

# St. Peter Catholic Church

The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
January 14th, 2024



## Mass & Confession Schedule

<b>Saturday Vigil</b>	5 p.m.
<b>Sunday</b>	8:15, 9:45(Latin), & 11:30 a.m.
<b>Mon., Wed., &amp; Fri.</b>	8:30 a.m. & 11:15 am
<b>Saturdays</b>	8:30 a.m.
<b>Tuesday</b>	No Public Mass
<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., & 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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Pietro Perugino, c. 1482

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### Parish Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, & Friday  
9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

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## Mass Intentions and Feasts

**The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time** (Readings: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42 (65) Pss II)

**January 13** 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass Thomas Goad  
**January 14** 8:15 a.m. Catherine Jenkins-Sanders +  
9:45 a.m. Matthew Shea +  
11:30 a.m. For all parishioners

**Monday— Weekday in Ordinary Time**

**January 15** 8:30 a.m. Lindy Klaus  
11:15 a.m. Annie Wilowatyj

**Tuesday— Weekday in Ordinary Time**

**January 16** Private Mass Bernadette Sladky

**Wednesday— Saint Anthony, Abbot**

**January 17** 8:30 a.m. Miles Batson Family  
11:15 a.m. Allan Hoheisel Family

**Thursday— Weekday in Ordinary Time**

**January 18** 7:00 p.m. Daniel Butters

**Friday— Weekday in Ordinary Time**

**January 19** Private Mass Tom Carlson

**Saturday— Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr;**

**January 20** 8:30 a.m. **Saint Sebastian, Martyr**  
**NO MASS**  
4 p.m. **NO CONFESIONS**  
5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass Lauren Jude

## Prayers for the Sick

Please pray for the following parishioners and their relatives:

**Elaine Viguerie**  
**Nicholas Hovey**  
**Eileen Hawkins**  
**Theresa Carney**  
**Charlie Coble**  
**Jim Haley**  
**Lindy Klaus**  
**Kathy Eggers**  
**Ronin O'Neill**  
**Hans Shankle**  
**Bernadette O'Heir**  
**Leigh Sargent**  
**Ray Mifflin**  
**Michelle Suess**  
**Tara Cintorino**  
**Gabrielle Barros**  
**Stephanie DiNapoli**

### World Wide Marriage Encounter

Married Couples! Is winter starting to get you down and you find yourself getting a little edgy with your spouse? Perhaps you deserve to get away to renew your relationship. Sign up today for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and get rid of the blahs.

For more information or to register, go to WWME.org, click "Apply" and search for "Virginia" or your desired location. Feel free to contact Mark and Cathy Stangler at 703-378-4150 or mstang1987@aol.com with any questions.

### Ministry of Mercy

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

**Next Ministry of Mercy Meeting will be on Monday,  
January 22, after Mass and Rosary.**

**For questions or information, contact Julia Neely  
(703-927-1811c) at [julia.neely@verizon.net](mailto:julia.neely@verizon.net) or Shirley  
Franey (540-827-9383).**

### Legion of Mary

*"Just as His Name is ever implicitly invoked because He is the sole necessary Mediator, so the name of His Blessed Mother, who is associated with Him, is also in all prayers implicitly invoked with His. Whenever God is asked, she is virtually asked. Whenever Christ as Man is asked, she is thereby asked. Whenever a saint is asked, she is asked."*

(Camice Bourke, O.F.M.)

This is from the Legion of Mary Handbook which we study at every weekly meeting at 9:30 am on Mondays in the CCD room off of the Father Albert Parish Hall. Come join us!

## More Announcements

### **-Rappahannock Food Pantry Monthly Donation Request:**

January— Adult and Children Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Dental Floss, Shampoo & Conditioner, Hair brush & Comb, Hair Accessories ( Pins and Clips, Ties)

### **Chelsea Academy Open House**

Come see if Chelsea Academy is right for your family at our Open House on Feb. 15, 4-6pm. Chelsea is the Shenandoah Valley's full day K-12 Catholic school. Chelsea is a place where faith, friendship, academics, and adventure are the heart of the education experience. Chelsea is an independent school officially recognized by the Arlington Diocese - [www.chelseaacademy.org](http://www.chelseaacademy.org). The Open House will be held at our new campus, 1190 Progress Dr., Front Royal, VA.

### **Book Study**

The Legion of Mary will begin a new book study! We will use another of Father Gallagher's books, namely, The Examen Prayer. St. Ignatius understood prayer to be the center of the spiritual life. In this book, Fr. Timothy Gallagher takes us deeper into prayer as St. Ignatius understood it. Father draws on his real life experiences as a spiritual director to define the examen prayer. Youj can order the book (or a used copy from ebay) online. Join us on Jan. 19th and every Friday thereafter at 10:30 am in the CCD room off of the parish hall kitchen for this spiritual nourishment.

### **Virginia March for Life**

Dear Parishioners,

I have made the executive decision that we as a parish will support the Virginia March for Life on February 21 and send a bus down there. Please do all you can to help make the bus full. We can take up to 40 people so please clear your calendar. The exact departure time will be announced but, basically, count on from 9 AM - 4 PM. God bless!

Fr. Beres

### **UPCOMING SPECIAL SCHEDULE:**

*(There will only be the following listed Mass/ sacraments)*

January 19 – No Mass

January 20 – 5 PM Mass  
(no confessions this day)

January 21 – (normal Sunday schedule)  
8:15 AM Mass

9:45 AM Latin N.O. Mass

11:30 AM Mass

January 22 – 8:30 Holy Communion Service by  
Deacon Benyo

January 23 – No Mass

January 24 – No Mass

January 25 – No Mass

January 26 - 8:30 Holy Communion Service by  
Deacon Benyo followed by Holy Hour

January 27 – return to normal schedule

## **Pastor's Piece**

**Dear Folks,**

We hopefully all are aware of the scene portrayed in our sanctuary when our Lord Jesus declared Simon to be Peter, the rock on which He would build His Church. Our Gospel passage for today though makes it clear that our Lord's decision was not something found only in a special, one-time event. St. John records for us that right from the beginning, the first time our Lord meets Simon, He is indicating He is going to change His name to Peter. We must then firmly resolve to cling always to that faith held by St. Peter.

**God bless!**

**-Fr. Beres**