



PENTECOST

The apostles had to wait until the first Pentecost to receive the Holy Spirit. But we were blessed with the Holy Spirit when we were baptized. The Holy Spirit is within each one of us. Moreover, together we are united in the Spirit, who moves among us, here in this building as well as around the whole world. As we celebrate Pentecost, let us be aware of the movement of the Spirit in our lives.

Readings for this Week (May 21-26)

MONDAY:	James 3:13-18;	Mark 9:14-29
TUESDAY:	James 4:1-10;	Mark 9:30-37
WEDNESDAY:	James 4:13-17;	Mark 9:38-40
THURSDAY:	James 5:1-6;	Mark 9:41-50
FRIDAY:	James 5:9-12;	Mark 10:1-12
SATURDAY:	James 5:13-20;	Mark 10:13:16



Scripture for next Sunday (Most Holy Trinity)

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40

The Lord is God in the heavens above and on earth below and there is no other.

Romans 8:14-17

You received a Spirit of adoption, through whom we cry, "Abba, Father!"

Matthew 28:16-20

Baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Next Sunday's readings marvel at how fortunate we are to be in a relationship with God. In the first reading, Moses enumerates all the wonderful things that God has done for them, from creation to the rescue from Egypt, to the gift of the Promised Land. Saint Paul writes that we are God's sons and daughters by adoption. Finally, in the last line of Matthew's Gospel, Jesus tells His disciples, "***I am with you always, until the end of the age.***"

PRAYERS REQUESTED

We ask your prayers for **Jeffrey Miles**, the brother of **Chris Jenkins**, who died recently in South Carolina.

We ask your prayers for **Donald Snapp**, the uncle of Bearl Jenkins who died this past week.

Notes of sympathy may be sent to Chris & Bearl at 1077 Mt. Holston Road, Bluff City, TN 37618.

PRAYERS REQUESTED

Your prayers are requested for **Gabriel James Allison** who was born at 20 weeks and lived only a few minutes. His parents (Amanda & William) and his brothers (Austin & Carter) were in our RCIA and received their Sacraments of Initiation here at the Easter Vigil. They moved to the Richmond area shortly after Easter. Notes of sympathy may be sent to the family at 14935 Old Stage Road, Dinwiddie, VA 23841.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Tuesday

Please join us this **Tuesday, May 22, 9:15a-4:30p.** Join us for an hour of prayer during the day and for **Benediction at 4:30 p.m.**

STAFF "CALENDAR PLANNING" DAY

This Tuesday, May 22, the staff will be out of the office working on the Calendar for the coming ministry year. Father Eric will have morning Mass and open Adoration, and then will return for Benediction and Confessions that afternoon. The parish office **will be open** (Betty Fitton will be at front desk from 9a to 12n and Vanessa Purdy will be at the desk from 12n to 4 p.m.).

"End Abortion" Billboard

Be sure to take a look at our St. Anne's sponsored billboard to end abortion. The billboard is located on Lee Hwy. by the Domino's near Exit 7. Thanks to the Respect Life Committee for sponsoring the yearly billboard campaign, along with other tri-cities churches, to end abortion.

DON'T FORGET!!

We start our **Sunday "Summer" Mass Schedule** next weekend!! So (instead of 11:30a), the Mass time will be **10:30a on May 27.**

The 10:30a time will continue until AFTER Labor Day.

Prayer Shawl members are reminded of our gathering this **Wednesday, May 23, at 10 a.m.** in the St. Vincent de Paul Center. New members are always welcome to join us!

Prayer Group meeting this week:

**Wednesday, May 23, 2:45-3:45p
in the St. Vincent de Paul Center.**

All are invited to attend. No preparation, no cost. Join us for an hour of prayers!



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults—RCIA

- **Catechumens & Candidates** will meet this **Wed., May 23**, in the Great Room, **6:30-8:00 p.m.**
- **NO Adult Mystagogy** this week.
- **Inquirers** will meet in the office conference room. Stop by the Great Room for opening prayer at 6:30 p.m.
- **Children’s RCIA & Mystagogy** will gather in the hallway by the Great Room at **6:30 p.m.** before going to class.

For more information about our RCIA, please contact Sydney Farnum at sydneyfarnum@stannes-bristol.org.

St. Anne’s Choir

Choir rehearsal this **Wed., May 23, at 6:30 p.m.** and will sing on Trinity Sunday, May 27 at the 10:30a Mass. *The last Choir rehearsal for this ministry year will be May 30 and the Choir will sing for Corpus Christi Sunday, June 3, 10:30a Mass.*

Finance Council members are reminded of their meeting this Thursday, May 24, at 7 a.m. in the School Conference Room.

LOOKING AHEAD just a bit!!

The **parish office will be closed on Monday, May 28**, for the Memorial Day Holiday. Bulletin notices for the June 3 bulletin should be left on the office voicemail, 276-669-8200 ext. 0, or parish email stannes@stannes-bristol.org NLT Monday, May 28 at 12N.



Senior High Youth Ministry (Grades 9-12)

Upcoming Schedule:

- **May 20—Youth Group (BYC 6:00pm-8:00pm)**
 - “What would Jesus do?”
- **May 27—NO SHYM**
 - Labor Day Weekend!

For the summer months of June & July, SHYM will be meeting on MONDAY evenings!

