

# ST. MARY OF THE PRESENTATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**Weekend Mass:** Saturday 5:00pm; Sunday 10:00am

**Weekday Mass:** Tuesday-Friday 10:00 am

**Church Office Hours:** Mon-Fri: 9-4 (Lunch 12-12:30)  
*Inclement weather delay/closing follows Suffolk Public Schools*

**Reconciliation:** Saturday 4:00pm or by appointment

**Baptism:** Contact the parish office to make arrangements and to register for the parent baptismal preparation class

**Marriage:** Please contact parish office six months prior to the wedding. Engaged encounter or area Pre-Marital instruction normally required.

## Parish Council Chair:

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## Buildings and Grounds Committee Chair/

Inside Stewardship: Mike Bibbo [mjbibbo@verizon.net](mailto:mjbibbo@verizon.net)

## Outside Stewardship:

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## Parish Life Committee Chair:

**Parish Fellowship:**

**Coffee and Donuts:**

**Parish Goods:**

## ST. MARY OF THE PRESENTATION VISION STATEMENT

A vibrant Catholic community dedicated to spreading the Gospel by living our rich faith with prayer, love, and service.



# St. Mary of the Presentation



May 22, 2022  
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mon	05/23	Easter Weekday	Jn 15:26-16:4A
Tue	05/24	Easter Weekday	Jn 16:5-11
Wed	05/25	Easter Weekday	Jn 16:12-15
Thu	05/26	St. Philip Neri	Jn 16:16-20
Fri	05/27	Easter Weekday	Jn 16:20-23
Sat	05/28	Easter Weekday	Jn 16:23b-28
Sun	05/29	The Ascension of the Lord	Lk24:46-53

## Mass Intentions

05/24/2022 - NO MASS  
 05/25/2022 - OPEN  
 05/26/2022 - OPEN  
 5/27/2022 - Dorothy Hackett  
 05/28/2022 - John Dowd  
 05/29/2022 - OPEN



### Mass Schedule: May 25-29, 2022

Weds - Fri 10:00 a.m.  
 NO MASS ON TUESDAY  
 Saturday Vigil Mass: 5pm  
 Sunday Mass: 10:00 am  
**Reconciliation:**  
 Saturday: 4PM



## Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration will be the **FIRST FRIDAY** of every month, beginning around 11am after daily Mass and continuing for a full 24 hours into the **FIRST SATURDAY**, ending at 11am. Signups will be accessible through our website and the bulletin.

We must fill every time slot; Our Eucharistic Lord must **NEVER** be left alone. We are hopeful that making more daylight hours available will allow more adorers to spend time with Our Lord. Please contact Julie Francis if you have questions.

### Please pray for our sick and shut-ins of the Parish



Peg Ciciirelli, M.L. Cruey, Dot Crutchlow, Nathan Davidson, Shirley DeBarnard, Danny Ginther, Tom Grzywinski, Lydia Kee, Jean Petrucci, Samantha Quinn, Jim Ross, Gretchen Shaw, Ruth Silberholz, Mary Stevens, Rowanne Stevenson, Bob Taylor, Howard Thomson, George Warren

### Friends, Family & Priests of the Diocese:

John Aragon, Hugh Ball, Patrick Bales, Sean Behrman, Mindy Cintron, Rachel Cruey, Selwyn Curtis, Russell Dail, James V. Dudley, Bob Dunn, Jan Estoquue, Lucia Flores-Quiroga, Caroline Godfrey, Carol Gurioli, Hawton-Hill, Brian Hensley, Mildred Jenkins, Carolyn Kanoy, Susana Livar, Jo & Vic Manuele, Rebecca Maples, Judy Pearson, Gerard Pichon, Jenny Piver: Joel Rivera, Sandy Robertson, Nancy Rountree, Alexis Royals, John Schroeder, Ray Shamburger, Billy Sutton, Daniel Theberge, Deacon Bob Walsh, Charles Weaver, Beverly Whitley

