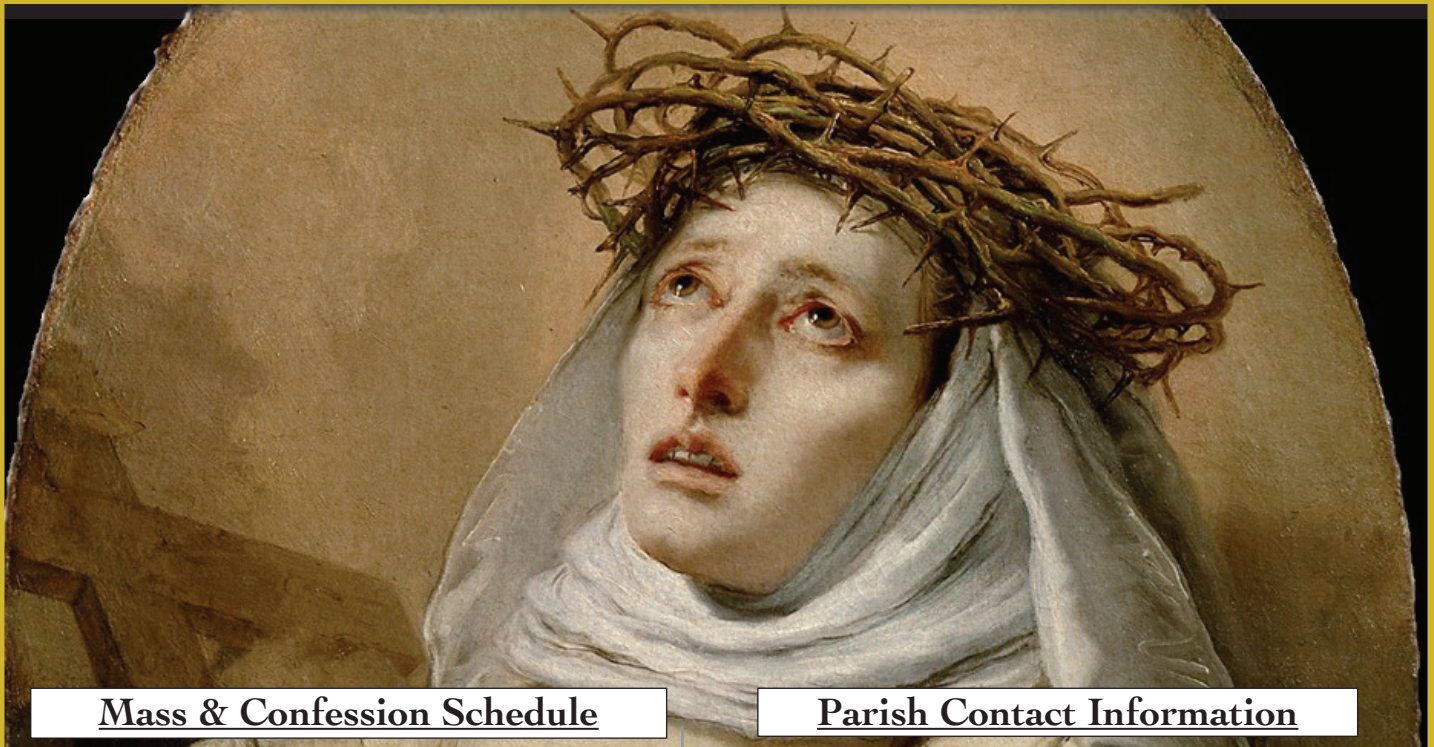


# St. Peter Catholic Church

The Fourth Sunday of Easter  
April 25th, 2021



## Mass & Confession Schedule

<b>Saturday Vigil</b>	5 p.m.
<b>Sunday</b>	8:15, 9:35, & 11 a.m.
<b>Mon., Wed., &amp; Fri.</b>	8:30 a.m.
<b>Saturdays (TLM)</b>	8:30 a.m.
<b>Mon., Wed., &amp; Fri.</b>	11:15 a.m.
Traditional Latin Mass (TLM)	
<b>Tuesday (TLM)</b>	6:45 a.m.
<b>Thursday</b>	7 p.m.
<b>Holy Hour (Thursday)</b>	7:30 p.m.
<b>Adoration (Friday)</b>	9 - 11 a.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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### Parish Office Hours:

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

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## Mass Intentions and Feasts

**Fourth Sunday of Easter** (Readings: Acts 4:8-12/1 Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18 (50) Pss IV)

**April 24** 5 p.m. Vigil Mass Timothy D'Andrea  
**April 25** 8:15 a.m. The Jason Reilly Family  
9:35 a.m. TLM Hugh O. Wingate  
11:00 a.m. For all parishioners

**Monday— Easter Weekday**

**April 26** 8:30 a.m. The Stephen Cronin Family  
11:15 a.m. TLM Diana Beckett

**Tuesday— Easter Weekday**

**April 27** 6:45 a.m. TLM Gemma Stanford

**Wednesday— Saint Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr;  
and Saint Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest**

