FATHER JIM'S SCHEDULE – January to June 2021

Mon. - St. Victoria: 9:30am Reconciliation; 10:00a.m. Mass followed by Adult

Formation and evening meetings

Tues. – Our Lady of Peace: 10:00a.m. Mass followed by Meetings;

7:00p.m. Mass followed by evening meetings

Wed. - St. Victoria: 10:00a.m. Mass followed by Clergy Association Meeting

or Over the Hill Gang Lunch; evening meetings if needed.

Thurs. - OLP Mass at 12:15p.m.; Hargrave Military at 4:00pm; STV Mass at 6:30p.m.

followed by RCIA or other

Fri. - Father Jim's day off

Sat. – Our Lady of Peace: 9:00 a.m. Mac's Kitchen followed by afternoon weddings, other

St. Victoria: 2:30p.m. Mass



PARISH PRAYER LIST:

Eudora Roach Madeline Key Sandra Guthrie Marilyn Thurman

Jessie Burks Tom Newman

Vince Gryctko Polly Ostman

Virginia Cantwell Roger Wood Elaine Ferguson William Booker

Ismael Gonzalez Garcia Holly Nelson-Rodriguez

Please pray for our Servicemen and Servicewomen: Dylan Allen, Chris Davidson, Ursula Hall, Edward Huddleston, Alex Simpson, Tiffany Smith, Chris Thielenhaus and Emma Reddy.

"The Power of Prayer" COMMUNITY PRAYER LIST:

Ronnie Hackworth, Cynthia Bennett, Mike McCord, Maureen Scholl, Tommy Partington, William Curran, Kathleen Kruse, Robert Wohlen, Gail Hebert, Andy Walker, William Rock, Ken Curran, Tish O'Callaghan, Rosemarie Dugan, Carman Nelson, Ron Larson, Louise Hall, Ronald Smales, John Schmit, Kathy Jackson, Silas Allen, John Libra, Stefanie Schmitt, Jeremy Greg, Jessica Castaneda, Al Smith, Susan Stella, Jeremy Castaneda, Greg Castaneda, Charlie Ashworth, Shelia Hudson, Michael Kelly, Michael Perri, Sally Wilson, Jerry and Freda Krohn, Michelle Forte, Carrie Hubbard, Margaret Lewis, Beverley Doss, Deborah Miles, Denise Murray, David Samu, Riordan Cavooris, and Jon Rogers.

PLEASE NOTIFY THE OFFICE OF ANY ADDITIONS, OR IF NAMES SHOULD BE REMOVED. Thank you.

May 16, 2021

The Ascension of the Lord St. Victoria Catholic Church

Pastor: Rev. James E. Gallagher, Jr. P.O. Box 640, 305 Victoria Drive Hurt, VA 24563
Phone: 434-324-4824

Readings for May 16, 2021

Acts of the Apostles 1:1-11
Ephesians 1:17-23
Mark 16:15-20
See Your Good News Insert for
This Week's Daily Readings

Readings for May 23, 2021

Acts of the Apostles 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26

1 John 4:11-16 John 17:11b-19

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www.saintvictoria.org

For our on-line Bulletin and for Other Information and Schedules

<u>Visitation of the Sick</u>: Contact Fr. Jim of any needs. Leave your name and phone number. Hospitals no longer notify the clergy.

Mass Continues Under Phase III COVID Restrictions

Monday 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday 10:00 a.m.
Thursday 6:30 p.m.
SATURDAY 2:30 p.m.
Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Marriage: Plan one year ahead. Registration forms are in the office.

Confession: Monday before Mass at 9:30am; and the 1st Sunday of the month after Mass.

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Bookkeeper, Office: Krystina T. Johnson 434-441-0213 E-mail: krystina14@me.com

STEWARDSHIP (FINANCES) May 9, 2021

Sunday & Holy Day Collections

Envelopes \$ 2,240.00 Loose \$ 16.00 One time, Gift \$ 0.00 TOTAL \$ 2,256.00 Our church fiscal year runs from July 2020 to June 2021. *The Annual Budget (needed) for Sunday Collections is \$102,300.00.*

 July 2020 to Mar 2021 Budget
 \$ 76,725.00

 Collected July 2020 to Mar 2021
 \$ 76,591.00

 One Time Gifts*
 \$ 12,662.00

 Year to Date PLUS to Budget
 \$ 12,528.00*

Please note for STV to cover its budget, the weekly collection needs to be at least \$1,968.00 per week.

