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Mass Intention



Our Parishioners

Contact Elizabeth to schedule a Mass or if you have any questions. Please give Mass intentions to Father.

Póngase en contacto con Elizabeth para programar una misa o si tiene alguna pregunta. Por favor, den intenciones de misa al Padre.

Praying With Next Week's Readings

Reading I: Jeremiah 20:10-13
Responsorial Psalm: 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35
Reading II: Romans 5:12-15
Gospel: Matthew 10:26-33

June Birthdays

- 2 Inez Edita Smith
Antonio Deluna-Santes
- 7 Monserrat Deluna-Ramirez
Gary Karp
- 10 George Seif
- 14 Nelida Rosales
- 22 Brett Abernathy
- 28 Arturo Mejia
- 30 Monica Ramirez Perez

Happy Anniversary

**Augustus Williams
&
Agatha Pascal
June 12th**



Please use this list to pray for those who are in need. May we all lift one another up in prayer.

Steven Goellner; Rosemary Buskirk, Mary Frances Kramer, Nina Gendron & family

Please contact the office with updates.

Upcoming Events:

- June 22-23-Office Closed
- June 27-Knights Meeting
- June 28-July 4-Office Closed

Our Lady of the Lake



Council 9309

Officers for 2022-2023

Chaplain: Fr. Jong R. Bayta

Grand Knight: Bobby Berndt
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*PGK-Past Grand Knight

If you are a Catholic man 18 years or older and wish to join our Council, please contact Bobby Berndt (434)636-2565 or Tom O'Neill (252)308-0493.

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We welcome all visitors and guests to our parish family and wish you safe travels and a happy visit to Emporia.

Mission Statement:

We, the Church of Saint Richard, have been anointed by Jesus Christ to continue His Mission. For us to participate in the mission of Jesus, we are challenged by the Gospel to a daily conversion to God, leading to spiritual growth and holiness. We invite others to join us at the Eucharistic table. Mindful of our neighbors, we will work to bring about a just and peaceful society. At every opportunity, we will work with other faith communities to further God's Kingdom.

Pastor: Fr. Jong R. Bayta

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Elizabeth Martin

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Liturgical Schedule

Weekday Mass:

Wednesday: 12:00 pm at SVMC

Weekend Masses:

Saturday—1:00 pm (Spanish)

Sunday—10:30 am

Rosary:

Wednesday—11:45 am at SVMC

Sunday—10:00 am

Reconciliation:

Sunday—10:00 am

Pastoral Council—Brenton Gorman: 801-682-0892

Finance Council—Janet McKenzie: 614-579-8185

Religious Formation—Dr. Santiago Gasalao-Epps: 434-594-8023

Music Coordinator— Francis Mendoza

Altar Ministry—Stevie Thomas: 434-634-6713

Family Service Advisor—Linda Adamos: 434-774-9376

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time—June 18, 2023

Study of the Readings

Background on the Gospel

Reading *Matthew 9:36-10:8*

Jesus sends the twelve apostles to proclaim the kingdom of heaven.

In today's Gospel, Jesus shares his mission to proclaim the kingdom of heaven with his disciples. The signs of the kingdom's presence consist of the work that Jesus has already been doing: the sick are cured, lepers are cleansed, demons are driven out, and the dead are raised to life. The disciples are sent to continue doing the work that Jesus

has begun. This is a moment of transition in Matthew's Gospel. The focus has shifted from the ministry of Jesus to the work of the community that he has inaugurated. More than any other Gospel, Matthew's Gospel elaborates on the work of the Church, which is to continue after Jesus' death and resurrection. The Gospel reports that Jesus sent his disciples to continue his work and mission, so too the Church is sent by Jesus. Many scholars believe that the twelve disciples symbolize the twelve tribes of Israel. It designates, therefore, continuity between Israel and the Church. Matthew lists the names of the

PARISH NEWS

We are distributing Holy Communion under the form of wine during the celebration of Mass. The requirement for becoming an extraordinary minister of Holy Communion is to be a practicing Catholic in good standing and, if you are married, you were married in the Catholic church. We need more Eucharistic ministers. Call Stevie Thomas to volunteer.

