

Holy Infant Catholic Church

Apr 18 & Apr 19



MASS TIMES

Tuesday & Thursday—10:00 am – Most Holy Days: 10:00am

Thursday after 10:00am Mass—Holy Hour & Eucharistic Adoration

Hospitality: 1st Sunday of Every Month following Mass

Saturday: Apr 18 – Lector: J. O’Neil

4:15pm – 4:45 PM – Sacrament of Reconciliation

4:30pm – Praying of the Rosary

5:00pm – 3rd Sunday of Easter

Sunday: Apr 19 - Lector: K. Coleman

11:00am – 3rd Sunday of Easter

1st Reading Acts 2: 14, 22-33 – 2nd Reading Pt 1: 17-21 - Gospel –Lk 24: 13-35

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Up Coming Events and Announcements 2026

Apr 18 – Special Intention for +Victor Ziembra by K. Ziembra

Apr 18 & Apr 19 – 3rd Sunday of Easter

Apr 21 & Apr 23 – 10:00am Mass

Apr 25 & Apr 26 – 4th Sunday of Easter

Apr 28 & Apr 30 – 10:00am Mass

May 2 & May 3 – 5th Sunday of Easter

May 3 – Join us for Hospitality in the Parish Hall following our 11:00am Mass

May 5 & 7 – 10:00am Mass

May 9 & 10 – 6th Sunday of Easter

May 12 & 14 – 10:00am Mass

May 16 & 17 – The Ascension of the Lord – Special Collection: Diocesan Home Mission

May 19 & 21 – 10:00am Mass

Parishioners Corner:

- There are Easter Lilies and Tulips in the parish hall for anyone to take home and plant in their yards. Hopefully they will bring you great joy in the future.
- On May 23rd and May 24th the Rosary Guild will be hosting an Arts, Crafts and Bake sale. So, save up a few dollars and get some wonderful gifts for your friends and yourselves. Rumor has it there will be some new items you're sure to want to purchase.

2026 Annual Diocesan Appeal

Sharing His Love with Others

Annual Goal \$8,270.00 vs Actual \$15,455.00

We invite you to give today at: www.richmondcatholicfoundation.org/appeal

Make Checks Payable to: "RICHMOND CATHOLIC FOUNDATION"

and mail to: The Catholic Community Foundation of the Diocese of Richmond

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WEEKLY THOUGHTS THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 19th 2026

Dear friends, welcome to the celebration of the Third Sunday of Easter. In the weekly Readings of the Easter season, the first Reading is taken from the Acts of the Apostles. We hear about the first community of believers, their lifestyle, dedication to prayer, breaking of bread and bearing witness to the risen Jesus or resurrection, the need to repent, to be baptized and confess Jesus as Savior.

In the first Reading AA 2: 14, 22-33 Peter with the 11, bears witness to the risen Jesus; “Commended by God with mighty deeds, signs and wonders yet was unjustly condemned to death on the cross, but God raised him up.”

In the Second Reading 1 Peter 1: 17-21 Jesus paid our ransom from death and sin with his precious blood. In Jesus, is our hope and salvation.

In the Gospel Luke 24: 13-35 we hear Jesus surprisingly appear to his two disciples on their way to Emmaus. Indeed, life is full of surprises. Jesus comes and joins in the conversation of the two disciples who were sad and disappointed with killing of Jesus on Good Friday. The two disciples shared their grief and sadness with the stranger who had questioned why they were sad. The stranger engaged them in conversation. He interpreted the recent events of the killing of Jesus as a fulfillment of the Scriptures – Moses and the Prophets.

The two disciples felt ease of the pain of grief and requested Jesus to stay with them as it was getting late. Jesus consented to the invitation. At the breaking of bread Jesus revealed himself to the two disciples and they were able to recognize him. Jesus vanished from their sight. The two disciples with great joy decided to walk back another 7 miles to Jerusalem to share the Good News of the Resurrection with the other disciples. The disciples also narrated how Jesus appeared to them when under locked doors and greeted them with the words; “*Peace be with you.*”

For us celebrating this Third Sunday of Easter after being nourished with the Word of God and the Eucharist, Jesus sends us on a mission to bear witness of the risen Jesus and the Good news of hope and salvation. May we share our faith, love and hope with conviction.

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Let us make an effort to recognize the presence of Jesus in our life and in the people around us as we endeavor to extend to them small acts of generosity. Jesus rewarded the generosity of his two disciples with assurance of his resurrection.

Let us recognize the presence of Jesus as we partake of the Eucharist, private prayer, reading and meditation on the Scriptures. Let us make that prayer request; “Stay with us... our own prayer; in pain, fear and evening of our life.” Let us endeavor to share our faith and the good news with others as part of our mission.

Have a great week

Parish Directory

Pastor:	Rev. Fr. Michael Mugomba	540-298-1341
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Finance Chair	Chuck Cyphert	540-298-1341
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Music Ministry	<u>Saturday:</u> Ellie Cox	540-298-1341
	<u>Sunday:</u> Gina Kudrav	540-298-1341
Bereavement	Pat Dobes	540-298-1341
Homebound	Deborah Smith	540-298-1341
Prayer Shawl	Linda Kaspar	540-298-1341
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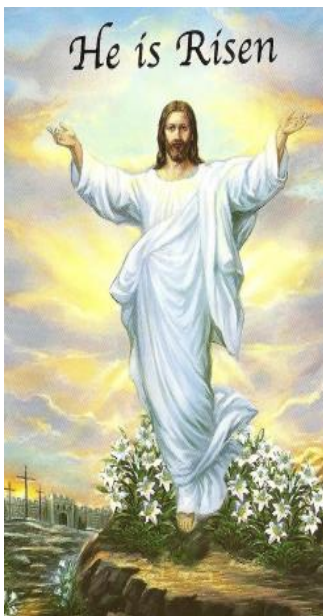
Weekly Contributions for Apr 11 to Apr 17

	<u>Targeted</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Difference</u>
This Week:	\$ 2,362.33	\$ 4,141.25	\$ 1,778.92
Jul 1 to Date:	\$96,855.53	\$98,245.64	\$1,390.11

Weekly Ministry Collections

Parish Imp. \$350	Justice & Peace \$10
Poor Box \$4	Votive \$7
Rosary \$0	Post Card \$0
Easter Offering \$295	Haiti \$0

Special Collections:



Regina Caeli

- V.** Queen of heaven, rejoice, alleluia.
- R.** The Son you merited to bear, alleluia.

- V.** Has risen as he said, alleluia.
- R.** Pray to God for us, alleluia.

- V.** Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.
- R.** For the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.

Let us pray,

God of life, you have given joy to the world by the resurrection of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. Through the prayers of his mother, the Virgin Mary, bring us to the happiness of eternal life. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Please Pray for

All God's children who are ill homebound, hospitalized and need our special thoughts and prayers. Pray for our Military and their safe return. Pray for our brothers and sisters, James West, Grace Condolff, Arthur & Wanda Lohman, Patty Day, Chuck Cyphert, D.J. McCloskey