

St. Peter Catholic Church

The First Sunday in Lent
March 1st, 2020



Mass & Confession Schedule

Saturday Vigil	5 p.m.
Sunday	7, 8:30, & 11 a.m.
Mon., Wed., Fri., & Sat.	8:30 a.m.
First Saturdays (TLM)	8:30 a.m.
Mon., Wed., & Fri.	11:15 a.m.
Traditional Latin Mass (TLM)	
Tuesday (TLM)	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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Parish Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, & Friday
8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

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Mass Intentions and Feasts

The First Sunday in Lent (Readings: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11 (22) Pss I)

Feb. 29 5 p.m. Vigil Mass Albert Miller+
Mar. 1 7 a.m. TLM Stanley Selock +
8:30 a.m. Marilyn Hoffer +
11 a.m. For all parishioners

Monday— Lenten Weekday

Mar. 2 8:30 a.m. Alexander Knight +
11:15 a.m. TLM Robert Johnson

Tuesday— St. Katharine Drexel, Virgin

Mar. 3 6:45 a.m. TLM Norma Dietrich +

Wednesday— St. Casimir

Mar. 4 8:30 a.m. Lily and Jean Froissard +
11:15 a.m. TLM Fr. Eric Shafer

Thursday— Lenten Weekday

Mar. 5 7:00 p.m. Kris Burns +

Friday— Lenten Weekday

Mar. 6 8:30 a.m. Rev. William Ruehl +
11:15 a.m. William F O'Gorman +

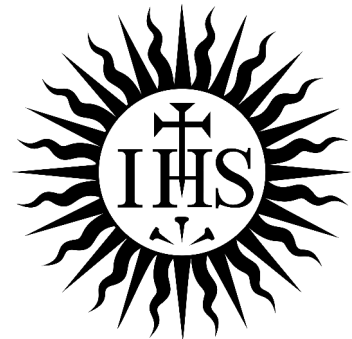
Saturday— Sts. Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs

Mar. 7 8:30 a.m. (TLM) Rev. George Griffen +
4 p.m. Confessions
5 p.m. Vigil Mass Richard Leroy Chapman +

Prayers for the Sick

Please pray for the following parishioners and their relatives:

Gerald Hoffman
Elaine Viguerie
Nicholas Hovey
Walt Cybrowski
Joan Gannon
Michael and Eileen Hawkins
Bob Ward
Theresa Carney
Edna Albaneze
Joseph Miller
Charlie Coble
Felix Hernandez



Lent Begins

The rules for fasting and abstinence in the United States are: Every person 14 years or older must abstain from meat (and items made with meat) on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all the Fridays of Lent. Every person between the age of 18 and 59 (beginning of 60th year) must fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. (meaning only one full meal and two snacks)

Lenten Fridays: Supper, Stations, Talk

Please join us Fridays of Lent at 6 p.m. for a meatless potluck supper in the parish hall; *March 6 – John 3:1 - 6:70*
7 p.m. for Stations of the Cross; and immediately *March 15– John 7:1 – 12:50*
following for a talk. This Lent Fr. Beres will be *March 17 – John 13:1 – 17:26*
covering the Gospel of Saint John. *March 20 – John 18:1 – 19:42*
March 27 – John 20:1 – 21:23

First Saturday Rosary

All are welcome to join the Knights of Columbus on the first Saturday of each month for a rosary after the morning mass. (approximately 9 a.m.)

Collection: Sunday, Feb 23

Basket: \$3838

Outreach: \$546

Online: \$1270

Legion of Mary

"St. Cyril of Alexandria did not hesitate to declare at the Council of Ephesus in 431 that it was by Mary that they were all won to Christ." (from the Legion Handbook) How we are all won to Christ by Mary is studied at our Legion of Mary meetings. All are welcome to join us on Wednesdays at noon in the CCD room off of the parish hall kitchen!

More Announcements

-Open Enrollment: Epiphany Catholic School is now accepting applications for the 2020-2021 school year (Pre-K 3 through 8th grade). Tuition assistance is available for students in grades K-8. **Call today** to schedule a tour to discover all that Epiphany has to offer your family. (540)825-9017

-Looking for Talent! We know you've got it! Song, Dance, Poetry, Skits, Guitar and Piano Solos, Duets and more! A talent show will be held at the Reynolds Memorial Baptist Church in Sperryville Village on **Saturday, March 21st**. Complimentary dinner starts at **6 PM**, Talent Show from 6:30 to 8! All proceeds to support the Community Coordinator for the Rappahannock Benevolent Fund. For mor information or to sign up, call Pastor Jon Heddleston: 540-987-8137.

-TEACHER JOB FAIR ON MARCH 7, 2020. The Office of Catholic Schools invites prospective teachers to a Teacher Job Fair on March 7, 2020. The Fair will be held at St. Paul VI High School, 10675 Fairfax Boulevard, Fairfax, VA 22030, from 9-11 a.m. For more information visit <https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/Catholic-Schools/Careers/or> call (703) 841-2519.

-Ecumenical Lenten Services

When: Wednesdays, March 4 – April 1, 2020

Where: Washington Baptist Church

Time: 6:00 pm, Pot-luck dinners in Fellowship Hall; 7:00 pm, Services in Sanctuary

Nursery Available for Use (No Child Care Provided)

For more information call: 675-3336 or 675-3716 or 987-9101

Lenten Theme: Healing a Hurting World

-Are you willing to make a sacrifice for Lent from February 26th to April 12th? Take the Pioneer Pledge to abstain from all alcohol beverages and pray a short prayer twice a day during Lent for the end of Alcoholism. Sign-ups will be after all Masses on February 22-23, 2020. If you have any questions, please see the Legion of Mary in your parish.

-Please return your baby bottle whether it is filled or partially filled (or empty, horrors!) for the **Warrenton Pregnancy Center**. These bottles are reused for other churches. Thank you!

-SHROUD OF TURIN PRESENTATION BY SHROUD TALKS: Shroud Talks presents a dynamic account of the history, science, Passion and Resurrection evidence as seen in the **Shroud of Turin**. The goal is to draw people into the heart of Jesus Christ. Each person can decide for themselves whether the Shroud of Turin is the actual burial cloth of Christ.

You can find the presentation at **St. Bridget Catholic Church**, in Berryville, VA, on **April 5 at 7:00 p.m.**, and at **Holy Trinity Catholic Church**, in Gainesville, VA, on **April 8 at 7:00 p.m.**

Help the Knights Help Kovar and Special Olympics

During Lent, the donations in the Parish Poor Box will be used to provide funds to support KOVAR and the Special Olympics. Since 1971, the Virginia Knights of Columbus have raised over \$14.5 million dollars for citizens with intellectual disabilities. An anonymous donor has pledged to match up to \$250 for Kovar and the Special Olympics. Instead of giving up something for Lent, consider a weekly act of charity by placing an offering in the poor box to support these worthy causes.

Pastor's Piece

Dear Parishioners,

We now enter into the holy season of Lent and with our Lord Jesus. Like Saint Thomas let us profess our desire go with Him to Jerusalem to die with Him. Our sacrifices of prayers, fasting, and almsgiving are the ways in which we die with the Lord. Through our Lord's Passion and Death is the only path to join in His Resurrection.

God bless!

-Fr. Beres