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LITURGIES

Weekend Eucharist:

Saturday: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 10:30 a.m.

Nursery available during Sunday Liturgy.

Weekday Eucharist:

Tuesday @ 11:30 a.m.; Wednesday @ 9:00 a.m.

Holy Day Eucharist

9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism:

Please contact the office to register for preparation sessions.

First Eucharist:

Classes begin in the Fall.

First Eucharist is celebrated in May

Marriage:

Contact parish office at least six months prior to the intended date.

Reconciliation:

Saturday: 4:30 PM

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Portsmouth Catholic Regional – 488-6744

Bishop Sullivan Catholic High School – 467-2881

Peninsula Catholic – 596-7247

If you are sick or going in the hospital, please contact the parish office. Privacy laws prevent the hospital from giving us information.

NEW PARISHIONER PRELIMINARY REGISTRATION

Please fill out this form and return to the office or deposit it in the collection basket.

Name: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City/St: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Unlisted: Yes No – Number of Family Under 21 Over 21

SATURDAY, September 19

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 9:00 a.m. Clean-Up Day
- 4:30 p.m. Reconciliation (RR)
- 4:30 p.m. Choir (WC)
- 5:30 p.m. Eucharist (WC)

SUNDAY, September 20

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 10:30 a.m. Eucharist (WC)

MONDAY, September 21

- 10:30 a.m. Quest Journey Group (CHPL)
- 7:00 p.m. New Beginnings (C)

TUESDAY, September 22

- 10:00 a.m. Sewing Circle (CH)
- 11:30 a.m. Eucharist (CHPL)

WEDNESDAY, September 23

- 9:00 a.m. Eucharist (CHPL)
- 5:00 p.m. YM Choir – (WC)
- 7:00 p.m. Adult Formation (CH)
- 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal (WC)

THURSDAY, September 24

- 10:30 a.m. Churchland Seniors (CH)

FRIDAY, September 25

- 6:00 p.m. Welcome Ministry Dinner (CH)

SATURDAY, September 26

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 4:30 p.m. Reconciliation (RR)
- 4:30 p.m. Choir (WC)
- 5:30 p.m. Eucharist (WC)

SUNDAY, September 27

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 10:30 a.m. Eucharist (WC)
- 5:00 p.m. Youth Ministry (All)

Key

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| (A) Away | (L) Library |
| (C) Commons | (OH) O'Brien Hall (in Office Wing) |
| (CH) Caroluzza Hall | (RR) Reconciliation Room |
| (CHPL) Chapel | (WC) Worship Center |

Thank You

We would like to thank all who participated in making our Senior Luncheon in September such a success. We appreciate all that you do!

Sept. 12, 13 Collection

Offertory	\$ 6130.96
Maintenance	967.00
Other	1948.81
Memorials	135.00
Total	\$ 9181.77

Cluster News

This Sunday in all four of our parishes and in parishes throughout the United States, we celebrate Catechetical Sunday. On this day we recognize and bless our catechists, those who will share the faith with our children, youth and adults in our Christian Formation programs. These volunteers offer an invaluable service to our communities by offering their own faith journey as a way of sharing our belief in a loving God who shared himself with us in Jesus Christ. In essence, we follow the example of God himself who puts a human face on revelation by sending his Son. Our catechists too put a human face on our faith as they stand before us in our many Formation programs and share what they have received. This is an awesome responsibility and we thank wholeheartedly those who have volunteered to take it on.

Questions or comments about the Cluster may be addressed to the Cluster Parishes Coordinator, Jeff Foster, by email at jeffrey.foster@cox.net or by calling 485-2142.

Catholic Boy Scout Retreatoree

The Diocese of Richmond Catholic Committee on Scouting is sponsoring a retreatoree. Presbyterium MMIX, in honor of Pope Benedict's Year for Priests, on October 2, 3 and 4 at Mary Mother of the Church Abbey in Richmond. This camping event is the perfect setting to satisfy the retreat requirement cited in the Boy Scout AD ALTARE DEI award booklet. Presbyterium MMIX is open to 6th through 12th grade Boy Scouts. Registration is necessary. Find more info at www.richmonddiocese.org/ym/boyscouts.htm or contact Erik or Pam Lees at meaculpa365@MSN.com.

Blessings of the Animals

"Mark your calendars for our annual Blessing of Animals on Friday, October 2, 6:00pm at St. Mary's in Bowers Hill., 536 Homestead Rd, Chesapeake. Bring your pets and share this wonderful opportunity to experience God's grace in a whole new way!"