### Active Duty Military Family and Friends

#### Serving in Iraq and Afghanistan:

Chris LeGrand, Nathan LeGrand, Devin Pisani, David Sjostedt



*"Jesus, Mary and Joseph, pray for us"*



**Bishop Knestout encourages anyone aware of misconduct or abuse on the part of clergy or staff of our diocese to notify civil authorities. Call the Attorney General's Clergy Abuse Hotline at**


**(833) 454-9064 or reach out to the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator, Jennifer Sloan, at (877) 887-9603.**

Collection	May 14-15, 2022	YTD
Regular Offertory	\$3,097	\$128,593
E-Giving	\$902.53	\$73,790.46
All Saints Day		\$95
Altar Flowers		\$625
Ash Wednesday Collection		\$194
Ascension	\$5	\$49
Bulletin Ad		\$500
Capital Improvement	\$5	\$8,653
Catholic Charities*		\$1,440
Catholic Relief Svcs*		\$283
Catholic Virginian		\$476
Christmas Offering		\$5,083
Easter Lilies		\$585
Easter Offering		\$775
Fundraising - Gift Cards		\$909.99
Haiti Coffee		\$874
Haiti Ministry		\$4,142.75
Haiti Pancake Supper		\$965
Haiti Student	\$100	\$7,665
Holy Days		\$1,227
Holy Land (Good Friday)*		\$371
Liturgy Committee Fundraiser		\$946
Mass Intentions*		\$1,950
Military Service		\$150
Other Holy Day		\$20
*Peter's Pence	\$10	\$83
Poinsettia Donations		\$370

Religious Education		\$1,908
*Respect Life		\$211
Retired Religious*		\$1,245
Solemnity of Mary		\$190
Stole Fee	\$200	\$200
The Word Among Us	\$33	\$993
Ukrainian Collection*		\$467
Women's Club*		\$1,148
World Mission		\$70
<b>Total Collection (*not included)</b>	<b>\$4,342.53</b>	<b>\$230,510.21</b>
<b>Weekly Budget</b>	<b>\$4,745</b>	<b>\$194,495</b>
<b>BUDGET SURPLUS/ SHORTFALL</b>	<b>-\$402.47</b>	<b>+\$36,417.21</b>

**eGiving**

**You can have your Offertory Donations automatically sent to St. Mary's. Just go to: [www.stmarysuffolk.org](http://www.stmarysuffolk.org) Please become a Recurring E-Donor!**



Join us for the recitation of the Most Holy Rosary every Sunday morning before the 10:00 am Mass. We will begin at 9:30 am.

**Volunteers needed starting May 1st.**

Please contact Julie Francis at [julie305@charter.net](mailto:julie305@charter.net)

*Altar Flowers*

**Dedicate flowers to a loved one or in thanksgiving! Contact Sandy Nance at (757) 373-9928 or [sandynance1@aol.com](mailto:sandynance1@aol.com)**







# The Haiti Ministry Is Selling Singing Rooster Coffee

You can purchase after mass in the church hall or contact Paul Fletcher (757) 816-4826

## LIMITED QUANTITIES AVAILABLE



St. Mary's has established a Prayer Partners Group for you special prayer needs. Our partners have no special prayer format but will pray whatever is laid on their heart by the spirit. Some of our partners will be praying the rosary and chaplet after each daily mass for these intentions.

To request prayers

- please send email to [Prayers@StMarySuffolk.org](mailto:Prayers@StMarySuffolk.org)
- In the subject line put **St. Mary Prayer Request**
- Keep the request brief with the person's first name or initials only and a brief reason for the prayer intention. We welcome follow-up emails as to the outcome of the request, if applicable.



