

December 4, 2016
Second Sunday of Advent



Bulletin

ST. BRIDGET
CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rise, let us be on our way

WORSHIP at SAINT BRIDGET

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:30 PM
Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, and
5:00 PM
Nursery: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM year-round
Children's Liturgy of the Word: 9:00 and 11:00 AM

Daily Mass

Monday to Saturday, 8:00 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday, 4:00 PM and by appointment.

Following Jesus' example, Saint Bridget Parish recognizes the inherent value of each member of our community as we travel on our faith journey. Just as Christ did, our parish welcomes and supports one another in love as we share our talents and resources with those in need.

Believe: Inspire, Educate, Serve

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

We welcome you to join our Parish Family. Please join us for *Second Sundays*. The second Sunday of each month we will be hosting a new member orientation in the Parish Center Meeting Room after the 9:00 AM Mass. The next **Second Sunday is Sunday, December 11, 2016**

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Catholic faith inquiries and those seeking to join the Catholic Church are welcome! Contact RCIA Coordinator Deacon Pat White, deaconpat317@gmail.com.

INFANT BAPTISM

Parents attend a preparation session prior to scheduling a baptism. Contact Julie Koury, Pastoral Assistant, julie@saintbridgetchurch.org, 525.7890.

OUTREACH SUNDAY

On the third Sunday of the month, baskets are placed at the exits of the Church for food and money donations.

MARRIAGE

Couples should contact the Wedding Coordinator, Pat Morrison, akmpm@juno.com, 741.6620 at least six months prior to scheduling a wedding.

VISITING THE SICK

Contact Paul Amrhein, Director of Human Concerns and Pastoral Care, paul@saintbridgetchurch.org, 525.7902 Regarding Communion and/or Anointing of the Sick.

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Please Remember Our Parish Family When Considering A Year-end Gift. Thank you! Your generosity has been a blessing to Saint Bridget Church throughout this past year allowing us to help our church family and spread God's Word throughout the world. As you begin year-end tax planning, take advantage of the charitable tax deduction for gifts made before December 31 and consider the variety of gift options available to you. Your gift to our parish can make a great difference to us and help you as well. E-Giving is a convenient way to make your gift to our parish. Click on the E-Giving link found our website at saintbridgetchurch.org to make a secure contribution. As always, work closely with your tax and legal advisors to determine how any particular strategy will affect your overall tax situation. Please contact Kimberly Lapkin at the Parish Office 804-525-7888 to advise the parish of your gift of stock so that it will qualify as a donation in 2016. When making a cash donation, please prepare your check and mail it so that your envelope is postmarked or received by the Church Office by December 31 to qualify as a gift in the year 2016. Contributions received in the offertory plate at Masses on January 1st will be treated as 2017 gifts. **Thank you for financially supporting the many ministries of Saint Bridget parish!**

Future Altar Servers of Saint Bridget – Mark your Calendars! If you are a Saint Bridget parishioner in the 5th grade or above and would like to become a member of our outstanding group of altar servers, mark your calendar with the following training dates:

Friday, January 13, 2017.....3:45 - 5:45
 Friday, January 20, 2017.....3:45 - 5:45
 Saturday, January 28, 2017.....1:00 - 3:00
 Friday, February 3, 2017.....3:45 - 5:45
 Sunday, February 5, 2017.....12:30 - 2:30

Snow make-up dates.

Saturday, February 11, 2017.....1:00 - 3:00
 Friday, February 17, 2017.....3:45 - 5:45

If interested you must attend **ANY 3 COMPLETE SESSIONS**— (no late arrivals or dismissals) of your choice from the above dates. Tack on 1/2 hour to your 3rd session for evaluation.

Commissioning: Sunday, February 19, 2017 at the 9:00 a.m. Mass

Please note. If there is ONE snow day there will be ONE make-up date. The second snow make-up date will go into effect ONLY if there is a second snow day.

Questions? There will be parent/child information sessions to address training, scheduling, commitment, and more on December 11th and January 8th from 10am to 11am in the Murphy Room or call Denise McMenamin 740-2744.

