



St. Benedict's Parish

"So That in All Things God May Be Glorified"

December 15, 2019 – Gaudete Sunday

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Home of the Traditional Latin Mass
of Hampton Roads under the auspices
of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Richmond
Staffed by

OFFICE HOURS

Mon & Wed: 7:45 AM - 12:45 PM
Tues & Thurs: 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM
Fri: Office Closed

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REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

(Subject to change. Please consult bulletin)

Sunday: 7:30 AM 10 AM 12:30 PM
Mon: 6:30 AM 8 AM
Tues: 6:30 AM 8 AM
Wed: 6:30 AM 8 AM
Thurs: 6:30 AM 8 AM
Fri: 8 AM 7 PM
Sat: 7:30 AM 9 AM
Holy Days* 8 AM 7 PM

*NB. UNLESS ON SATURDAY THEN
7:30 AM & 9:00 AM

CONFESSIONS

Half hour before every Mass
Also Wednesdays 7:00 PM – 7:45 PM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Wednesday 9 AM – 7:45 PM

Parish Finances

Donations for Week Ending Dec 8, 2019

(Figures are rounded)

Poor Box \$ 954.00

Weekly Envelopes	\$ 4699.00
Pledges & 2 nd Collection	\$ 95.00
Electronic Giving	\$ 4480.00
Loose Money	\$ 1310.00
TOTAL	\$10585.00
Average Expense for one week	\$ 7265.00
(Based on total of AUG-OCT expenses)	
Week Over / Under expenses	\$ 3320.00



Christmas Pageant today
after 12:30 PM Mass

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Choir Practice – Thursdays 7 PM – 9 PM.
St. Anne's Sodality – Meets on 1st Tuesday at 6 PM. All ladies 18 yrs. and older are welcome.
St. Anne's Sewing Guild – Meets the 2nd Saturday of the month from 10 AM - 3 PM.
St. Joseph's Guild – Meets on 1st Tuesday at 7 PM. All gentlemen over 18 are encouraged and expected to attend.
Little Flowers Girls' Group – Meets 1st and 3rd Saturdays, 10 -11:30 AM. Ages 4-12 are welcome.
Knights of the Altar – Practice is the 1st Saturday of the month 10:15 AM – NOON.
Legion of Mary – Meets Tuesdays 7 PM.



St. Benedict's
Annual Christmas Party
Saturday, January 4
4pm-7pm (food served 4-6 PM).
Mark your calendars and join us for food, Christmas caroling, & fellowship! Bring your favorite family side dishes and Christmas desserts.
See display in narthex to sign-up.



Our Advent through Epiphany Fund Drive for Seminarians and Religious Vocations is now taking place. Please see the *Christmas Tree Display* in the narthex "decorated" with Donation Envelopes.



Be generous as your Heavenly Father was generous:
He sent His only begotten Son to Redeem us as a Child wrapped in swaddling clothes and laid in a manger.

CHRISTMAS DAY 2019 MASS SCHEDULE
MIDNIGHT 12 AM (CHOIR 11:30 PM),
7:30 AM (LOW) & 10 AM (LOW)

SUNDAY SOCIALS – December 22nd, 7:30 AM: Marks, Fraser 10:00 AM: Touré, Diaz

CHURCH CLEANING - Week Ending December 21st: Patrick, Wortham, Bumpus, McCann, Harvey

ALTAR FLOWERS - Kimener, Law, Martin, Jiménez ALTAR LINENS- December: Jimenez

TODAY'S MASS INTENTIONS - 7:30 AM: Mary Cate Mateer by Eowyn Stephenson (F) 10 AM: Pro Populo (N) 12:30 PM: Special (F)

Liturgical Schedule: (N) - Fr. Nichols (F) - Fr. Forte Please Note Mass Time Changes

