

October 18, 2026

CATHOLIC CHURCH  
**ST. VERONICA**

*To know, to love, and to serve God.*

**MASS SCHEDULE (English)\***

**Saturday Vigil:** 5pm

**Sunday:** 7:30am, 9am, 10:45am & 5pm

**Monday - Friday:** 8:30am & 12:15pm

**Wednesday & First Friday:** 7:30pm

**Saturday:** 8:30am

**MASS SCHEDULE (Vietnamese—Our Lady of La Vang Mission)**

**Saturday Vigil:** 7pm

**Sunday:** 2pm & 7pm

**Friday:** 7pm (in modular unit)

**HOLY HOUR SCHEDULE\***

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

**CONFESSION SCHEDULE\***

**Monday & Friday:** 11:30am –Noon

**Wednesday:** 6:30pm- 7:30pm

**Saturday:** 9am– 10am; 3:30pm– 4:30pm

**First Friday:** After 8:30am Mass & 6:30pm

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION\***

**Monday –Saturday:** 1pm –8:15am

\*Consult parish website for changes.

**Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



Is it lawful to pay the census tax to Caesar or not?"

Knowing their malice, Jesus said, "Why are you testing me, you hypocrites? Show me the coin that pays the census tax." Then they handed him the Roman coin. He said to them, "Whose image is this and whose inscription?" They replied, "Caesar's." At that he said to them, "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God."

Matthew 22:17-21

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\*Announcements for bulletin are due Wednesday by 4pm  
(11 days prior to Sunday publication)

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**New to St. Veronica? Welcome!**

Parish Registration Form available  
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Hardcopies can be picked up in the  
parish office lobby.



## Ways to Donate

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<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/FD-92>

Mail or drop off a CHECK to the parish office and  
indicate the specific event, ministry or fundraiser.



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one time donation via



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## Sacraments



**Marriage:** Congratulations on your engagement! Please contact the parish office at least six months prior to the wedding date. For more details, see the "Matrimony" section under "Liturgy & Sacraments" on the parish website.



**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, Chantilly Heights Memory Care, or at home, please call the parish office to arrange a visit.



**Initiation of Adults & Children:** The OCIA process leads adults into full communion with the Catholic Church. Please call the parish office or email [OCIA@stveronica.net](mailto:OCIA@stveronica.net) for details. For children, email our Director of Religious Education, [re@stveronica.net](mailto:re@stveronica.net).

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# From the Pastor

**FROM GREEN TO GOLD — October 18, 2026**

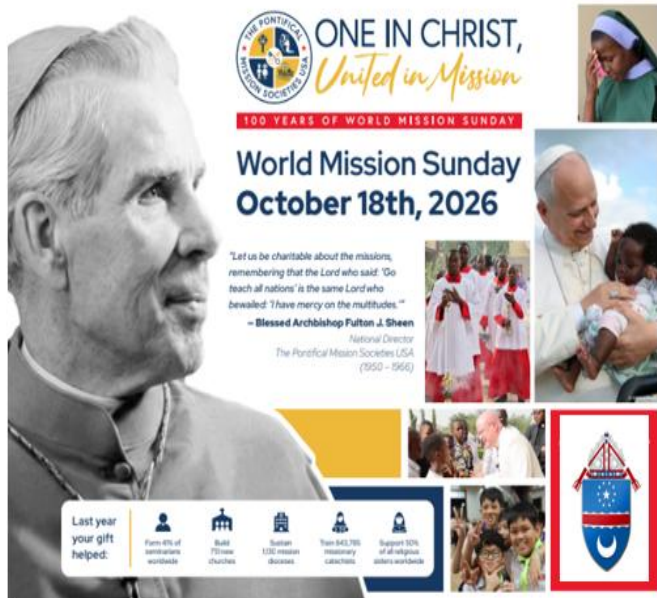
As we continue through this month of October, I remind you that this is the month dedicated by the Church to the Rosary and by our U.S. bishops to Pro-Life efforts. Additionally, we find ourselves in the middle of another Forty Days for Life campaign. As we have announced previously, there is a parish “vigil day” at some point for St. Veronica’s. That day is this Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup>. On that day from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm we are expected to have parishioners praying in front of the abortion facility in Falls Church. You can still sign up for an hour of “keeping vigil” and praying, perhaps the Rosary, at this place of death (because that is what is happening there, unborn babies are being killed). This is giving witness to the sacredness of all human life, including the unborn. It is standing up for what is right and good. It is also a way to put our Faith into practice. If more people were solidly pro-life, courageous enough to say they are, and praying for a change of heart, our world would slowly change, as Pope St. John Paul often said, from a culture of death and evil to one of life and love. Caring about those little, innocent, most vulnerable ones, as well as the mother and the father, is the truly charitable thing to do, an act of love, a work of mercy. Not doing so is to neglect what God expects of us. Not all can spend some time there on the 24<sup>th</sup> or some other early Saturday morning, as there are people there, including some from our parish, every Saturday, but we should be able to find time to pray. We need to make that a priority, as this is such an important matter. The morality of our nation depends on this. That is why how we vote makes a difference as well. Early voting began on September 18<sup>th</sup>, the actual election day is November 3<sup>rd</sup>. The ballot includes two significantly troublesome proposed amendments. The first and second, respectively, involve the sacredness of human life and the sanctity of marriage between a man and a woman. We have spent a fair amount of time already explaining the issues here. If these amendments pass, abortion and a false understanding of marriage will be enshrined into the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Virginia. In addition, the true health of women and parental rights are at stake here. This is serious “business.” How we vote matters and our prayers are powerful!

