

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

Wednesday 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
(Closed for lunch 12:30 - 1:00 pm)

Parish Office 703-817-1770
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Parish Office Fax 703-817-0928
Mass Schedule 703-817-1776
Parish Website: www.st-andrew.org
E-Mail: parish.office@st-andrew.org

FORMED.ORG

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

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ST. ANDREW'S SCHOOL

PRE-SCHOOL— 8TH GRADE

Principal Mrs. Mary Baldwin
School Office 703-817-1774
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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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YOUTH MINISTRY

Director Mrs. Bethany Rogers
YM Office 703-817-1770
E-Mail: cym.standrew@gmail.com

PASTOR

Rev. Christopher J. Mould

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Edward J. Bresnahan

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. Aug. 24	8:45 am 5:30 pm	Hajnalka Szaloki Ryan Jackson
Sun. Aug. 25	7:30 am 8:45 am 10:30 am 12:30 pm	Carole, Richard & Diane Wardle† Mary Saxton Merelyn Demus† People of the Parish
Mon. Aug. 26	6:30 am 8:45 am	Holy Souls in Purgatory Stephen Bahr
Tues. Aug. 27	6:30 am 8:45 am	Monica Kim Christine Corpuz†
Wed. Aug. 28	6:30 am 8:45 am	Ms. Sabegi Thomas Schuster†
Thurs. Aug. 29	6:30 am 8:45 am 7:00 pm	Dennis Hammond† Dolores Ralston† Scott Brooks
Fri. Aug. 30	6:30 am 8:45 am	Maria Jinny Kim Jacqueline & John Lukasewicz†
Sat. Aug. 31	8:45 am 5:30 pm	John O'Brien† Margarite Hickman
Sun. Sept. 1	7:30 am 8:45 am 10:30 am 12:30 pm	People of the Parish Maria Lien Nguyen† Victims of Clergy Abuse Susana & Jose Cochingyan†

† Rest in peace



*To donate altar flowers in
memory of a loved one, please
contact the Parish Office at
703-817-1770.*

Collections

August 15 (Feast of the Assumption): \$3,377

August 18: \$22,758 Weekly Offertory

Thank you for your continued support of our parish.

Theological Questions

Last week's question:

What are the virtues that correspond to the seven capital sins?

Every vice, or habit of sin, can be overcome by developing the corresponding and contrary virtue. The virtues that correspond to the seven capital sins are as follows: Humility (pride), generosity (greed), chastity (lust), meekness (anger), temperance (gluttony), fraternal charity (envy), diligence (sloth).

New Question: Why was keeping the Sabbath day holy so important for the Jews, after escaping from Egypt?

See next week's bulletin for the answer.

First Sunday Devotions

Please join us next Sunday, September 1, in the church, to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Prayer begins at 3:00 p.m. and concludes at 4:00 pm. All are welcome. Sponsored by the Legion of Mary.

Adult Bible Study - Begins September 11

A twenty-four (24) week study entitled "The Bible Timeline: The Story of Salvation" by Jeff Cavins will be held on Wednesday evenings at 7:15 pm beginning September 11 here at St. Andrews. The Bible Timeline is a series that helps participants get the "big picture" of the Bible. Learn the story told by the fourteen narrative books of the Bible, the twelve key historical periods and find out how the people, places, events and covenants of the Bible fit together. The study will help bring the Scripture readings at Mass to life. For registration information please contact Russell Rowzie at 703-930-7610 or email at RRowzie@TrimarkCorporation.com.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) Classes Begin SOON

Beginning in September and continuing until the Easter Vigil Mass, a series of weekly instructional classes in the Catholic Faith will be held at St. Andrews. Baptized non-Catholics and those who are unbaptized are welcome to attend these classes to learn more about the faith. There is no obligation or pressure to join the Church at any time. You, someone in your family, or a friend may be interested in knowing and understanding better what we as Catholics believe and how we strive to live out our faith on a daily basis.

Contact the Parish Office at 703-817-1770 or email parish.office@st-andrew.org for more information.



Backpack Donations for Western Fairfax Christian Ministries (WFCM)

Thank you to our generous parishioners for contributing 94 backpacks for WFCM's annual backpack drive. Backpacks donated by St. Andrew parishioners benefitted Centreville High School students in need, making back-to-school expenses a little easier to bear for so many local families. Thanks to parishioner Jane Copeland for organizing our parish's participation in the donation drive.

Please Pray for....

The Holy Father's Monthly Prayer Intentions:

For August...Families, Schools of Human Growth

That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth".

Our beloved Deceased

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Tom Martin and the souls of all the faithful departed.

