

PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Parish Hall – CCD Office
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MASSES

Saturday: 6:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
4:00 p.m. (SPANISH)
Daily: 8:30 a.m.
Holy Days: 8:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Anselme Malonda-Nkuanga, CICM, Pastor
Ramon Tirado, Deacon
Patricia Hetrick, Office Manager
Alison Windland, Office Assistant
Patricia Reed, Director of Religious Education
Miriam Medina, Director of Liturgy
Hannah Masson, Director of Music
Theresa Watson, Choir Director
John Flemming, Heritage Choir Director
Robert Wiersberg, Director of R.C.I.A.
Mary Flemming, Youth Director
Wendy Murphy, Principal, Epiphany School
Barbara Terry, Director, Epiphany Pre-School
Anne Schuyler, Office Manager, Epiphany School

REGISTRATION

A warm welcome is extended to new parishioners. New members can register with the parish office during office hours. Registration forms are also available in the Church vestibule and can be dropped in the collection basket during Mass. Parish registration is required for reception of the Sacraments (Baptism, Confirmation and Matrimony) and letters of eligibility to serve as godparent or sponsor.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

is available on Saturday: 4:30–5:30 p.m. and any other time upon request.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Registered parishioners who are requesting baptism for their child should contact the parish office to sign up for the required pre-baptismal classes.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

is celebrated after a period of preparation of not less than six months. Registered parishioners who wish to marry at Precious Blood should contact the parish office during office hours before making any other arrangements.

CCD CLASSES

Sunday: 9:30 – 10:45 a.m. (K-6)
12:15 – 1:30 p.m. (7-12)

EPIPHANY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Preschool: 3 & 4 year old
Elementary: K-5
Middle School: 6-8

April 28, 2013
“ Fifth Sunday of Easter “

LORD HEAR THE PRAYER FOR OUR SICK,



especially Daniel Garcia, Dennis Olson, Alex Green, Theresa Wise, Tracey Toomey, Elizabeth Carlton Occhiogrosso, Grayson Savery, Jackie Fancher, Kristie Wells, James Berger, Bryan Lorenz, Ines Sanchez, Roberto Sanson, Jerry Roy, Barbara Noonan, Sean Peet, Eileen Hunter, Joseph Andrews, Jan Adams,

Cheryl Weagle, Michael Pugh, Peg Logan, Sue Doetzer, Ric Barklund, Joe Kratochvil, Ryleigh Flemming, Nicole Popp, Kriss Cordero Luna, Danny Call, Betty Hescoc, Carol Wallach, Ann Kroenert, Jim Minihan, Ellie Blaine, Marcia Peacock, Frank Toomey, Elizabeth Kaylor, Emma Kaylor, Kate Kaylor, Martin Luna, Stanley Tomaszewski, Art Cooley, Margaret Bennett, Mary Margaret Byram, Herlinda Huapawla, Bill Daley, Elsie Schichl & Cynthia Davies. May they feel God's protective hand and return to good health.

Call the rectory if you want a name to remain after six weeks.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND is for **THE CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS.** The Catholic Home Missions Appeal supports dioceses by funding essential ministries, including seminary education and lay ministry training. Envelopes for this collection can be found in the pews.

ALTAR SERVER CANDIDATES: Boys and girls who are in the 5th grade and have made their First Communion, and would like to become an Altar Server, please contact the rectory office (825-8945). We will be offering training, for the first time, in the spring as well as in the summer.



MASS INTENTIONS:

- Apr. 29 - Jim Minihan (healing)
- Apr. 30 - Bishop Paul Loverde (Anniversary)
- May 01 - Athena Baker (special intentions)
- May 02 - Rosalie Parker (dec)
- May 03 - Anne Kroenert (healing)
- May 04 - 8:30 a.m. - Jim Minihan (healing)
- May 04 - 6:00 p.m. - Bryant M. Dieghan (dec)
- May 05 - 8:30 a.m. - Al Costanzo (dec)
- May 05 - 11:00 a.m. - Ellsworth Kohler (dec)

HOLY SPIRIT INTERACTIVE DISCIPLESHIP PROGRAM will meet on Wednesday, May 1, 2013, in the Epiphany Annex. All are invited.



THE ALTAR FLOWERS for this weekend are in loving memory of Everett & Hazel Benjamin and Tony & Kay Vento.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR PRACTICE will be today, April 28th and next Sunday, **May 5th, 12:15 – 2:00 p.m.** Call Theresa Watson at 829-0197 for more information.

MEETING FOR ALL CONFIRMATION STAFF (CCD Office Staff/Teachers/Aides & Father Anselme), will be held on Sunday, May 5th, at 1:30 p.m., in the Parish Hall. Please plan to attend.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASSES will be on **May 6 & 13** from 7:30-9:15 p.m., in the downstairs rectory meeting room. All parents requesting baptism for their children are asked to attend (without children). Godparents are welcome. Call the rectory, 825-8945, to register.