Because prayer is so powerful, and necessary, Bishop Burbidge has directed us to pray, and to fast. He specifically has designated Fridays and Sundays as the days to do this in a special way. He said on Fridays we should fast by eating only one meal and we should pray by saying the Stations of the Cross. We can pray the Stations in church or in our homes or really anywhere else. We may try to do this collectively in church on the evening of the 30<sup>th</sup>, the Friday before the elections, if we can work it out. We’ll let you know. On Sundays, our bishop has instructed us to pray the Rosary and fast from social media. The basis of all this is the words of Our Lord when asked by His apostles why there were some things they couldn’t do, He replied that sometimes prayer and fasting were required and so, we should pray and fast!

I did want to offer a few comments on the parish financial statement that was included in last week’s bulletin. Our assets were down about \$300,000 from a year ago. We paid off about \$450,000 on our mortgage, with a balance remaining of just over \$1.1 million. As previously announced our weekly collections were about \$87,000 less than last year. Our expenses were up, but thankfully only \$27,730, excluding the parish subsidy to the school to cover all their expenses over their income, which was an additional \$81,000 and sadly will probably be even more this year. I did put a plea out to you a few weeks ago and thankfully some of you did respond and did so very generously, which is greatly appreciated. It made a difference and we are more stable financially right now. So, again, THANK YOU!

My last item this week is my sports commentary. Again, last Sunday, as it was the Sunday before, it was a good day for Wisconsin sports fans. The Packers played the Bears in Green Bay. Chicago was expected to win. One of my brothers, who follows all-things Packers closely, was expecting a massacre. Instead, Green Bay won, 7 to 31. This was a convincing victory over their chief rival and gave fans a reason to rejoice, including my brother. Chicago had five turnovers, which did not help them. The Packer offensive line seemed much improved, although our kicker missed one extra point and two attempted field goals. Even so, it was a good afternoon, and that evening was as well, as the Brewers took the first game from the Dodgers. Milwaukee has home field advantage, so this game was in Brew Town, but they were the underdogs. They had the best season record with LA right behind them. This same scenario occurred last year, but with dismal results for the Brewers. The Dodgers swept them. That won’t happen this year. It wasn’t a pretty game; it was a true grinder, but the Brewers got it done. That is the spiritual lesson, when it comes to faith, we with God’s grace, need to get it done. Now whether the Brewers will take the four games from LA to win the National League Championship and move on to the World Series for the first time since 1982, is yet to be seen, as I write this column early. Nonetheless, I certainly hope they do! *In Christ, Fr. Kleinmann*

## From the Parish Office



### All Souls Novena

November 2<sup>nd</sup> is All Souls Day, and the first day of our Novena of Masses for the repose of the souls of the faithful departed. All Souls Day Remembrance envelopes will be available in the vestibules next weekend. Please place the envelope in the collection basket with the names of your loved ones clearly written out. The envelopes will be placed on the altar during the Novena to share in the spiritual benefit of these holy Masses. Any donation included will be gratefully accepted. If you use Parish Soft, please call the parish office—we will make sure that your names are placed on the altar.