Catholic Charities Collection

The Second Collection to benefit Catholic Charities of Eastern Virginia will be taken up at all Masses on the weekend of September 27, 2009. The Collection supports Catholic Charities' services and programs in the community. Due to the economic downturn, requests for emergency financial assistance have increased greatly. Your support helps Catholic Charities help the needy and disadvantaged throughout the year. Thank you for your generous heart.

Readings

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 First Reading – Numbers 11:25-29
 Second Reading – James 5:1-6
 Gospel – Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

**DAILY EUCHARIST
IN THE CLUSTER**

Monday, Sept. 21 9:30 a.m. Mass at Holy Angels
 Tuesday, Sept. 22 7:30 a.m. Mass at St. Paul's,
 11:30 a.m. Mass at Resurrection
 Wed. Sept. 23 **9:00 a.m. Mass at Resurrection**
 Thurs. Sept. 24 9:30 a.m. Mass at Holy Angels
 Friday, Sept. 25 7:30 a.m. Mass at St. Paul's

CLUSTER SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Holy Angels	Saint Mary's
Saturday 4:00 p.m.	Sunday 9:00 a.m.
Sunday 10:30 a.m. (English)	
1:00 p.m. (Spanish)	
Resurrection	St. Paul's
Saturday 5:30 p.m.	Saturday 4:30 p.m.
Sunday 10:30 a.m.	Sunday 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

What is Life Teen?

Life Teen Spirituality

Implementing *Renewing the Vision*

The National Conference of Catholic Bishops document *Renewing the Vision: A Framework for Catholic Youth Ministry* Created a foundation for youth ministry in 1997 that Life Teen Programs implement in their parishes around the globe. Every component of *Renewing the Vision* is incorporated in the Life Teen ministry, including:

Advocacy, Catechesis, Community Life, Evangelization, Justice and Service, Leadership development, Pastoral Care, Prayer and Worship.

To learn more about Life Teen, visit www.lifeteen.com or contact Shaylyn Baker, Coordinator of Youth Ministry at 966-5461 or shaylyn.baker@gmail.com.

Welcome Ministry Social

A Welcome Ministry Social is being held for all new parishioners on Friday, September 25th at 6:00 p.m. A short presentation will be made following the meal.

Youth Ministry News

As the school year approaches, we are looking forward to beginning our new Youth Ministry programs in the Cluster Parishes (Holy Angels, Resurrection, St. Mary's, St. Paul's). This fall, we will kick off the Life Teen program for High School Youth and the Edge program for Middle School Youth. The programs will bring our Cluster youth together at Church of the Resurrection Sunday evenings from 6:00pm-7:30pm, and will be our Christian Formation for students in grades 6-12 from all four parishes. During these sessions, youth will have opportunities for Catechesis, to understand issues relevant to their lives in the context of the teachings of the Church, and to socialize with the other teens from our Cluster. The programs will begin with a Youth Mass at Resurrection on Sunday September 27th at 5:00pm. Youth from the four Cluster Parishes will serve during the Mass, including providing the music. After the Mass, a barbecue will be held for all Cluster youth and their families. Youth and their families will have an opportunity to meet the volunteers who have said yes to God's call to help with Youth Ministry in the Cluster, and to meet other families of teens from the Cluster Parishes. Our first Life Nights and Edge Nights will take place on Sunday October 4th. Pizza will be provided for both High School and Middle School. If you would like to help out with Youth Ministry in the Cluster, there are many ways to be involved. Information about volunteering can be found in your Christian Formation Registration Packet. If you have any questions about Youth Ministry or our new programs, please contact Shaylyn Baker, Coordinator of Youth Ministry at shaylyn.baker@gmail.com or 966-5461.

Catholic Charities

Catholic Charities of Eastern Virginia, Inc. is pleased to announce that Jacqueline and Frederick J. Napolitano, Sr. will receive the Bishop's Humanitarian Award at a Gala in their honor next year. The couple will be honored at a dinner dance and auction on February 27, 2010 at the Portsmouth Renaissance Hotel. Bishop Francis DiLorenzo will present the award to the Napolitanos for their charitable works in the community, including their efforts on behalf of St. Mary's Home for Disabled Children and Catholic Charities.