Those who are Ill and their families and caregivers; especially Andrew Bianco, Barb Bifareti, Jimmy Bray, Dorothy Brosnahan, Leslie Brill, Patricia Bruce, Ninoy Bucktaw, Sandy Burns, Vicki Camp, Paula Ann Cerami, Eleanor Comperatore, Adam Deer, Kay Fennell, Chad Fones, Erik Fones, Joan Green, Fred Grupe, Sean Hill, Jim Hynes, Carol Hoffman, Riley Jadick, Isaiah Raphael Jordan, Monica Moore Judge, Kevin Kelly, Francisco Kim, Priscilla S. Lucido, Gabriel Luna, Robert Malloy, Ron and Margaret Menard, Ann Muna, Michael Munsell, Erin Cooney Nardone, Alina Neas, Sr. Camile Neubauer, Kathleen O'Hearn, Hank Pichocki, William Rice, Melanie Mulroy Robinson, Janice Rodriguez, James Scholfield, Patrick Sheppard, Julie Supko, Hajnalka Szaloki, Mark Whalen, Bernadine L. White, Payton Wilcox, Tom Yuditsky 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 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.

"Some of these I will take as priests and Levites, says the LORD."

Is God calling you to the priesthood?
Call Fr. Michael Isenberg, (703) 841-2514, or email michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org.

Join the First Saturday Rosary Team

Did you know that the 'no-show' rate can go up by 70% when there are people peacefully praying outside an abortion facility? 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 September 7.** The facility is located at 900 S. Washington Street, Falls Church, VA 22046 Contact Amy McInerny at (703) 841-3817 or respectlife@arlingtondiocese.org.



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:**

Steven Scott Ha

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 the Parish Office at 703-817-1770 with any questions.

No Baptisms will be scheduled on September 15.

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, September 20, 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.



The Knights of Columbus at Father Cilinski Council, is looking for men like you to join the ranks of the world's largest Catholic fraternity and grow in your faith. In an ever-changing world, Knights stand together, rooted in God, Family, and Country. When you join, you will have access to a library's worth of resources to help you better understand, grow in, and defend your Catholic faith.

Explore the richness of our faith through our Catholic Information Service booklets, Columbia Magazine, our monthly publication, and other tools that help you get to know your faith better. Stand with us and be an unapologetic witness, helping spread the Good News and the Catholic faith, by example, to those we encounter in our daily lives. Together we can find strength and courage in our faith.

Please contact our Chancellor Andrew Garlich's at ajgarlich@gmail.com or Grand Knight Alvaro Rodriguez at arodriguez63@aol.com.

Religious Education Volunteers URGENTLY Needed for 2019-2020

We can not hold a class unless we have a teacher and an aide. If we do not have volunteers we will need to cancel classes and move students to a different night.

Please prayerfully consider if you are being called to volunteer for one of the Religious Education positions listed below that are needed for this coming year.

Monday 5:30 - 7:00 p.m.

1st Grade Teacher
5th Grade Teacher
Hall Monitor (1)
Parking Monitors (2)

Tuesday 6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

Grade K Teacher
3rd or 6th Grade Aide
Hall Monitors (2)
Parking Monitors (2)

If interested, contact Patty Laing at plaing@st-andrew.org.

"The secret of happiness is to live moment by moment and to thank God for all that He, in His goodness, sends to us day after day." ~ St. Gianna

St. Andrew's Book Club

Our parish book club meets once a month on Tuesday mornings from 10 a.m. – 12 noon in the JP II Room. Books focus on the lives of the saints. Come for lively discussion, refreshments, and insight into those who already wear the crown of sainthood who help to inspire us to fulfill our calling! Cost: \$10/book. This year we will focus on the saints whose statues are above the St. Andrew's altar.

Meeting Dates:

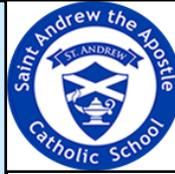
September 24:

Where There is Love, There is God by Mother Teresa

October 29:

St. Martin de Porres by Giuliana Cavallini

All are welcome to attend. Contact Patty Laing at plaing@st-andrew.org or 703-817-1773 for more information or to pick up a copy of next month's book.



St. Andrew The Apostle
CATHOLIC SCHOOL . CLIFTON, VIRGINIA

Openings for Students in St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic School

We currently have openings for students in grades K-8, our PreK4 full day/five days a week program is full, but we have a waiting list. Call the school office at 703-817-1774 or email at office@standrew-clifton.org to schedule a tour.

Accepting Applications for Substitute Teachers

Our parish school is currently accepting applications for substitute teacher positions. You need to have a college degree, attended a VIRTUS training session, complete an online application, and love working with great kids! Contact the school office at 703-817-1774 or email office@standrew-clifton.org for more information.