### Thanksgiving offered with Altar Flowers

The beautiful flowers in the statues of the Blessed Virgin Mary and St. Joseph, this weekend, October 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>, were donated in "thanksgiving for our faith" by a generous donor. Please keep our donor and their intention in your prayers.

### Plenary Indulgence for Souls in Purgatory

A plenary indulgence, applicable only to the souls in purgatory, is granted under the usual conditions to the faithful who, on any day from November 1<sup>st</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup>, devoutly visit a cemetery and pray, if only mentally for the departed. "An indulgence is a remission before God of the temporal punishment due to sins whose guilt has already been forgiven, which the faithful Christian who is duly disposed gains under certain prescribed conditions through the action of the Church which, as the minister of redemption, dispenses and applies with authority the treasury of the saints. An indulgence is partial or plenary according as it removes either part or all of the temporal punishment due to sin" CCC 1471

### Bulletin Sponsor of the Week

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### Mass Intentions

**Saturday, October 17: St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr**

8:30am A Mass of Thanksgiving from the Louis Family

5:00pm Norma Frakes+

**Sunday, October 18: Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30am Hannah Fontz

9am Richard & Carolyn Thomas

10:45am The People of St. Veronica

5:00pm Theodore Zsirai+

**Monday, October 19: St. John de Brebeuf & St. Issac Jogues, Priests, & Companions, Martyrs**

8:30am Michael Schierer+

12:15pm Terri Tran

**Tuesday, October 20: St. Paul of the Cross, Priest**

8:30am Anne Marie Tawakkoli+

12:15pm Don Harnett+

**Wednesday, October 21:**

8:30am Katie Maloney

12:15pm Amy O'Donnell+

7:30pm Carlos Coneley Westing+

**Thursday, October 22: St. John Paul II**

8:30am Daniel Cummings+

12:15pm Nicolas L. Brounce+

**Friday, October 23: St. John of Capistrano**

8:30am Chris Lasher

12:15pm Thomas M. Harrigan+

**Saturday, October 24: St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop**

8:30am Michael Schierer+

5:00pm Joseph & Eileen Lyons++

**Sunday, October 25: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30am Rahda Swamyami+

9am The People of St. Veronica

10:45am Santos Efrain Tellez+

5:00pm Liam Branly

### Second Collection on Next Weekend

The second collection next weekend, October 24 & 25 will support our Monthly mortgage.

**Thank you in advance for your generosity!**

## Cornerstone

### Sunday Offertory

Weekend of 10/11/26 \$ 9,330.00

Parish Soft, 4 Weeks (projected) \$ 12,689.03

### Monthly Mortgage

Weekend of 10/11/26 \$ 2,797.00

Parish Soft, 4 Weeks (projected) \$ 3,770.94

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

### As of 8/31/2026

Principal paid to date \$ 7,307,725.56

Mortgage balance \$ 1,106,874.61

Monthly payment \$ 35,014.08

Please contact the Finance office at [Finance@stveronica.net](mailto:Finance@stveronica.net), with any questions or concerns regarding donations.

# From the Parish Office

## Help Stock the Faith Formation Office

Your donations are greatly appreciated! Items can be brought to the Parish Office during business hours or to the RE Table in the Parish Hall on Sunday mornings. We truly appreciate your support!