Christmas Sharing - Individuals and students are still in need of help this Christmas. Pickup Cards at the Parish Office or by contacting Dan Harms at SBVAYouth@gmail.com. Gifts are due back by 10am on December 10th. Thank you for your generosity!

Advent & Christmas Schedule

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Events & Liturgies

Regular Schedule Throughout Advent and Christmas

Daily Mass Monday - Saturday, 8:00am
 Confessions Saturdays, 4:00 until 5:00pm

Feast of the Immaculate Conception Masses

December 7 5:30pm
 December 8 7:00am, 9:00am, Noon, 5:30pm

Extra Confessions

December 14 & 20, 5:30 until 7:00pm
 December 24 4:00 to 5:00pm

Christmas Eve Mass

6:00pm: Church & Mother Presentation Hall
 8:00pm: Church
 10:30pm Church

Christmas Morning Mass

7:30am, 9:00am and 11:00am

There is no 5:00pm Mass on Christmas Day

New Year's Day Mass remains the same as our regular Mass Schedule

5:30pm: Saturday
 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am, and 5:00pm: Sunday

Adoration: December 4th Dinner and Adoration - 7:00p.m. until 8 p.m. All are invited to join in a casual dinner and Adoration with Celebrant Fr. George Prado! Please respond so we will have enough dinner for everyone. Contact Dan Harms at 525-7901 or sbvayouth@gmail.com.

Nursery volunteers are needed for Christmas Day and New Year's Day. Some of our regular Nursery staff will be celebrating with their families and we would like to keep the Nursery open as usual on these two holidays. If you are VIRTUS trained, would you please consider volunteering? A Sign Up has been created on our website. Please click on **Volunteer** on the homepage to sign up.

Saints & Sinners Christmas Luncheon and Christmas Music - Thursday, December 8th, 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm. We will hold our traditional Christmas luncheon (wear your green and red!). The luncheon will follow the Holy Day of the Immaculate Conception Mass at noon. Dan Harms, our Director of Youth Ministry will entertain us and lead us in some Christmas carols and songs! Our Kindergarten school children will help us sing! Attendees are invited to bring their favorite homemade Christmas cookies or baked item. (Church Commons).

Please join us on any Saturday morning for 8:00 am Mass followed by the Holy Rosary. Each decade is announced ahead of time, and then after that anyone is free to lead the Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be. The Good Lord and Blessed Mother will be listening!

Please extend your congratulations to Bruce Slough, Augie Keller, Jim Ryan, Bart Leahey and Jose Alcaine who have exemplified to the Fourth Degree on Saturday November 5, 2016.



Our new Sir Knights were among 173 Virginia 3rd Degree Knights that advanced to the Patriot Degree into Full Knighthood.

Our Supreme Knight proclaimed that the Knights of Columbus are all Catholic American Citizens.

This Patriot degree of the Knight's Order strengthens their fraternal causes dedicated to love of Country, love of Church and love of Family.

Alpha News - Alpha Informational Evening: Please join us for a **Christmas Gathering** on **Sunday, December 11th at 5:00pm** at **Nina & Broadie Newton's Home at 112 Thomashire Ct. Richmond, 23229**. We will be having Appetizers, Dessert, and Refreshments. We will show an Alpha Video and answer any questions you might have about the Alpha program. **To RSVP or for more information on anything, please contact Michael Siewers at Michael@Siewers.com or 804-839-0372.**

What is Alpha? Alpha is a 10-week course that meets once a week and focuses on your relationship with Jesus and the Holy Spirit. We meet for dinner, watch a video and have small group discussions. Hundreds of St. Bridget's parishioners have been through the program with great success! It is a great way to meet other parishioners or find a smaller faith group! Alpha will be held at 6:00 PM on Thursday evenings starting in January. Come to the Gathering on 12/11/16 to find out more about this wonderful program!!!

