

"To know, to love, and to serve God"



April 5, 2020: Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

MASS SCHEDULE*

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm & 7:00 pm (Vietnamese)
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:45 am & 5:00 pm;
 2:00 pm & 7:00 pm (both Vietnamese)

Monday-Friday (weekdays): 8:30 am & 12:15 pm
Wednesday & First Friday: 7:30 pm
Friday (except 1st Friday): 7:00 pm (Vietnamese)
Saturday: 8:30 am

HOLY HOUR SCHEDULE*

Wednesday: 7:00 pm (includes Exposition, Holy Rosary, Benediction & Mass)

CONFESSION SCHEDULE*

Monday & Friday: 11:30 am—Noon
Wednesday: 6:30 pm—7:30 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am—10:00 am & 3:30 pm—4:30 pm
First Friday: After the 8:30 am Mass & 6:30 pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Monday: 9:00 am—**Saturday:** 8:00 am

* Please listen to pulpit announcements & parish office recordings, and consult current bulletin & website homepage for schedule changes.

** Call Adoration Chapel Hotline for up-to-date information on Chapel schedule: 703-773-2033.

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION



Marriage: Congratulations on your engagement. Please contact the parish office at least six months prior to the wedding date. It is best for us to hear from you as soon as you become engaged to set up your initial appointment.



Baptisms: We welcome your new child. Generally, baptisms take place at 12:15 pm the first and third Sunday of each month, with some flexibility based on circumstances. Baptism preparation instruction is required for first-time parents or parents who have not previously attended a class. Please call the parish office to begin the process of scheduling the baptism.



Holy Communion & Anointing of the Sick: God bless you. If you or someone you know would like to receive Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick at Fair Oaks Hospital, Sunrise Assisted Living at Fair Oaks, Dulles Health & Rehabilitation Center, Harmony at Chantilly, Arbor Terrace Fairfax in Chantilly, or at home, please call the parish office to arrange a visit.



Parish Registration: Welcome. To register as a parishioner of St. Veronica, please pick up a registration form in one of the church vestibules or in the parish office. Upon completion, you may drop the form in the Sunday collection basket, or mail it. If you are moving out of the parish or have a change of address, please let the parish office know.



Initiation of Adults & Children: The RCIA process leads adults into full communion with the Catholic Church. Please call the parish office or email RCIA@stveronica.net for details.


PARISH OFFICE
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MASS INTENTIONS

First Saturday, April 4: Saint Isidore of Seville

- * Ronald C. Hall +
- * The Poor Souls in Purgatory ++

Sunday, April 5: Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

- * Karen Munger
- * The People of St. Veronica
- * Leticia Hidalgo + and Simeon Antonio Hidalgo ++
- * Jean Pursel Lindsay +

Monday, April 6: Monday of Holy Week

- * Joseph Michael Begley +
- * Joseph Reckert +

Tuesday, April 7: Tuesday of Holy Week

- * Jonathan Earley
- * Ellen Wray

Wednesday, April 8: Wednesday of Holy Week

- * Isadore Caputo +
- * Father Richard Dyer
- * Father Richard Dyer

Thursday, April 9: Thursday of Holy Week (Holy Thursday)

- * The Intention of the Celebrant

Friday, April 10: Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday)

Saturday, April 11: Holy Saturday; The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

- * The Intention of the Celebrant

Sunday, April 12: Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

- * Tyler and Justin Munger
- * Brendan William Maloney +
- * The People of St. Veronica
- * Joseph Wray

WEEK AT A GLANCE

By order of Bishop Burbidge, all public activities at St. Veronica parish, except scheduled Confessions, are suspended until further notice. Private Masses for the scheduled intentions will continue to be offered.

However, the church remains open for Adoration of the Holy Eucharist until 6:00 pm on Holy Thursday, April 9th, which will recommence at 3:00 pm on Easter Sunday, April 12th. See pages 4 and 8 of this bulletin for Adoration reservation information and the complete Holy Week Schedule.