- **June 4—Youth Group (BYC 6:00pm-8:00pm)**
 - Building games for the Parish Picnic
- **June 11—Youth Group (BYC 6:00pm-8:00pm)**
 - Building games for the Parish Picnic

This Week in Adult Faith Formation:

Sunday, May 20:

- **SMARE** is now on summer break. Classes will resume in **September**.

Monday, May 21:

- **Monday Adult Faith Formation** is on a short break. Join us on **June 11** for **The Mystery of God—Atheism and what We Mean by “God”**. All are welcome to join this study group. **1:00pm-2:00pm** in the St. Vincent de Paul Center.

Tuesday, May 22:

- **Book Club. 10:30-11:30am** in the St. Vincent de Paul Center. **To Light a Fire on the Earth** by Bishop Robert Barron.
- **Tuesday Evening Scripture Study, 6:30-8:00pm** in the St. Vincent de Paul Center. **“Eucharist—Miracles of Jesus: Water, Wine, Loaves, and Fishes”**.

Wednesday, May 23:

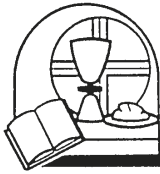
- **Little Rock Scripture Study, 1:00pm-2:30pm** in the St. Vincent de Paul Center. ***The Pastoral Letters***
- **RCIA: 6:30pm** in the Great Room.

For more information about any of the above programs, email sydneyfarnum@stannes-bristol.org or call 276-669-8200 ext. 32.

The Mystery of God

Who God Is and Why He Matters

Please note change in starting date: This study will begin on **Monday, June 11, 1:00pm-2:30pm** in the St. Vincent de Paul Center. Please sign up at the table in the commons to join the study group.



Mass
Intentions
Of The Week

Saturday, May 19 (*Vigil of Pentecost*)

5:30 p.m. †Louis Przystas

Sunday, May 20 (*Pentecost*)

8:30 a.m. †Mike Yaromey

11:30 a.m. †Mary Pat Flanagan

2:00 p.m. Parishioners (*Spanish Mass*)

Tuesday, May 22

8:30 a.m. †Lida Cannella

Wednesday, May 23

8:30 a.m. "Special Intention"

Thursday, May 24

6:00 p.m. †Mabel Gokey

Friday, May 25

8:30 a.m. †Michalina Bliznik & family

Saturday, May 26 (*Vigil of Trinity*)

5:30 p.m. †Thalia Cooper

Sunday, May 27 (*Trinity Sunday*)

8:30 a.m. †David Guy

10:30 a.m. †Mary Pat Flanagan

2:00 p.m. Spanish Mass (*Spanish Mass*)

PLEASE NOTE!! Mass time changes to 10:30 a.m. next Sunday, May 27, for our Summer Mass schedule.



Collection Report (May 12/13)

Regular/Operating	\$10,192.00
Diocesan Home Missions	\$ 2,062.00
Add'l Catholic Virginian	\$ 20.00
Add'l School 2nd collection	\$ 2,175.00

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS:

St. Anne's School — June 2/3

Holy Father/Peter's Pence—June 10/11

(Second collections are taken up during the Preparation of the Altar and Presentation of the Gifts, immediately following the regular/operating collection.)



Register for Vacation Bible School!

June 18-22

9am—noon

Grades K-5th

*Junior High Students can be volunteers at VBS.
If you are working on getting Community Scholar hours
this will go towards that.*

Early Registration is greatly appreciated!!

SAINT ANNE'S SCHOOL

Admissions Open for next school year!!

St. Anne's School is still admitting students for the next school year! It is not too late to apply for tuition assistance and we would LOVE to have your family join our family here at St. Anne's School!! If you are interested in receiving more information, please call 276-669-0048 or go to our website (www.stanne.schoolbristol.org).

SUMMER CAMPS at St. Anne's School!

Summer can be tiring for parents and for kids! Good news for you and your child... St. Anne's School will be offering summer camps this summer! We are still working out the details, but if you are interested, please contact the school and we will put you on the list to receive more information! Call the school office at 276-669-0048.

CDA meeting

Monday, May 21

Members of the *Catholic Daughters of the Americas*, Our Lady of the Rosary local court #2624, are reminded of their meeting this **Monday, May 21** at the Bristol Columbian Center. Social time begins at 5:30 p.m. and the meeting will begin at 6 p.m. with the "Education Awards" to be presented to the winners. Please come and support the people who gave their time to enter and win. Our business meeting will follow with election of new officers. We look forward to seeing you there! Any Catholic lady wishing to join CDA, please call our Regent, Carol Reynolds, 276-591-1134 or Gina Rossetti, 423-878-7827.



The CDA theme is

"For Him, we live and move and have our being" Acts 17:2.

Formed.org (Church code: 24Q8G9)

If you haven't had a chance to go onto the www.formed.org program to access religious education programs for all ages, bible studies, books, movies, and CDs, be sure to sign-up. Go to the website, use our church access code, and set-up your account with your email. It is all free to you since the parish has a subscription. In the past 10 months, our parishioners have gone onto formed.org 828 times to take advantage of this opportunity to learn more about their faith. Join today!

Sunday School of Religion

& Junior High of Religion Happenings

Sunday School and Junior High Religion Picnic

Sugar Hollow—May 20, 2018

3:30 pm—5:30 pm

Hope to see you there!

**A Heartfelt Thank You to all the catechists
and aides that made this year of Sunday School
of Religion and Junior High Religion a great
place to be.**

*Come, Holy Spirit and fill the hearts of Your faithful
And kindle in us the fire of Your love.
Send forth Your Spirit and we shall be created
And You will renew the face of the earth.*