Our current requests are:

- Rice crispy treats
- Individually wrapped candy
- Small water bottles
- Glue sticks
- Paper plates (large)
- Plastic wrap

## Stop by on Sunday Mornings:

The Religious Education office can be reached at 703-773-2004 or re@stveronica.net. Our office is located in the Parish Office. Can't stop by during the work week? No problem! Religious Education has special office hours on most Sunday mornings from 8:30am-12:30pm. Stop by and visit us at our table in the Parish Hall before or after Mass. We look forward to hearing from you!

## Quo Vadis Seminary Visit for High School Boys

Ever wondered what college seminary is like? Join Vocations Director Father Noah Morey and Quo Vadis on November 14, 2026 to experience it firsthand on a visit to St. John Paul II Seminary in Washington, D.C. Meet the college seminarians and their formators, see where they live, pray, eat and study, celebrate Mass together and tour parts of Catholic University where they have classes. Dads are welcome but not required. Cost is \$15 per person; deadline to register is November 2. Space is limited! Visit [www.ArlingtonDiocese.org/QuoVadis](http://www.ArlingtonDiocese.org/QuoVadis), or contact the Office of Vocations, [vocations@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:vocations@arlingtondiocese.org) or 703-841-2514. Quo Vadis events are for high school boys interested in growing in their spiritual life and exploring their vocations.

## Pray for a Priest Each Day

We continue our daily prayers for priests in the Arlington Diocese.

|            |                              |
|------------|------------------------------|
| October 18 | Reverend Thomas Vander Woude |
| October 19 | Reverend Joseph Quang Vu     |
| October 20 | Very Reverend Robert Wagner  |
| October 21 | Lt Steven Walker, CHC, USN   |
| October 22 | Very Reverend Kevin Walsh    |
| October 23 | Reverend Jason Weber         |
| October 24 | Reverend Michael Weston      |

## Weekly Readings

### Sunday, October 18

Is 45: 1, 4-6; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

### Monday, October 19

Eph 2:1-10; Lk 12:13-21

### Tuesday, October 20

Eph 2:12-22; Lk 12:35-38

### Wednesday, October 21

Eph 3:2-12; Lk 12:39-48

### Thursday, October 22

Eph 3:14-21; Lk 12:49-53

### Friday, October 23

Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:54-59

### Saturday, October 24

Eph 4:7-16; Lk 13:1-9

## Pope's Monthly Prayer Intention

**For mental health ministry**—Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illness.

## Week at a Glance (October 18– October 24)

| Sun. Oct. 18                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Mon. Oct. 19                                                                                                                                                           | Tues. Oct. 20                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Wed. Oct. 21                                                                                                                  | Thurs. Oct. 22                                                                                                                                       | Fri. Oct. 23                                                                                                                   | Sat. Oct. 24                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
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| <b>7:30am</b> Mass<br><b>8:30 am</b> Doughnut Sunday hosted by the Pro-life Apostolate (Parish Hall)<br><b>9am</b> Mass<br><b>10:45am</b> Mass<br><b>12:15pm</b> Baptisms<br><b>1 pm</b> Fairfax Comitium (Parish Hall)<br><b>1pm</b> Youth Apostolate HS Meeting (Catacombs)<br><b>5pm</b> Mass | <b>8:30am</b> Mass<br><b>11:30am</b> Confessions<br><b>12:15pm</b> Mass<br><b>5:30pm</b> Religious Education Classes (Parish Hall)<br><b>7:30pm</b> OCIA (Parish Hall) | <b>8:30am</b> Mass<br><b>10am</b> Women's Bible Study (Acolyte Room)<br><b>12:15pm</b> Mass<br><b>6pm</b> Separated & Divorced Ministry (P201)<br><b>7pm</b> Legion of Mary (Acolyte Room)<br><b>7:30pm</b> Rangers (Parish Hall) | <b>8:30am</b> Mass<br><b>12:15pm</b> Mass<br><b>6:30pm</b> Confessions<br><b>7pm</b> Holy Hour & Rosary<br><b>7:30pm</b> Mass | <b>8:30am</b> Mass<br><b>12:15pm</b> Mass<br><b>1:30pm</b> Widowhood Club Meeting (Acolyte Room)<br><b>7pm</b> St. Veronica Book Club (Acolyte Room) | <b>8:30am</b> Mass<br><b>11:30am</b> Confessions<br><b>12:15pm</b> Mass<br><b>7:30pm</b> Youth Apostolate Ignite (Parish Hall) | <b>6:30am</b> TMIY<br><b>8:30am</b> Mass<br><b>9am</b> Confession<br><b>9am</b> SHE Meeting (P211)<br><b>10:30am</b> To Jesus thru Mary (Acolyte Room)<br><b>3:30pm</b> Confessions<br><b>5pm</b> Mass<br><b>7pm</b> FJJM (JP2) |

