

6th Sunday of Easter

"May the God of Love and Peace Set Your Heart At Rest"
St. Raymond



Welcome to St. Raymond of Peñafort Roman Catholic Church

8750 Pohick Road
Springfield, VA 22153

WEEKEND MASSES:
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 7:00 am, 9:00 am,
11:00 am and 1:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES:
Monday through Friday:
8:30 am
Saturday: 9:00 am

EXTRAORDINARY FORM MASS (LATIN)
1st and 3rd Fridays 7:00 pm

Rev. John C. De Celles, Pastor
Elisabeth Turco, Director of Liturgical Music
Jeanne Sause, Director of Youth Apostolate
Mary Salmon, Director of Religious Education
Vince Drouillard, Religious Education Secretary
Joe Marquart, Plant Manager
Kirsti Tyson, Office Manager
Mary Butler, Secretary
Virginia Osella, Parish Secretary

PARISH OFFICE:

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Choirs: Music@straymonds.org

Website

www.straymonds.org

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (Reconciliation/Confession)

Wednesday Evening
6:15-6:55 p.m. (during Exposition)
Saturday Morning
8:00 - 8:45 a.m.
Saturday Afternoon
3:00 - 5 p.m.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Wednesday from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm
Friday from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

MARRIAGE: Couples wishing to marry must contact a parish priest at least 6 months prior to the desired wedding date. Couples who are living together will be expected to live separately at least during the 3 months prior to the wedding.

RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the process by which adults (and children who have reached the age of reason) are instructed in the Doctrine of the Church and are prepared to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Eucharist. If you or someone you know, would like to inquire about becoming a Catholic, please call the Parish Office.

BAPTISM: Parents are requested to make arrangements with the Parish Office ONE MONTH in advance. Parents must participate in a one-session pre-Baptismal program and are encouraged to do so before the birth of their child. You must be REGISTERED in the Parish 3 MONTHS prior to the Baptism.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Please submit announcements in writing 10 days prior to publication.

TUITION ASSISTANCE: Please inquire with our office about the availability of partial scholarships for the children of active St. Raymond parishioners attending local Catholic grade schools and high schools.

Angelus Academy
7644 Dynatech Ct, Springfield, VA 22153
703-924-3996

Angelus Academy is a fully-accredited pre-K through 8th grade Catholic School affiliated with the Diocese of Arlington. Although it has no official connection with St. Raymond's, the parish has a longstanding close relationship with Angelus Academy. Many of our parish children already happily attend school there.

Pastor's Corner

ARE YOU A RACIST? According to many modern academics and leftist activists, if you are “white” you almost certainly are a racist. At least that’s what the leftist-Marxist thought police are trying to force us to believe nowadays. We see it all over the place, and now they’re trying to make it part of the laws and rules of our country.

We also see it in education in what is called “Critical Race Theory.” The foundational tenets of CRT are, first, “The centrality and intersectionality of racism.” That is, racism exists everywhere in American life—from our personal thoughts, to interpersonal relationships, to the workplace, to schools and the courts. CRT holds that racism isn’t just about the actions of individuals, but that it’s embedded in our institutions, systems, and culture. It is the American way of life.

Because of this, CRT holds that concepts like neutrality, objectivity, colorblindness, and meritocracy are actually impossible in America, since racism is part of everyday life in America.

Of course, all of this is nonsense, lies and anti-historical.

And yet, last summer, in preparing to develop a new “anti-racism” curriculum, Fairfax County Public School teachers, principals and other school administrators, attended a one hour Zoom conference hosted by CRT promoter and author Ibram Kendi on anti-racism and “critical race theory.” Kendi was paid \$20,000 and the school district spent another \$24,000 on Kendi’s books, **making them required reading for K-12 students.**

CRT is rooted in Marxist principle of class warfare: setting groups to fight against each other, in part to achieve revolution and attain power to impose new governing and moral principles on society. This has been **repeatedly condemned by the Church** as being diametrically opposed to the fundamental rule of loving your neighbor (neither racism nor class warfare are consistent with love) and the dignity of every human being and his/her God-given inherent rights and liberties.

Every true Christian should find it despicable. And yet these are the ideology/morals/principles that your government controlled schools, funded by your tax dollars and to which YOU send your children, are indoctrinating our youth with.

