

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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Parish Website: www.st-andrew.org
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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

PRE-SCHOOL— 8TH GRADE

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

Director Mrs. Patty Laing
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www.standrewsreligioused.org

YOUTH MINISTRY

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

PASTOR

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

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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*The altar flowers this week have
been donated in memory of:*

*Bruna & Narciso Morson
Casimír Ziolkowski
and Charlotte Vittone*

Sat. Sept. 1	8:45 am 5:30 pm	Victims of Clergy Abuse Mary ("Maizie") C. Mullen†
Sun. Sept. 2	7:30 am 8:45 am 10:30 am 12:30 pm	Mark Rayome† Jesus Hernandez† Don Kenworthy† People of the Parish
Mon. Sept. 3	6:30 am 8:45 am	NO MASS Konrad Schulz†
Tues. Sept. 4	6:30 am 8:45 am	Kevin Kelly The Biscarner Family
Wed. Sept. 5	6:30 am 8:45 am	Susan Froelich† Malcolm Alexander Stewart†
Thurs. Sept. 6	6:30 am 8:45 am 7:00 pm	Adele & Clifford Alexander Edie Lysaght Giao Ngo
Fri. Sept. 7	6:30 am 8:45 am 7:00 pm	Anne Carroll† Emmet Donahue Carolina Nomananap†
Sat. Sept. 8	8:45 am 5:30 pm	Timothy Dietz Frank Coluccio†
Sun. Sept. 9	7:30 am 8:45 am 10:30 am 12:30 pm	People of the Parish Irene Kaczmarek & Patrick Kaczmarek Robert Baker† Patti Mars†

† Rest in peace

Labor Day Monday, September 3

Please note that there will be no 6:30 a.m. Mass and the Parish Office will be closed on Monday, September 3 in observance of Labor Day.

Collections

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The second collection this weekend benefits The Catholic University of America. Next weekend's second collection will support our parish's Religious Education Program.

Thank you for your generosity.

First Sunday Devotions - September 2

Please join us today, September 2, in the church, for First Sunday Devotions. We will begin at 3:00 p.m. with the Divine Mercy Chaplet, followed by time for quiet reflection and the Rosary, ending at 4:00 p.m. All are welcome. Sponsored by the Legion of Mary.

Theological Questions

Last week's question: On an organ, what is a "stop"?

In a pipe organ, each set of pipes is called a "rank". If there are 61 keys on the organ manual, there would be 61 pipes in each rank. There may be multiple ranks controlled by each manual (or keyboard). Each rank has a different timbre or sound, like the different instruments in an orchestra. There are four general categories (principal, string, reed and flute), but there are many possible variations within each category.

The organist can choose which ranks to play by pulling out the "stops", which are knobs on the organ console. The organist can "stop" the flow of air to other ranks of pipes by pushing in the stops. To "pull out all the stops" would mean to use all of the different ranks of pipes at the same time.

New Question: In musical notation, what is a "staff"?

See next week's bulletin for the answer.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) Classes Begin This Month

Beginning in the fall 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. This is a great opportunity to join with others in spending an hour each week learning about the Catholic Faith and helping each other in your faith journey.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) classes will begin in September and continue until the Easter Vigil in April 2019. Please contact the Parish Office at 703-817-1770 or email parish.office@st-andrew.org for more information.

Please Pray for....

The Holy Father's Monthly Prayer Intentions:

For September...Young People in Africa

That young people in Africa may have access to education and employment opportunities in their home countries.

Our beloved Deceased

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Bernadette McMillan, Dolores Ralston, Robert B. Noble, Suradej Pulsirisaroth, 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, Agnes Bush, Paula Ann Cerami, Jo-Ann Cernak, Eleanor Comperatore, Jackie Danielson, Adam Deer, Chad Fones, Joan Green, Fred Grupe, John Hauser, José Luis Hernandez, Jim Hynes, Carol Hoffman, Riley Jadick, Isaiah Raphael Jordan, Tom Lackey, Monica Moore Judge, Kevin Kelly, Francisco Kim, Christopher Kubelick, Priscilla S. Lucido, Msgr. Frank Mahler, Joe Mancuso, Ron and Margaret Menard, George Methee, Robert Miller, Michael Munsell, Erin Cooney Nardone, Alina Neas, Kathleen O'Hearn, Doris Reynolds, William Rice, Harry Robinson, Janice Rodriguez, Graciella Schneider, James Scholfield, Martha Sheely, Payton Wilcox, and Tom Yuditsky.

