

# St. Peter Catholic Church

The Fifth Sunday of Easter  
April 28th, 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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### Parish Office Hours:

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

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## Mass Intentions and Feasts

### **The Fifth Sunday of Easter**

(Readings: Acts 9:26-31/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8 (53) Pss I)

**April 27** 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass Anna Briavel Schultz  
**April 28** 8:15 a.m. Mary Elizabeth & Tobias Naegele  
9:45 a.m. Brendan Patrick Johnson +  
11:30 a.m. For all parishioners

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

**April 29** 8:30 a.m. Anna Briavel Schultz  
11:15 a.m. Raymond Butters +

### **Tuesday— Saint Pius V, Pope**

**April 30** Private Mass Isabel Fischer

### **Wednesday— Saint Joseph the Worker**

**May 1** 8:30 a.m. **NO MASS**  
11:15 a.m. Benedict Pierce

### **Thursday— Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**

**May 2** 7:00 p.m. Vilma M. Herbert +

### **Friday— Saints Philip and James, Apostles**

**May 3** 8:30 a.m. Romil Santiago Ilagan  
11:15 a.m. Kate Butters

### **Saturday— Easter Weekday**

**May 4** 8:30 a.m. Anna Briavel Schultz  
4 p.m. Confessions  
5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass Clarice Guido

## 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**  
**Shirley Franey**  
**Col. John R. Bourgeois, USMC**  
**(Ret.)**

### Ministry of Mercy

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

**Next Ministry of Mercy Meetings – April 22 and May 6:** The next Ministry of Mercy Meetings will be held on Monday, April 22, and Monday, May 6. Both meetings will begin after the 8:30 am Mass and rosary for the parish's needs. We are currently planning a project to beautify the Mary Garden in St. Peter's Cemetery.

**Saint's Feast Day for St. Peter Parish:** Monday, April 29, is the feast day of St. Catherine of Siena, one of the three patron saint's relics embedded in our altar. She was a 14th-century Italian mystic and is one of only four women who were named Doctor of the Church. She is best known for her efforts to bring about reform in the Catholic Church, for her writings, including her mystical *The Dialogue*, and for her charitable work caring for the sick and the poor. For more information, check out the plaques that are hanging in the entrance foyer of the church (or in the hall).

### Monthly Book Study with Father Beres

Beginning on Saturday, May 4th, and continuing once a month on the first Saturday, we will be discussing the book, "Purgatory" by Father F. X. Schoupe, S.J. which shares true stories of apparitions and revelations taken from the lives of numerous saints. We will meet at Quièvremont Winery around 6:15p.m. Information on the book can be found at Tan Books. Come enjoy a glass of wine, and bring an appetizer to share if you would like to. Hope to see you!

## More Announcements

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

April– Coffee Tea Sugar Flour Pantry Supplies(Baking Soda & Powder)

### **Legion of Mary Book Study**

A new book study is coming your way!! Do you wish to learn about the Liturgy of the Hours or to discover more about it? The Legion of Mary will give you this opportunity using Fr. Timothy Gallagher's book, *A Layman's Guide to the Liturgy of the Hours*. In this book, Fr. Gallagher reflects on the experience of forty years of praying the Liturgy of the Hours. This book study will begin on May 10th and continue on the following Fridays at 10:30 am. You can purchase this book from EWTN or Fr. Gallagher's website or obtain a used copy from ebay. Sign-up on the sheet in the entrance to the church!

### *Legion of Mary*

*"We have only one thing that we must do--that is pray to the Blessed Virgin. Ask her for the grace to love our Lord as she loves Him and to remain faithful to Him in life and in death."* (St. Bernadette).

This is from the Legion of Mary magazine, Maria Legionis. Join us for our weekly Monday meetings at 9:30 am in the CCD room off of the Father Albert Parish Hall.

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**May 4th** is the first Saturday of the month. It was Our Lady who said to Sr. Lucia, one of the Fatima visionaries, "Tell them that I promise to assist at the hour of death with the graces necessary for salvation all those who, in order to make reparation to me, on the First Saturday of five successive months, go to Confession, receive Holy Communion, say five decades of the Rosary, and keep me company for a quarter of an hour, meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary."

### **Schedule Change**

Fr. Beres will be away some during May. Please note the following:

-No 8:30 AM Mass May 1st.  
(there will be the 11:15 AM that day)

-No Masses on May 13 - May 17.

-No 8:30 AM Mass May 18.  
There will be the 5:00 PM Mass that May 18.

### **Lost and Found**

Have you misplaced or left an item behind one Sunday after Mass? All of the lost and found items will be donated to our local thrift store soon because we have no more room to store things. Please come check out the basket and hanging items in the hall by our office entrance door, directly to the right in the closet area when you enter the hallway from the parking lot. Thank you!

## **Pastor's Piece**

### **Dear Folks,**

Saint John writes to us of how we are to keep a clear conscience. We have hopefully all been taught our catechism and continue during our lives to learn of the Lord and His holy teachings. This is how we have a properly formed conscience. We do not make up for ourselves what is the Gospel but rather we receive it from the Lord and His Church. Knowing won't be the whole picture. We will still have to struggle to put it into practice but this is where Saint John consoles us with the words of how God's power and grace are greater than our consciences. May these words bring us the joy of Easter!

**God bless you!**

**-Fr. Beres**