

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.

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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



December 5, 2021

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Mon	12/6	Advent Weekday	Lk 5:17-26
Tue	12/7	Saint Ambrose, Bishop and Dr of the Church	Mt 18:12-14
Wed	12/8	The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Lk 1:26-38
Thu	12/9	Advent Weekday	Mt 11:11-15
Fri	12/10	Advent Weekday	Mt 11:16-19
Sat	12/11	Advent Weekday	Mt 17:9a, 10-13
Sun	12/12	3rd Sunday of Advent	Lk 3:10-18

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



Peg Cicirelli, M.L. Cruey, Dot Crutchlow, Nathan Davidson, Shirley DeBarnard, Danny Ginther, Kathy Hansinger, Tom Grzywinski, Lydia Kee, Jean Petrucci, Samantha Quinn, Becky Salp, Gretchen Shaw, Ruth Silberholz, Mary Stevens, Rowanne Stevenson, 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, Susana Livar, Jo & Vic Manuele, Rebecca Maples, Judy Pearson, Gerard Pichon, Jenny Piver: Joel Rivera, Sandy Robertson, 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"

Altar Flowers

Dedicate flowers to a loved one or in thanksgiving!

Contact Sandy Nance at (757) 373-9928 or sandynance1@aol.com.



Mass Intentions

12/07/2021 - OPEN
12/08/2021 - Robert Froemel, KOC
12/09/2021 - OPEN
12/10/2021 - OPEN
12/11/2021 -- Orlando Rian
12/12/2021 - John Dowd



Mass Schedule: December 7-12, 2021

Tues-Fri 10am
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5pm
Sunday Mass: 10:00 am

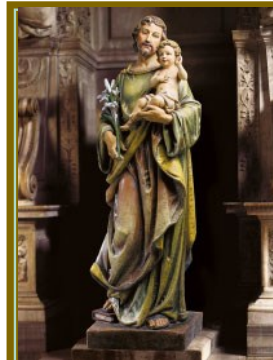
Reconciliation:
Saturday: 4PM

December 8, 2021
Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, Holiday of Obligation
Masses at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.



Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday of the Month following the 10am Mass



Following the 7 p.m. Mass on Wednesday, December 8th the "Year of St. Joseph" will to a conclusion.

We need a couple of volunteers to replace the Sacred Heart Statue



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 and reach out to the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator, Jennifer Sloan, at (877) 887-9603.

Thank you for your Donations!
Fiscal Year 2022 began July 1, 2021

Collection	11/27-11/28/2021	YTD
Regular Offertory	\$2,682	\$59,984
E-Giving	\$1,323	\$25,626
All Saints Day		\$95
Altar Flowers		\$40
Bulletin Ad		\$500
Capital Improvement	\$50	\$2,703
Haiti Ministry		\$2,045
Holy Days		\$800
Liturgy Committee Fundraiser		\$946
Mass Intentions*	\$20	\$1,062
Peter's Pence		\$20
Religious Education		\$1,908
Retired Religious*		\$1,245
The Word Among Us	\$27	\$492
Women's Club*		\$350
World Mission		\$70
Total Collection (*not included)	\$4,132	\$96,847
Weekly Budget	\$4,745	\$104,350
BUDGET SURPLUS/SHORTFALL	- \$613	- \$7,503



eGiving

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

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11TH IS THE SUFFOLK HOLIDAY PARADE

There will no parking available on Smith St., please be aware of altered traffic patterns



ST. MARY'S FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE GIFT CARD ORDERS

Don't let the Holiday's, Birthday's, Anniversary's or any special occasion sneak up on you!
Order your gift cards now!!

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

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Saturday, December 18
10 a.m. NY / 4 p.m. Rome

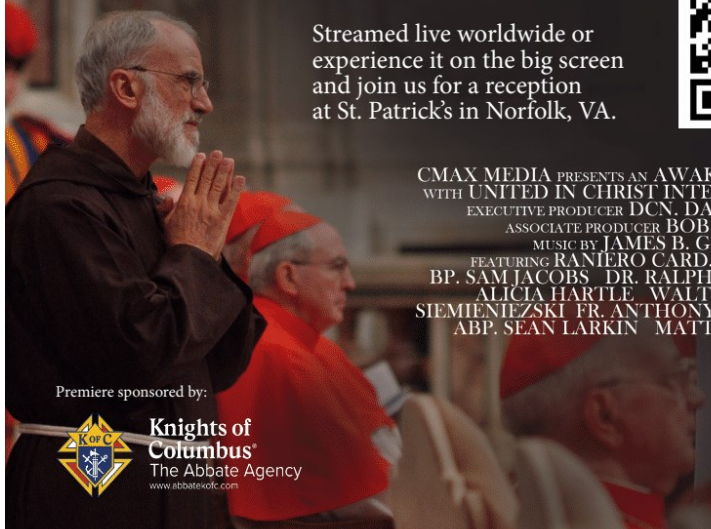
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ST. MARY'S FUNDRAISING EVENT