The Knights of Columbus continue their "Baby Bottle Campaign". All funds collected are donated to the Roanoke Rapids Pregnancy Support Center, which provides counseling, information, support, and baby needs to pregnant women in our area. Baby Bottles are available after Mass. Fill them with coins, paper money or checks (made out to the "Pregnancy Support Center") and return them by July 2. Thank you in advance for supporting this worthy cause.

Father celebrates weekly Mass on Wednesdays at noon at Southern Virginia Medical Center. The rosary is recited at 11:45 am. Father needs at least one volunteer each week to recite the rosary with him and to stay for Mass, as a priest cannot say Mass alone. All are welcome to attend.

Undécimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Estudio de las lecturas

Antecedentes de la lectura del Evangelio

Mateo 9:36-10:8

Jesús envía a los doce apóstoles a proclamar el reino de los cielos.

En el Evangelio de hoy, Jesús comparte su misión de proclamar el reino de los cielos con sus discípulos. Los signos de la presencia del reino consisten en la obra que Jesús ya ha estado haciendo: los enfermos son curados, los leprosos son limpiados, los demonios son expulsados y los muertos son resucitados. Los discípulos son enviados a continuar haciendo la obra que Jesús ha comenzado.

Este es un momento de transición igual que Marcos y Lucas. Mateo en el Evangelio de Mateo. El enfoque ha cambiado del ministerio de Jesús al trabajo de la comunidad que él ha inaugurado. Más que cualquier otro Evangelio, el Evangelio de Mateo elabora sobre la obra de la Iglesia, que debe continuar después de la muerte y resurrección de Jesús. El Evangelio informa que Jesús comisiona a doce discípulos. Muchos eruditos creen que los doce discípulos simbolizan las doce tribus de Israel. Designa, por lo tanto, la continuidad entre Israel y la Iglesia. Mateo enumera los nombres de los doce discípulos, al

NOTICIAS PARROQUIALES

Estamos distribuyendo la Sagrada Comunión bajo la forma de vino durante la celebración de la Misa. El requisito para convertirse en un ministro extraordinario de la Sagrada Comunión es ser un católico practicante de buena reputación y, si está casado, se casó en la iglesia católica. Necesitamos más ministros eucarísticos. Llame a Stevie Thomas para ser voluntario.

Caballeros de Colón continúa su "Campaña de Biberón". Todos los fondos recaudados se donan al Centro de Apoyo para el Embarazo de Roanoke Rapids, que brinda asesoramiento, información, apoyo y necesidades del bebé a mujeres embarazadas en nuestra área. Los biberones están disponibles después de la misa. Llénelos con monedas, papel moneda o cheques (a nombre del "Centro de Apoyo al Embarazo") y devuélvalos antes del 2 de julio. Gracias de antemano por apoyar esta noble causa.

El padre celebra misa semanal los miércoles al mediodía en Southern Virginia Medical Center. El rosario se reza a las 11:45 am. El padre necesita al menos un voluntario cada semana para rezar el rosario con él y quedarse a misa, ya que un sacerdote no puede decir misa solo. Todos son bienvenidos a asistir.

Last Week's Offertory

	Needed	Actual
Offertory:	\$884.62	\$1374.25 \$489.63

Online Giving

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/>
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GIVE to 434-603-6341

MASS ATTENDANCE:

June 11th
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Next Week's Ministry Schedule

READERS	E. MINISTER	USHERS	SERVERS
Elsie Moleno	Fernanda Segundo	Elizer Carillo	Louise Nery
George Seif	David Thomas	Dave Thomas	Carlos Nery
			Jayden Nery

Next Week's Cleaning Group

Monica Perez Maria LeVazquez
Miryam Ramirez Manuel Vazquez
Monserrat Ramirez