Limit of ten people in the church at a time, 6 feet apart.

*Pray the Rosary Daily
Pray the Rosary Every Day*

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WORSHIP

FROM GREEN TO GOLD—APRIL 5, 2020

For the simple reason of keeping with the sports theme often reflected in this column, opening day for the Washington Nationals would have been this past Thursday. As we all know, however, we find ourselves living in a “new” world, a world in which the greatest concern now is the COVID-19 virus. It certainly is not baseball or college and professional basketball or hockey. This virus continues to cause all kinds of disruptions (or worse). As we also know there, quite sadly, continues to be no public Masses. That is particularly an issue this week—Holy Week! This should be the holiest of all weeks of the year. Today is Palm Sunday with the reading of the Passion of Christ and the blessing and distribution of palms. As we have done the past two weeks Mass will be live streamed (at 9:00 and 10:45 am) and recorded. We will bless palms, but we can’t distribute them to you until all of this ends. We will do our best to keep them fresh for that moment. We will continue to offer the scheduled Masses, specifically Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of this week, but as is the new norm, privately. Then on Holy Thursday, there is a change. Bishop Burbidge will NOT be offering the Chrism Mass that morning as he had intended, rather it will be rescheduled. That evening here at St. Veronica’s we will have our Mass of the Last Supper at 7:30 pm. It will be private, live streamed, and recorded but will not include the optional washing of feet or the Eucharistic procession. We will be able to pray before the Blessed Sacrament in the tabernacle in the parish hall until about 10:00 pm or whenever the Vietnamese Mass of the Holy Supper concludes. Then Our Eucharistic Lord will be moved to the church tabernacle. The church will be open until midnight, then as usual Jesus is reserved in a separate, non-public location. We will be hearing confessions on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Good Friday (see listing in this bulletin).

On Good Friday we will have the Liturgy of the Passion of Our Lord. This too will be private, live streamed, and recorded. That evening, we will also have live streamed (private and recorded) Stations of the Cross at 7:00 pm, after which the church will reopen for private prayer and veneration of the Cross until 9:00 pm. It will open again for veneration of the Cross on Holy Saturday at 9:00 am until an hour before the Easter Vigil at 8:30 pm, which will also be private, live streamed, and recorded. There will be no baptisms, professions of Faith, or Confirmations. We will live stream and record the 9:00 and 10:45 am Masses on Easter Sunday. Again, they are private. After the Vietnamese Easter Mass the church will reopen for Adoration of Our Lord and private prayer, which should be about 3:00 pm.

All of the above really is far from ideal. In fact it is devastating, particularly this week and as we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ. This time of year is so central to our spiritual lives. It sums up what we are all about. To be deprived of this is heart-breaking. I know some of you are very disappointed if not downright angry, understandably. There is nothing Fr. Dyer or I can do about this. We are more than willing to talk to you. We are praying for you, realizing this is devastating to us as well. This is not what we ever expected when we were ordained. It is sad, which is why we have to together pray for an end to this pandemic—soon, God willing! We can also implore the intercession of the saints.

Last week here I spoke about Our Lady of Monte Berico. This week before concluding I want to talk a bit about St. Corona. She is connected to St. Victor. Neither of them are on our current church calendar because our information about them is now mostly considered to be a legend, rather than absolute fact, which doesn’t mean it isn’t factual, just that primarily we don’t have definite evidence. The story is that Victor was a Roman Christian soldier who was tortured because of his faith. While this was occurring Corona, the wife of another soldier, although some sources claim that Victor and Corona were husband and wife, tried to comfort and encourage him. For this she was arrested, tortured, and also martyred. All of this occurred about 160 AD in Damascus, Syria. St. Corona is usually connected with money, but it is also said that she was the patron saint of epidemics. Whether or not that is true and especially with all the effects on the economy this virus has caused, it seems to be wise to call on her intercession. There is a church in northern Italy dedicated to Saints Victor and Corona, right in the midst of one of the pandemic hot spots, where some claim her relics are located. Others say her relics are housed in the cathedral in Aachen, Germany. St. Corona, pray for us. ~ *In Christ, Fr. Kleinmann*

