

March 16, 2025



# RESURRECTION

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

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[www.resurrectioncatholic.org](http://www.resurrectioncatholic.org)

Rev. Nixon Negparanon, Pastor

### OFFICE HOURS

9:00 am to 4:00 pm Monday-Thursday  
9:00 am to 12:00 pm Friday

### WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 4:00 pm (and on [Facebook](#))  
Thursday: 11:00 am



## MARCH 16 — SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

### SACRAMENTS & MINISTRIES

**Reconciliation:** By appointment.

**Baptisms:** By appointment. Preparation is essential, and registration in the Parish is recommended.

**Weddings:** Please contact the Parish Office at least 6 months prior to setting the wedding date. Preparation is important.

**Funerals:** Call Diane Burakow at 202-359-8335, email [dkburakow@gmail.com](mailto:dkburakow@gmail.com)

**Initiation for Adults (Becoming Catholic):** Please contact Julie Pietrocarlo at [julie@resurrectioncatholic.org](mailto:julie@resurrectioncatholic.org)

**Mass Intentions:** Call the Parish Office or go to <https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Form/4baa9c05-9903-4982-bdbd-3456fff5001e>

**Youth Faith Formation:** Sundays at 5:15 pm September-May (as scheduled)

### PARISH STAFF

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### WELCOME!

*We are happy to have you worship with us at the best little Catholic Church at Smith Mountain Lake!*

*New to the Parish? Please pick up a yellow **Registration Form**.*

Submit information to [bulletin@resurrectioncatholic.org](mailto:bulletin@resurrectioncatholic.org) by Tuesday.

**Holy Name of Mary, Bedford** 540-586-8988  
8:00 am and 11:00 am Sunday,  
Reconciliation: Wednesday 5:45-6:45pm

**St. Francis of Assisi, Rocky Mount** 540-483-9591  
4:30 pm Saturday, 7:00 pm Spanish Mass  
Reconciliation: Thursday 12:35-1:15  
Friday 12:35-1:15, Saturday 3:45-4:15



## THIS WEEK AT RESURRECTION

### **Saturday, March 15**

8:00 TMIY (TEP)  
4:25 Rosary (TEP)  
5:00 Mass (TEP)



### **Sunday, March 16**

4:00 Mass (TEP)  
5:15 Youth Faith Formation (TEP)

### **Monday, March 17**

10:30 Pastoral Council Mtg (Classroom 5)  
6:00 Ultreya (HNM)  
6:30 Healing Prayer (Virtual)

### **Tuesday, March 18**

8:00 Tuesday Group & Joyous Junque  
9:00 [Morning Prayer via Zoom](#) PW: pray  
5:30 RCC Book Club (Classroom 5)

### **Wednesday, March 19**

9:00 [Morning Prayer via Zoom](#) PW: pray  
9:30 WWG (TEP)  
10:30 St. Vincent dePaul Meeting (TEP)  
1:00 AFF Lectio: Peter (TEP)  
6:00 AFF Lectio: Peter (Classroom 5)

### **Thursday, March 20**

9:00 [Morning Prayer via Zoom](#) PW: pray  
9:30 AFF: Prayer: Exploring Hallow App (TEP)  
10:20 Rosary (TEP)  
11:00 Mass (TEP)  
12:00 Busy Bee's Lunch, Vinny's following Mass

### **Friday, March 21**

3:00 Stations of the Cross (TEP)

### **Saturday, March 22**

8:00 TMIY (TEP)  
4:25 Rosary (TEP)  
5:00 Mass, Sacrament of Anointing (TEP)

### **Sunday, March 23**

4:00 Youth Mass  
Sacrament of Anointing (TEP)  
5:15 Youth Faith Formation (TEP)



## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, March 15

5:00 Deanna McNamara

### Sunday, March 16

4:00 Robert Phillips & Patrick Kelly

### Thursday, March 20

11:00 Busy Bees Widows & deceased spouses  
Lucille & Walter Krieg

### Saturday, March 22

5:00 People of Resurrection Catholic Church,  
Holy Name of Mary, and Trinity

### Sunday, March 23

4:00 LouAnne Simpson & Bob Horan

## PRAYERS & PRAISE

**Pray for:** Sandy Ball, Greg Brooks, Liz Griffin, **David Tew**, Kathy Lietz, Christine Patane, Fr. Nick Punch, Paul Stratman, Bud Suess, Julie Vallimont

*Call the parish office to add and/or remove names.*

*Names will remain on the list for **four weeks**.*

*If you would like to request a confidential prayer to the Healing Prayer ministry, send an email to [prayers@resurrectioncatholic.org](mailto:prayers@resurrectioncatholic.org).*

## **SACRIFICIAL GIVING**

### **Offertory for March 8 & 9**

Ash Wednesday	\$ 1,276
Sat/Sun	\$ 2,900
Mail/drop-off	\$ 1,075
Online:	\$ 4,411
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 9,662</b>

*Approximately \$11,000 is needed each week to meet our operating expenses.*



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**We appreciate your ongoing support!**

**This week's second collection: Haiti Ministry**

### **Bishop's Annual Appeal**

**March 15-16, 2025**

**SHARING HIS LOVE WITH OTHERS**

**Resurrection's goal: \$35,450**

The 2025 Appeal is about providing for 21 important ministries of our Catholic Church. A few of those are:

- Provides formation opportunities for youth and young adults aimed at community building, prayer, worship, service, and education.
- Expands opportunities for college students to deepen their commitment to the Catholic Church.
- Funds the cost of room, board, tuition, and health insurance for our seminarians.

