

# 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: 9-3 (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

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## 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

**NOVEMBER 22, 2020**  
**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,**  
**KING OF THE UNIVERSE**



Catholic Diocese of Richmond  
1820 Bicentennial 2020

Mon	11/23	Weekday	Lk 21:1-4
Tue	11/24	St. Andrew Dũng-Lac	Lk 21:5-11
Wed	11/25	Weekday	Lk 21:12-19
Thu	11/26	Thanksgiving Day	LK 21:20-28
Fri	11/27	Weekday	Lk 21:29-33
Sat	11/28	Weekday	Lk 21:34-36
Sun	11/29	First Sunday of Advent	Mk 13:33-37

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

Dan Anglim, Inga Barrett, Mindy Cintron, Dot Crutchlow, Shirley DeBarnard, John Dowd, Jerry, Mille and Danny Ginther, Tom Grzywinski, Rose Hoover, Lydia Kee, Edna Mustin, Curtis Mehalko, Shirley Mutter, Jean Petrucci, Samantha Quinn, Fran Ross, Don Schwab, Gretchen Shaw, Ruth Silberholz, Mary Stevens, Howard Thomson, Joe Questore, George Warren

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

John Aragon, Hugh Ball, Sean Behrman, Georgie Copeland, Rachel Cruy, Selwyn Curtis, Russell Dail, James V. Dudley, Bob Dunn, Jan Estoquue, Lucia Flores-Quiroga, Caroline Godfrey, Carolyn Kanoy, Kelly Grier -Ferguson, Carol Gurioli, Hawton-Hill, Brian Hensley, Mildred Jenkins, Susana Livar, Jo & Vic Manuele, Rebecca Maples, Judy Pearson, Gerard Pichon, Joel Rivera, Sandy Robertson, Alexis Royals, John Schroeder, Ray Shamburger, Billy Sutton, Deacon Bob Wash, 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"*

## MASS INTENTIONS

11/23/2020 — OPEN  
11/24/2020 — OPEN  
11/25/2020 — OPEN  
11/26/2020 — OPEN  
11/27/2020 — OPEN  
11/28/2020 — OPEN  
11/29/2020 — For the People



Mass Intentions – The Mass is the most powerful prayer on earth, Pray for your loved ones in a special way, united to The Eucharist. Contact the Parish Office @ 757-539-5732 for your Mass intention requests.

### Mass Schedule: November 23-29, 2020 **THERE IS NO DAILY MASS THIS WEEK**

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5pm  
Sunday Mass: 10am

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



- *First Friday* of the Month following the 10am Mass

<u>COLLECTION</u>	<u>11/14-15 2020</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Regular Offertory	\$2,170.00	\$58,910.00
E-Giving	\$579.00	\$17,950.00
Capital Improvement	\$10.00	\$3,793.00
SCRIP Gift Card Profit	\$51.00	\$89.00
Fundraising Face Masks	\$100.50	\$100.50
Haiti Student*		\$1,645.00
Religious Education		\$1,034.00
Liturgy Donations		\$210.00
Word Among Us		\$206.00
All Saints	\$35.00	\$1,226.00
Bulletin Ads		\$1,020.00
Flowers	\$50.00	\$50.00
Human Development*	\$110.00	\$150.00
Military Service*		\$32.00
Retired Religious		\$197.00
World Mission*		\$160.00
Kissell Family Collection *		\$1,605.00
Total Collection (*No Included)	\$2,945.50	\$83,205.00
Budget	\$5,250.00	\$99,750.00
Net Income/Loss	<b>-\$2,305.00</b>	<b>-\$18,850.00</b>



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 1(833) 454-9064, and reach out to the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator, Jennifer Sloan at 877-887-9603

# eGiving

You can have your Offertory Donations automatically sent to St. Mary's.  
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# St Mary's Advent Coat Drive



We are collecting new or gently used and clean winter coats for men, women, boys and girls in all sizes!

This year all donations will go to the Clothes Closet at St. Vincent De Paul's Catholic Church in Newport News.

You can drop off your donation at our church during our mass times or the parish office during office hours.

The Advent Coat Drive ends



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### TWO WAYS TO GET YOUR COPY

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Donation  
Or

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2 Copies	\$6.50 Donation
3 Copies	\$9.00 Donation



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# Saints of the Week

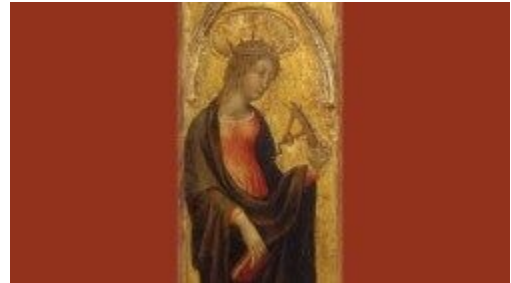


## St. Columban, Abbot

St. Columbanus is one of the most famous Irishmen in history. As a young man, he was a rigorous and ascetic monk. At age 50, he became a missionary, and with twelve companions spread the Gospel through much of western Europe. His monastic Rule became a model for future generations.

## St. Catherine of Alexandria

Fifty pagan philosophers are said to have debated with St. Catherine, hoping to convince her to abjure her faith. Instead, Catherine converted them to Christianity. Furious, the Emperor ordered her to be put to death on a spiked wheel; but the wheel broke. Eventually, she was martyred by beheading.



## St. Siricius, Pope

When Siricius became Pope in 384, he immediately established a good relationship with St. Ambrose of Milan. He was moderate and balanced in his administration of the Church; and historically is one of the first Popes we see exercising the papal primacy.

## St. James of the Marches, Franciscan

St. James, known from his birthplace as “of the Marches” became a Franciscan in 1415. Much of his career was spent as a papal envoy in eastern Europe. He was a noted preacher, fiery, but with a severity tempered by mercy. To fight against usury, he established lending houses to assist the poor.



## St. Saturnin, Martyr on the via Salaria nuova

One of countless martyrs during the early centuries of Christianity, St. Saturninus was originally from Carthage. An inscription by Pope St. Damasus records that, on account of his faith, he was exiled to Rome under the Emperor Decius. He was martyred in 304 by order of the Emperor Maximian.



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**Merry Christmas !**



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Mon-Tue-Wed-Thu:	6 p.m.	–	9 p.m.
Friday:	Noon	–	9 p.m.
Saturday:	9 a.m.	–	9 p.m.
Sunday:	Noon	–	6 p.m.



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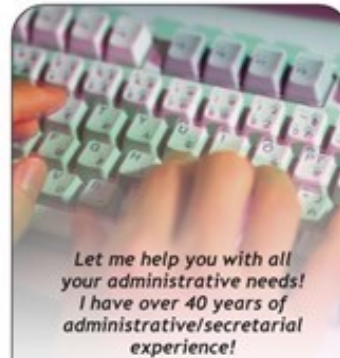


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Meetings:

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday @ 7:00 P.M.

Fr. Tommy Nee Social Hall

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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

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