FROM THE PARISH OFFICE

CHANGES TO ADORATION AND CHURCH ACCESS DURING HOLY WEEK

We are blessed to have perpetual Eucharistic Adoration at St. Veronica. Please note the adjustment of Adoration hours and church access during Holy Week:

- * The Blessed Sacrament will be reposed to the tabernacle at 6:00 pm on **Thursday, April 9th**. At that time, the church will close in preparation for the live streaming of the Mass of the Lord's Supper from St. Veronica church. Regrettably, except for scheduled confession and veneration times, the church will not be opened to the faithful during the Easter Triduum.
- * See the complete Holy Week schedule on page 8.
- * Eucharistic Adoration will recommence with Exposition at 3:00 pm on **Easter Sunday, April 12th**.

To make sure that we have at least one committed adorer every hour to be with our Eucharistic Lord, please go to our Sign up Genius: <https://tinyurl.com/rreele9>. Kindly sit in an empty pew and maintain 6 feet away from the nearest adorer. Hand sanitizer is available in the south vestibule. Feel free to bring your own antibacterial wipes. Be sure to sign in at the table near the confessionals. Look for the free resource, "How to Make a Holy Hour." If you sign up for an hour between 9:00 pm and 8:00 am, contact 301-728-7855 for the security code.

REDISCOVER JESUS: TIMELY GIFT FROM ST. V TO PARISHIONERS & GUESTS

At a time when so many are fearful and spiritually disillusioned, bestselling author, Matthew Kelly's classic book, *Rediscover Jesus*, delivers a powerful anecdote. Each page invites us to seek deeply personal answers to deeply personal questions, and provides the wisdom and practical insight to help us rediscover the beautiful possibilities God places before us daily, regardless of the circumstances. Pick up a copy in the south vestibule while supplies last.

IMPORTANT CAR RAFFLE UPDATE

There are less than 3 weeks left until the 5 Car Raffle. Please offer your support by purchasing your tickets. Watch the All Saints' website postings of the winners on April 25th to join the excitement as tickets are drawn "virtually." Many thanks for your support! Mail your ticket stubs and payment to "All Saints Church" using the

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

Piero's Corner Ristorante Italiano

"25% Off Any Pizza Sundays and In-House Only"

Please see their ad in our bulletin, and support all those who make this bulletin possible. We are grateful for their support of our parish.

addressed envelope provided. For extra tickets, contact Spencer Rainey at sjrainey@verizon.net.

PARISH OFFICE SCHEDULE

The parish office will be open, with limited staff, through **Holy Thursday, April 9th**. The office will be closed **Good Friday, April 10th**, reopening at 9:00 am on Easter Tuesday, April 14th. During regular business hours, we encourage contact through phone calls, 703-773-2000, and emails, info@stveronica.net.

ASSISTANCE FOR THOSE IN NEED

During this trying time, if you are in need of assistance, please email the parish office, info@stveronica.net, so that we can help or direct you to other resources.

CONTRIBUTING TO ST. VERONICA

Thank you to all who have been mailing or dropping off their envelopes. Your donations help Father Kleinmann and Father Dyer continue the mission of St. Veronica.

For your safety and that of our parish staff, and in keeping with the distancing directives, parishioners who currently give with envelopes should mail their donations to the parish office, 3460 Centreville Road, Chantilly, VA, 20151, or place them in the Poor Box in the north vestibule. Please place larger envelopes in the votive candle box if they will not fit in the Poor Box slot. Be certain that your name and the designation for your contribution is on the envelope. If you know your parish envelope number, please include this also. Please do not give the envelopes to the priests or another staff member.

Faith Direct is available for one-time or ongoing contributions to the parish. If you use your bank account, and not credit/debit card, there is no fee to the parish. If you use a credit card, we ask that you consider adding the processing fee option to alleviate some of the cost to the parish. Go to www.faithdirect.net, and use church code VA92. If you have any questions, please email Michele Sharon at msharon@stveronica.net.