Volunteer Opportunities and Sign-up Genius

Want to help here at Saint Bridget but not sure where to start? Go to www.saintbridgetchurch.org/volunteer, there we have Sign-up Genius with many on-going opportunities to help here at the parish. From helping with coffee and donuts to Youth Ministry Service projects you can find a way to help! Also there are **additional ministries opportunities under Human Concerns** - for example if you want to volunteer for Coal Pit, Blackwell or Funeral Ministry click on Human Concerns. Need help signing up? Just email: volunteercoordinator@saintbridgetchurch.org

Consider supporting our **Saint Bridget Cub Scouts** on their adventures by ordering delicious popcorn at www.trails-end.com/Support/Scout/152C00G6. The decorative tins you missed last year are back and popcorn is delivered right to your home.

Dedication for The Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Haas Memorial Children's Liturgy of the Word Library - Please join Cathy, a long time religious education teacher and Children's Liturgy of the Word volunteer, and Jay Haas, and the parent volunteers from the Children's Liturgy of the Word, at 11:00 on December 11th for the dedication of the Betsy Haas Memorial Library. Betsy was 9 years old when she passed away in July, and was a joyful member of our Children's Liturgy. Monsignor Carr will lead us in a prayer as he blesses a new Book of the Gospels and we dedicate a library of books for use in the weekly Children's Liturgy of the Word. The books have been specifically chosen in Betsy's memory and we welcome you to come and share this time with the Haas family. There will be a reception in the Church Hall following the dedication Mass.

And the Word Became Flesh - An Advent Mission with International Speaker & Musician Bob Rice - Sunday, December 18th - Tuesday, December 20th 7-8:30pm FREE! Has this season of hope only managed to leave you **stressed and overwhelmed?** You and your family are invited to join us December 18th-20th at St. Michael Catholic Church (4491 Springfield Rd., Glen Allen) for three nights of inspiring message, music, and worship led by international speaker and musician Bob Rice, as he comes to the Richmond area! More importantly, you're invited to **take time out and relax**, while experiencing the overwhelming presence of God in these late Advent days and in our daily lives. Each of the three mission evenings take place from 7-8:30pm. It's a beautiful Advent challenge for you and your family, as we all seek to remind ourselves of the true meaning of this season and our call to a deeper holiness. There is **NO COST** to attend this series. For more details and information about the mission and about Bob Rice, visit www.saintmikes.org/AdventMission It's a great mission for the whole family— we hope you'll join us!

St. Bridget Parish 2017 Annual Financial Stewardship Appeal is underway, and many parishioners are increasing their pledge of support to our church! **We have received 450 pledges totaling \$1,003,000!**

Thank you for this generous response to God's call to stewardship! Your compassionate spirit of giving will continue to enable St. Bridget parish to fulfill the mission of our Catholic faith tradition. Complete and return your pledge card in the mail or collection basket. Or, you may submit your online pledge form through www.saintbridgetchurch.org/pledge. You can set your E-Giving account to make your contribution automatically each week or use weekly offertory envelopes to fulfill your pledged contribution at Mass each week. Thank you for sharing your many gifts of time, talent, and treasure!

The **"Simbang Gabi"** is a long treasured Philippine tradition originally a series of "Dawn Masses" for nine consecutive days before Christmas Day. Its liturgical significance emanates from the Season of Advent, being the time of spiritual preparation and purification to worthily welcome and receive the Child Jesus in our midst. The Mass at Dawn, Simbang Gabi, is a nine-day novena to the Blessed Mother. It starts every December 16th and is one of the longest and most important religious celebrations in the Philippines that has lasted over 600 years. For more information please contact asianministry@richmonddiocese.org or www.richmonddiocese.org/oam

Contact Us!

