

# St. Peter Catholic Church

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, & Joseph  
December 30, 2018



## Mass & Confession Schedule

<b>Saturday Vigil</b>	5 p.m.
<b>Sunday</b>	8:30 & 11 a.m.
<b>Mon., Wed., Fri., &amp; Sat.</b>	8:30 a.m.
<b>Mon., Wed., &amp; Fri.</b> Traditional Latin Mass (TLM)	11:15 a.m.
<b>Tuesday</b>	6:45 a.m.
<b>Thursday</b>	7 p.m.
<b>Holy Hour (Thursday)</b>	7:30 p.m.
<b>Holyday of Obligation</b>	8:30 a.m., 11:15 a.m. (TLM), & 7 p.m.

### **Confessions**

Mon, Wed., Fri., Sat.	10 minutes after morning Masses
Thursday	7:30–8:30 p.m.
Saturday	4–4:45 p.m.

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St. John the Baptist. c.1616–c.1617*

## Parish Contact Information

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*Deadline for bulletin submissions: noon Monday*  
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**Parish Office Hours:** Monday, Wednesday, & Friday  
8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

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## Mass Intentions and Feasts

**Feast of the Holy Family** (Rdgs: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Col 3:12-21; Lk 2:41-52)

**Dec. 29** 5 p.m. Msgr. Justin D. McClunn +  
**Dec. 30** 8:30 a.m. In honor of the Blessed Sacrament  
11 a.m. For all parishioners

**Monday—St. Sylvester I, pope**

**Dec. 31** 8:30 a.m. Robert & Shirley Franey  
11:15 a.m. Doloris Dias+ & Patricia Myers+  
5 p.m. Vigil William & Aleta Gadino

**Tuesday—Mary, Mother of God [Holyday of Obligation]**

**Jan. 01, 2019** 9 a.m. John Milne +  
11:15 a.m. TLM Joseph & Anne Galeone

**Wednesday—Sts. Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen, bishops & Doctors of the Church**

**Jan. 02** 8:30 a.m. Vivian Rose Davis +  
11:15 a.m. TLM Cecile Gardner

**Thursday**

**Jan. 03** 7 p.m. Andrew Wingate  
7:30–8:30 p.m. Holy Hour & Confessions

**Friday**

**Jan. 04** 8:30 a.m. Peter & Charlotte Gasper +  
11:15 a.m. TLM Jude Wingate

**Saturday**

**Jan. 05** 8:30 a.m. Gino & Janet Genari

## Prayers for the Sick

*Please pray for the following parishioners and their relatives:*

**Gerald Hoffman**  
**Elaine Viguerie**  
**Christopher John Field**  
**Nicholas Hovey**  
**Walt Cybrowski**  
**Joan Gannon**  
**Melanie Maloney**  
**Hurley Smith**  
**Michael and Eileen Hawkins**  
**Bob Ward**

### Christmas Flowers in Memory of:

**Elaine & Eddie Zienk**  
**Robert & Ruth Junk**  
**Art, Pam, & Al**  
**Betty Escasenas**  
**Gerald Tyson**  
**Edwin Trainor**  
**Deacon Charles Coutu**  
**Alice King**  
**Calvin & Ida Durham**  
**Francis & Clyde Mena Gasper**  
**Heather Gasper O'Neill**

### Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass Schedule

**New Year's Eve**  
**Dec. 31**  
5 p.m. Vigil

**Mary, Mother of God**  
**Jan. 01, 2019**  
9 a.m.  
11:15 a.m. TLM

## Celebrate Christmas with FORMED!

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**Fr. Maurice du Castillon**  
**Council #14755**

**Business Meetings:** Second Monday of the month. We pray Rosary in the church at 7:15 p.m.; the meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. in Fr. Albert Hall.

**Questions? Contact Us:** Grand Knight—Pete Gasper  
(540) 987-5045; [petesrw@yahoo.com](mailto:petesrw@yahoo.com)

## St. Lucy Project in 2018: More than 17 Tons of Food Delivered!

**Dan Spoden and Steve Dowell took 719 pounds to the Culpeper Food Closet on December 15.** This was the 43rd and last delivery for 2018. **During the year, Knights, other parishioners, and friends delivered more than 17 and half tons of food** to local pantries on behalf of Catholic Charities.

## Thinking of Homeschooling for the Spring Semester?

If you are a Catholic homeschooler, or thinking of becoming one, we invite you to join the Mayflower Homeschoolers (MH) and participate in our social activities! **MH offers religious, social, and service activities for all ages every week of the school year—even in summer!** Visit our website for more information (midyear membership applicants enjoy discounted dues):  
[www.mayflowerhomeschoolers.org](http://www.mayflowerhomeschoolers.org) | [admin@mayflowerhomeschoolers.org](mailto:admin@mayflowerhomeschoolers.org)

### More Announcements

-After each of the Masses on Jan. 1 there will be a brief ceremony of the Consecration of Jesus through Mary for those who have made the preparation retreat with the Fr. Gaitley's "33 Days to Morning Glory" book or the St. Louis de Montfort's book.

- "Legion membership helps to improve one's knowledge of the faith and how to live it." (from the Legion Handbook). **Learn more about the Catholic Faith by coming to our Legion of Mary meetings on Fridays at noon in the CCD room off of the parish hall kitchen!**

-**First Saturday TLM:** Saturday, January 05, the 8:30 a.m. Mass will be a Traditional Latin Mass. Following Mass, join Northern Virginia's St. Joseph Chapter of Una Voce for a potluck in the parish hall!

-**Knitting & Crochet Group:** Meetings of the knitting and crochet group will be every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month from 9:30-11:00 a.m. in the parish hall. Call Kathy Cebrowski for more information: (540) 349-1352.

-**Reminder: Cemetery Committee Meeting:** There will be a Cemetery Committee meeting on Saturday, January 05 at 9:30 a.m. for everyone on that committee. Thank you!

-**Weekly contribution envelopes will be late in arriving to the parish for 2019.** Please continue to place your checks in the collection basket—credit will still be assigned. Thank you!

### WorkCamp 2019

**Want to make a difference in our diocese for those in need? Consider going to WorkCamp 2019 in King George County, Virginia!** St. Peter Parish has partnered with Precious Blood and Our Lady of the Blue Ridge parishes to send volunteers on this inspiring and vital mission trip. At present there is space for 10 boys and 10 girls (rising sophomores through graduated seniors by June of 2019). Registration is now open and slots will fill quickly! If you are interested, would like to donate, or want more information, contact Kelly Bennett: [kellybennett94@aol.com](mailto:kellybennett94@aol.com); (703) 501-2206. **Deadline is January 15.**

#### First Saturday Rosary

All are welcome to **join the Knights of Columbus Jan. 05 to pray the Rosary** following the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

#### Parish Office Schedule Update

Please note that the **parish office will be closed New Year's Eve, Monday, Dec. 31.**

### Pastor's Piece

Dear Folks,

**I want to wish all of you a very blessed and happy new year!** Although the Christmas season is not over I am sure the busiest part is over giving you some free time to relax and unwind. This can be an excellent time then to do a good examination to make sure that your life is on the right track. Be sure to have a scheduled time for daily prayer. How are you doing in your life vocation? Be sure and make good and holy new year's resolutions.

God bless you!  
-Fr. Beres