Date	Monday December 16	Tuesday December 17	Wednesday December 18	Thursday December 19	Friday December 20	Saturday December 21	Sunday December 22
Feast	St. Eusebius	Greater Feria of Advent	Ember Wednesday	Greater Feria of Advent	Ember Friday	St. Thomas	4 th Sunday of Advent
Mass Time	6:30 AM (N)	6:30 AM (N)	6:30 AM (N)	6:30 AM (N)	8 AM (N)	7:30 AM (N)	7:30 AM (N)
Intentions	Stephen Pachota (+)	Madeleine de Boisse (+)	Line Devillers (+)	Mary de Groot (+) by Kevin Young	In Thanksgiving by Alberto & Yvonne Rosado	Mr. & Mrs. Guzman by Elizabeth Stuart	Pro Populo
Ushers							Forrest / Schmid
Altar Servers	A ₁ : A ₂ :	A ₁ : A ₂ :	A ₁ : A ₂ :	A ₁ : A ₂ :	A ₁ : A ₂ :	A ₁ : A ₂ :	A ₁ : T. Guinn A ₂ : P. Dodge
Mass Time	8 AM (F)	8 AM (F)	8 AM (F)	8 AM (F)	7 PM (F)	9 AM (F)	10 AM (F)
Intentions	Mr. Bauer by Luke Catalano	Elissa Larkin (+) by Bauer Family	John & Katie Florian by Germain Family	Percy Loving by Terlisner Family	Ann Ruwe	Admiral William Mc Raven	Tim Catalano
Ushers							Sweeney
Altar Servers	A ₁ : Bauer A ₂ : B. McCann	A ₁ : Bauer A ₂ : Ruwe	A ₁ : L. Catalano A ₂ : J. Catalano	A ₁ : Wortham A ₂ :	A ₁ : E. Fraser A ₂ :	A ₁ : Volunteer A ₂ : Needed	MC: C. Srodulski TH: C. McCann A ₁ : B. McCann A ₂ : M. Howerton CR: A. Costello T ₁ : J. Gorman T ₂ : L. Germain
Mass Time	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	12:30 PM (N)
Intentions	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Michael Straus
Ushers							
Altar Servers	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	A ₁ : R. Cowell

CALENDAR AND NOTICES

DEC 16	RCIA/ ADULT RELIGION CLASSES 7PM
DEC 17	LEGION OF MARY, 7 PM FORREST HALL
DEC 15, 22, 29	NO CCD CLASSES
DEC 17-23	VESPERS "O' ANTIPHONS 5 PM (DEC 18, 20, 22, 23, ON THESE DAYS ONLY)
DEC 25	EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION 11:15 AM - 3 PM (SPECIAL SIGN UP SHEET IN NARTHEX)
DEC 24-JAN 1	PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
JAN 4	ST. BENEDICT'S ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY 4 PM- 8 PM

Envelopes will be available in the narthex for those who wish to have Christmas Flowers placed on the altar in Memory (+)/Honor of a friend or loved one. Suggested donation is \$15.00. Envelopes must be completed by Wednesday, December 18.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS SECRET SHOP December 21, 10 AM – 2 PM (Children Only) & December 22 after all Masses (Open to all) in Forrest Hall. Please contact Mrs. Samantha Galvin: 513.384.1960. Donations can be dropped off in Damian Hall. Donation collection ends on Friday, December 20.

Christmas Wafers (Oplatky) are being sold for \$2.00 each in the narthex through Advent. This is a beautiful Slavic tradition representing unity, faith, sharing, and forgiveness. Each wafer comes with a description. All proceeds are donated to St. Anne's Sodality.

Marriage Banns (1st Notification):

Miss Leah Nicole Kvech, of Virginia Beach VA, daughter of Andrew & Michelle Kvech, and Matthew Paul Donegan of Virginia Beach VA, son of David Donegan & Shelley Holbrook, are to be wed Saturday, January 4th at 11 AM. Anyone having knowledge of any obstacle to the proposed Marriage has an obligation in conscience to make it known to the pastor as soon as possible.