LITURGY	<u>Sept. 19</u>	<u>Sept. 20</u>	<u>Sept. 26</u>	<u>Sept. 27</u>
MASS COORDINATOR	Ed Jennison	Joe Schwarz	James Hosack	Ben & Perla Soloria
SERVERS	Hugh Cox	Rebecca Rich	Carol Estock	Darwin Esmino
LECTORS		Mark Harriman	Mary Fugere	Sophie Norton
	Rose Ware	Susan Hodges	Joe Chop	Clara Gravelle
EUCH MINISTER	Team 3	Team A	Team 1	Team B
SACRISTANS	Rosalie Moster	Libby Mank	Pat Riordan	Mary McFadden
HOSPITALITY	Ed Jennison	Michael Wilkerson	John Osborne	Tart Daniels
LINEN	Myrta Menendez		Chris Perry	
COFFEE/DONUTS		Davidson Family		O'Neill Family

ON THE KIOSK

The following items and others are posted on the Kiosk in the Commons in detail. Check the Kiosk if interested.

BON SECOURS SPIRITUAL CENTER

Events being held in the month of September

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

City of Portsmouth

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Family & Life Education Courses.

Volunteers needed in several fields.

PUBLIC CONVERSATION WITH GLEN BESA

U. S. Energy Needs and Local Sources

REFUGEE AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES

"For I was a stranger and you welcome me."

SETON YOUTH SHELTERS

Annual Campaign information

HAITI MINISTRY COMMISSION

Regional Haiti Gatherings Schedule

CATHOLIC CHARITIES:

Job vacancies; Donations for Grandparents raising children; Baby supplies needed.

PRAYER CORNER

Please remember in your prayers:

those who are homebound, nursing homes or assisted living: Paula DeBrango, Mary Beth Conlan-Girtz, Sonja Gold, Kitty Gribok, Godfried Koppers, Jane Owen, Phyllis Parker, Jean Rowe, Shirley Freedman, Ed Roche;

- **those who are ill and/or recently hospitalized:** Linda Jackowicz, Larry Brundage, Mike Glynn, Ed Hanrahan, Mary Hill, Lillian Larkin, Eddie LeBoeuf, Darryl Manzer, Marie Morlino, Mary Virginia Myers, Chris Perry, Shirl Perry, Mike Phillips, Gary Sammarco, Ed Smusz, and Mary Lou & Jim Spacek.

- **all their caregivers;**

- **those who have lost loved ones:** Ed Smusz and Family, The Lyons Family, The Family of Ellen and Bud Bovee, The Family of Flo Smith, The Family of Maureen Harman, The Shifflett and Ware Family, The Moster Family, Family of Adrian Warner, Family of Delores Hogan, Family of Dan Borick, Family of Leonard Rich, Family of Mike Moreland, Family of Bill O'Brien, Family of Beatrice LeBoeuf Sr.

- **and all who are in crisis. and remember all the families of the above.**

- Please let the office know if you or a family member would like to be included in this prayer column.

Registration for 2009-2010 Christian Formation Classes

Registration for the upcoming Christian Formation school year has begun and will continue through September 27th. Registration packets are available in the church. (Please look for the registration table near the main door.) Please complete the registration, medical and volunteer forms and place in the envelope provided. Your envelope may be dropped off in the registration box, placed in the offertory collection or mailed to the church office.

If you have questions regarding registration or sacramental preparation, please contact Marisa Beebe at mrcbeebe@cox.net or at 966-5461.

New Guidelines for Confirmation

The Diocese of Richmond is implementing a new pilot program for Confirmation this year, and the Cluster Parishes (Holy Angels, Resurrection, St. Mary's, and St. Paul's) will be participating. As a result, **both 11th and 10th graders are eligible to be Confirmed this year.** Please note that registration for Confirmation Preparation is *separate* from registration for Christian Formation. When you fill out your Christian Formation Registration form, if you indicate that your 10th or 11th grade student needs the Sacrament of Confirmation, a packet of information regarding the Confirmation Preparation process, including a registration form for the program, will be mailed to you. You may also obtain the informational packet by contacting Shaylyn Baker, Coordinator of Youth Ministry, at shaylyn.baker@gmail.com or 966-5461. As part of Diocesan guidelines, parents and teens are to attend an orientation meeting prior to beginning Confirmation preparation. This meeting will be held at Church of the Resurrection, 3501 Cedar Lane in Portsmouth, on Thursday October 8th at 7:00pm.

