection this weekend supports **Catholic Relief Services**. This pro-life organization is dedicated to preserving the sacredness and dignity of human life from conception to natural death. CRS serves to protect, defend and advance human life around the world by directly meeting basic needs and advocating solutions to injustice.

"I am the light of the world, says the Lord."

Are you called to bring the Light of Christ to the world through a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life?

Call Fr. Michael Isenberg, (703) 841-2514, or write to: michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org.

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 Rev. Msgr. Frank Mahler 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, , Ron and Margaret Menard, Michael Munsell, Erin Cooney Nardone, Alina Neas, Kathleen O'Hearn, Doris Reynolds, William Rice, Melanie Mulroy Robinson, Janice Rodriguez, James Scholfield, Patrick Sheppard, Mark Whalen, 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

We are asking every household in our parish to support the BLA this year. You may set up a pledge with monthly recurring donations or a one-time donation online at: www.arlingtondiocese.org.

The BLA provides the funding for numerous programs, services and ministries that serve people in need and furthers the Gospel mission of Jesus Christ in our diocese. Let us join together to do the Lord's work – work that touches the lives and souls of thousands of people. Thank you!

Calendar of Events

Parish Lenten Mission March 30 - April 3

- March 31** Easter Childrens' Choir Rehearsal
10:30 a.m. - Noon (School Music Room)
- April 1 & 2** RE Classes Meet
- April 3** Mothers' Group Meeting (Padre Pio Room) 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Parish Lenten Mission Concludes Conference #5 at 7:00 p.m. followed by a reception in Msgr. Hannan Hall
- April 4** Mass: 6:30 a.m., 8:45 a.m., & 7:00 p.m. (Latin)
Confession: 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.
Adoration: 6:30 p.m.
- April 5** *First Friday; Day of Abstinence*
Mass: 6:30 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 7:30 p.m.
Adoration: 9:15 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Stations of the Cross: 2:30 pm & 7:00 pm
Soup Supper: 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.
Confession: 6:30 p.m.

Easter Basket Donations due to Parish Office by 4:00 pm
- April 6** Junior Legion of Mary 9:30-11:30 a.m. (Padre Pio Room)

Easter Baskets for WFCM 10:00-Noon in Msgr. Hannan Hall
- April 7** MSOT 1:30 - 4:00 p.m. (Fr. William Schierer)

Please see the parish Lent calendar for a daily schedule of liturgical events. The calendar is available online at www.st-andrew.org.

Bulletin - Early Deadlines for Submissions

Please note the following deadlines to submit items for upcoming issues of the parish bulletin:

- April 14 bulletin: Due by April 3
April 21 bulletin: Due by April 10
April 28 bulletin: Due by April 17

Requests are to be emailed to bulletin.notice@st-andrew.org by 9:00 a.m. on the noted due date.

Church Organ Fund - Update*

\$314,091 (pledges and donations as of 3/19/19)

Thanks to everyone who has contributed or pledged a donation so far.

**Correction to the update provided in the March 24 bulletin.*



In Baptism we are reborn as children of God, made members of His Church and heirs to the Kingdom. **Please welcome the newest member of our parish family:**

Mason Patrick Gogoel

Please remember that a baptismal date will only be scheduled when all paperwork is complete and received in the Parish Office. Without exception, all paperwork must be received in the Parish Office at least one week prior to the intended Baptism date. The baptism booklet and form are found on www.st-andrew.org. Please call Laurel in the Parish Office at 703-817-1770 with any questions.

Sponsor Class:

All parents and ALL those asked to be Godparents or Confirmation Sponsors are **required** to attend a preparation class within the past 2 years. If you attend a class at another parish, be sure to request a class attendance letter. You will need to present that letter when you request your sponsor eligibility letter from St. Andrews.

Our next class is **Friday, April 26, at 7:30 p.m. in the Padre Pio Room.** Please call the Parish Office at 703-817-1770 or email parish.office@st-andrew.org to register.

Theological Questions

Answer to last week's question: What are the five Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary?

- First: The Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan
Second: The Wedding Feast at Cana
Third: The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God
Fourth: The Transfiguration
Fifth: The Institution of the Eucharist at the Last Supper

New Question: What are the five Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary? See next week's bulletin for the answer.

The Light is On for You

Are you having difficulty forgiving an acquaintance or a loved one? Have you considered seeking God's healing first in the Sacrament of Reconciliation? To help you do that, every Catholic parish across the Archdiocese of Washington and Diocese of Arlington, including our own, offers the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Wednesday evenings. This year you can view all the confession times across the region by using the Confession Finder map online at theLightisON.org and look for additional confession resources in racks at the church entrances.

Have you ended your land line phone service?

