

St. Peter Catholic Church

Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord
January 06, 2019



Mass & Confession Schedule

Saturday Vigil	5 p.m.
Sunday	8:30 & 11 a.m.
Mon., Wed., Fri., & Sat.	8:30 a.m.
Mon., Wed., & Fri. Traditional Latin Mass (TLM)	11:15 a.m.
Tuesday	6:45 a.m.
Thursday	7 p.m.
Holy Hour (Thursday)	7:30 p.m.
Holyday of Obligation	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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Mass Intentions and Feasts

Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord (Rdgs: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12)

Jan. 05 5 p.m. Ernie Albanese +
Jan. 06 8:30 a.m. Jeff Long
11 a.m. For all parishioners

Monday—St. Raymond of Penyafort, priest

Jan. 07 8:30 a.m. Lawrence Wingate
11:15 a.m. TLM Private Intention

Tuesday

Jan. 08 6:45 a.m. Jessie Von Fange

Wednesday

Jan. 09 8:30 a.m. Vivian Rose Davis +
11:15 a.m. TLM No Mass

Thursday

Jan. 10 7 p.m. Dominic Wingate
7:30–8:30 p.m. Holy Hour & Confessions

Friday

Jan. 11 8:30 a.m. Amy Wingate
11:15 a.m. TLM No Mass

Saturday

Jan. 12 8:30 a.m. No Mass

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



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Week of Jan. 6, 2019 Schedule Updates

There will be no 11:15 a.m. TLM Masses offered on the following days:

-Wednesday, Jan. 09
-Friday, Jan. 11

There will also be no 8:30 a.m. Mass Saturday, Jan. 12.

Thank you!



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Fr. Maurice du Castillon
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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

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
Bobby Satre

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 | admin@mayflowerhomeschoolers.org

More Announcements

-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.

- "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!**

-Help wanted at Human Life International, Front Royal, for a part-time receptionist. If interested, contact Karen at (540) 635-7884.

- "...the Gentiles are co-heirs, members of the same body, and co-partners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the Gospel." (Eph. 3:6) Today we celebrate that Christ came to all of us, not just the Hebrews. He has given each of us unique gifts. We all have different yet equally valuable roles to play in the Body of Christ. Pray daily and ask God how He wants you to use your gifts so that we may all "be one".

Pray 9 Days for the Protection of Life!

All are invited to pray from January 14-22, 2019 the annual Novena sponsored by the Pro-Life Committee of Bishops, 9 Days for Life. It is a "digital pilgrimage" of prayer and action focused on cherishing the gift of every person's life. Each day, a different intention will be highlighted, along with a short reflection, suggested actions, and related information. To learn more or to sign up go to www.9daysforlife.com

Advent Giving Tree Update

Thank you to all of the St. Peter parishioners who donated food and toiletry items for our annual Advent Giving Tree. **We collected and delivered about 310 pounds to the Rappahannock Food Pantry, to be distributed to our neighbors in need!** They are most grateful and thank you all for your generosity!

"Opening their treasure chests, they offered Him gifts." Are you beginning to see your life as a gift to be given to the Lord as a priest, deacon, religious sister or brother? Call Fr. Michael Isenberg, (703) 841-2514, or write: michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org.

Pastor's Piece

Dear Folks,

Today we remember the visit from the magi. These were men who were steeped in the science of their day. Their measuring of the stars was not the idolatry of astrology and knowing one's "sign" but rather a looking through the creation to the God who is behind it. True science and true religion will always support each other. God is the author both of the Bible and nature. May we prove ourselves wise by looking to the God who reveals Himself to us in His creation.

God bless you!
-Fr. Beres