WE JOYFULLY WELCOME INTO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY **Jasiah Lee Myers**, son of Mr. & Mrs. Jonathan Myers and grandson of Mr. & Mrs. David Lee, Gabriel Demetric Walker, Kyia Faith Walker, Grace Elizabeth Walker & Latham Andrew Walker, children of Mr. & Mrs. Irving Walker, who were baptized on April 20, 2013.

OFFERTORY PRAYER: Help us, God of joy and peace, always to give happily, always to give generously, always to give thankfully.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION (04-21)	\$9,639.34
(Our weekly budget is \$11,500.00)	
BUILDING FUND (04-21)	240.00
EPIPHANY SCHOOL (04-21)	70.00

FIRST COMMUNION PRACTICE will be on Apr. 29th, at 7:00 p.m., in the church, for those students who will be receiving their Holy Communion at the 9:00 a.m. Mass. For those making Holy Communion at the 11:30 a.m. Mass, practice will be on April 30th at 7:00 p.m., in the church. We ask the child making Holy Communion and one or both parents to be present for practice. First Holy Communion is on May 4th. Please make sure you are on time for these practices.



ALTAR SOCIETY BREAKFAST: The Altar Society will have its spring breakfast at IHOP on **Thursday, May 2**, at 9:30 a.m. Please plan to attend 8:30 a.m. Mass, and we will leave after for the restaurant.



THE WORD AMONG US for May, entitled "Rejoice in Your Salvation," is available in the church foyer. Pick up your copy today.



has begun registration for 2013-2014.

Registration packets are available in the church foyer, or may be mailed to you by calling 825-9017. Classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Tuition is available and families can apply through the following site: www.factstuitionaid.com.

2013 BISHOP'S LENTEN APPEAL - "Stepping Out in Faith – Love Revealed:" "Thank You" to those who have already responded to the BLA. Our parish goal is **\$102,000.00**. As of April 18, **299 families, 26%** of the parish, have contributed **\$121,124.00**, or **119%** of our goal. If you have not made a pledge, you can still do so. Pledge envelopes can be found in the church foyer.

EPIPHANY PRE-SCHOOL: "Do you have a 3 or 4 year old child? Are you looking for a pre-school program that combines faith, learning, fun and friendship? Epiphany Pre-School is currently enrolling for the 2013-2014 school year. We offer classes for 3 and 4 year olds. We offer 2, 3 or 5 morning programs, with options for full day class, and before and after school care. We follow the Diocesan standards and have a dedicated, caring and professional staff. Call Epiphany, 825-9017, or Mrs. Barbara Terry, director, 547-3323, and come for a visit."



PRO-LIFE: Because of abortion on demand, countless plans of God have been thwarted. Can anything offend God more? Abortion affects the present in an absolute way, but it affects the future in an unfathomable way. Abortion is an intrinsic evil, never right, always wrong.

RADIX YOUTH GROUP helped earn \$385.00 (in sponsorships) toward the Walk for Life on April 13th. Congratulations to them for their hard work and support for the Pregnancy Centers of Central Virginia.

ALUMINIUM COLLECTION, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, is the third weekend of the month. Remember only aluminum, not tin. Truck will be parked in the church parking lot for donated aluminum.

MOTHER'S DAY is May 12th. You may want to remember your mother, mother-in-law, grandmother, sister, aunt (living or deceased) with a **Mother's Day Remembrance Mass Card**. They can be found in the church foyer.



They will be remembered in a Novena of Masses during the month of May. Envelopes can also be found in the pews.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS "YARD SALE" will be on Saturday, May 18th, 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m., on East Piedmont St., next to the rectory garage. K of C members will be available on Monday-Friday (May 13-17), from 6:00 – 8:30 p.m., to accept SALEABLE items. If you need help in picking up large items, please call John Brown, 825-1681, Joe Kratochvil, 825-7273 or Mario Calvano, 829-0690. Baked Goods by (K of C Ladies Auxiliary) will be available to buy as you shop.



FAITH DIRECT: With spring here and summer approaching, now is a great time to enroll in the automatic electronic giving program with Faith Direct. Electronic giving, in place of envelopes, is simply the easiest way for you to make your weekly offering. **Faith Direct has two dates, the 4th or 15th of the month, for you to make your weekly offertory support.** Please consider enrolling by visiting www.faithdirect.net and use our church code, **VA226**, or pick up an enrollment form from the church rectory office or in the church foyer.

ST. STEPHEN'S FOOD CLOSET: The following items are needed: boxed meals w/meats, cold cereals, pancake mix, syrup, and any canned vegetables. Please place items within the altar area.

