

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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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. April 13 | 8:45 am 5:30 pm | Mr. & Mrs. Brian Shaw Jim Bailor† |
| Sun. April 14 | 7:30 am 8:45 am 10:30 am 12:30 pm | Elfie D. Stitz Bill Martin† Ryan & Stephanie Sweeney People of the Parish |
| Mon. April 15 | 6:30 am 8:45 am | Dennis Kelly, Sr.† Mr. & Mrs. Sandy Faison |
| Tues. April 16 | 6:30 am 8:45 am | Monica Kim Holy Souls |
| Wed. April 17 | 6:30 am 8:45 am | Ofelia Carvajal† Ninian Nomananap |
| Thurs. April 18 | 6:30 am 8:45 am 7:30 pm | NO MASS NO MASS Bonnie Skokan |
| Fri. April 19 | ————— | NO MASSES |
| Sat. April 20 | 8:45 am 8:30 pm | No Mass RCIA Candidates |
| Sun. April 21 | 7:30 am 8:45 am 10:30 am 12:30 pm | People of the Parish Bill Martin† Michael & Josephine Ventola† Ashton Biscarner |

† Rest in peace

Collections

The collection for April 7 will be reported in the Easter Sunday bulletin.

The second collection on Good Friday will be for the Holy Land Shrines.

Thank you!

“... He opens my ear that I may hear; and I have not rebelled.”

Prayer and reflection are essential to discerning a vocation. Are you open to a vocation to the priesthood, diaconate or the 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 April...Doctors and their Collaborators in War Zones

For doctors and their humanitarian collaborators in war zones, who risk their lives to save the lives of others.

Our beloved Deceased

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Emmanuel Echeverri 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, 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 Zivnuska.

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 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.

Bulletin - Early Deadline: Items for the April 28 bulletin must be submitted no later than 9:00 a.m. on April 17 to bulletin.notice@st-andrew.org.

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 | Theological Questions |
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| <p>No Religious Education Classes or Seeds of Faith for the weeks of April 15 and April 22.</p> <p>April 15 Monday of Holy Week Mass: 6:30 a.m., 8:45 a.m. Confession: 9:15 - 9:45 a.m. Living Stations 2:15 p.m. in the Church</p> | <p>Answer to last week's question: What are the five Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary? First: The Resurrection Second: The Ascension Third: The Descent of the Holy Spirit Fourth: The Assumption Fifth: The Coronation of Mary as Queen of Heaven</p> <p>New Question: How do you say Grace Before Meals? See next week's bulletin for the answer.</p> |
| <p>April 16 Tuesday of Holy Week Mass: 6:30 a.m., 8:45 a.m. Confession: 9:15 - 9:45 a.m.</p> <p>Children's Easter Choir Practice 4:00 p.m. (Church)</p> <p>Estate Planning Presentation 7:00 p.m. in Monsignor Hannan Hall</p> | <p>Bishop Burbidge to Celebrate Holy Week Liturgies The Most Rev. Michael F. Burbidge will be the principal celebrant at a number of Holy Week and Sacred Paschal Triduum liturgies, open to all at the Cathedral of Saint Thomas More in Arlington: Chrism Mass on Holy Thursday at 10:30 a.m.; Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, at 7:30 p.m.; Service of the Passion of the Lord, Good Friday at 3 p.m.; Easter Vigil, Holy Saturday at 8:30 p.m.</p> |
| <p>April 17 Wednesday of Holy Week Mass: 6:30 a.m., 8:45 a.m.</p> <p>Confession: 9:15 - 9:45 a.m. 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.</p> | <p>PARISH LENTEN MISSION: FINDING JESUS IN PRAYER</p> <p>Thank you to all who attended and participated in our recent Parish Mission. Many of you took advantage of the times of extended Adoration and for confession in addition to listening to Fr. Riley's engaging conferences each evening.</p> <p>May you continue to continue on your personal journey towards intimacy with Jesus Christ through a renewed focus on oral, meditative, and contemplative prayer.</p> <p>heartof catechesis.org is the website our featured speaker for the Mission, Fr. John Riley, referred to during the Conferences. The website includes all of the handouts (and bonus materials!) and will remain "live" until Easter Monday, April 22.</p> |
| <p>April 18 Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30 p.m. Confession: 9:00 p.m. Adoration until Midnight</p> | <p>Baptism: A baptismal date may only be scheduled when all paperwork is complete and received in the Parish Office. Without exception, <u>all paperwork must be received in the Parish Office at least one week prior to the intended Baptism date.</u> The baptism booklet and form are found on our website www.st-andrew.org. Please call the Parish Office at 703-817-1770 with any questions.</p> <p>Sponsor Class: All parents (of children to be baptized) and ALL those asked to be Godparents or Confirmation Sponsors are required to attend a preparation class. 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. The next class will be on 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.</p> |
| <p>April 19 Good Friday <i>Day of Fast and Abstinence</i> No Masses Devotions 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. Confession: 12:00 - 2:00 p.m. 4:30 - 5:00 p.m., 7:30 p.m. Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion 3:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross 7:00 p.m. Parish Office Closed</p> | |
| <p>April 20 Holy Saturday Confession 8-9 a.m. Church Decorating 9:30 a.m. Easter Basket Blessing NOON Easter Vigil Mass 8:30 p.m. No High School Youth Group (HSYG)</p> | |
| <p>April 21 Easter Sunday Masses: 7:30 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.</p> <p>Easter Egg Hunt after 12:30 p.m. Mass</p> | |
| <p>April 22 Easter Monday Mass: 6:30 a.m., 8:45 a.m. Parish Office Closed</p> | |
| <p>April 27: First Holy Communion Retreat & Rehearsal No High School Youth Group (HSYG)</p> | |



