

St. Peter Catholic Church

The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 22nd, 2023



Mass & Confession Schedule

Saturday Vigil	5 p.m.
Sunday	8:15, 9:45(Latin), & 11:30 a.m.
Mon., Wed., & Fri.	8:30 a.m. & 11:15 am
Saturdays	8:30 a.m.
Tuesday	No Public Mass
Thursday	7 p.m.
Holy Hour (Thursday)	7:30 p.m.
Adoration (Friday)	9 - 11 a.m.
Holyday of Obligation	8:30 a.m., 11:15 a.m., & 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

The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (Readings: Is 8:23—9:3/1
Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17 (67) Pss III)

January 21 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass Rev. Stefan Magec
January 22 8:15 a.m. Rev. Frank Pavone
9:45 a.m. Adina Ordonez
11:30 a.m. For all parishioners

**Monday— Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection
of Unborn Children
Saint Vincent, Deacon and Martyr
Saint Marianne Cope, Virgin**

January 23 8:30 a.m. Kevin Riedel +
11:15 a.m. Pro Populo

**Tuesday— Saint Francis de Sales,
Bishop and Doctor of the Church**

January 24 Private Mass Giovanni Cenni

Wednesday— The Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle

January 25 8:30 a.m. Therese Bukowski
11:15 a.m. Pro Populo

Thursday— Saints Timothy and Titus, Bishops

January 26 7:00 p.m. Rev. Anthony Ferguson

Friday— Saint Angela Merici, Virgin

January 27 8:30 a.m. Pro Populo
11:15 a.m. Rev. Wilbur Thomas +

**Saturday— Saint Thomas Aquinas,
Priest and Doctor of the Church**

January 28 8:30 a.m. Lorraine Hull +
4 p.m. Confessions
5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass Rev. Armando Herrera

Prayers for the Sick

Please pray for the following
parishioners and their relatives:

Elaine Viguerie
Nicholas Hovey
Walt Cybrowski
Eileen Hawkins
Theresa Carney
Charlie Coble
Jim Haley
Dr. Richard Beargie
Ben Shealy
Kathy Eggers
Ronin O'Neill
Don Davies
Hans Shankle
Bob Franey
Bernadette O'Heir
Leigh Sargent
Ray Mifflin
Michelle Suess
Janet S. Riedel
Leonard W. Riedel
Jack Cintorino
Gabrielle Barros

Ministry of Mercy

*"Growing in our Catholic Faith
through the Works of Mercy"*

CARE BAGS FOR THE HOMELESS: Care bags for the homeless will be available for parishioners located in the green wagon at the entrance of the church this weekend and next weekend. Giving these bags to those we may encounter who are in need is one way of living our Catholic faith by doing a work of mercy. Please take as many as you can give and remember to pray for all those in need.

Next Ministry of Mercy Meeting will be on Monday, January 23, after the 8:30 Mass and rosary for the needs of the parish. We will be planning on our participation in the 40-Hour Devotion at St. Peter's beginning Ash Wednesday and also for hosting a Lenten Soup Supper on a Friday during Lent.

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children
Please remember to pray for this intention, especially on January 23.

Legion of Mary

"Every unbeliever is, as every Catholic is, a being with an immortal spirit, made in the image of God, for whom Christ died. However, violently hostile to the Church or to Christ he may be, our aim is to convert him, not simply to defeat him. , , always we want to win him for his own soul's salvation." (F. J Sheed, Catholic apologist).

How do we win such persons? Find out by coming to our weekly Legion of Mary meetings in the CCD room off of the Father Albert parish hall on Mondays at 10:15 am.

More Announcements

-The Office of Marriage, Family and Respect Life invites you to **Virginia Pro-Life Day** on February 1, 2023 in Richmond! Join other Virginians as we meet face-to-face with our legislators in the morning, participate in the Virginia March for Life in the afternoon, and boldly stand up for life in post-Roe Virginia. Now is the time to let the General Assembly know what kind of future we want for our Commonwealth. To register and/or learn more, go to VaProLifeDay.org. See you in Richmond on February 1!

Pro-Life Talk with Dr. John Bruchalski

Dr. John Bruchalski -- the founder and president of Divine Mercy Care and the founder of Tepeyac OB/GYN in Fairfax -- will share his pro-life conversion story on Tuesday, January 31, 2023, in the Basilica of Saint Mary's Lyceum Auditorium, 313 Duke Street, in Alexandria Social time begins from 7-7:30 p.m., while the talk begins at 7:30 p.m. To RSVP to this free event, click on the following site: <https://drjohnbruchalski.com/events/>.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and remain upon him. Allow the Holy Spirit to deepen your communication, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending the next upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on Feb 3-5, 2023 in Warrenton, VA and Mar 31-Apr 2, 2023 in Herndon, VA. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: RenewMarriage-VANorth.org or contact us at applications@renewmarriage-vanorth.org or 703-646-1521.

Virginia March for Life

Join us in Richmond on Wednesday, Feb. 1, for the Virginia March for Life, and boldly stand up for life in post-Roe Virginia. There will be several important pro-life bills introduced this in this session of the General Assembly. A bus from Precious Blood Catholic Church in Culpeper will be available, space available, depending upon interest. Departure at 10 am, return by 4 pm. Sign-up sheets and more info are in the vestibule. Contact Bob Klaus, 540-937-5972 (H) or email sylvanharborbob@comcast.net for more information.

Let Your Faith Inspire Your Financial Decisions.

All parishioners are invited: January 26th at 4pm- Join Knights of Columbus Asset Advisors for an online discussion reviewing 2022 financial markets and an outlook for 2023. This presentation is open to all parishioners and will provide useful information in planning for the current financial year. Hosted by Anthony Minopoli, President, and Chief Investment Officer of KoCAA. Email Robert.Howard@kofc.org for more information and to RSVP!

Pastor's Piece

Dear Folks,

In our Gospel passage we have the prophecy that the lands of Zebulun and Naphtali will be blessed to have the word of God. The significance of these places is that they were the lands through which the Israelites were led off into exile. The place of punishment will become the place of healing. The curse becomes a blessing. The lesson for us is to see the crosses in our lives as precisely the place with the greatest opportunity to grow in holiness.

May God Bless You!

-Fr. Beres



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