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 Joe Bishop, 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.

Stained Glass Window Memorials

St. Andrew the Apostle has two beautiful stained glass windows available to purchase as a memorial for your loved one, The Transfiguration of Jesus and the Baptism of the Lord. A plaque with your name and that of your loved one(s) will be added to the listing in the back of the church. For more information please contact the Parish Office.

Religious Education URGENT Need for Volunteers for 2018-2019

Classes will be canceled if each class does not have a teacher and an aide.

Monday: 8th Grade Aide and One Parking Monitor

Tuesday: Kindergarten, 2nd, and 7th Grade Aides, plus 2 Hall and 2 Parking Monitors are needed

Please contact Religious Education Office if you can help.

Questions? Contact Patty Laing, Director of Religious Education, at plaing@st-andrew.org or 703-817-1773.

Baptism: 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 our website 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. 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 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the Padre Pio Room.** Please call the Parish Office at 703-817-1770 to register.

Celebrating a Silver or Golden Wedding Anniversary This Year?

Were you married in 1968 or 1993? Then join Bishop Burbidge for the 2018 Marriage Jubilee Mass to be celebrated on Sunday, October 14 at 2:30 p.m. at the Cathedral of St. Thomas More in Arlington. Contact the Parish Office no later than September 14 to register. For details, visit arlingtondiocese.org/MJM.

Celebration of the Blessed Mother's Birthday September 8

Mary, Mother of the Eucharist Praesidium, of the Legion of Mary, invites everyone to join them in celebrating the Blessed Mother's Birthday immediately following the 8:45 a.m. Mass on Saturday, September 8 in the Padre Pio Room.

Knights of Columbus Rosary Program All are welcome to join the Knights of Columbus Council men to pray the Rosary for the intention of Life in the church at 7:00 p.m. on the first Tuesday of every month. Your prayer intentions are also welcome. Please come join the Knights and show your devotion to Mary.



**Our Contemporary Choir (8:45 Mass)
is looking for new members**

Rehearsals begin Thursday, September 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the school music room. Singers and musicians 9th grade and older are welcome. (Note: students - your time counts as volunteer hours). We especially need guitarists. For more information contact Patty Laing plaing@st-andrew.org.

**Cub Scout PACK 717 Join Scouting Event
September 10**

Cub Scout Pack 717 will be holding a Join Scouting event on Monday, September 10 from 6:15-7 p.m. at the field picnic area. We will have crafts, games and S'mores! All Kindergarten through 5th grade boys are invited to join us.

Kindergarteners, we have an exciting new Lion program for you. Fun and adventure await! For more details contact Helen Martin at Helenlmartin@verizon.net or 703-815-0525.



CYO Fall Tennis

Open to all students in Grades K-8 who attend St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic School or who are enrolled in the Religious Education at St. Andrews. Practices will be held on Friday afternoons in Little Rocky Run. The season runs from September 7 - November 5.

Register online at <https://reg.sportspilot.com/106539>

Registration fee of \$65 per participant.

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.

If you are interested in volunteering or if you have questions about our tennis program, please contact Grace Babbit at gracebabbit@yahoo.com.

Adult Bible Study - Begins September 19

A four-week study of the encyclical *Humanae Vitae* entitled "Celebrating *Humanae Vitae*" will be held on Wednesday evenings at 7:15 pm beginning September 19 in Monsignor Hannan Hall. Released in 1968 by the fearless Pope Paul VI, it was immediately controversial, even though it reaffirmed constant Church teaching. The 31 paragraphs within concern the sanctity of marriage and of human life itself, but today many Catholics ignore this outright in favor of convenience. This study will help us see how much happier marriages and families would be if they simply trusted the words of Christ and his bride, the Church. For registration information please contact Russell Rowzie at 703-930-7610 or email at RRowzie@TrimarkCorporation.com.



Casino Knight is Back!