St. Mary's Fundraising Committee is sponsoring a **SHARE NIGHT** with Moe's Southwest Grill.

Moe's (Downtown Suffolk) will contribute between 10% to 20% of the sales to our church.

0-49 Customer Count = 10%

50-100 Customer Count = 15%

Over 100 Customer Count = 20%

WHERE: Moe's Southwest Grill
1217 Main Street
(This Location Only)

WHEN: December 11th
All Day

**PLEASE MENTION ST. MARY'S FUNDRAISING EVENT
WHEN YOU ARE CHECKING OUT SO ST. MARY'S WILL
GET THE CREDIT**

Good for Dine In & Carry Out

***Take a break from cooking Lunch or Dinner
on December 11th and help support our
Church at the same time!***

Festival of Lessons and Carols



December 12, 2021

6:00 pm

*Following the program, refreshments will
be served in the social hall, courtesy of
St. Mary's Women's Club."*

Haiti Ministry  

SINGING ROOSTER COFFEE SALE

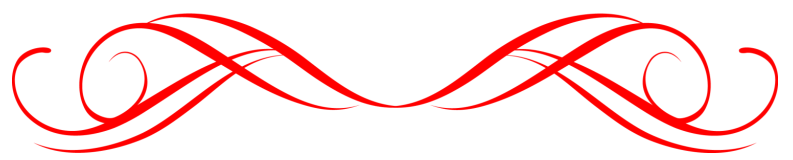
DARK ROAST, MEDIUM ROAST AND DECAF AVAILABLE
\$11 PER 12 OZ BAG
GIVE AS GIFTS AND BUY SOME FOR YOURSELF!

See a member of the Haiti Ministry Committee after church or call or email Paul Fletcher to reserve your coffee today!

LIMITED QUANTITIES!

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2023

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REGIONAL YOUTH HOLIDAY SOCIAL

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PLEASE RSVP BY 12/21



St. Mary of the Presentation
Invites you to join us for



Mornings with Mary
We Will Begin in the Church
Saying the Rosary
Mondays at 9:30am
A parent and child prayer time with
catechesis and fellowship.
All are welcome!

Advent Penance Service



Good Shepherd	Monday, 12/6	7:00 pm
St. Jude	Tuesday, 12/14	7:00 pm
St. Mary's	Thursday, 12/16	6:30 pm



Christmas Poinsettias

Deadline December 17 , 2021

Please return this form along with \$12.00 for each Poinsettia you've ordered to the office or drop it in the collection basket.

Checks should be made out to St. Mary of the Presentation with "Poinsettia" on the memo line.

Donor's Name:

_____ *(Please Print Legibly)*

**In (circle one)
Memory / Honor of:**

_____ *(Please Print Legibly)*

Thank You!

Autumn Care Nursing Home Collection

St. Mary's Pastoral Care Committee
is collecting

body lotion, socks, and sugar-free peppermint patties to
include in Christmas gift bags for the residents at
Autumn Care of Suffolk Nursing Home.

Any size or brand of lotion and both men's
and women's (new) socks would be greatly appreciated!



A collection box will be located at
the church entrance
until December 11th.



If you prefer to have items picked
up, you can contact Ann Harris at
757-372-6884 to make arrangements.
Thank you in advance for your support!



ST. MARY'S STORE

Did you know that there is a
St. Mary's Store
on our church website?

Visit StMarysSuffolk.org

Catholic Funeral Planning Guide

A good estate plan provides security for a spouse
and/or family. Every adult should prepare a will.

Be sure to include your parish. The Catholic
Community Foundate of the Diocese of Richmond
has created this book to provide focus and
guidance; a central location for family members to
record

personal information, convey personal desire and
wishes, and identify the location of any important
documents that will be needed when there



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
- 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
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you can contact Ed Collum, Sr.
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Welcomes

All Women of the Parish



Meetings are the 3rd 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

Meetings:

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

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