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Mass Intentions & Readings for the week of December 4, 2016**Mass Readings**

Saturday, December 3: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/Ps 80/
Mt 17:9a, 10-13

Sunday, December 4: Is 35:1-6a, 10/Ps 146/Jas
5:7-10/Mt 11:2-11

Monday, December 5: Is 35:1-10/Ps 85/Lk 5:17-26

Tuesday, December 6: Is 40:1-11/Ps 96/Mt 18:12
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Wednesday, December 7: Is 40:25-31/Ps 103/Mt
11:28-30

Thursday, December 8: Gn 3:9-15, 20/Ps 98/
Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38

Friday, December 9: Is 48:17-19/Ps 1/Mt 11:16-19

Saturday, December 10: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/Ps 80/
Mt 17:9a, 10-13

Next Sunday, December 11: Is 35:1-6a, 10/Ps
146/Jas 5:7-10/Mt 11:2-11

Mass Intentions

8:00 am: Linda Zanzola
5:30 pm: Jim and Mollie Woodrow

7:30 am: John Faulhaber
9:00 am: Beverly Vaughn Flanagan
11:00 am: John Craig Anderson
5:00 pm: Ella Worley

8:00 am: Beverly Vaughn Flanagan

8:00 am: Elizabeth Doyle Ross

8:00 am: Margaret McCarthy
5:30 pm: Thomas Flaherty

7:00 am: John Fauhaber; 9:00 am:
Mary Beatty; 5:30 pm: James Gannon

8:00 am: Lewis Edward Charles

8:00 am: Elliott Bunyon Black, Jr.
5:30 pm: Bill and Mary Nienaber

7:30 am: Sam Norris
9:00 am: Jim and May Cox
11:00 am: Arthur J. Shaheen
5:00 pm: Margaret Shaia

Please Pray for the Sick, Infirm and Those in Need**Communion to the Sick**

Please notify the parish office (804.282.9511) when a parishioner is ill. Arrangements will be made for home or hospital visitation.

Our Parishioners

Linda Christian, Kathleen Maxey, Robert M. Conlin, Charlotte Conlin, Megan Crawford, John Calvin Barnard, Cornelius McLaughlin, Margaret Connelly, Enos King, Marcy Dillon, Theresa Ripley, Linwood Sykes, Jack Binns, Kathleen Ross, Parke Scarborough, Ronnie Crawford, Valerie Jennison, Mary Hogan, Evelyn Whitlock, Noelle Loving, Bob Rice, Emily Condin, Dr. Maurice Mullins, Dorothy Mullen, and those facing long term illness and disability.

Friends and Relatives of Parishioners

James Faulkner, John Vickers, Steve York, Marion Caridi, Bill Meriwether, Dennis Beeman, Marjorie and Richard Falardeau, Becca Thorsen, Ron Cotton, Beau and Suki Simpson, Bob Bailey, Martha Jo Lowe, Joan Solari Ross, Marion Caridi, Kevin Dowling, George Kelly, Mary Beatty, Danny Doian, Jim Mundell, Pat Noble, Mark Schessel, Jeff Stivers, Carolyn Anderson, William "Bo" Copes, Joe Lynch, Michael Ralphs, and Jim Canty.

Prayers for the sick – If you are on the sick list and have not heard from anyone in the parish for a while please call us to let us know how you are doing. To keep the sick list to a manageable size after a year we will call you to see if you want to stay on the list and remove you from the list, if we do not hear back from you. Non-parishioners will be removed from our list after a maximum of six months – again to keep the list a manageable size. We pray for each other all the time; sick or not. Being on this list encourages your fellow parishioners to check up on you when you are ill.

Those who passed to eternal life & their family and friends who mourn

Patricia Irving

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Human Concerns Announcements

Do you know someone with a prolonged illness? Perhaps you have a member of your family who is in a long term care facility or homebound. Please let us know if they would like a Be-Friender Minister and/or someone to bring them communion. Our faith calls us to love one another. We have ministers ready to bring the care and concern of our faith community to your loved one. Call Paul Amrhein at 525-7902 or paul@saintbridgetchurch.org

Fair Trade Coffee , Tea and Chocolate Sales. The weekend of December 17/18 we will be offering an assortment of coffee, tea, hot cocoa, and chocolate bars just in time for your Holiday get-togethers. We have great chocolate bars, three kinds of hot chocolates and Java Drops are back. Both the St. Bridget coffee and Singing Rooster we are selling are in beautiful bags with a fresh seal that will keep that fresh roast taste longer. Stop by in the commons after Mass to see the wide assortment being offered. Your purchase helps to provide assistance to community members seeking our financial assistance while helping the farmers in third world countries make a better living. We sell for less and the coffee, tea and chocolate are fantastic. Your help would be appreciated selling after Masses. If you are interested in volunteering 15 minutes of your time once a month contact Paul Amrhein paul@saintbridgetchurch.org or 525-7902.

