

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 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



April 17, 2022

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

Mon	04/25	St. Mark, Evangelist	Mk 16:15-20
Tue	04/26	Easter Weekday	Jn 3:7b-15
Wed	04/27	Easter Weekday	Jn 3:16-21
Thu	04/28	Easter Weekday	Jn 3:31-36
Fri	04/29	St. Catherine of Siena	Jn 6:1-15
Sat	04/30	Easter Weekday	Jn 6:16-21
Sun	05/01	Third Sunday of Easter	Jn 21:1-19

Mass Intentions

04/26/2022 - Melanie Burke
 04/27/2022 - Blue Island Fire Dept.
 04/28/2022 - Stephen Otterson, KofC
 04/29/2022 - Donna Roncarti
 04/30/2022 - Catherine, Tristan, Colton of the Moegenberg Family
 05/01/2022 - William and Rosemary Miller



Mass Schedule:
April 26-May 1, 2022
 Tues - Fri 10:00 a.m.
 Saturday Vigil Mass: 5pm
 Sunday Mass: 10:00 am
Reconciliation:
 Saturday: 4PM



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 Partner, please send your name and email address to Prayers@StMarySuffolk.org or you can contact Ed Collum, Sr. on his cell (571) 331-4666

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, Isabela Lau; 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"

Altar Flowers



Dedicate flowers to a loved one or in thanksgiving!

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



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	April 16-17, 2022	YTD
Regular Offertory	\$3,520	\$117,110
E-Giving	\$7,385	\$61,674
All Saints Day		\$95
Altar Flowers	\$40	\$625
Ash Wednesday Collection		\$194
Bulletin Ad		\$500
Capital Improvement	\$295	\$8,281
Catholic Charities*		\$1,440
Catholic Relief Svcs*	\$28	\$243
Catholic Virginian		\$476
Christmas Offering	\$520	\$5,083
Easter Lilies		\$585
Easter Offering		\$75
Fundraising - Gift Cards		\$659.99
Haiti Coffee		\$874
Haiti Ministry		\$1,325
Haiti Pancake Supper		\$965
Haiti Student	\$720	\$5,265
Holy Days		\$1,227
Holy Land (Good Friday)*	\$371	\$371
Liturgy Committee Fundraiser		\$946
Mass Intentions*	\$25	\$1,950
Military Service		\$150
Other Holy Day		\$20
*Peter's Pence		\$73
Poinsettia Donations		\$370
Religious Education		\$1,908

*Respect Life		\$211
Retired Religious*		\$1,245
Solemnity of Mary		\$190
The Word Among Us	\$11	\$916
Ukrainian Collection*	\$75	\$95
Women's Club*		\$975
World Mission		\$70
Total Collection (*not included)	\$12,941	\$200,045
Weekly Budget	\$4,745	\$185,015
BUDGET SURPLUS/SHORTFALL	+ \$7,746	+ \$15,030

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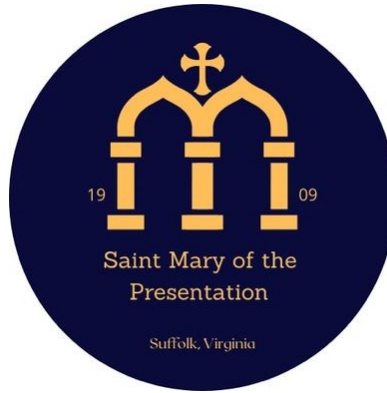
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Join us for the recitation of the Most Holy Rosary every Sunday morning before the 10:00 am Mass. We will begin at 9:30 am.

Volunteers needed starting May 1st.

Please contact Julie Francis at julie305@charter.net



**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 and copied to Fr. Emmanuel Mensah, Pastor of St. Mary of the Presentation at pastor@stmarysuffolk.org and Mike Bibbo, Finance Council Chairperson at Michael.bibbo@stmarysuffolk.org





Join the St. Mary's Youth Group for their annual Youth Dinner.

A NIGHT AT THE OSCARS

Saturday, April 30th

6:15 pm following Saturday night mass.

Tickets are \$10

Please see a member of the Youth Group after Mass for further details and to buy your tickets.



Eucharistic Adoration

Beginning with the 1st weekend in May, 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 SIGN UP FOR MAY'S EUCHARIST ADORATION

May 6th, 11am - May 7th, 11am.

We must fill every time slot; Our Eucharistic Lord must **NEVER** be left alone

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ONLINE VIRTUS TRAINING

is being offered through the diocese if you are interested

in volunteering at St. Mary's.

Please call Ann Sweet for more information at (757) 539-5732.



ST. MARY'S FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE IS ALWAYS TAKING GIFT CARD ORDERS
Order your gift cards now!!
Keep some on hand for that last minute gift!

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

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's Women's Club Scholarship

St. Mary of the Presentation Catholic Church

The St. Mary's Women's Club Scholarship was established in honor of all past and present members of St. Mary's Women's Club.

Amount: \$500 (non-renewable; fall semester tuition; amount may increase after donations from club members are accounted for)

Required criteria:

1. Member of St. Mary of the Presentation Catholic Church
2. Graduating senior who has been accepted into an institution of higher learning
3. Two (2) letters of recommendation (i.e. from church, school, community activities, or work)
4. Essay—200-400 words –” What impact has COVID had on your church life and what opportunity(ies) and/or positive changes has it created?”
5. Transcripts
6. Résumé which may include:
 - Church activities
 - School and extracurricular activities
 - Community Service/Volunteer Activities
 - Leadership activities/skills
 - Awards, honors, and special recognitions
 - Work, hobbies or special interests
7. Application received in the church office by May 1st 2022.

Applications that do not meet the required criteria will not be considered.

Selection will be made by a panel of judges from St. Mary's Women's Club. If there are no qualified applicants in a given year, funds will remain in the St. Mary's Scholarship Fund.

For questions/information contact: Sharon Criner, 503-7989 cell, please leave a message

SCHOLARSHIP FORM: [Women's Club Application 2021.docx - Google Docs](#)

St. Mary's Women's Club
202 South Broad Street
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**2022 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - SUFFOLK COUNCIL 7363
JAMES J. RILEY, SR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**



Application is available on the Knights website www.kofc7363.org

Application Deadline - May 21, 2022

All graduating seniors from High School who are planning for post-secondary education and are actively involved in the betterment of St. Mary of the Presentation Catholic Church through active religious and community involvement are eligible to apply.

Applicant must have been accepted by an accredited university, college, or trade school as a full-time student prior to scholarship award.

Five hundred dollars (\$500) will be awarded to one graduating senior who is currently registered as a parishioner at St. Mary of the Presentation Catholic Church in Suffolk, Virginia. The scholarship is not renewable and is awarded every year to a different applicant.





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St. Mary's Women's Club

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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