This, along with the many perverted and nonsensical notions of sexuality and gender, as well as anti-life, anti-Christian and other anti-American ideas, that are being promoted by our government run local schools (i.e., Fairfax County Public Schools), causes me to wonder if it is immoral to send children to these schools.

Is it immoral—a grave sin? I’m afraid it just might be. At least, we need to consider this.

Think about this: we were all rightly outraged when we heard about the abuse of children by priests and bishops a few years back. I remember how, for a while, so many people treated **all** priests as suspect of these horrible deeds. And we still have all sorts of rules in place in the Church that are to protect our children from the possibility of this ever happening. I understood that.

But now I wonder, why do we not feel/think the same outrage and suspicion toward our government bureaucrats and elected officials **who are also abusing our children** by warping their minds with this filth and nonsense? If we teach racial-minority students to hate white students, and teach white children to hate themselves? All based on lies! If we teach our kids to hate and distrust our institutions—from the Church to the Courts to the Constitution itself? How can we corrupt our kids with this cow manure, and still say we love them, much less expect them and ourselves to remain in God’s favor? How can we do this to

our little ones and not fear the fires of hell—for them and us?

And yet...What is the alternative? Many parents of government/public school children believe they simply can’t afford, financially or otherwise, the alternatives.

Many, recognizing the problem, dedicate themselves to offsetting the nonsense of the schools by **aggressively countering these errors at home and in the parish.** This seems to work for some parents. But I don’t think it will work for most parents—because they simply don’t work at it aggressively, but also because it’s just so hard to offset the indoctrination forced on them by their teachers and peers.

Something must be done. The best alternatives are to put your kids in Catholic schools or to homeschool—or perhaps have good Catholic homeschooling friends homeschool your kids for you. We need to be creative—we need to think outside the box. For the love of Christ, and the love of our kids.

The last few months I have been racking my brain trying to figure out how to help you with this. One way is by **offering scholarships to Catholic schools** to parish families, as well as aid to homeschooling families. Every year we offer 10s of thousands of dollars in this aid. That’s why I’ve designated **this week’s second collection for Parish Special Needs to pay for these scholarships**—so I ask you all, especially those with older children and with more substantive means, to **please give generously.**

But maybe there’s something else I can do. So I’ll be working on that this summer. Please pray that the Lord may guide me.

ABUSE OF POLICE. The Critical Race Theory, or the idea that all whites and all American institutions are racist, is also seen in the degradation of our Police officers. You know what I mean. And cops are quitting in droves: no human being deserves such disrespect, especially when they are risking their lives every day for our safety.

Again, it reminds me of the priest abuse scandal. Almost all police officers are good and honorable. There are some bad apples. There may even be better techniques to use in policing. But even when tragedy occurs, even when a cop goes bad—or simply makes a terrible mistake in the heat of the moment—we can’t treat them all like “pigs.”

It makes me sick to see how the leftist-Marxist inspired groups are pushing this anti-police agenda, at the heart of which is the intention to tear down our society (including the Church) and its moral norms, and rebuild it in a totalitarian state, imposing their ideas on all of us.

Catholics cannot stand for this. Yes, cops make mistakes, and some even are bad apples, but the same can be said for priests, for parents, and for leftist activists. Evil, and even mistakes, must be punished. But Jesus commands us, “Love one another.” We must reject the Marxist principle to “fight one another.”

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION. Congratulations to all the little ones who received Our Lord for the first time last weekend. I think it was very good for the parish to witness this at Sunday Mass, and I plan to continue this, in some form, as we go forward. Thanks to all the catechists for their hard work too. And please keep the children in your prayers.

READERS NEEDED! We are in need of new volunteers to read at Mass. If you can read and speak well, are a practicing Catholic in good standing, and have received the Sacrament of Confirmation, I invite you to contact our head Reader/Lector Phil Bettwy by phone 703-690-6379 or by email PBettwy@aol.com.