Help Haiti Rebuild From the aftermath of Hurricane Matthew: Many of the coffee plants in Haiti were wiped out in the hurricane and those that remain much of the crop was lost. You can help them rebuild by buying Singing Rooster Coffee at our fair trade coffee sales. The Singing Rooster cooperative is in the process of raising money to build a coffee nursery to rebuild the industry in Haiti.

Little Sisters of the Poor – Sugar Drive: The Little Sisters of the Poor who run St. Joseph's Home for the aged are always looking for creative ways to raise the funds they need to care for the elderly entrusted to their care. St. Bridget will host a sugar drive to help them out. Please bring your sugar in the weekend of December 17/18 and leave it in the corner where we collect food for Catholic Charities. With the Holiday season here they can use a lot of sugar to bake some cookies and cakes to keep their cares in good cheer.

St. Bridget Partnering With Habitat & Other Area Congregations – Save the date. Construction is nearing completion **and we need your help.** No experience is necessary but you need to be at least 16 to be on site and 18 to use power tools. It is a lot of fun and a good cause. Let me know if you want to volunteer – Paul Amrhein paul@saintbridgetchurch.org or 525-7902.
Trim Date: Sat, Jan. 7th

Earn Kroger Community Rewards for our St. Bridget Catholic Church Human Concerns and Social Ministry programs! Register your Kroger Plus Card at <https://www.kroger.com/communityrewards> and then just scan your Kroger Plus Card when you shop. Kroger will donate a percentage of your purchase each quarter to our St. Bridget Catholic Church for rewards earned for our Human Concerns and Social Ministry programs. This will not affect your gas points or personal discounts. You may also choose St. Bridget School to earn Kroger Rewards for instructional and electronic equipment for our school classrooms. Go to the Kroger website and follow the easy directions. You will need your Kroger Plus card handy. Just type in St. Bridget Catholic Church or use our Organization Number: 81762. Once signed in you can enroll or update your Community Rewards under your Account Settings. If you do not have internet access to enroll, call Kimberly Lapkin at 804-525-7888 for assistance. Be sure to enroll today! Thank you for supporting our Human Concerns and Social Ministry programs!

Food Collection for Catholic Charities –December 17/18 will be the Christmas food collection. Let's put a dent in that hunger in our community. As usual the Knights of Columbus will be handing out empty grocery bags after all masses the weekend of December 11th. Take an empty bag home and return it the next weekend. Thank you for your continuing support of this ministry.

Youth Ministry Announcements

Mass, Dinner, and Adoration- December 4th - 5pm Mass, 6pm Dinner & Large Group talk in Cafeteria. 7pm Adoration in Church. - Open to all - Confirmation Teens expected.

Diocesan Youth Conference
1000+ Catholic Teens take over Downtown Marriott Feb 10-12
Registration due by December 13th.

Saint Bridget Confirmation Retreat
is January 14th and 15th in Jamestown!

Visit www.saintbridgetchurch.com/youth for more info!

CHWC Peanut Sales - Help support our teens and adults participating in Catholic Heart Work Camp in the summer of 2017 and enjoy some delicious Virginia Diner Peanuts. Campers will be selling peanuts after all Masses on December 3-4 and 10-11. For more information contact Steve Lang at 741-1327.

CHWC Spaghetti Dinner - Save the Date - The 13th Annual Spaghetti Dinner will be held on January 28th, 2017. Gluten free options available. Tickets on sale on line and after Masses beginning January 7th.

