

St. Peter Catholic Church

The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 21st, 2024



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: Jon 3:1-5, 10/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20 (68) Pss III)

January 20	5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass	Lauren Jude
January 21	8:15 a.m.	Deryc Fong-Cripe
	9:45 a.m.	Christopher Rohan +
	11:30 a.m.	For all parishioners

Monday— Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

January 22	8:30 a.m.	HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE
	11:15 a.m.	NO MASS

Tuesday— Saint Vincent, Deacon and Martyr;

Saint Marianne Cope, Virgin

January 23	Private Mass	William Mershon
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Wednesday— Saint Francis de Sales,

Bishop and Doctor of the Church

January 24	8:30 a.m.	NO MASS
	11:15 a.m.	NO MASS

Thursday— The Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle

January 25	7:00 p.m.	NO MASS
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Friday— Saints Timothy and Titus, Bishops

January 26	8:30 a.m.	HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE
	11:15 a.m.	NO MASS

Saturday— Saint Angela Merici, Virgin

January 27	8:30 a.m.	Lindy Klaus
	4 p.m. Confessions	
	5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass	Kevin Riedel +

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

Ministry of Mercy

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

CARE BAGS FOR THE HOMELESS: The Ministry of Mercy is giving out Care Bags for the Homeless to parishioners after all the Masses. Please take a few to have available in your car when you encounter someone in need. This is one way we can put our faith into action.

Mini-Pilgrimage to Christ the King Chapel with Lunch, Thursday,

February 1: Our next local pilgrimage will be a morning visit to Christendom College's Christ the King Chapel in Front Royal for a self-guided tour and to say a rosary in this beautiful chapel. Afterward, we will enjoy lunch together. Send an email to us if you are interested or would like to carpool together.

Next Ministry of Mercy Meetings – Monday, January 22 and

February 5: The next Ministry of Mercy Meetings will be held in Father Albert Hall on Mondays of January 22 and February 5 after the 8:30 am Mass and rosary for the needs of the parish.

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

Legion of Mary

*". . .the soul,
according to the Divinely
established order,
cannot, without Mary, lift
itself to God or do God's
work."*

This gem is taken from the Legion of Mary Handbook, which has been approved by the Church, and is studied and discussed at every weekly meeting on Mondays at 9:30 am in the CCD room off of the Father Albert Parish Hall. Find out more about the Catholic Faith by joining 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)

2024 BISHOP'S LENTEN APPEAL (BLA) BEGINS!

The 2024 BLA mailing was recently sent to parishioners. The theme this year is shared with the theme of our Diocesan Jubilee: "Behold, I make all things new." After reflecting upon the blessings God has given you, please prayerfully consider a pledge. As we look forward to the celebration of the 50-year Golden Anniversary of our diocese, let us renew our commitment to the Lord and be inspired to share what we have received from Him.

You can make a gift at:
www.arlingtondiocese.org/BLA
or scan the QR code:



SCAN ME

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 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

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. You 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.

Pastor's Piece

Dear Folks,

The men and women of Nineveh repented in sack cloth and ashes when they were warned that they would soon be destroyed in payment for their sins. Although we are not in a penitential season right now it is important to remember that temperance and penance should be an ordinary part of our spiritual routine. Meatless Friday is a good place to start. It is a healthy way of acknowledging our need to unite in Jesus work of salvation both for our own sakes and that of the world.

God bless!

-Fr. Beres