Oremus pro invicem. Fr. De Celles

MASS INTENTIONS

<p>Monday, May 10th 8:30 am Mother's Day Triduum</p> <p>Tuesday, May 11th 8:30 am Mother's Day Triduum</p> <p>Wednesday, May 12th 8:30 am Sophia Perricone</p> <p>Thursday, May 13th 8:30 am Edward Flynn +</p> <p>Friday, May 14th 8:30 am Elizabeth Quidileg+</p> <p>Masses to be said Privately 5/16 Beth Marfil +</p>	<p>Saturday, May 15th 9:00 am Jason & Erin Saenz</p> <p>Vigil Mass 5:00 pm Walter Jr. Seiberling +</p> <p>Sunday, May 16th 7:00 am Rick & Joan Crum 9:00 am Parishioners 11:00 am Chris & David Quan 1:00 pm Family of Jesus Prayer Group</p>
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Please pray for our parishioners serving in Combat Zones and their families. If you have a relative serving in harm's way and would like to have his/her name included in our prayer list, please contact the parish office. **Also, please be sure to let us know when they return home.**

****Anthony Nsekela–** **Brandon Skiba**
Returned Home Safely** **Colleen McFadden**

Please pray for the sick of our parish

<p>Glenn Bliss Tom Dietz Michael O'Neill Cindy Laird Patricia Lewis Barbara McGinn Mai Pham Joan Opiela Leonora Ramos Jason Saenz Phyllis Zitnik Mary K Randazzo Patricia Del Buono</p>	<p>Michael Malachowski Juanita Boarman John Florio Debra Henkel Daniel Moore Maria Daugherty Lauren Hornsby Gaudencio Dizon Antoinette Baptist Ada Prabhavat Paul Haynes Minnie Taylor Dwayne Taylor</p>	<p>Bernadette D'Agostino Christopher Quan Ted Tolpa Nena Brennan Fr. Jerome Daly Donald Hale Christina Cautero Fr. Paul Richardson Rachel McCready David Warren Catherine Gancio Ofelia Lana</p>
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View livestreaming of the Holy Mass at St. Raymond's!

<https://straymonds.org/view-mass-online/>

Monday - Friday Daily Mass at 8:30 am

Saturday at 9:00 am

Sunday Mass at 11:00 am

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 1:00 pm

Masks Mandatory for the 1:00 pm Mass

Confessions in the Church

(in the flower room)

Wednesdays: 6:15 pm - 6:55 pm

Saturday: 8:00 am - 8:45 am, 3:00 pm - 4:45 pm

Face masks are expected at all Masses unless you are exempt.

Watch for our Constant Contact Updates! If you are not receiving emails from the parish, please contact the parish office at 703-440-0535 or office@straymonds.org to verify your email address.

Catholic Book Club: The next Parish Book Club meeting is on Friday, **May 14th** in the Maurer Room at 10:00 am. There is limited space but virtual attendance is possible... The book for discussion is *Jesus and the Jewish Roots of Mary: Unveiling the Mother of the Messiah* by Brant Pitre (240 pgs.). Newcomers welcome. If you have any questions or to register, please contact Jim Mault at bookclub@straymonds.org

Mark your calendars! Fr. De Celles will celebrate 25 years of priesthood on May 18th! The weekend of May 22/23 we will have a reception following each Mass (except 7:00 am). There will be light refreshments available in the parish hall and out on the patio, and this is a great opportunity for fellowship with other parishioners. Please plan to attend and thank our pastor for his dedication to our parish and the Church. Please call the parish office if you have questions about giving gifts or volunteering to help with the celebration.

Volunteers Needed! St. Raymond's is looking for additional volunteers to read at Mass. Being a lector is very inspiring and helps you become more involved in the Mass. You will only be scheduled for the Masses you request. Please consider this awesome opportunity and if interested, contact Phil Bettwy by phone at 703-690-6379 or by email at PBettwy@aol.com

Men's Prayer Group: On the first and third Saturdays of each month a group of men meet in the parish hall to pray and read the scriptures. They are neither theologians, philosophers, nor great scholars. Just some guys, coming together to pray, read, and share a simple breakfast. Everyone is welcome. Please join us at 7:30 am Saturday, May 15th. For more information, call Dave Wilson, 703-966-5327.

Legion of Mary: The Legion of Mary weekly meeting is held Virtually on Monday evenings at 7:30 pm. All auxiliary members and anyone interested in joining the Legion of Mary are welcome. For more information, please contact Tom Delaney at 703-690-1930 or by e-mail at tdelaney51@verizon.net

Thank You! This past Sunday, May 2, Angelus Academy held its 20th Anniversary Gala. Angelus Academy wishes to thank all St. Raymond's parishioners who supported us and helped to make it such a successful event. God bless you all.