To update your family's contact information in our parish records, please contact the Parish Office and provide your best contact phone number(s) and email address(es). You may call the Parish Office at 703-817-1770 or send an email to parish.office@st-andrew.org.

PARISH LENTEN MISSION: FINDING JESUS IN PRAYER

Beginning this weekend and continuing through Wednesday, April 3, we'll gather at the feet of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament for a Lenten Parish Mission... a parish-centered "retreat." Conferences will be given during the homily at all weekend Masses... and on Sunday evening as well. On Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday the conferences will be offered after the 8:45 a.m. Mass... and will be repeated in the evenings at 7:00 p.m.

Extended Adoration and many opportunities for confession are at the heart of this mission. Aside from listening to Christ's invitation to "*come aside and rest awhile*," the conferences will focus on the distinction between oral, meditative, and contemplative prayer - and how deep, quiet, inner prayer is necessary to move beyond the beginnings of the spiritual life and to know an abiding intimacy with Jesus Christ.

For more information, please visit the parish website at www.st-andrew.org.

Virginia March for Life - April 3

Join us in our fight for life in Virginia. On April 3 Most Rev. Michael Burbidge, Bishop of Arlington, will be celebrating Mass at the Cathedral of Saint Thomas More at 7 a.m., and Most. Rev. Barry Knestout will be offering Mass at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Richmond at 9 a.m. The rally begins at 11 a.m. at the Virginia State Capitol, followed by the march at 12 p.m. Bring your family and friends!

Mass of Thanksgiving for the Gift of Human Life April 6

Join us in thanking God for the gift of life and praying for its protection at all its stages. Mass will be offered by Bishop Michael Burbidge on Saturday, April 6, at 8 a.m. at Queen of Apostles Catholic Church in Alexandria. The Bishop will then lead a rosary at the abortion facility located nearby at the intersection of Whiting Road and Stevenson Avenue. Please bring your family and friends!

Local Musicians Lead Praise and Worship April 9 & May 14

Join us for prayer, praise and worship on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at St. Leo Catholic Church in Fairfax from 7:30-8:30 p.m. The holy hours will feature popular musical artists including Valerie Repetski on April 9 and Millers Daughter on May 14. Our special intention will be for the conversion and healing in families. Confession will be available. All are welcome so please bring a friend. To learn more visit www.arlingtondiocese.org/healingandconversion/ or email info@helpafterabortion.org.

Children's Book Donations Needed - St. Andrew Girl Scout Brownie Troop 54008 is collecting used children's books this Lent. Donations may be left in the collection bin by the Parish Office entrance. Donations will go to Gracing Spaces, a local organization that provides home goods to Fairfax County families transitioning out of homeless shelters. Thank you!

Adult Confirmation Classes Begin April 29

If you are a baptized Catholic who has received First Communion but have not had the chance to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, the Church welcomes you to partake in this grace-filled Sacrament. Classes will begin on April 29 for anyone 18 years or older interested in receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. You must provide a baptismal certificate and if you are married, you must also provide proof of a valid Catholic marriage issued by a Catholic church.

A series of three classes will take place on Monday evenings, April 29, May 6 and May 20 at 7:30 p.m. in the Padre Pio Room. Fr. Mould and Fr. Bergida will be teaching the classes. Bishop Burbidge will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation on June 9 at the Cathedral of St. Thomas More in Arlington.

For more information or to register, please contact the Parish Office at 703-817-1770 or parish.office@st-andrew.org.

Easter Basket Donations Due This Friday, April 5

St. Andrew's Girl Scout Troops are preparing Easter baskets for clients of Western Fairfax Christian Ministries (WFCM) and request donations of the following items: **Easter baskets, wrapped candy, small toys, new stuffed animals, and children's books.**

Please bring donations to the Parish Office by **Friday, April 5** (before 4:00 p.m.). The troops will be filling Easter Baskets on Saturday, April 6 from 10:00 a.m. - 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.

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!

St. Andrew the Apostle Youth Ministry Presents...

LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS

Friday, April 5

5:00pm-6:30pm

Monsignor Hannan Hall

Followed by Stations of the Cross and Mass



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

SOUP DONATIONS NEEDED! VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

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

Soup Suppers - Chefs & Volunteers 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.

High School Youth Ministry

FINAL CLASS NIGHT

"The Beatitudes"

Saturday, April 13

Dinner: 6:30pm

Youth Group: 7:00-8:30pm

Padre Pio Room



"Blessed are those who are persecuted
for the sake of righteousness for theirs
is the kingdom of heaven."
Matthew 5:10

cym.standrew@gmail.com

St. Andrew the Apostle and Holy Trinity Youth Ministries Present...

MINI RETREAT

SATURDAY, APRIL 6

1:30PM-8:30PM

HOLY TRINITY, GAINESVILLE

\$10.00

1 JOHN 4:18

GAMES!