Thank You!

CHARITY & OUTREACH:

Coordinator: Georgia Stromer

Phone: 434-324-4404

E-mail: Georgia.Stromer@stvictoriacatholic.org

FOOD PANTRY & OUTREACH <u>HOURS</u>: Remains on an "**appointment only**" basis while we continue under COVID-19 restrictions. Parking lot service will be provided on **MONDAY** by prior appointment only. Masks, social distancing, and other precautions will apply. *Contact Georgia Stromer as above.*

MASS INTENTION: Coach Ray Dwyer

Calling all Hats - At the entrance to the church, you'll find a box labelled "K of C". Please toss in any old "baseball type" hats you've had hanging around for way too long. They will be taken to the Veteran's Home in Salem, and will be *joyfully* worn by many! (Len Rogers)

Reminder to Ushers/Greeters

Please see that we keep social distancing (6 ft.) at ALL Masses in the Church and the Hall. Also, please count the number of the people who attend each Mass and turn the number into Fr. Jim. We need this for planning purposes.



Current Food Pantry Needs:

Dried Milk (individual packets)
Hamburger or Tuna Helper
Stuffing
Canned Fruit
Cookies

Thank you for your continuing generosity

NEWS and EVENTS

Welcome Home! Although we gather under new circumstances, closely following restrictions under Phase III; we are so happy to welcome back those who can attend the Mass and receive the Eucharist. For those of you remaining home for your safety or the safety of others, know that we hold you all in our hearts and in prayers and look forward to the day we can all gather together!

Sunday Mass Will Continue Online for St. Victoria and Our Lady of Peace.

You can access our Sunday Mass by going to http://olpcatholicchurch.org/videos.

Adult Formation – Mondays following the 10:00am Mass. A new session with Bishop Robert Barron, "The Sacraments," has just begun. Come and join us.

Bible Study - Wednesday

Join us on Wednesday mornings at 9:00am, in the Parish Hall! All are welcome!

Socially distanced fellowship

We will have fellowship after the 11:00am Mass today, packaged snacks, coffee, soft drinks and water. Tables will be set up outside (weather permitting) so join us after Mass for some much needed fellowship! Masks, disinfectants, and hand sanitizers will be available for use. The donation box will be out to help us defrays the costs, and any donation will be most appreciated.

Three Baptisms – Saturday, May 22nd at 2:30pm

At the Saturday Mass on Pentecost Weekend, we rejoice for that will be the liturgy in which Thalia Contreras, Josue Contreras and Gael Olivarria will all be Baptized. And just when you thought Pentecost couldn't be more exciting!

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS - Foster Fuel (FosterGives) is awarding 100 Student Scholarships during the Foster Fuels' centennial celebration. They are now <u>accepting applications at</u>: FOSTERSCHOLARSHIPS.COM. Deadline is May 31, 2021.



Saint Joseph the Worker Ministry Kudos and Opportunities (Winter/Spring 2021):

<u>Kudos:</u> A special thanks goes out to the following parishioners for their contributions.

Mary Frances Snyder for identifying the manual locking bolt mechanisms in the doors of the Women's and Men's bathrooms in the Parish Hall as a potential safety and security risk; Kathy & Carmen Perri for donating two sets of locking door handles for installation; and Paul O'Callaghan for professionally installing the door handles. A prime example of our parishioners coming together to improve life at Saint Victoria.

John and Thom Reutter for removing the large cedar tree stump that presented a potential safety hazard along the right side of the church's exit driveway. These guys always get it done!

Austin Vinyl Siding - Although not a member of the parish, Chris Austin and his crew have provided timely and professional services to the church over the past several years. Their latest effort has been the replacement of the roof over the Parish Hall and Classroom Annex. Please give Chris a call at 434-473-4298 if you have any siding or roofing work that you need done.

Opportunities: Watch this space for future opportunities to make a contribution to Saint Victoria's parish community by sharing your talent and/or providing a little sweat equity. If you have a project in mind, and know how to do it, we can get it done once it's reviewed and approved by the parish's Finance and Parish Councils. Please contact Tom Harkness (703-203-7929 or trharkness@msn.com) with questions, suggestions, and to share your talents.