CORNERSTONE

Sunday Offertory

Weekend of 3/29/2020	\$ 6,157
Faith Direct 1 of 5 Weeks/March (projected)*	\$ 12,468.89

Monthly Mortgage

Weekend of 3/29/2020	\$ 4,515.00
Faith Direct 1 of 5 Weeks/March (projected)*	\$ 3,945.48

Special Collections

Mother Teresa/Poor Box 3/29/2020	\$ 62.00
Faith Direct/March	\$ 1,435.00

401 Families Donating through Faith Direct

Thank you, and may God bless you for your continued support and generosity.

As of 2/29/2020

Principal paid to date	\$ 3,476,906.60
Mortgage balance	\$ 4,937,693.57
Monthly payment	\$ 38,968.67

*Contributions via Faith Direct are deposited in the parish bank account once a month. The total deposit designated for Sunday Offertory and Monthly Mortgage has been divided by the number of Sundays for that month and added to the weekly totals.

EDUCATION, CATECHESIS, AND EVANGELIZATION

STAY IN TOUCH WITH YOUR FAITH

Summary of Readings for Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7

In a tone of quiet sadness, Isaiah describes the buffets and insults given to the Suffering Servant. The passage ends on a note of hope.

Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11

In exultant tones, Paul tells the Philippians to rejoice because Christ became man, died on the cross, rose from the dead, and sits triumphantly at the right hand of the Father.

Gospel: Matthew 26:14—27:66

This is the solemn narrative of the passion and death of our Lord Jesus Christ. Matthew recounts the treachery and betrayal of Judas and then describes the events of the Last Supper, culminating in the institution of the Eucharist. Jesus endures the Agony in the Garden; he is then brought before Caiaphas and Pilate and condemned to death. After His resurrection, the centurions shouted, “Clearly this was the Son of God!”

Televised and Live-Streamed Sunday and Daily Masses

Father Kleinmann’s 9:00 am and Father Dyer’s 10:45 am **Palm Sunday Masses** on **April 5th** can be viewed on our YouTube channel, which can be accessed from the home page of our website. (Please be sure to subscribe to the channel.) Our priests’ **Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday Masses** will also be live streamed. See the complete schedule on page 8.

Bishop Burbidge will live stream Holy Week liturgies at arlingtondiocese.org.

The Arlington Diocese co-sponsors a televised Sunday Mass with the Archdiocese of Washington at the Basilica Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, available at 10:30 am on Sundays on two local TV stations as well as online. Go to <https://tinyurl.com/sdln7bn> for more information or to view the Mass.

Eternal Word Television Network broadcasts Mass each day, including Sunday, at 8:00 am, 12:00 noon, 7:00 pm, and midnight. The network also carries a variety of spiritual and educational programming for adults and children throughout the day and night. Go to ewtn.com/tv/weekly-grid for the complete schedule. The “Channel Finder” tab will help you find your local station.

⇒ When one is unable to receive Holy Communion, the Church encourages us to make a Spiritual Communion. This is the fervent desire to receive Our Eucharistic Lord when it is impossible sacramentally. The purpose is to keep the soul united with Jesus. It thankfully brings us special graces, although not sacramental ones, from God. The prayer to be said is:
My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Father Dyer Has Podcasts!

Go to Surprised by Grace Fr. Dyer for his ongoing spiritual reflections and homilies.

Some Online Prayer Resources

- * *Magnificat*, online Daily Readings, <https://us.magnificat.net/free>;
- * Live Divine Mercy Chaplet, Steve Angrisano, 3:00 pm daily, <https://www.facebook.com/steveangrisanomusic/>;
- * Live Silent Eucharistic Adoration, <https://tinyurl.com/tmmd4w4>.