GOSPEL JN 15:9-17

Jesus said to His disciples:

“As the Father loves Me, so I also love you.
Remain in My love.

If you keep My commandments, you will remain in My
love,

just as I have kept My Father’s commandments
and remain in His love.

“I have told you this so that My joy may be in you
and your joy might be complete.

This is My commandment: love one another as I love
you.

No one has greater love than this,
to lay down one’s life for one’s friends.

You are My friends if you do what I command you.

I no longer call you slaves,
because a slave does not know what his master is
doing.

I have called you friends,
because I have told you everything I have heard from
My Father.

It was not you who chose Me, but I who chose you
and appointed you to go and bear fruit that will remain,
so that whatever you ask the Father in My name He may
give you.

This I command you: love one another.”



**St. John Bosco Council #12846 Knights of
Columbus:**

Are you a man of 17 ½ years of
more? Are you a practicing Catholic? Then we
invite you to join the Knights! Contact Deputy Grand Knight
Stephen Delaney (703-627-8090) or go to [www.KofC.org/
JoinUs](http://www.KofC.org/JoinUs) to become a Knight today!

Blood Drive: The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring
a blood drive on behalf of Inova Blood Donor Services on
Saturday, May 15, here at St. Raymond’s parish hall from 7:00
AM to 1:00 PM. Please consider signing up for a 15-minute time
slot within that period and giving the Gift of Life. You may sign
up either online at www.inovabloodsaves.org or in the Narthex
after all Masses in the this weekend. If you have any questions or
difficulty signing up, please contact Mark Maslyn of our parish at
703-690-7285 or by email at mam7253@msn.com.

Family of Jesus Prayer Group: Though our weekly
meetings are currently canceled - we are still praying! If you
have any prayer requests, please let us know by emailing Elaine
Perricone at jpebtp@verizon.net or by calling the parish office.

Luminaries of Holy Mary: Come join us on June 5th to honor
the Blessed Mother’s request for making the 5 First Saturdays:
Mass at 9am, then meet in the Parish Hall for Rosary, meditation
and Gospel reflection. All are welcome.

SAINT RAYMOND’S RESPECTS LIFE

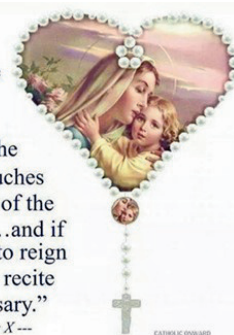
*Learn the TRUTH.
Live the TRUTH.
Spread the TRUTH...
in LOVE*

*Pray for an end to
abortion.
We win on our knees.*

*A blessed Mothers’
Day to all.*

“The Rosary is
the most
beautiful and the
most rich in
graces of all
prayers; it is the
prayer that touches
most the Heart of the
Mother of God...and if
you wish peace to reign
in your homes, recite
the family Rosary.”

--- Pope Saint Pius X ---



The MaRiH center
An Alternative to Abortion

Volunteers needed! The MaRiH Center is a Pro
Life Pregnancy Support Center operating on Duke Street in
Alexandria since 1974. We are seeking volunteers!
Spanish language skills are especially desirable but not
required. Please call 703-370-4774, email
marihcenter@gmail.com or visit marih.org for
additional information and a tour. We look forward to
volunteering with you! **Material donations welcomed in
the narthex. May God bless you for your continued
support!**

**Please see the parish website for info regarding
COVID-19 Vaccines and their relation to aborted
fetal cell lines. You must speak up!**

Get the TRUTH ABOUT THE EQUALITY ACT.

Go to arlingtondiocese.org/equalityact to learn about
the dangerous implications of the Equality Act and what you can
do to try and stop its passage.

**EVERY SATURDAY MORNING from 8:00am -
12:00pm** you have an opportunity to pray with
others from Northern Virginia at the Falls Church
Women’s Healthcare Center (900 S. Washington St.). Your
united prayers and physical presence are powerful
deterrents to those entering the facility for abortion. Be
part of the year-round movement to save lives and souls.