To see a full list of ministries supported by the Appeal, please visit [richmondcatholicfoundation.org/appeal](http://richmondcatholicfoundation.org/appeal). Click [here](#) to donate. Thank you for your continued support.

Please note that the **Wednesday Women's Group will not** be having an Easter chocolate sale this year as we are unable to use our church kitchen during renovation. We would like to thank all who have supported this fundraiser in the past. Have a blessed Lent and a joyous Easter!

*Barbara Spodnick*

**READINGS**

**March 16**

Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18  
 Psalm 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14  
 Philippians 3:17-4:1  
 Luke 9:28b-36

**March 23**

Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15  
 Psalm 103:1-2,3-4,6-7, 8,11  
 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12  
 Luke 13:1-9

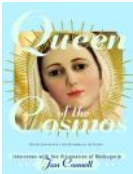
**FAITH FORMATION & EVANGELIZATION**

Have you saved your seat for Resurrection's **Lenten retreat**? Click [here](#) to register for *All is Prayer* to be presented by Msgr. Michael McCarron on **Saturday, March 29**.



Please join Carrie Oesmann on Thursday, **March 20**, from **9:30 to 10:15** to explore the Hallow app and learn more about the **Holy Spirit** with Fr. Dave Pivonka and **contemplative prayer** with Fr. Timothy Gallagher.

**RCC BOOK CLUB**



In June 1981, the Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to children in a tiny village in Bosnia. Why there? Why then? What was our Mother's message to them and to us? Join the RCC Book Club on **Tuesday, March 18**, at 5:30 in Classroom 5, as we discuss *Queen of the Cosmos: Interviews With the Visionaries of Medjugorje* by Janice Connell. Contact Joe Shannahan at 703-380-6879 with questions. Next month's book is *And the Angels Were Silent: The Final Week of Jesus* by Max Lucado



The **Parish Council** will meet in Classroom 5 at Resurrection on Monday, **March 17**, from 10:30-12:30. Included topics that will be discussed:

- ◆ Results of recent Fr. Pivonka video offered to parish
- ◆ Update/discussion of church dedication in June
- ◆ Review of potential programs available to the parish
- ◆ In addition, any old business needing attention will be addressed.



Please welcome **Dawn and Claude Moreau** from Blessed Sacrament, Rockville and **Laurie Knachel** who recently joined Resurrection.

We are so glad to have you with us!

**WOMEN'S CURSILLO WEEKEND**



**May 29-June 1** at the Peaks Retreat Center in Thaxton. The cost is \$225 which includes all meals, snacks, supplies, and dorm-style lodging. Scholarships are available. **Application deadline is May 15**. Inquiries may be made to [Shirlee Schiavoni](#) or [Jennifer McLaughlin](#).

For an application to the **Upcoming Women's Weekend: May 29 – June 1**, click [here](#).

**RECONCILIATION OPPORTUNITIES**

**Resurrection**, by appointment

**Holy Name of Mary**, Bedford  
 Wednesday 5:30-6:30, Friday after 9:30 Mass

**St. Francis of Assisi**, Rocky Mount  
 Thursday & Friday 12:30-1:15, Saturday 3:45-4:15

**St. Andrews**, Roanoke  
 Penance Service: Tuesday, March 25, 7:00  
 Reconciliation: Monday 12:45-2:00, Thursday 5:00-6:45, Saturday 3:30-5:00

**Holy Cross**, Lynchburg  
 Penance Service: Thursday, March 27, 7:00  
 Reconciliation: Friday after 9:00 Mass

**Our Lady of Nazareth**, Roanoke  
 Penance Service: Thursday, April 3, 7:00  
 Reconciliation: Wednesday 5:00-6:00, Saturday 3:00-4:00

**St. Thomas More**, Lynchburg  
 Reconciliation: Thursday 4:30-6:00, Saturday 3:00-4:30

The Mass on **Thursday, March 20**, will be for the intentions of the Busy Bees and their deceased spouses followed by lunch at Vinny's. All widows of our parish are invited to attend and may contact Nancy at 703-969-7941 to make a reservation.



**RENOVATION SCUTTLEBUTT**

The worship space ceiling has been completed with sheetrock and acoustical panels. Wooden beam material for the ceiling and walls is being stained prior to installation. The brickwork pillars for the portico side entrance have been finished. The masonry base for our new roadside signage has been constructed.





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