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Calendar of events for the week of December 4, 2016**SATURDAY, 12.3**

Second Collection - Needy of This Area

6:30 AM: Men's Ministry - PCMR

8:00 AM: Daily Mass—Church

8:30 AM: Advent Retreat - Church Hall

8:30 AM: Rosary Following Daily Mass—Church

5:30 PM: Mass - Church

5:30 PM: Rite of Full Communion (RCIA)

SUNDAY, 12.4

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 5:00 PM: Mass - Church

Second Collection - Needy of This Area

9:00 AM: Children's Liturgy - Church Hall

11:00 AM: Children's Liturgy - Church Hall

12:30 PM: Religious Ed - Pre-K-5th Grade - School Classrooms

11:00 AM: Coffee and Doughnuts - Commons

1:00 PM: Private Baptism - Church

2:45 PM: Youth Choir/Band Rehearsal - Church

4:15 PM: Brownie Troop #73 - Church Hall

MONDAY, 12.5

8:00 AM: Daily Mass - Church

8:00 AM: Cristo Rey - PCMR

9:00 AM: Monday Morning Bible Study - Church Hall

6:30 PM: Knights of Columbus - Rectory Basement

TUESDAY, 12.6

Christmas Sharing Early Drop Off - PCMR

8:00 AM: Daily Mass - Church

9:00 AM: Freedom House Cooking - Kitchen

3:30 PM: Parish Boy Choir Rehearsal - Church Hall

6:00 PM: Gospel of Mark Study - Small Nursery

6:30 PM: SBMoMs - Saint Bridget Moms Ministry - Church Hall

WEDNESDAY, 12.7

Christmas Sharing Early Drop Off - PCMR

8:00 AM: Daily Mass - Church

9:00 AM: Women's Ministry Bible Study - Church Hall

1:45 PM: Girl Scout Troop #5158 - Church Hall

4:30 PM: Religious ED—Pre-K thru 5th Grade - School Classrooms

5:30 PM: Immaculate Conception Vigil Mass - Church

6:30 PM: Cantor Rehearsal - Church Hall

7:00 PM: Parish Adult Choir Rehearsal - Church Hall

THURSDAY, 12.8

Christmas Sharing Early Drop Off - PCMR

7:00 AM: Immaculate Conception Mass - Church

8:30 AM: Mother Presentation Rosary Guild - PCMR

9:00 AM: Thursday Morning Bible Study - Church Hall

9:00 AM: Immaculate Conception Mass School - Church

11:30 AM: Saints and Sinners Christmas Luncheon - Church Hall

12:00 PM: Immaculate Conception Mass - Church

3:30 PM: Parish Girl Choir Rehearsal - Church Hall

4:00 PM: Liberation Family Services - Kitchen

5:30 PM: Immaculate Conception Mass - Church

6:30 PM: Irish Lessons - Large Nursery

7:00 PM: Thursday Evening Bible Study - Church Hall

FRIDAY, 12.9

Christmas Sharing Early Drop Off - PCMR

8:00 AM: Daily Mass—Church

8:30 AM: Divine Mercy Cenacle Group - PCMR

10:00 AM: Parish Playgroup - PCMR

6:00 PM: Wedding Rehearsal - Church

SATURDAY, 12.10

Second Collection - Haiti

7:00 AM: Men's Catholic Studies - Church Hall

8:00 AM: Daily Mass—Church

8:30 AM: Rosary Following Daily Mass—Church

8:30 AM: Respect Life - MCR

2:00 PM: Wedding - Church

5:30 PM: Mass - Church

SUNDAY, 12.11

Second Collection - Haiti

Coffee and Doughnuts - Commons

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 5:00 PM: Mass - Church

9:00 AM: Children's Liturgy - Church Hall

10:00 AM: New Parishioner Orientation - PCMR

10:00 AM: Altar Server Informational Meeting - MCR

11:00 AM: Children's Liturgy - Church Hall

12:30 PM: Religious Ed—Pre-K Thru 5th Grade - School Classrooms

1:00 PM: Baptism - Church

1:00 PM: Brownie Troop Carol Practice - Church Hall

2:45 PM: Youth Choir/Band Rehearsal - Church

Room Abbreviations: PCMR=Parish Commons Meeting Room, MCR=Murphy Conference Room