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**Has the sorrow of miscarriage or still birth
touched your life?** Or perhaps you know someone
in this situation. **A Mom’s Peace**, a Lay Apostolate
for Mothers of Miscarried and Stillborn Souls offers
discreet support to families with bereavement, burial and
remembrance assistance. For more information visit
amomspeace.org.

Give a Gift for Life! Gabriel Project helps
pregnant moms welcome their babies. Please consider
donating at www.arlingtondiocese.org/giftforlife. For
more info, contact them at 1-866-444-3553 or
GabrielProject@arlingtondiocese.org

St. Raymond's Youth Apostolate

NO Junior High or High School Youth Group Sunday 5/9

Celebrate by having fun (or helping!) with your moms instead! We look forward to seeing everyone NEXT Sunday 5/16 for our last Sunday night youth group this academic year.

Attention 8th Graders: You are invited to come to Jr. High youth group NEXT Sunday, May 16th (5-6:30pm) and/or High School youth group (8-9pm)!

Attention 6th Graders: You are invited to come to Jr. High youth group NEXT Sunday, May 16th (5-6:30pm)! Join us for pizza, faith & fellowship! Make sure forms (below) are on file before coming.

Sons of Thunder High School Boys' Group 7-8:30pm Tuesday, May 11th (Parish Hall)

Current 8th-12th Grade Guys, come join the brotherhood! Sons of Thunder meets 7-8:30pm on the 2nd & 4th Tuesdays of the month in the Parish Hall. Come learn more about your faith, deepen your relationship with Christ, and hang out with other guys in a chill atmosphere. Make sure forms (below) are on file before coming. New folks always welcome!

Class of 2021 Senior Send-Off!

Wednesday, May 19th 6-9pm (at St. Raymond's)

St. Raymond's class of 2021 are invited to a Holy Hour followed by an ice cream social with Fr. De Celles & current/recent college students! Come hear wisdom, stories and college advice! Bring your questions! RSVP to Jeanne

youth@straymonds.org

Class of 2021: College Night!

The Associates of St. John Bosco invites rising college freshmen to attend a College Night at one of the following parishes beginning at 7pm:

June 30 - St. Michael's

July 7 - Nativity

July 21 - St. Mary's Basilica

July 28 - St. Mary's Fredericksburg

College Nights are free to all students and provide resources and support for keeping your Catholic faith when entering college. Catholic student representatives from George Mason, UVA, the University of Mary Washington, William & Mary, Virginia Tech and other private and public schools will be on hand to share their experiences of being a Catholic college student. This is a great opportunity to network with other Catholic students and to receive resources for the transition to college. To register for College Night and for more info go to www.asjb.org.

Scholarship Opportunity: Associates of St. John Bosco offers scholarships to undergraduate students who demonstrate an intense desire to serve the Church in some capacity after graduation. They are pleased to offer three scholarships in the amount of \$3,500 and one scholarship, the Vincent T. Vaccaro Education Scholarship, in the amount of \$5,000 to a student who will be engaged in education or work with young adults after college. The application is due May 18th. For more information, please visit: <https://www.asjb.org/scholarship-program>

Youth Apostolate Participation 2 REQUIRED Forms

Forms can be found online at <http://bit.ly/YAforms>

Jeanne Sause

Director of the Youth Apostolate (Grades 7-12)

youth@straymonds.org Call/Text: 571-334-9890

<http://bit.ly/youthapostolate>

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!!!

This is the final week (May 10, 11 and 16) of Religious Education classes for the 2020-2021 academic year. It is also the week of final exams for grades 1-8.

We are profoundly grateful to the parents, students and volunteers for all your hard work and dedication in seeing that religious education remain a priority during these very difficult and challenging times. May God bless you abundantly for your efforts! We are so blessed to partner with you in bringing the Faith to the children of St. Raymond's.

We look forward to seeing ALL of you (grades K-12) - on site - next year!!

2021-2022 Religious Education Registration Forms are available in the Narthex of the church, in the Parish Office, outside the Religious Education Office and on the Parish website. Class assignment is made on a first come, first served basis with class sizes limited to 15 students. Register early to get your first choice!!

