

St. Peter Catholic Church

Third Sunday in Lent
March 24, 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

Third Sunday in Lent (Rdgs: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9)

March 23 5 p.m. Louis F. Adelman +
March 24 8:30 a.m. Nicholas Del Donno Jr. +
11 a.m. For all parishioners

Monday—Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord

March 25 8:30 a.m. Thomas & Danielle Junk
11:15 a.m. TLM Fr. Joseph Pico

Tuesday

March 26 6:45 a.m. Michael Turner & Family

Wednesday

March 27 8:30 a.m. Claire Keefe
11:15 a.m. TLM **No Mass**

Thursday

March 28 7 p.m. Bart & Natalie Roberts
7:30–8:30 p.m. Holy Hour & Confessions

Friday

March 29 8:30 a.m. David Kerr
11:15 a.m. TLM Our Lady, Undoer of Knots (JC)

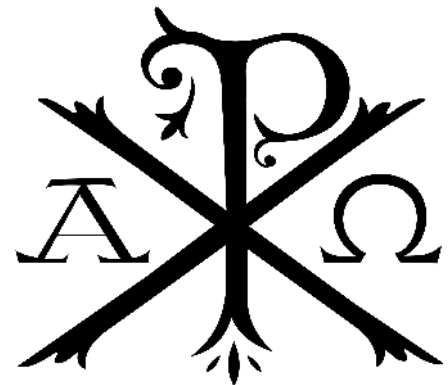
Saturday

March 30 8:30 a.m. Robert, Lindy, & Lee Klaus

Prayers for the Sick

Please pray for the following parishioners and their relatives:

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



Ecumenical Lenten Services

Potluck dinner at 6 p.m., service at 7 p.m.
@ Washington Baptist Church
March 27 theme: To those who are naked.

Lenten Confessions

Confessions will be offered every Sunday of Lent after the 8:30 and 11 a.m. Masses.

Weekly Contributions 16 / 17 March

General Collection \$2,045.00
Assistance Fund \$625.00
Online Giving \$1,105.00

Lenten Fridays:

Supper, Stations, Sermon

Please join us Fridays of Lent at 6 p.m. for meatless potluck supper in the parish hall; 7 p.m. for Stations of the Cross; and immediately following for a talk.

March 29 discussion will be on Purgatory and Indulgences.

Online Giving

Our parish offers online giving: a simple way to contribute ongoing! Visit: <https://osvonlinegiving.com/4174>

Second Collection: March 24

This Sunday—March 24—there will be a **second collection to help cover the costs for winter fuel.** Thank you in advance for your generosity!

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? Want to Join? Contact Us: Grand Knight—Pete Gasper (540) 987-5045; petesrw@yahoo.com

Thank You!

On behalf of the parish, **we thank Tom Von Fange and his business, Antique Tables, for the generous donation of the work to beautify our Stations of the Cross.** If you are ever in need of his services you can see what an excellent job he does!

More Announcements

-**Easter Flower envelopes** will be in the vestibule and in the pews for all who wish to honor or memorialize someone dear. Their names will also be published in the bulletin.

-For those who have made the do-it-yourself retreat using Fr. Gaitley's 33 Days to Morning Glory or St. Louis de Montfort's preparation for **Consecration to Jesus through Mary to celebrate March 25, the Solemnity of the Annunciation, there will be a brief ceremony after Mass on that Monday (March 25).**

-**April 6 is the WALK 4 LIFE**, a family friendly fundraiser for the Culpeper Pregnancy Center. There will be balloons, face painting, music, food and prizes (for those walkers with the most sponsors). Come and enjoy an easy mile and half walk around town while helping to save the lives of unborn babies!

- "It is their (the laity) specific vocation and mission to express the Gospel in their lives and thereby to insert the Gospel as a leaven into the reality of the world in which they live and work." (Pope St. John Paul II) **Quotes like this are read and discussed in the Legion of Mary meetings at noon on Fridays in the CCD room off of the parish hall kitchen.**

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

-**Feeding the Hungry:** On March 12, **Bob Mello and Bryant Welch delivered 938 pounds of food** to the Culpeper Food Closet on behalf of Catholic Charities.



Help the Knights of Columbus Support KOVAR & the Special Olympics

Through Lent and running until Easter Sunday, all funds collected in the Poor Box will be donated to KOVAR and Special Olympics. KOVAR is a Virginia Knights of Columbus Charity that supports individuals with Special Needs and also the Special Olympics.

Rosary & Movie Night!

The St. Peter Parish Young Adult Group will be having a Rosary and Movie Night event on Saturday, March 30, at 7 p.m.

Address: 8 Headwaters Rd, Chester Gap VA, 22623. For more info, contact Angelica Vittitow: (540) 305-9352, marietangel@yahoo.com

Host a Catholic Teen from France this Summer

Inspired Gateways is looking for vibrant Catholic families with teens who are willing to share their culture, their home, and their Catholic Faith with a young Catholic from France this Summer. Open your family to an exciting cultural experience and build life-long friendships! Check out <http://www.inspiredgateways.us> or contact mbrand@inspiredgateways.com for more information.

Pastor's Piece

Dear Folks,

In the first reading for this Sunday's Mass, we have Moses being drawn to the bush that is on fire and burning but is not consumed by the flames. Numerous Fathers of the Church saw in this a foreshadowing and type of the Virgin Mary who was on fire in terms of being a mother but not consumed in that she remained a virgin. Just as Moses came close to God by approaching the burning bush so we can draw close to Jesus by drawing close to Mary.

May God Bless You!
-Fr. Beres