WEEKLY READINGS

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Sunday

Mt 21:1-11; Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14—27:66 or 27:11-54

Monday

Is 42:1-7; Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday

Is 49:1-6; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday

Is 50:4-9a; Mt 26:14-25

Thursday

Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21

Evening Mass of the Lord’s Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15

Friday

Is 52:13—53:12; Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9; Jn 18:1—19:42

Saturday

Easter Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a; Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ex 14:15—15:1; Is 54:5-14; Is 55:1-11; Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4; Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Rom 6:3-11; Mt 28:1-10

Sunday

Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 or Mt 28:1-10 or, at an afternoon or evening Mass, Lk 24:13-35

THE HOLY FATHER’S APRIL PRAYER INTENTION

Universal: Freedom from Addiction

We pray that those suffering from addiction may be helped and accompanied.

BALTIMORE CATECHISM

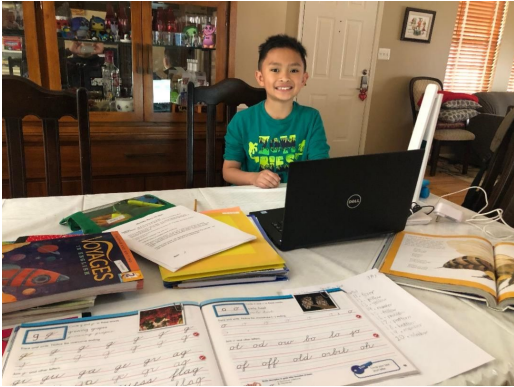
Q. How are the Saints and we members of the same Church?

A. The Saints and we are members of the same Church, because the Church in Heaven and the Church on earth are one and the same Church, and all its members are in communion with one another.

Q. What is the communion of the members of the Church called?

A. The communion of the members of the Church is called the communion of Saints.

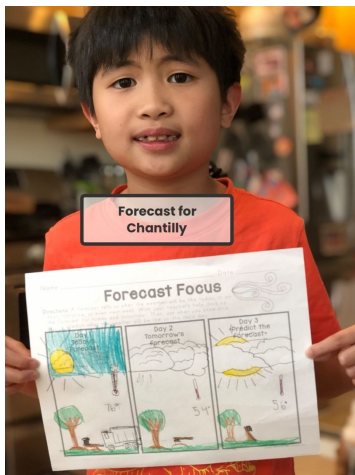
A Message from St. Veronica School



At the conclusion of week 2 of e-learning, we can report that it continues to be a success! This is all because of the wonderful students, families, faculty and staff of St. Veronica Catholic School. We are saddened that we will not be returning to our school building for the remaining months of this current school year. But, we are filled with joy knowing that our school community, with support from our parish, has embraced the flexibility of this new model of learning.

The Superintendent of Catholic Schools, Dr. Joseph Vorbach III, sent a letter to all families this past Thursday. Here is portion of his letter:

As the prospect of school closure began to loom on the horizon, our administrators, teachers, counselors and support teams elevated their collective effort in preparation for the use of the eLearning model that began to roll out during the week of March 16th. Since then, with your support, they have been ensuring continuity of learning with a focus on essential standards needed to advance to the next grade level. They have done this without losing sight of what makes our schools different and special - our opportunity to focus on the



formation of students in the Catholic faith. With your help and that of our Pastors and Chaplains, this is being done very creatively across the Diocese.

We will continue with the eLearning model per the following guidance:

We will continue to follow the existing 2019-2020 academic year calendar;✍

Students will be learning new material and grades will be recorded to capture individual student progress; and✍

Emphasis will be on learning essential concepts.✍

This challenging moment we are in has heightened our collective appreciation of the parent-teacher partnership in Catholic education. To be sure, the shift to eLearning has asked much of parents, students and teachers. I thank you for working with us as the adjustment to the new model has unfolded. Know that the Office of Catholic Schools



and all involved in Catholic education in the Diocese are focused on supporting your children and maintaining the strong Catholic communities you have helped to form. We are committed to making the remaining days of the school year a time during which students feel supported and productive.