Divine Mercy Sunday April 28

Our Lord's promise to grant complete forgiveness of sins and punishment on the Feast of Divine Mercy is recorded three times in the Diary of St. Faustina. Our Lord is emphasizing through this promise, the infinite value of Confession and Communion as miracles of mercy. The Eucharist is Jesus, Himself, the Living God, longing to pour Himself as Mercy into our hearts.

Thus, to fittingly observe the Feast of Divine Mercy, we should:

- Celebrate the Feast on the Sunday after Easter
- Sincerely repent of all our sins
- Place our complete trust in Jesus
- Go to Confession, preferably before that Sunday
- Receive Holy Communion on the day of the Feast
- Venerate the Image of the Divine Mercy
- Be merciful to others, through our actions, words and prayers on their behalf

Our Parish will celebrate the Feast of Divine Mercy at 2:30 p.m. in the Church on Sunday, April 28, with Adoration, Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament and the Divine Mercy chaplet. Confession will be available until 3:30 p.m. A light reception will follow.

Volunteers are needed to help with setup for the reception (please come to Monsignor Hannan Hall at 1:30 p.m.) and/or for cleanup after the reception. Thank you!

The Life in the Spirit Seminar at Church of the Nativity: May 2 - June 13

You are invited to experience a deeper relationship with the Holy Spirit and discover greater meaning and joy in your Catholic life. The Life in the Spirit Seminar will be held at the Church of the Nativity, Fr. Ready Room, 6400 Nativity Lane, Burke. The seminar will run every Thursday from May 2 - June 13 from 6:45 - 8:45 p.m. To register or for more information, please email nativityprayergroup@gmail.com or see <https://nativityburke.org/life-in-the-spirit/>

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 May 4.** The facility is located at 900 S. Washington Street in Falls Church.

Teach Resilience in the Jails

Catholic Charities is seeking therapists or social workers with a desire to serve the incarcerated. Attend 'Train the Trainer' sessions on how to teach Tools to Resilience for those in jail. Looking for volunteers in Loudoun, Arlington, or Fairfax County areas. If interested, please contact Margot Chavez (margot.chavez@ccda.net) for more details.

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.

Have you ended your land line? New email address?

To keep your family's contact information up-to-date 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.



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.

Local Musicians Lead Praise and Worship 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 next holy hour will feature 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. **Friday, April 19 is the last day for donations.**

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!



Easter Egg Hunt - April 21

The Knights of Columbus is hosting the annual Easter Egg Hunt for all parish children starting on the basketball court Easter Sunday, April 21st after the 12:30 p.m. Mass.

Children should bring their own baskets to collect eggs. The eggs are not going to be filled with candy treats, instead the children will bring the eggs they collect and exchange them for candy. In the event of heavy rain, the hunt will be in Monsignor Hannan Hall for toddlers.

Indoor Yard Sale at All Saints Parish April 27

The Knights of Columbus Squire Roses is sponsoring this sale to benefit the Mother of Mercy Free Clinic and pro-life charities on April 27 from 7 a.m. - 12 noon inside the Knights of Columbus Hall, 9290 Stonewall Rd, Manassas. Maternity, infant, child, teen, and adult clothing, shoes, baby equipment, furniture, toys, books, housewares, tools, and more will be priced to sell! They will gratefully accept donated items from anyone who wants to support pro-life. Please contact Mary Lewandowski, res19qf7@verizon.net or at 703-335-7471 or Kelley Witter, kellywitter@yahoo.com or at 571-451-8861 for more information. Any remaining merchandise will be donated to a charitable organization.

Workshop: Parish-based Response to Opioid Crisis - April 29

Please join us on Monday, April 29, from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. at St. John Neumann Church, 11900 Lawyers Road in Reston. Local experts will discuss "How to be Helpful to Families Suffering from the Disease of Addiction" and "Compassionate Support at Parishes". Free lunch and networking. RSVP to: HopeNotOpioids@ccda.net

Mass to Pray for Victims/Survivors of Sexual Abuse - April 29

Join Bishop Michael Burbidge as he celebrates a Mass to pray for the healing of victims/survivors of sexual abuse. Mass will be celebrated on Monday, April 29 at 7 p.m. at the Church of the Nativity, 6400 Nativity Lane, Burke. We invite all of the community of faith to come together in prayer for victims/survivors of sexual abuse, their families and friends, and the entire Catholic Church. If you have any questions, please call the Diocese of Arlington's Office of Victim Assistance (703) 841-2530.