"A TIME TO MOURN; A TIME TO HEAL"

St. Stephen, Martyr Catholic Church is offering a Bereavement Support Group for those mourning the death of a loved one. This eight-week program will begin on Wednesday evening, September 30th and run on consecutive Wednesday's through November 18, 2009. We will gather each week in Meeting Room 1, from 7:00 ? 8:30p.m. Join us as we journey towards healing within the Body of Christ. One need not be a member of St. Stephen's to attend. For registration or further information, contact Mary Williams, Group Facilitator, at 439-2590, BereavementGrace@aol.com, or the church office at 421-7416.

Justice & Peace

OASIS SOCIAL MINISTRY

Did you know that Oasis provides all of the following programs: Soup Kitchen, Food Assistance, Senior Program, Edmarc Food Assistance, Bag Lunches and more?



Oasis Angels and Friends

The Angels and Friends Program makes it possible to reach more truly needy individuals and families. Please consider donating to this worthy group.

Host Families Needed

Bishop Sullivan Catholic High School and Peninsula Catholic High School will be welcoming international students in January 2010. The students speak English, have full medical and liability insurance, and bring their own pocket money for personal expenses. Host families provide room and board, transportation to and from school and parental guidance. Host families receive a \$450.00 monthly hosting stipend. If you have room in your heart and home for one of these great students, please contact Maxine Williams at 430-8487 (Home) or 348-8722 (cell) or email me at maxine1229@cox.net.

Mass Intentions

So that they may be remembered in prayer

Sept. 19 5:30 p.m. > **Joseph & Margaret Mancuso**
> **Josephine Bason**
Requested by Bill & Betty Bason

Sept. 20 10:30 a.m. > **John Nguyen That**
Requested by The Nguyen Family

Sept. 26 5:30 p.m. > **Ed Vantine**
Requested by Teddy & Jack Lyons

> indicates deceased



RECYCLING HERE

We are a green Parish!

You can bring in **all kinds of paper & cardboard, aluminum and steel cans and plastic and glass containers**. Please take the time to thoroughly clean any items that could attract bugs. Recycling containers are located in Caroluzza Hall **in the far corner by the windows. Break down cardboard boxes so that they will take less room in our recycling cans. Please deposit all recyclable items near the dumpsters located behind Caroluzza Hall when the Church is closed. Items left elsewhere clutter our entryway areas.** Thanks for your participation.

Well Retreat Annual BBQ

The Well Retreat Center will hold its Annual Family BBQ Fundraiser Sunday, September 27, 2009 from 12-4 PM at The Well. Pork BBQ, Chicken & Hot Dogs, hush puppies, baked beans, cole slaw, iced tea, lemonade. Music, face-painting and silent auction. Tickets: \$8 adults, \$3 children (3-11). Proceeds will be used for capital improvements; 10% will be donated to Haiti Ministry. 18047 Quiet Way, Smithfield, VA 23430 (757) 255-2366; Directions at www.thewellretreatcenter.org

Win 50,000 Bonus Box Tops & a Free Laptop From Family Dollar

This is a great opportunity to help PCRS and get a free laptop for you. Just visit <http://www.familydollar.com> every day (for the most chances) and click in the upper right hand of the page where it says Box Tops for Education. Enter your email address and you are placed in the drawing.

Lighten Up!

Doug Brummel is bringing his ministry "Lighten UP" to St. Stephen, Martyr. On October 16th he will do a presentation which is hilarious and has a message of Catholic faith. His presentation is for the entire family, empty nesters, retirees, and everybody in between! Show time is at 6:45pm. 1544 S. Battlefield Blvd. A free will offering will be taken and proceeds will benefit Lighten UP ministries.

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

For Healing after Abortion, there will be a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat, September 25-27 at the Benedictine Abbey in Richmond. Women and men, who have struggled over a past abortion and seek forgiveness and inner peace, are invited! The retreat combines discussions, meditations, spiritual exercises, the sacrament of reconciliation, a Memorial Service, and Mass of Entrustment. Participation is confidential. Contact Post Abortion Healing Facilitators, Kay Marie & Joe Geiger at 804-330-3137, or Molly Smith at Church of Epiphany at 804-794-0222. Email

kmg4hope@verizon.net Visit www.rachelsvineyard.org

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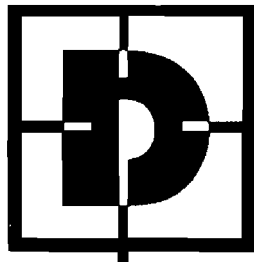
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