**April 28** 8:30 a.m. Karen Huffman  
11:15 a.m. TLM William and Jane French +

**Thursday— Saint Catherine of Siena,  
Virgin and Doctor of the Church**

**April 29** 7:00 p.m. Joseph Germain

**Friday— Saint Pius V, Pope**

**April 30** 8:30 a.m. James Lee  
11:15 a.m. TLM Alice Roddy

**Saturday— Saint Joseph the Worker**

**May 1** 8:30 a.m. TLM Richard and Annie Jarrett +  
4 p.m. Confessions  
5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass Deceased Members of the  
D'Andrea, Rapaport  
and Leedom Families +

## Prayers for the Sick

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

**Joseph Miller  
Gerald Hoffman  
Elaine Viguerie  
Nicholas Hovey  
Walt Cybrowski  
Joan Gannon  
Eileen Hawkins  
Theresa Carney  
Edna Albaneze  
Charlie Coble  
Jim Haley  
Dr. Richard Beargie  
Gregory Brooks  
Ben Shealy**



### Get the Truth about the Equality Act

Go to [arlingtondiocese.org/equalityact](http://arlingtondiocese.org/equalityact) to learn about the dangerous implications of the Equality Act and what you can do to try and stop its passage.

### Parish Collections

#### Easter Sunday

**General Collection:** \$4,572/ \$3,505 online  
**Holy Land (Good Friday):** \$350/ \$235 online  
**Poor Box:** \$184  
**Building Fund:** \$435/ \$505 online  
**Local Outreach:** \$200/ \$115 online  
**Easter Flowers:** \$425  
**Renovation Capital Campaign:** \$400 online

#### Sunday April 11, 2021

**General Collection:** \$2,053/ \$2,770 online  
**Building Fund:** \$470/ \$410 online

### First Saturday Rosary

All are welcome to join the Knights of Columbus every first Saturday of the month to pray the Rosary following the 8:30 a.m. Mass—about 9 a.m.

Special graces are attached to this first Saturday devotion!

### Legion of Mary

To grow in personal holiness and to bring others to God, the sacraments and the Church is the goal of the Legion of Mary. At every weekly meeting there is prayer, spiritual direction and discussions. Come and join us on Wednesdays at noon in the CCD room near the Fr. Albert parish hall.

## More Announcements

-The **Warrenton Pregnancy Center** is hosting their first annual "**Slice of Life**" **Golf Classic** on May 24th, 2021. Visit [www.wpcpartners.org/events/golf](http://www.wpcpartners.org/events/golf) for information and registration.

-**Help is needed** to clean the church for the 3rd weekend of every month. Individuals, couples and families are welcome to this service for God. Please contact J. Beattie (540-987-8315 or [jarbb474@gmail.com](mailto:jarbb474@gmail.com))

-**Attention all teens (ages 12-18)**: On Sat., June 12th from 9 am-5 pm, there will be a **retreat** at Holy Trinity Jubilee Park (near Manassas) with prayers, skits, fun and games and exciting challenging outdoor activities. This is sponsored by the **Legion of Mary**. Look for information fliers on the table as you enter the church!

-**Attention young adult Catholics (ages 19-39)**: On Sat., May 29th from 9 am-5 pm, there will be a Legion of Mary sponsored retreat at Holy Trinity Jubilee Park Near Manassas) with talks, rope activities, snacks, group sharing, lunch, religious activities and a bonfire. For more information, look for the fliers on the table as you enter the church!

-Volunteers are needed to help out at the **Washington Ladies Auxiliary** which operates the thrift store for the Washington Fire Department. You can contact Shirley Franey: [SFraney6@gmail.com](mailto:SFraney6@gmail.com) or (540-675-3643), or Danielle Junk: [dzjtfj@msn.com](mailto:dzjtfj@msn.com) or (540-987-861).

### The Dogmas of the Catholic Church *5 of the 255 Infallibly Declared Dogmas*

151) The primary object of the Infallibility is the formally revealed truths of Christian Doctrine concerning faith and morals.

152) The totality of the Bishops is infallible, when they, either assembled in general council or scattered over the earth, propose a teaching of faith or morals as one to be held by all the faithful.

153) The Church founded by Christ is unique and one.

154) The Church founded by Christ is holy.

155) The Church founded by Christ is catholic.

## Pastor's Piece

**Dear Folks,**

For this Sunday I just wish to share with you the following from St. John Paul II in his encyclical *Evangelium Vitae*:

'... by the authority which Christ conferred upon Peter and his Successors, in communion with the Bishops... I declare that direct abortion, that is, abortion willed as an end or as a means, always constitutes a grave moral disorder, since it is the deliberate killing of an innocent human being. This doctrine is based upon the natural law and upon the written Word of God, is transmitted by the Church's Tradition and taught by the ordinary and universal Magisterium. No circumstance, no purpose, no law whatsoever can ever make licit an act which is intrinsically illicit, since it is contrary to the Law of God which is written in every human heart, knowable by reason itself, and proclaimed by the Church.

'This evaluation of the morality of abortion is to be applied also to the recent forms of intervention on human embryos which... inevitably involve the killing of those embryos. This is the case with experimentation on embryos... This moral condemnation also regards procedures that exploit living human embryos and foetus... either to be used as 'biological material' or as providers of organs or tissue for transplants in the treatment of certain diseases. The killing of innocent human creatures, even if carried out to help others, constitutes an absolutely unacceptable act.'

**God bless you as you seek to defend life!**

**-Fr. Beres**





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