The Knights are bringing "Casino Knight" back on October 20th and need prizes and sponsors for the event. In the past, donations have included TVs, sporting event tickets, golf packages, wine tasting events, car detailing packages, and so much more. Sponsors are also needed who can advertise their business or the business where they work. Sponsor's logos and businesses will be advertised at the gaming, food and beverage tables. If you would like to donate, be a sponsor, or want more information, contact Al Rodriguez at arodriguez63@aol.com or Matt D'Ercole at Matt@alwaysfuncasinos.com.



CYO Fall Cross Country

Open to all students in Grades 2-8 who attend St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic School or who are enrolled in the Religious Education at St. Andrews. Practices will be held Mondays from 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. at St. Andrew. The season runs from September 10 - November 3. Three meets are scheduled this season and will be held on Saturday mornings. Registration fee of \$20 per participant.

Register online at <https://reg.sportspilot.com/106539>

Volunteers needed! If you are compliant with the Diocesan Office of Child Protection, please offer your time and talents to our program this season. If you are interested in volunteering or if you have questions about cross country, please contact Missy Devine at 703-994-5824 or by email at standrewmileageclub@gmail.com.

A Fun Way to Support Our Seminarians!

There are many ways to support the future priests of our diocese in the Race for Seminarians campaign. Runners and walkers of all levels can get sponsored for their races; cheer squads can encourage them as they log the miles, donors can pledge to support specific runners, and prayer warriors can back up their efforts. Don't miss the Team Rally and Picnic on Tuesday, September 11, from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Lacey Woods Park in Arlington. Visit ArlingtonDiocese.org/Run to learn about all these options and start building your team today!

**Diocese of Arlington Scholarship
Foundation**

The Virginia Education Improvement Scholarships Tax Credit Program will award a 65% tax credit (on top of a regular charitable deductions) for donations made to the Diocese of Arlington Scholarship Foundation, which will, in turn, provide scholarships for new students wishing to attend our diocesan Catholic Schools. You do not have to itemize in order to receive the 65% tax credit! Donations must be preauthorized in advance. Call Jeanne Combos at 703/841-2764 or go to <https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/Scholarship-Foundation/> to download the preauthorization request form.

VIRTUS TRAINING - September 22

There are many opportunities to work alongside the youth of our parish, whether as a volunteer in our Parish School, Religious Education Program, CYO, Youth Ministry, Choir, scouting organizations, chaperone/drivers, just to name a few. However, in order to volunteer, you must attend a VIRTUS training session "Protecting God's Children" and complete volunteer paperwork for the Diocese. You may not volunteer until you have attended a training session **and** submit a completed volunteer paperwork packet to the Diocesan Office of Child Protection.

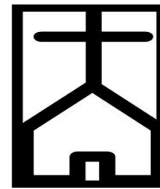
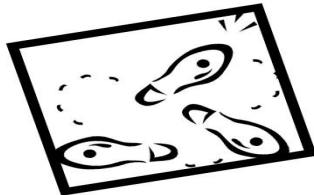
Our parish will host a VIRTUS Training session on Saturday, September 22 in Msgr. Hannan Hall from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. You must **pre-register online at www.virtusonline.org** to attend. Walk-ins are not permitted.

Please contact Trish Burkat in the Parish Office at 703-817-1770 for details.

YOUTH GROUP! COMING SOON!

"Now when He saw the crowds he went up on a mountainside and sat down.

His disciples came to Him and He began to teach them." (Matthew 5:2)



Middle School Opening Night: Friday, September 21

6:30-8:30pm Monsignor Hannan Hall

High School Opening Night: Saturday, September 22

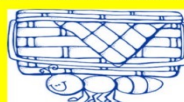
6:30pm-8:30pm Monsignor Hannan Hall

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

REGISTER TODAY! Forms are available in the Parish/RE offices.



You're Invited!



PARISH PICNIC!

BBQ!

Sunday, September 16

Inflatables!

Snow cones!

Following the 12:30pm Mass

Facepaint!

Music!

St. Andrew Field

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!

Around the Arlington Diocese

Healing Retreat for Adult Children of Divorce September 7-9

Come for a greater understanding of the wound of divorce and its effects, for advice concerning love and trust of others, and for an experience of the Catholic faith that will lead to greater self-knowledge and healing. The retreat begins Friday, September 7 at 6:00 p.m. and ends Sunday, September 9 at 4:00 p.m. It will be held at San Damiano Retreat Center in White Post, VA. Cost: \$365.

