

St. Peter Catholic Church

Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 19, 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.

*Art credit: Jacob Jordaens. The Apostles, St. Paul
and St. Barnabas at Lystra. 1616.*

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Parish Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, & Friday
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Mass Intentions and Feasts

Fifth Sunday of Easter (Readings: Acts 14:21-27; Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Rev 21:1-5a; Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35)

May 18 5 p.m. Leonide & Clothilde Bouchard+
May 19 8:30 a.m. Mother's Day Novena
11 a.m. For all parishioners

Monday—St. Bernardine of Siena, priest

May 20 8:30 a.m. Mother's Day Novena
11:15 a.m. TLM Sara Rose Genari +

Tuesday—St. Christopher Magallanes, priest, & companions, Martyrs

May 21 6:45 a.m. Bernie Minkhorst

Wednesday—St. Rita of Cascia, religious

May 22 8:30 a.m. Bobby Satre +
11:15 a.m. TLM Jimmy & Kayla Blankenship

Thursday—Easter Weekday

May 23 7 p.m. John Guyant, Sr.
7:30–8:30 p.m. Holy Hour & Confessions

Friday—Easter Weekday

May 24 8:30 a.m. Bren Miller
11:15 a.m. Dominic Jude

Saturday—St. Bede the Venerable, priest & Doctor of the Church

May 25 8:30 a.m. Mary Masters Wingate

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
Theresa Carney
Joe Miller



Sperryville EMS 50th Anniversary Celebration

Sperryville Rescue EMS is celebrating its 50th anniversary of serving Rappahannock with emergency services and we'd like to invite you to our celebration at our Rescue Squad at 12 Main St., Sperryville on Saturday, May 25 from 11–2 p.m.

So, come for free food and meet us! A table will be set up outside this Sunday for information after the morning Masses. Thank you! -Lucille Miller

Support St. Peter this Summer!

Going on vacation? Don't forget that you can use Online Giving to catch up on your contributions. Go to www.stpeterparishva.org, scroll down, and click on the Online Giving link—it's quick, easy, and secure!

Fr. Maurice du Castillon Council #14755



Business Meetings: Second Monday of the month. 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

"Love one another...By this everyone will know that you are My disciples."

How will you manifest your discipleship? Consider living the Lord's new commandment of love as a priest, deacon, sister or brother.

Call Fr. Michael Isenberg, (703) 841-2514, or write: michael.isenberg@arlingtondiocese.org

Quo Vadis and FIAT Discernment Camps

Quo Vadis and FIAT days are excellent opportunities for Catholic high school students (rising freshmen through rising seniors) to have fun while exploring their vocations and deepening their faith. Quo Vadis (for boys) is staffed by Arlington seminarians, priests and religious, and runs July 7–11. FIAT (for girls) is staffed by religious sisters and runs July 14–18. Both are held at Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, MD. See the videos and photos from last year and receive more information at ArlingtonDiocese.org/QuoVadis or ArlingtonDiocese.org/FIAT.

More Announcements

-The Legion of Mary Fairfax Comitium is hosting a Teen Retreat on Sat., June 29, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. with Fathers Guest, Peffley, and Schierer, and the theme is "Defending our Faith". Enjoy a day of games, skits and snacks, and experience the graces of the Rosary, Confession, Adoration, Procession, and the Holy Mass at Holy Trinity Jubilee Park near Gainesville, Va.

-Three Month Developing Baby : Your baby is quite active in the womb now, although his/her mother won't feel him/her for another couple of months. If his/her mother's womb had a window, you could watch your spiritually adopted baby squint, swallow, and move his/her tongue. He/She can make a tight fist if you touch his/her palm. He/She obtains the oxygen his/her body needs through the umbilical cord. The baby you are praying for weighs one ounce. What a miracle he/she is!!

-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) **Our Legion of Mary meetings always begin with the Rosary. Come and join us 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 @ (540) 635-7884.

Saints of the Roman Canon: St. Andrew

St. Andrew was the first to recognize the Messiah through St. John the Baptist, and full of joy he at once led his brother Simon Peter to the Lord. His arduous and successful missionary labors were first exercised in Scythia; he, at last, went to the city of Patrae, in Achaia, where he suffered an heroic martyrdom (Nov. 30, 62). The Governor Aegeas interrogated him; the Apostle made a solemn profession of the Sacrifice of the Cross and of the Altar; whereupon he was condemned to die fastened to the Cross.

St. Andrew is the Apostle of the Cross. How magnificent is the prayer in which, filled with enthusiasm, he salutes the Cross as a boon ardently loved and long desired: "Hail, precious Cross, Thou hast been consecrated by the body of my Lord, and adorned with His limbs as with rich jewels. How long have I yearned for thee! At length thou art granted to my desires! Receive the disciple of the Master who hung upon thee; take me from among men, and present me to Him, who through thee redeemed me!"

He remained on the Cross two days and a night, making of it a pulpit, whence he announced Christ crucified, preaching Him, not only by his sufferings and the example of his virtues, but also with earnest and moving words. Finally, a bright light encompassed him, and the Cross became for him the ladder to Heaven. Maximilla, a disciple of Christ, took the body down from the Cross and interred it. This holy body is preserved in the cathedral of Amalfi, and his head is in St. Peter's in Rome. It is the common opinion that he suffered on a cross composed of two beams diagonally crossing each other; hence this cross bears the name of St. Andrew's cross (X).

Pastor's Piece

Dear Folks,

I read in an article about the burning of Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris that a group of the faithful joined together in prayer outside the burning church by singing the Salve Regina and the Regina Caeli. This is part of our heritage, part of our faith that built that magnificent building and so I want for us to be able to join in on that. We will be singing those songs on a regular basis so that we may be united with those who have come before in the faith and with Catholics throughout the world.

May God Bless You!

-Fr. Beres