## Around the Parish & Diocese

# PRAY. FAST. VOTE NO.

**Bishop Michael F. Burbidge** calls all the faithful in the Catholic Diocese of Arlington throughout October to pray and fast, asking God to convert minds and hearts, transform lives, and inspire all Catholics to **vote "No"** on Virginia's Ballot **Questions #1 and #2**. Voting is now underway.

## PRAY.

- ✝ Pray the **Rosary** on Sundays
- ✝ Pray the **Stations of the Cross** on Fridays

## FAST.

- 🚫 **Fast from social media** on Sundays
- 🚫 Commit to **one daily meal** and **no meat** on Fridays

## VOTE.

- 🗳 **Vote early in-person** until October 31
- 🗳 Make a plan to **vote with family and friends**

Election day is November 3. Scan for Virginia election resources and more information about all that is at stake.



## Free Notary Services



Need a document notarized? St. Veronica is pleased to offer free notary services to parishioners and members of our surrounding community! No appointment necessary. No fee or charge.

FROM 10 AM TO 2 PM ON:

- ✓ Sept. 12 & 26
- ✓ October 10 & 24
- ✓ November 14 & 28
- ✓ December 12 & 26

In the Adoration Chapel, located in the back of the church by the candles

### ST. VERONICA PRO-LIFE APOSTOLATE



Please spiritually adopt an unborn baby! Every day, babies are killed by abortion & they have so little protection within a society that is motivated more by fear than love. Prayer is a powerful act of faith that can help them.

Say this prayer every day for nine months to save a baby's life:

*Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion*

~ Prayer of Archbishop Fulton Sheen

Spiritual Adoption holy cards are available in the narthex and in the parish hall after most Sunday morning Masses.

## Broken Rosaries and Sacramentals?

Drop them off at the parish office. A team of skilled parishioners will lovingly restore and return them for pick-up. Or, you may donate them for repair and use by others.

## Join the Senior Buffet Breakfast

Monday, December 7  
9:30 AM at



Sully Plaza (near Lowes)  
13804 Metrotech Drive

Cost \$10.00

Sign Up and Pay at Parish Office  
by Tuesday, December 1

20<sup>TH</sup>  
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Saturday,  
**OCTOBER 24<sup>TH</sup>**  
10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

St. Joseph's Catholic Church  
750 PEACHTREE STREET  
HERNDON, VA 20170

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**OCT. 22, 2026**



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Christ, that is, a faithful and  
courageous witness to  
His Gospel."

*St. John Paul II*

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**[www.stveronicaschool.org](http://www.stveronicaschool.org)**

2026 - 2027



# ***Catholic Youth Organization (CYO)***

**"Let us run with endurance the race God has set before us."**

**Hebrews 12:1**

## ***Cross Country***

Registration **Aug 18 - Sept 13**

Season **Aug - Nov**



## ***Basketball***

Registration **Oct 1 - Oct 20**

Season **Nov - Mar**

## ***Volleyball***

Registration **Jan-Feb**

Season **Mar - May**



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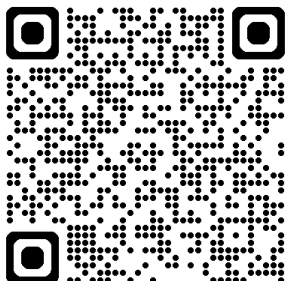
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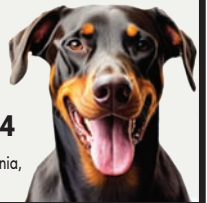
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