Calling ALL 6TH-8TH Grade Students! You're Invited to...



"BASH" Saturday, May 11



Carpool: 2:30pm (Meet There: 3:30pm)

Return: Approximately 10:00pm

Bishop O'Connell HS, Arlington

Cost: \$15.00 (Includes Registration, Dinner, Snacks and a T-Shirt!)

Inflatables! Pizza! Vigil Mass! Speakers! And MORE!

RSVP to cym.standrew@gmail.com by 5/6/2019

Please make checks payable to St. Andrew the Apostle



SAVE THE DATE:

Forks, Corks & Kegs - May 31

Please save the date for the St. Andrew's School annual fundraising extravaganza! Forks, Corks, and Kegs, on Friday, May 31 at 6 p.m. is a fantastic, adults-only event featuring several local breweries, food trucks, and Virginia wines; as well as music to dance the night away under a giant tent. For \$55/per person (\$65/pp the week of) you will receive a tasting glass and unlimited access to all food and beverages. We also feature a silent auction to include vacations, kids' camps, excursions, and so much more! Please come and support our parish school through this fabulous event by purchasing your ticket today at <https://handbid.app.link/standrew19>. We look forward to seeing you there!

The Seven Last Words of Christ - April 19

The Cursillo Community of Northern Virginia invites you to join us for "The Seven Last Words of Christ," a Good Friday Service with meditations on Christ's last words. The Service will be held at Noon on Good Friday, April 19, at St. John Neumann in Reston. All are invited to participate in a simple Pot Luck luncheon of meatless soup and bread after the service, as well as to stay for the Parish's 3:00 p.m. Good Friday Service. Please contact Carol Poplin if you have questions at 703-243-7621 or carol.poplin2@verizon.net.

Prime Time Single Catholics (PTSC) Spring

Events PTSC serves single Catholics 40 and over. Enjoy these events with the group: lunch (every Thursday); visit to Old Town Manassas (April 20); Easter Sunday breakfast at Knights of Columbus in Arlington (RSVP by April 16); ECHO Yard Sale at St. Bernadette School (April 27); dinner in Shirlington (April 28); Country/Western dancing (May 4). RSVP to Tom at ptsenva@gmail.com. Visit bit.ly/ptsc for details.

Young Adult KNOWN Conference - May 25 at All Saints Parish in Manassas

Calling all men and women in their 20s and 30s, single, married, and religious: a conference just for you! Come hear talks like: Meaningful Conversations and Relationships, Who God Made You to Be, The JOY of Marriage and More! Featuring a Q&A Panel With Speakers Like: China Briceño and Fr. Stephen Vaccaro. Come out for a day of faith, food, inspiration, music, meeting other young adults, and letting God re-invite you to be truly KNOWN by Him. Register online at:

www.AllSaintsYoungAdultMinistry.org/known

Morning of Mercy - May 18

Divorced Catholics are invited to Mornings of Mercy (MOM). The next MOM is on May 18 from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. at Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church in Lake Ridge. Mass begins at 9 a.m. Reflection will be led by Fr. Thomas Ferguson, Vicar General of the Diocese of Arlington. The morning will include Mass, Confession, reflection, prayer and Benediction. The retreats are free, but please RSVP at www.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.

Summer Theology Courses at Christendom Graduate School

Learn more about the Faith by taking a summer course at the Christendom Graduate School! Catechists, DREs schoolteachers, and youth ministers new to our program receive 50% off their first two courses in celebration of their 50th anniversary! Online courses run from May 13 - August 10. The six-week session for on-campus courses runs from June 24 - August 3. On-campus offerings include: The Pentateuch, Church History 1, God the Father, Philosophy of God & Man, Sexual & Biomedical Ethics, and Methods of Catechesis & Evangelization. This year they are offering The Synoptic Gospels in a live-online format on Monday evenings from 7-9 p.m. EST. They also offer several other asynchronous online courses, many of them in Sacred Scripture. For more information, please visit graduate.christendom.edu/, email graduate.school@christendom.edu, or call 703-658-4304.

Christendom College Open House - April 26

Come find out why Pope St. John Paul II said: "Christendom College is doing a great work for the Church!" Christendom College Community cordially invites you to visit us for our Junior Visit Day on Friday, April 26th. As you prepare to enter your senior year and the application process, this is a perfect opportunity for St. John's parishioners to learn more about a highly ranked and authentically Catholic college right in their backyard! At our Junior Visit day, you will tour our campus, learn about Christendom's time-tested liberal arts curriculum and vibrant Catholic culture, attend class, and more! For more information and to register, please go to www.christendom.edu. While geared toward high school juniors, all high school age students are invited to attend Junior Visit Day. All registered juniors will automatically be entered into a drawing for free admission to the 2019 Experience Christendom Summer Program. Two spots will be drawn.

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.

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 Roman Catholic college students (with a permanent residence within the Diocese of Arlington) pursuing a course of study that will ultimately lead to rendering a service to the Church in their adult years. The criteria of the scholarship, submission requirements, and application can be found at www.asjb.org. Deadline is May 1.