

St. Peter Catholic Church

The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 11th, 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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Monday, Wednesday, & Friday
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Mass Intentions and Feasts

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(Readings: 1 Kgs 19:4-8/Eph 4:30—5:2/Jn 6:41-51 (116) Pss III)

August 10	5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass	Evan Cobos
August 11	8:15 a.m.	John Becker +
	9:45 a.m.	Mary Bowes
	11:30 a.m.	For all parishioners
Monday— Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious		
August 12	8:30 a.m.	Mitch Bush
	11:15 a.m.	Richard J. O'Connor +
Tuesday— Saints Pontian, Pope,		
	and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs	
August 13	Private Mass	Larry Watson Sr. & Family
Wednesday— Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr		
August 14	8:30 a.m.	Michael & Gabriel Miller
	11:15 a.m.	Bob and Joan Beattie
Thursday— ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY		
	Holy Day of Obligation	
August 15	8:30 a.m.	Private Intention
	11:15 a.m.	Private Intention
	7:00 p.m.	Pro Populo
Friday— Saint Stephen of Hungary		
August 16	8:30 a.m.	Rev. Kevin J. Beres
	11:15 a.m.	Michelle Miller
Saturday— Weekday in Ordinary Time		
August 17	8:30 a.m.	Yuriy Vistoropskiy +
	4 p.m. Confessions	
	5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass	Addison Cobos

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
Robert B. Beattie
Benny May
Col. John R. Bourgeois, USMC
(Ret.)

Ministry of Mercy

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

Fundraiser Raffle for St. Peter's Cemetery Mary Garden Renovation: Raffle tickets to help finance the renovation of the cemetery Mary Garden will go on sale beginning August 15, Feast of the Assumption, and be available after every weekend Mass until the drawing on September 8, the Feast of the Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Items to be raffled are a Yeti cooler (value \$425), a garden Mary statue (\$125), and a rosary (\$21). Donations towards this project will also be accepted. See the bulletin flyer insert or contact Moira Satre for more information at moira.satre@gmail.com

Polishing of Vessels Used for the Mass: We need volunteers to join the team to polish liturgical vessels about four times a year. August is one of the months when the vessels are polished. We will meet on Thursday, August 29, at 9:30 in the social hall. Your participation in this worthwhile project will be greatly appreciated. To volunteer to be on a team or for more information, contact Danielle Junk at dzjtfj@msn.com

The next Ministry of Mercy Meetings are scheduled for Mondays, August 12 and August 26, after the 8:30 am Mass and rosary for the parish's needs. All are invited to join us every Monday after the 8:30 Mass to pray a rosary for the needs of our parish.

Christendom College Visit Days

Come out to Front Royal, VA, and see an authentically Catholic college right here in the Arlington Diocese on one of our visit days! We will offer two open houses on September 21 and November 23 and a homeschool visit day on October 12, where prospective families will tour our beautiful campus, experience class with one of our distinguished professors, and learn about our academic program, Catholic culture, financial aid, and countless leadership opportunities! Register in advance at www.christendom.edu/visit.

Beach Day for Catholic Homeschool Families!

Splish! Splash! Catholic homeschoolers (and those contemplating homeschooling this fall), you are cordially invited to some family fun in the sun! Come meet other Catholic homeschoolers on Tuesday, August 13. Bring friends! Details & RSVP at: www.mayflowerhomeschoolers.org

Sponsored by Mayflower Homeschoolers, a Roman Catholic multi-chapter homeschool support group under the patronage of Our Lady of Fatima.

Parish Picnic

Save the Date! The Parish Picnic is coming up! It will be held on Sunday, August 25th, at the Vigerie Farm. Watch for additional details and fliers to be in future bulletins.

Spiritual Adoption of an Unborn Child

Month 6

Your spiritually adopted baby is developing quite beautifully now. Her weight is approaching 2 pounds. She sits up straight now to accommodate her internal organs which have moved into their final place in her little body. Babies born prematurely at this time have a very good chance of surviving. The medical advances in caring for extremely small newborn infants are extraordinary indeed. Don't forget to pray for your baby. Abortion is legal through all nine months and her mom might still feel pressure to abort.

Holy Day of Obligation

Thursday, August 15th, is the Feast of the Assumption of Our Lady into Heaven. Mass will be held at 8:30 a.m., 11:15 a.m., and 7:00 p.m.

Second Collection for Diocesan Mission

Our 2nd collection the weekend of August 10-11th will support our diocesan mission in the Dominican Republic. To learn more please visit their website: <https://arlingtonmissions.org/banica-mission/>

Online donations are welcome via our online giving website:

<https://osvhub.com/stpeterparishva/giving/funds/banica-mission>

Please mark your check with MCP- Banica in memo line.

Pastor's Piece

Dear Folks,

The prophet Elijah is fleeing persecution in our first reading. The Lord God provides him with food so that he is able to escape the danger and be able to worship the Lord God. As was made obvious with the blasphemous opening ceremony at the Olympics, following Jesus will lead to us being mocked and ridiculed. No worries! Jesus told us that this would be the case. "If you belonged to the world, the world would love you as its own. Because you do not belong to the world, but I have chosen you out of the world—therefore the world hates you." John 15:19 Also, we are fed with the Holy Eucharist, the flesh of Jesus to strengthen us for this current struggle. May your hearts not be troubled!

God bless!

-Fr. Beres