Dash into the 80's Race: September 21

St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic School will hold its 11th Annual 10K, 5K, and 1-Mile Family Fun Color Run on Saturday September 21 from

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Proceeds from this event will help enrich our school's technology needs.

Register at <https://potomac.enmotive.com/events/register/2019-st-andrew-s-5k-10k-trail-run-amp-1-mile-fun-run>.

Contact Melissa Devine at standrewraces@gmail.com or (703) 994-5824 for more information or for information on how to donate to the event.

Join Scouting Night: September 9

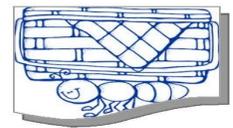
Cub Scout Pack 717 will be holding a Join Scouting event on Monday September 9 from 6:30-7:30 p.m. on the parish field picnic area. We will have crafts, games and s'mores! All Kindergarten - 5th grade boys are invited to join us. Kindergarteners we have an exciting new Lion program for you. Boys engage in many fun events throughout the year including family camping, cook outs, hikes and the ever popular Pinewood Derby. Fun and adventure await for all! For more details please contact Helen Martin at Helenlmartin@verizon.net or 571-225-2936. We look forward to welcoming you to the Pack.

New Online Application for Parish Volunteers! The Diocese recently announced an online application for NEW parish volunteers (age 18+) who would like to volunteer with youth of the parish (e.g., Religious Education, Parish School, Youth Ministry, CYO, Choir, Knights of Columbus, scouting, etc.). Prospective volunteers should apply online www.arlingtondiocese.org/Child-Protection/ AND sign up to attend a VIRTUS Training Session "Protecting God's Children" by registering at www.VIRTUS.org. To volunteer, the online application and VIRTUS class attendance are required. Questions? Contact Fatima Turbulencia at fturbulencia@st-andrew.org or 703-817-1773.



SAVE THE DATE!!!

You're Invited!



PARISH PICNIC!

BBQ!

Snow cones!

Music!

Sunday, September 15

Following the 12:30pm Mass

St. Andrew Field

Inflatables!

Facepaint!

Community!

Looking for a way to get involved? Volunteers needed! All ages!

Contact Bethany Rogers for more information: cym.standrew@gmail.com

BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Help Wanted

We are in need of a parishioner with medical background to be on-site during the parish picnic on September 15. A table and first aid kit will be provided. Please contact Bethany Rogers if you can help: cym.standrew@gmail.com



CYO Fall Tennis Registration is OPEN

All students in Grades K-8 who attend St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic School or who are enrolled in the Religious Education Program at St. Andrews are eligible. Practices will be held on Friday afternoons in Little Rocky Run. \$75 per player fee. The season runs from Sept. 6 - Nov. 3. Register via the parish website (Ministries/CYO page) or go to [www.https://reg.sportspilot.com/106539](https://reg.sportspilot.com/106539) Contact Grace Babbit at gracebabbit@yahoo.com with questions. Coaches are needed for our 4th-8th grade players! If you are compliant with the Diocesan Office of Child Protection, please offer your time and talents to our program this season. Go to arlingtondiocese.org/Child-Protection/ to apply AND sign up to attend a VIRTUS training session (register at www.VIRTUS.org).

St. Andrew Holy Land Pilgrimage January 20-31, 2020

Travel to Israel, Jordan, visit Bethlehem, Nazareth and Jerusalem. Cost is \$3,380 per person (a \$500 deposit to secure your spot) which includes airfare, hotel (double occupancy) all breakfasts and dinners, most lunches, private bus, private tour guide, all ticket fees and tips. Participants will need a valid passport which does not expire before August 2020 and must be in good health (able to walk 3-4 miles daily on rocky and hilly roads). If interested email Barbara Remington at barbremington6@gmail.com.

Youth Ministry 2019-2020

OPENING NIGHT!

(Both events in Monsignor Hannan Hall)

FAITH!

High School (9th-12th)
Saturday, September 28
6:30-8:30pm

GAMES!

Middle School (6th-8th Grade)
Friday, September 27
6:30-8:30pm



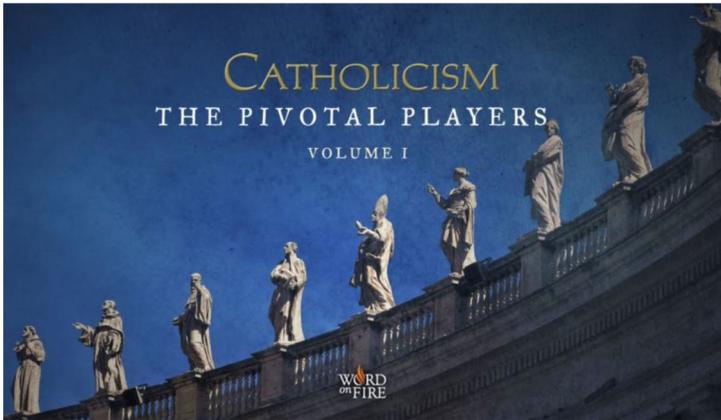
PIZZA!