If you'd like to become a Prayer Partner, please send your name and email address to [Prayers@StMarySuffolk.org](mailto:Prayers@StMarySuffolk.org) or you can contact Ed Collum, Sr. on his cell (571) 331-4666



St. Mary's Women's Club

# Community



St. Mary's of the Presentation  
Catholic Church  
200 S. Broad Street, Suffolk

Friday, Jun 3<sup>rd</sup>, 8:00 am – 1:00 pm

Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 – 12:00 pm

**DONATIONS ACCEPTED**

Wednesday, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 9am-12pm and 6-8pm

Thursday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9am-12pm & 6pm – 7:30pm

Please, no TV's, Cribs or Child Car Seats



Proceeds will go to support Church Ministries & Projects



**ST. MARY'S FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE IS ALWAYS TAKING GIFT CARD ORDERS TO SUPPORT OUR CHURCH**

**Order your gift cards now!!  
Keep some on hand for those last minute gifts!**

**GET YOUR GRADUATION GIFTS TAKEN CARE OF AND HELP SUPPORT ST. MARY'S CHURCH.**



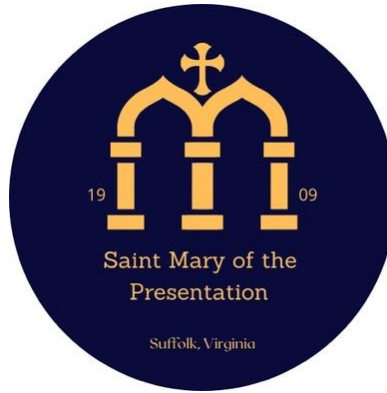
**GIFT CARDS ARE THE BEST GIFT FOR OUR CHILDREN GOING TO COLLEGE OR JUST STARTING THEIR ADULT LIVES.**

Go to St. Mary's website to place your order:

**[StMarySuffolk.org](http://StMarySuffolk.org)**

Click on "Shop St. Mary's" where you'll find the gift card categories to place your order.

Please call JoAnn Farabaugh at (724) 388-2475 if your preferred card isn't listed!



**ST. MARY OF THE PRESENTATION  
HAS AN IMMEDIATE OPENING FOR AN  
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT  
(30 hours per week - M-F 9:00am - 3:30pm)**

This position requires a HS diploma or equivalent with additional relevant experience in an administrative role. A candidate with knowledge of the Catholic Church, Catholic Sacraments, Catholic Rites & Liturgies and Diocesan requirements is preferred.

The selected individual will work under the supervision of the Pastor and in partnership with the entire parish staff and accountant as a member of the parochial team.

Responsibilities include, but are not limited to: Answering all incoming telephone calls; greeting walk-ins; providing content for the parish bulletin; maintaining Mass requests and parish calendars; preparing new parishioner welcome packets and brochures; preparing mass announcements, special collections and prayers of the faithful; maintaining ministry and money counter schedules, and coordinating office and after-hours volunteers. Additionally, the selected candidate will post weekly contributions of the parishioners in ParishSoft, pay bills, maintain accurate parish records (physical and electronic) and support the missions of the Bishop, Pastor, Staff and Ministries. Individual should be proficient in Microsoft Office Suite for Business, ParishSoft (desired) and have strong customer service skills.

Interested candidate should send a cover letter, resume and Diocesan Application to [jobs@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:jobs@richmonddiocese.org) and copied to Fr. Emmanuel Mensah, Pastor of St. Mary of the Presentation at [pastor@stmarysuffolk.org](mailto:pastor@stmarysuffolk.org) and Mike Bibbo, Finance Council Chairperson at [Michael.bibbo@stmarysuffolk.org](mailto:Michael.bibbo@stmarysuffolk.org)





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**St. Mary's Women's Club**

*Welcomes*

**All Women of the Parish**



Meetings are the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed of the month (except June, July, August)

**6:30PM - Social Hall**

For more information contact

**Lavonne Fletcher, 672-4794**

Charity - Unity - Fraternity - Patriotism



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
SUFFOLK COUNCIL #7363

[www.kofc7363.org](http://www.kofc7363.org)

Meetings:

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday @ 7:00 P.M.  
Fr. Tommy Nee Social Hall

Contact a Brother Knight for More Information About Your

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