For inquiries, please contact (703) 841-2550 or email familylife@arlingtondiocese.org.

Weekend of Prayer - for Faith, Hope, & Life September 7 -9

The National Action Alliance for Suicide Prevention's National Weekend of Prayer for Faith, Hope, & Life is an annual event around World Suicide Prevention Day. On this weekend (September 7-9), faith communities all around the country pledge to join in prayer for those who are struggling with suicidal behavior, those who support them, and for all those who have been touched by suicide. Visit the Faith.Hope.Life campaign website (www.faith-hope-life.org) for more information.

Humanae Vitae & Fifty Years Conference September 8

St. Raymond of Peñafort Parish in Springfield invites everyone to their "Humanae Vitae & Fifty Years" Conference on September 8. Take a serious look at the impact of this profound encyclical by Pope Blessed Paul VI on marriage, the family and the nation. Speakers include Fr. Tad Pacholczyk, Dr. Robert Royal and Mr. and Mrs. Bob and Gerri Laird. Holy Mass is at 9:00 a.m. and the conference is 9:45 - 2:00 p.m.

RSVP at www.straymonds.org/humanae-vitae-conference. For more info, contact St. Raymond's parish office at 703-440-0535 or email office@straymonds.org

"Seeking Hope and Healing in the Midst of the Opioid Crisis" Conference - September 29

Join Bishop Michael Burbidge and Catholic Charities as we explore how we in the diocese can respond to the opioid crisis. "Seeking Hope and Healing in the Opioid Crisis," is a free daylong conference on Saturday, September 29, the Feast of the Archangels, at Good Shepherd Catholic Church, 8710 Mount Vernon Hwy, Alexandria.

Dr. Michael Horne, Catholic Charities psychologist, will give a keynote address and Bishop Burbidge will lead a prayer service. The 9 a.m. parish Mass is available before the 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. conference. Please help us address this critical issue and invite others to come as well.

Register by September 26 at: events@arlingtondiocese.org.

Catholic Social Teaching & Immigration Panel Discussion - September 12

Join us Wednesday, September 12 from 7:30-9:00 p.m. at St. Agnes Church for a panel discussion on Catholic Social Teaching and its implications for how we approach immigration and the world refugee crisis. Also learn about key immigration issues that the Virginia General Assembly may consider in January.

RSVP at saintagnes.org.

St. Agnes is located at 1910 N. Randolph Street in Arlington. For more information, contact Amber Roseboom, Director of Development, Outreach and Communications, at aroseboom@saintagnes.org or 703-525-1166.

Mother Daughter Retreat - September 22

The Women's Apostolate to Youth invites you to a Mother-Daughter retreat (for girls in grades 7-9) entitled, "To Light and Guard, To Rule and Guide: Your Guardian Angel's Mission to Form You into a Woman of Integrity". The retreat will be held September 22th, 8:30 - 3:30 p.m. at St. Raymond of Peñafort Church, 8750 Pohick Rd. Springfield. The \$50 fee includes materials, breakfast and lunch for both mother and daughter.

To register, contact Angela Smith by September 8 at daystarretreat@gmail.com. Sorry, registrations at the door cannot be accepted.

English as a Second Language (ESL) Ministry Classes Begin September 25

St. Mark's Catholic Church in Vienna will open enrollment for the fall term ESL classes which begin on September 25th. Whether you are a beginner, or have experience with the English language, help build your confidence in the use of the English language, prepare for American citizenship, improve your writing skills, and integrate into your local community. ESL classes are offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from September 25 - December 6 from 8:00 - 9:30 p.m. Classes are \$25 for 10 weeks of lessons.

They will also offer a Citizenship, Writing, and Conversation class from 7:00 to 7:45 p.m. The Citizenship, Writing, and Conversation classes cost only \$10 for 10 weeks of lessons.

Please come and register on Tuesday, September 18 or Thursday, September 20 from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Registration and all classes take place at St. Mark Christian Formation Center, 9972 Vale Road, Vienna, VA 22181. For additional information on classes email stmarksesl@gmail.com, visit www.stmarkesl.org or you can call 703-980-9380 (English); 703-620-0592 (Spanish).