BRING A FRIEND!

Hebrews 12:1-3

Registration forms available in the Parish/RE Offices/Church Vestibule

Bethany Rogers: cym.standrew@gmail.com



CATHOLICISM: THE PIVOTAL PLAYERS

2019-2020 St. Andrew's Seeds of Faith

One MONDAY a month, 5:30-7 pm, in the Padre Pio Room.

ALL ARE WELCOME

TO REGISTER CONTACT:

Patty Laing, DRE, plaing@st-andrew.org • 703-817-1773

CATHOLICISM: The Pivotal Players is a multi-part film series that illumines a handful of saints, artists, mystics, and scholars who not only shaped the life of the Church, but changed the course of civilization. Discover the places where St. Thomas Aquinas lived, learned, and wrote. Visit the countryside where St. Francis gathered a group of friars and revived the Church. See the places where St. Catherine of Siena ministered and prayed. Trek through England to where Bl. John Henry Newman and G.K. Chesterton left their mark and sparked an English Catholic revival. Marvel at the extraordinary art of Michelangelo, from his David statue in Florence, to the Pietà at St. Peter's, to the Sistine Chapel. Experience how St. Augustine's famous "restless heart has become the paradigm for spiritual seekers across the ages. Journey with Bishop Barron as he uncovers the incredible life of St. Benedict, a 'cave dwelling kid' who changed the course of western civilization.

SEPTEMBER 23, 2019 ST. AUGUSTINE ~ *The Teacher*

Perhaps the premier example of how faith in Christ changed a person is the fourth century bishop, Saint Augustine. His narrative of personal transformation provides a template for life in Christ that still captivates today. In an age when people insist upon sharp demarcations between spirituality and religion, St. Augustine provides a unifying way forward.

OCTOBER 28, 2019 ST. FRANCIS ~ *The Reformer*

Rebuild my Church! That's the mission Christ gave to St. Francis and it's the perennial task of the Church in every age of its life. But how is the reform and renewal of the Church to be accomplished? The life of St. Francis demonstrates that Christ intends the foundations of true and lasting reform to be built on the solid rock that is the radical witness of the saints.

NOVEMBER 18, 2019 G.K. CHESTERTON ~ *The Evangelist*

How does one engage a culture that is befuddled by Christ and suspicious of the Church? The life and witness of this nineteenth century literary convert shows that the fundamental disposition of effective evangelization is joy, and life in Christ is a day-to-day encounter with an abundant and surprising offer of grace.

DECEMBER 16, 2019 MICHELANGELO ~ *The Artist*

The master of sculpture and painting is not a saint, but serves as the privileged representative of the creative potential engendered by the Catholic Faith. The Church professes that beauty is a route of access to God, and through humanity's creative artistry we glimpse the power and glory of the Lord.

JANUARY 13, 2020 ST. THOMAS AQUINAS ~ *The Theologian*

The relationship of faith and reason is under intense scrutiny in an age beholden to the competing claims of fundamentalism and secularism. So called "new atheists" insist that the claims of religion amount to mere superstition, a retrograde holdover from a time long ago. Others insist that the life of faith is a retreat into emotions and subjectivism. St. Thomas Aquinas anticipated these objections and trends and demonstrated that to believe is to think and that the life of the mind is integral to life in Christ.

FEBRUARY 10, 2020 BL. JOHN HENRY NEWMAN ~ *The Convert*

Is there any truth in matters of religion? Should the Church simply retreat in the face of the challenges of culture? John Henry Newman came into the Church as a convert and used his prodigious intellectual gifts to help the Church better understand its identity and mission and engage the challenges of a secular age.

MARCH 16, 2020 ST. BENEDICT ~ *The Monk*

In a world darkened by the fading light of classical culture, St. Benedict cast a greater light—Jesus Christ. His insistence that the Gospel should be embodied in communities of friendship and peace, guided by the sacrifices of poverty, chastity, and obedience became a new cultural matrix and unleashed a vigorous spiritual dynamism where a new civilization emerged.

APRIL 27, 2020 ST. CATHERINE of SIENA ~ *The Mystic*

Is the physical world all there is? Is science the only path to ascertaining truth? St. Catherine of Siena witnesses to a higher world beyond the material. Though the fourteenth century mystic never studied theology, and never learned how to read or write, her life constitutes a powerful challenge to the flattened-out secularism of our time.