Volunteer teachers/catechists, assistant teachers and aides (high school students) **are needed for the 2021-2022 Religious Education year.** If you are interested in helping out in a Religious Education classroom as a teacher, assistant teacher or aide (high school students), please complete a green registration form and return it to the RE Office.

The Conferral of Confirmation without Mass will take place on May 24th and May 27th. Parents will receive an email with more specific information very soon.

St. Martin de Porres Committee - collects **non-perishable** food on an ongoing basis for the Springfield Resource Center which services over 250 families in the Springfield area. A collection box is in the Narthex and donations are collected and distributed weekly. Suggested food items are listed, but all donations are welcome (no clothing). For equitable distribution, smaller packaging is requested (i.e. 1 lb bags of rice vs. 5 lb. bags, 1qt. oil vs. 1 gal oil). **During this crisis the need for food is greater than ever. Please be generous.**

Spring/Summer 2021 Class to enter the Catholic Church (RCIA) - is being offered at St Raymond's Parish on **Monday evenings 7:30 to 8:30 pm until August 30, 2021 (except for Memorial Day, May 31, and July 5, 2021).** This program is based on the teachings of the Catholic Church and designed to prepare 1) *baptized adult non-Catholics* to enter the Catholic Church, and 2) *baptized adult Catholics* seeking First Holy Communion and/or Confirmation. **Also, anyone who desires a better understanding of Catholic teachings and practices is welcome.** No advanced registration is required. The standard RCIA program will be offered beginning in September 2021. If you have questions call Bob or Bev Ward 703-644-5873 or via e-mail at biblestudy@straymonds.org.

Church Persecuted

The move of a nation or a culture toward Marxism/communism is not an accidental happenstance that suddenly appears; rather it is a planned and orchestrated attempt to take control of the government, society, religion, and education.

The takeover of religion and education is currently happening in our public schools where nihilism is the religion allowing everyone to believe what he or she likes. The late Monsignor Lorenzo Albacete wrote that American nihilists “believe in everything and anything all at once. It’s all good!” Right or wrong is not established by any truth, but by whatever a person feels at that time. Mothers and fathers of students in these schools must counter this by anchoring their children in the tenets of their Catholic faith.

This weekend, the parish second collection is for Parish Special Needs. This year Father De Celles has designated it for scholarships to Catholic schools to help our families provide a faith-filled education for their children. It’s an opportunity for the parish family to help other families. It also affords parents an opportunity to reflect on their responsibilities in the education of their children. “The right and duty of parents to give education is essential, since it is connected with the transmission of human life... it is irreplaceable and inalienable, and therefore incapable of being entirely delegated to others or usurped by others.” (*Familiaris Consortio*, 36)

“God sent His only Son into the world so that we might live through Him.” Are you open to the call to be sent into the world as a priest or consecrated religious, that others might live in Christ? If you think God may be offering you this grace, contact Fr. Michael Isenberg, michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org or 703-841-2514.

John Paul the Great Returns to In-Person Learning: Saint John Paul the Great looks forward to bringing students back into the building full-time for Fall 2021! Applications are being accepted for the 2021-2022 school year, and we look forward to getting to know your family! Visit jpthegreat.org for more information, to schedule a tour, or to begin your application today!

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Angelus Academy

Pre K—8th

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Looking for a gentle introduction to school for your 3-4 year old? Our Little Messengers program, held on Tuesday and Thursday mornings, includes Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (Atrium). <https://angelusacademy.org/admissions-overview/applying/>.

Thank you for your prayers and support.
With God, nothing will be impossible!

www.AngelusAcademy.org

7644 Dynatech Ct., Springfield, VA 22153
703-924-3996

Home School Group: for more information visit our website www.homeschool-life.com/va/straymondhsg/ Contact: Katherine Bogacki or Malia Cameron at straymondhsg@gmail.com.

Please remember that our parish's expenses continue during this pandemic! Your donations may be mailed, dropped off at the parish office, or given online through Faith Direct. Please visit our website www.straymonds.org to join online or call directly at 866-507-8757.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

Offertory	\$ 13,397.00
Family Assistance	\$ 1,355.00
Maintenance Fund	\$ 2,475.00

The second collection this week is for Parish Special Needs. This year Fr. De Celles has designated it for Scholarships to Catholic Schools to help our families provide a faith-filled Education to their children.

The second collection next week is for Catholic Communications.

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