APOSTOLIC SERVICE, PRAYER, AND FELLOWSHIP

youthapostolate@stveronica.net: Young Hearts on Fire with the Love of Christ
A dynamic youth ministry for young people in grades 6-12



How do I find out more information about youth ministry at St. Veronica?

We send out regular email updates to parents. If you would like to be on our distribution list, please let us know. We are also posting up to date information on our webpage on the parish website.

Are youth activities cancelled during the COVID-19 situation?

At this point in time, all in-person youth activities have been cancelled until further notice. However, we are so excited to share that we are still holding many gatherings online! We invite all youth in grades 6-12 to join us! We are using Zoom video conferencing as our platform and do so with the permission of Fr. Kleinmann and within the safe environment guidelines of the Arlington Diocese. Zoom can be used on a computer, laptop, tablet, phone, or other smart device. Our current schedule of events includes a weekly family rosary, devotionals for high school and middle school youth, IGNITE Middle School Ministry, and more! Contact us at youthapostolate@stveronica.net if you have any questions about how to join our Zoom ministry meetings. You will need to email us to receive the meeting link and password for the gatherings.

Youth Apostolate Schedule

We hope to "see" you on Zoom during these events:

Friday, April 3rd: FAMILY Stations of the Cross at 7:30 pm

Sunday, April 5th: FAMILY Rosary at 1:30 pm

Monday, April 6th: FAMILY Game Night at 7:00 pm

Monday, April 6th: Wednesday, April 8th: Middle School Daily Devotional at 1:30 pm

Monday, April 6th: Wednesday, April 8th: High School Daily Devotional at 5:00 pm

(We are still working on our Triduum and Easter Week Schedules . . . more details to come.)

Bonds of Love: Dear Parish Family, Youth Apostolate would like to invite everyone to participate in our "Bonds of Love" spiritual exercises over the coming weeks. Here's what we need to do. In these days of uncertainty, and for as long as the social distancing protocols have us physically separated, we invite you to join us in our efforts to remain spiritually connected. Every day, as a community, we have the opportunity to engage in spiritual and corporal works of mercy, acts of love where we can extend mercy to one another. We would like to create a physical representation of all of the works of mercy that we will each complete or receive as we pray for one another. Therefore, we are asking everyone to create a paper chain representing our communion. The chain will contain notes of received graces and of offered prayers, sacrifices, and works of mercy. Together we will pray for an end to the COVID-19 situation and all other related intentions. Each day, write down your experiences of being loved and your works of mercy on thin strips of paper, attach them together using staples, tape, or glue to make a chain. Keep adding to your chain every day. At the end of the COVID-19 situation, we will hold a great celebration where we will all come together and attach our individual prayer chains into one long physical expression of our union in these difficult times. Use whatever color or style of paper you want . . . just keep praying and engaging in works of mercy! Let's see if we can make a chain long enough to surround our parish building! Contact us at youthapostolate@stveronica.net for more information or inspiration.

"And over all these put on love, that is, the bond of perfection. And let the peace of Christ control your hearts, the peace into which you were also called in one body." - Colossians 3:14-15

DIVINE MERCY CORNER

"The more I come to know the greatness of God, the more joyful I become that He is as He is. And I rejoice immensely in His greatness and am delighted that I am so little because, since I am little, He carries me in His arms and holds me close to His Heart." St. Faustina, *Diary* 779.
JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU!

WORDS OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

"Jesus wishes to establish devotion to my Immaculate Heart in the world. I promise salvation to those who embrace it."

~ Fast & Pray for Persecuted Christians ~

PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY

We continue our daily prayers for priests by praying each day this week for:

April 5	Rev. Lino Rico Rostro
April 6	Rev. John Riley
April 7	Very Rev. Robert Rippey
April 8	Rev. Henry Rivera
April 9	Rev. Donald Rooney
April 10	Very Rev. Lee Roos, V.F.
April 11	Rev. José Ruisanchez

Please see explanation of special symbols
"†" and "*" at the bottom of the page.

Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

† Live Streamed from the Rectory Chapel: 9:00 am Mass & 10:45 am Mass †

Monday of Holy Week

Confessions 11:30 am-12:00 noon & 6:30 pm-8:00 pm

Tuesday of Holy Week

Confessions 6:30 pm-8:00 pm

Wednesday of Holy Week

Confessions 6:30 pm-8:00 pm

Thursday of Holy Week (Holy Thursday)

(No Confessions)

† Live Streamed from St. Veronica Church: 7:30 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper †
after which the Blessed Sacrament will be reserved for private prayer in the parish hall approximately
8:30 pm until 10:00 pm & in the church approximately 10:00 pm until 12:00 midnight (10 people at a time)

*** Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday) ***

Confessions 8:30 am-10:30 am & 12:00 noon-2:30 pm

† Live Streamed from St. Veronica Church: 3:00 pm Celebration of the Passion of the Lord †

† Live Streamed from St. Veronica Church: 7:00 pm Stations of the Cross †
followed by Veneration of the Holy Cross in the church approximately 7:30 pm until 9:00 pm

Holy Saturday

Confessions 9:00 am-10:00 am (no 3:30 pm Confessions)
Veneration of the Holy Cross in the church 9:00 am-7:30 pm

8:30 pm The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

† Live Streamed from St. Veronica Church †

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

† Live Streamed from St. Veronica Church: 9:00 am Mass & 10:45 am Mass †

† Regrettably, except for scheduled confession and veneration times, the church will not be opened to the faithful during these liturgies. †

* Good Friday is a day of Fast and Abstinence. Everyone age 14 and older is bound to observe the law of abstinence from meat. Everyone age 18 and older and up to his/her 60th year is also bound to observe the law of fast: On this day, only one full meatless meal is allowed; two other meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal.



St. Veronica Vacation Bible School 2020

Registration

Where: St. Veronica Catholic Church Parish Hall

When: July 20th – 23rd: 9am – 12:15pm

July 24th: 9am–12:45pm

Ages: Campers: rising pre-K (4 yrs old) – rising 5th

Youth Volunteers: rising 6th – rising senior*

Cost: Registration Fee includes all materials, family music cd (1 per family), snacks, games, and activities.

- Early Bird Registration through June 1, 2020: \$40 for first child and \$30 for each additional child (max. cost per family \$80)
- Registration June 1-July 1, 2020: \$50 for first child and \$30 for each additional child (max. cost of \$80 per family)
- Discount for Children of Employees (church or school employees). \$25 for first child, \$20 for additional children (maximum cost per family \$45)
- Discount for Children of Parent Volunteers at VBS. \$20 for the first child, \$15 for additional children (maximum of \$40 per family)
- Registration Fee for Youth Assistants (grades 6-12) \$15 (this fee counts toward family totals)

*Youth volunteers are required to attend training sessions prior to VBS (training dates from 5:30pm-8:00pm on June 25th, July 9th & July 14th)

Adult Volunteers (18 yrs & up) are needed! Interested? Please contact
vbs@stveronica.net

Questions? Email vbs@stveronica.net

How to Register:

- 1.) To Register On-line-- Visit www.stveronica.net and click on the Education & Evangelization tab to find our webpage.
- 2.) Use the Registration form on the back: Fill it out and send with check payment (made out to St. Veronica) to St. Veronica Catholic Church, ATTN: VBS Registration, 3460 Centreville Rd, Chantilly, VA 20151

Registration Form VBS 2020 St Veronica Catholic Church

Parents' Name(s) & Home Addresses:

Cathlete's Name(s)	Grade Fall 2020	T-shirt Size (Youth- S, M, L) (Adult- S, M, L, XL)	Allergies	Friends (we will try to accommodate)

Email addresses of Parents during VBS week:

Phone Numbers of Parents during VBS week: -

Emergency Contact(s) if a parent can not be reached (name & phone #)

Who else can pick up your child?

You will be contacted via email (vbs@stveronica.net) when your registration is received.