MUSIC!

MASS!

SMALL GROUPS!

PRAYER!

FRIENDS!

DINNER!

TALKS!

REFLECTION!

ON-SITE
LASER TAG!

ALL 6TH-12TH GRADE STUDENTS ARE INVITED!

RSVP to cym.standrew@gmail.com or youthministry@holyltrinityparish.net

Catholic Scouting Campout - April 5-7

Your family is invited to enjoy the inaugural Catholic scouting Campout April 5-7, in Haymarket. Join Bishop Burbidge for Mass, take part in scouting and religious activities, and camp with your family or scouting unit. All American Heritage Girls, Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts, Girl Scouts, Trail Life and others are welcomed, regardless of which unit you belong to. Visit www.arlingtondiocese.org/Youth-Ministry/Catholic-Scouting/ or email scouting@arlingtondiocese.org for more information.

Join the First Saturday Rosary Team

Please join the prayer team every First Saturday to pray the rosary at 10:30 am at the Falls Church abortion facility. **The next First Saturday is on April 6.** The facility is located at 900 S. Washington Street, Falls Church, VA 22046. For inquiries, contact Amy McInerney at (703) 841-3817 or respectlife@arlingtondiocese.org

An Entering Canaan Day of Prayer and Healing April 6

This day is for women who have experienced abortion and will be held on Saturday, April 6. Come begin your healing journey and experience God's hope and mercy. For more information and confidential registration, please contact Project Rachel ministry at 888-456-HOPE (4673) or info@helpafterabortion.org. RSVP by April 1.

Human Trafficking Discussion at St. Timothy Parish April 10

Did you know that Fair Oaks Mall has the 4th highest incidents of human trafficking in Northern Virginia? Did you know that according to DMV News there have been accounts of human trafficking in almost every public high school in our area? If you would like to learn and do more about this threat to our children, come to a talk by the Northern Virginia Human Trafficking Initiative hosted at St. Timothy's on April 10 from 7:15-8:15 p.m. For more information, please contact Deacon Anthony at deaconanthony@sttimothyparish.org.



Free Estate Planning Presentation April 16

The Knights of Columbus invite everyone in the parish to attend a free estate planning presentation on Tuesday, April 16 at 7:00 p.m. in Monsignor Hannan Hall. Christopher Winston from Knights of Columbus Insurance and Sonia Rustici from the James P. Seidl Law Offices will discuss how to plan to secure your assets and estate, and avoid probate. Both speakers have extensive experience in the insurance and estate planning and will provide information and strategies for your future. Please do not miss this presentation. Food and beverages will be served after the presentation. Contact Tom Reynolds at uscpcop@msn.com or at 703-774-8557.

Quo Vadis and FIAT Discernment Camps Registration Lottery Closes TODAY

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 closes March 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.

Scholarship Opportunity

The Associates of St. John Bosco, Inc., is pleased to announce a \$3,000 (x3) and a \$4,000 (x1) scholarships for the academic year 2019-2020 to be awarded to college students pursuing a course of study that will ultimately lead to rendering a service to the Church in their adult years. The scholarships will be granted to a Roman Catholic student with a permanent residence within the Catholic Diocese of Arlington who seeks to give back to the Church through service in their adult years. The criteria of the scholarship, submission requirements, and application can be found at www.asjb.org. Deadline is May 1.

Light the World! This Summer Institute takes place at The Catholic University of America. Rising high school juniors and seniors are invited (June 23-29 or July 7-13) to explore how our faith is lived within the fields and careers of Art, Science, Sport, Business, and Politics. Visit lighttheworldcua.org for more information.

Weekend Discernment Retreat for Men April 12-14

Could Christ be calling you to the priesthood? Attend the weekend discernment retreat for men (ages 18-55) April 12-14. This is a great opportunity for prayer, discernment, confession, talking with priests and seminarians, and preparing for Holy Week. Cost is \$60 and includes overnights and all meals (financial assistance is available if needed). Retreat starts Friday at 6:30 p.m. and concludes Sunday after lunch. For more information or to register, contact Fr. Michael Isenberg at 703-841-2514 or vocations@arlingtondiocese.org.

Weekend Discernment Retreat for Women

June 14-16 Could Christ be calling you to the religious life? Take a step to find out. Attend the weekend discernment retreat for women (ages 18-50) June 14-16. This is a great opportunity for prayer and discernment and talking with religious sisters and other women discerners. Cost is \$60 and includes overnights and all meals (financial assistance is available if needed). Retreat starts Friday at 6:30 p.m. and concludes Sunday after lunch. For more information or to register, contact Fr. Michael Isenberg at 703-841-2514 or vocations@arlingtondiocese.org. Space is limited; deadline to register is Friday June 1.