

## WEEKLY READINGS

### MONDAY

Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Ps 50:16Bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22,23; Mt 8:18-22 (377)

### TUESDAY

**Saint Thomas, Apostle Feast**  
Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1BC, 2; Jn 20:24-29 (593)

### WEDNESDAY

**Independence Day**  
Am 5:14-15, 21-24; Ps 50:7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 16BC-17; Mt 8:28-34 (379)

### THURSDAY

**Saint Elizabeth of Portugal**  
Am 7:10-17; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Mt 9:1-8 (380)

### FRIDAY

**Saint Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr**  
Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131; Mt 9:9-13 (381)

### SATURDAY

Am 9:11-15; Ps 85:9AB & 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 9:14-17 (382)

### SUNDAY

#### FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Liturgical Color: Green**  
Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a (101)

## PASTORAL CARE

Send a card, make a call, visit and always pray for our brothers and sisters in faith who are ill, including...

**SICK & HOMEBOUND:** Bernie Angeles, Clarence Banks, Jr., Shirley Bailey, Annie Belardo, Barbara Bryant, Francine Bryant, Marion Bullock, Brenda Cannon, Margaret Church, Matthew Cherry, Virginia Cook, Gloria Coleman, Ashley Womack Dixon, Vincent C. Eason, Jr., Agna Estaris, Etisha Goode, Thado Greene, Martha Jones, William Mann, Antonell McGlone, Harvey Nash, Pauline Nash, Vincent "Bubba" Newby, Wendell Paige, Evelyn Proctor, Dorothy Sharp, Faye Shaw, Linda Trotter, John Ward, Charles Williams, Rosie Woodis



#### **Friends of the Basilica:**

Albert Aquino, Bertha Adams, Sandra Brooks-Green, Ezra Brown (RaVae Goodwyn's Father), Kenneth Balbuena, Jean-Claude Condimine, Lamar Cuffee, Claudia Hawkins, Joseph Jackson, Christine Jordan,

Paul Pruden, Doris Wade, Therace Meehan, Chassidy Moore, Bernadette McClain, Patie Neunz, Lindwood Washington, Jr., Karen Woodbury, Brenda Speller, Philip Ashton

#### **NURSING HOME/REHAB:**

**Rebecca Clark**

**Katherine Morris**, Sentara Assisted Living, #410A

**Norris Phillips**, Georgian Manor, River Walk

**Emily Ponton**, Elizabeth Allen Crump Rehab, Glen Allen, VA, Rm 12B

**Kema Rodgers**, Sentara Rehab Newtown

#### **TO PLACE NAMES ON THE PRAYER LIST:**

Call the Church Office, 757-622-4487

**TO RECEIVE HOLY COMMUNION AT HOME:** Contact Pastoral Care Team

**Tom Bomar**, 757-461-1053 or 757-692-8347

**Cindy Williams**, 757-849-9298

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## A PRAYER FOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

*God our Father, Giver of life,  
we entrust the United States of America to Your loving care.*

*You are the rock on which this nation was founded.  
You alone are the true source of our cherished rights  
to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.*

*Reclaim this land for Your glory and dwell among Your people.  
Send Your Spirit to touch the hearts of our nation's leaders.*

*Open their minds to the great worth of human life  
and the responsibilities that accompany human freedom.  
Remind Your people that true happiness  
is rooted in seeking and doing Your will.*

*Through the intercession of Mary Immaculate, Patroness of our land,  
grant us the courage to reject the "culture of death."  
Lead us into a new millennium of life.  
We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.*

*Prayer source: Archdiocese of Boston*



### **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

#### ***Volunteers are needed***

The Women's Ministry needs Volunteers for  
**Vacation Bible School**

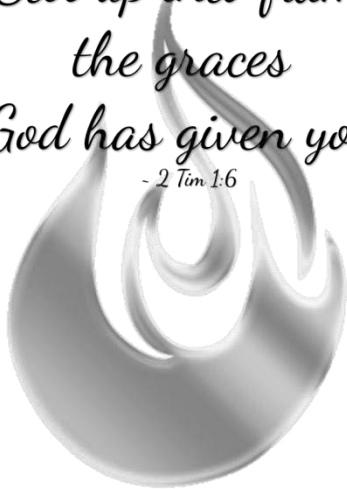
**July 23- July 27, 2018, 6-8 pm**

If you can lend a hand to help our children learn  
about their faith, please contact Ronda Frazier  
@ 757- 574-2289 or Cathy Gooding 757-572-  
8912.

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*Stir up into flame  
the graces  
God has given you!*

- 2 Tim 1:6



## EVANGELIZATION

*Cycle C: The Gospel of Luke  
July 8 and July 13*

The readings from the next liturgical year will come from the Gospel of Luke. Fr. Jim will give an overview of the Gospel of Luke between the Sunday masses. In preparation, you might wish to read or review the Gospel beforehand. The presentation and your review will provide a greater understanding of the gospel's purpose, goal and intended audience.



## NEW COLLEGE STUDENTS RECEPTION

*Hosted by Office for Evangelization*

This summer, the Office for Evangelization will host three regional receptions for students entering college this fall. These receptions are for new students and their parents and will provide them with an opportunity to meet campus

ministry staff and fellow students. The schedule for the Hampton Roads summer reception is:

**Tuesday, July 17, from 6 - 9 p.m.**

**Blessed Sacrament, Norfolk**

The receptions are free of charge and will include dinner for the attendees. Interested students can register at

<http://bit.ly/newstudentreception>

Registration closes Tuesday, July 10.

Questions? Contact Office for Evangelization at [evangelization@richmonddioocese.org](mailto:evangelization@richmonddioocese.org) or 804-622-5159.



## JOB OPENINGS

***St. Pius X Catholic School, Norfolk***

St. Pius X Catholic School is seeking a Virginia licensed Health and Physical Education teacher (Pre-K – 8) to be part of our school community for the 2018-2019 school year. A current Virginia Teacher License with an endorsement in the assigned subject area is required.

**Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and Diocesan Application to:**

Principal, St. Pius X Catholic School, 7800 Halprin Drive, Norfolk, VA 23518 or email materials to: [mzafra@piusxparish.org](mailto:mzafra@piusxparish.org).

St. Pius X Catholic School is also seeking a Virginia licensed Music Teacher (Pre-K – 8). The position is part-time, three days a week. A current Virginia Teacher License with an endorsement in the assigned subject area is required. **Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and Diocesan Application to:**

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## REGISTER TODAY FOR 2<sup>ND</sup> DIOCESAN BLACK CATHOLIC EVANGELIZATION CONFERENCE: "OUR FAITH IN ACTION"



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Are you ready to be inspired, informed and invigorated? Then come and see what the Office for Black Catholics Evangelization Conference can do for you and your ministry.

**Saturday, July 21**  
**Basilica of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception**

This one day event is designed to empower and equip the faithful in all aspects of evangelization; personal and public. It is a follow-up to the National Black Catholic Congress gathering in 2018. Our dynamic speakers will cover topics that include youth and young adult ministry, marriage and family life, adult formation, life and dignity of the human person and spirituality. Bishop Martin D. Holley, keynote speaker and main celebrant.

**Cost: Clergy and Religious-free; General \$50; 55+ \$25; \$60 on site.**

Includes materials and meals. Lodging available at a discounted rate at Norfolk Marriott Waterside. Reservations will be made at time of registration. [www.regonline.com/cdrobcec18](http://www.regonline.com/cdrobcec18). Full list of presenters and workshops will be available shortly. Please contact the Office for Black Catholics for more information, [obc@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:obc@richmonddiocese.org) or (804) 622-5262.