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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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



January 15, 2023 SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mon	01/16	Weekday	Mk 2:18-22
Tue	01/17	St. Anthony, Abbot	Mk 2:23-28
Wed	01/18	Weekday	Mk 3:1-6
Thu	0/19	Weekday	Mk 3:7-12
Fri	01/20	Weekday	Mk 3:13-19
Sat	01/21	St. Agnes	Mk 3:20-21
Sun	01/22	Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	Mt 4:12-23



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

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Please contact Julie Francis at julie305@charter.net



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

Peg Cicirelli, M.L. Cruey, Nathan Davidson, Danny Ginther, Tom Grzywinski, Lydia Kee, Samantha Quinn, Jim Ross, Ruth Silberholz, Mary Stevens, Howard Thomson, George Warren

Friends, Family & Priests of the Diocese:
John Aragon, Hugh Ball, Patrick Bales, Ericka Kim Beale, 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, Hunter Lowe, Devin Pisani, David Sjostedt

"Jesus, Mary and Joseph, pray for us"



Mass Intentions

01/17/2023 - OPEN 01/18/2023 - OPEN 01/19/2023 - OPEN 01/20/2023 - OPEN

01/21/2023 - In Memory of Richard Sivek 01/22/2023 - In Memory of Pat Groeninger

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 at 757-539-5732 for your Mass intention requests.



Mass Schedule: January 17/22, 2023

Tues - Fri 10am
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5pm
Sunday Mass: 10:00 am
Reconciliation:
Saturday: 4PM



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.





Altar Flowers

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

THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS!!

Collection	January 7-8, 2022	YTD
Regular Offertory	\$4,393.00	\$89,490.45
E-Giving	\$2,153.70	\$46,157.35
Capital Improvement	\$90.00	\$16,096.98
Adult Formation		\$395.00
Advent Blue Books		\$60.00
All Saints Day		\$309.00
Altar Flowers		\$160.00
Assumption of Mary		\$195.00
Bulletin Ad		\$300.00
Catholic Charities (Diocese) *		\$433.00
Catholic Virginian*	\$167.00	\$392.50
Christmas Offering		\$25.00
Envelope Offering		\$3.00
Fundraising: Gift Cards		\$11,835.00
Fundraising- Merchandise		\$\$30,00
Fundraising Raffle		\$770.00
Haiti Coffee		\$494.00
Haiti Ministry	\$40.00	\$1,444.00
Haiti Student	\$600.00	\$2,750.00
Immaculate Conception	\$30.00	\$271.00
Mass Intentions*	\$250.00	\$1,645.00
Memorial Fund		\$900.00
Military (Diocese) *		\$648.00

Poinsettias		\$839.00
Religious Education		\$582.00
Retirement Fund (Diocese)*		\$281.00
The Word Among Us	\$25.00	\$478.00
World Mission (Diocese) *		\$307.00
Women's Club		\$1565.00
Youth Ministry		\$1,849.67
Total Collection (*not included)	\$7,332.70	\$181,998.13
Weekly Budget	\$4,745.00	\$123,370.00
BUDGET SURPLUS/ SHORTFALL	+ 2,587.70	+ \$58,628.13



You can have your
Offertory Donations
automatically sent to St. Mary's.
Just go to:
www.stmarysuffolk.org

Please become a Recurring E-Donor!



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

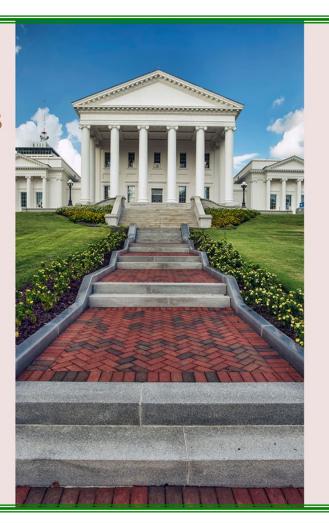
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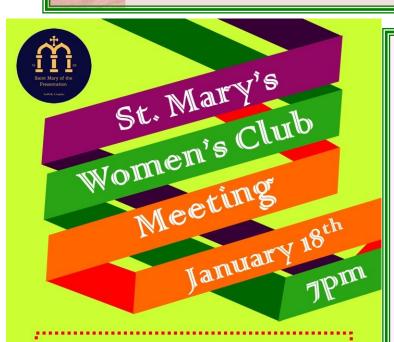
February 1, 2023

DEFENDING LIFE DAY AND VIRGINIA MARCH FOR LIFE

A comprehensive day of prayer, advocacy and witness for life. The 2nd annual Defending Life Day will be that morning, followed by the 5th annual Virginia March for Life that afternoon.

Stay tuned for details coming soon about this exciting combination of events!





Join us for refreshments & fellowship In the church social hall Doors open at 6:45pm

Additional information online at https://smwcsuffolk.weebly.com



SUPPORTS ST. MARY'S HAITI MINISTRY





Thank you to everyone who donated lotion, calendars, tissues and candy for the Pastoral Care nursing home gift bags. Your generosity went above and beyond!! We had a great time visiting Autumn Care of Suffolk and sharing the Christmas spirit with the residents and everyone loved their gifts.



St. Mary's Women's Club Presents



prizes and laughs!

Doors open at 6:45pm

IMPORTANT LITURGICAL UPDATES



<u>ADORATION</u>

Exposition begins immediately following 10 AM Daily Mass on the First Friday of every month, continues through the day and night, concluding with Benediction on the First Saturday at 9:30 AM.

For the safety of the adorers, the MAIN DOORS WILL BE LOCKED 7 PM-7 AM. During these hours, adorers should come to the SIDE DOOR CLOSEST TO THE ALTAR and knock. We suggest adorers sit close to the front of the church so the knock can be heard. We also encourage opening the stained-glass window closest to the front to confirm identity of the next visitor.

Fr. Ongen will be available for Confession both on First Friday AFTER EXPOSITION, and again on First Saturday, beginning at 8:30 AM.



OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTION

Inspired by the beautiful mosaic in the front of our sanctuary, we begin the Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help. Join us in this devotion EVERY WEDNESDAY following Daily Mass. Prayer books are provided.



BUILDING OUR LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Those with experience as an Altar Server, Eucharistic Minister, Sacristan, or Lector OR THOSE INTERESTED IN LEARNING HOW TO SERVE IN THESE MINISTRIES, we invite you now to join us as we rebuild our ministries after Covid.

Sign-up on the back of the church (vestibule) or contact Julie Francis at julie 305@charter net

Children aged 7 and older, who have received their First Holy Communion, can be altar servers. Please encourage you children to consider this great privilege to serve God at His altar and assist the priest in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

Training will be provided for all ministries.



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

February 3-4, 2023 after morning mass.
Benediction is February 4, 2023 at 9:30 am

PLEASE NOTE: Benediction begins on First Saturday at 9:30am As per the rite for Benediction, we should have a small congregation – not just one or two persons – present for the Benediction. Please consider joining us for Benediction, Saturday morning, 9:30 am.

To improve the safety of our adorers, we will be locking the main doors 7pm-7am. Those coming to Adoration during these hours should now come to the side door and (Smith Road) knock.

You do not need to sign up for an hour to come and sit with Jesus. Anyone can come, anytime, for any amount of time and just rest in His Presence.

If you DO wish to sign up for an hour, please visit our website, look for the sign up sheet in the vestibule of the church or sign up here https://bit.ly/3WUQv6l



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Meetings:

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

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CONTACT ST. MARY'S
OFFICE TO HAVE YOUR
BUSINESS CARD IN THE
CHURCH BULLETIN EVERY
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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

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