

St. Peter Catholic Church

The Third Sunday in Lent
March 23rd, 2025



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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Bartolome Esteban Murillo, circa 1670

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Mass Intentions and Feasts

The Third Sunday in Lent (Readings: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9 (30))

March 22	5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass	Marie Riedel
March 23	8:15 a.m.	Charlotte Guyant
	9:45 a.m.	Clare Francis +
	11:30 a.m.	For all parishioners

Monday— Lenten Weekday

March 24	8:30 a.m.	Bill & Geraldine Beasley
	11:15 a.m.	Hans Polk +

Tuesday— THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

March 25	Private Mass	Rev. Walter Wagner, O.P.
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Wednesday— Lenten Weekday

March 26	8:30 a.m.	Megan Klasila
	11:15 a.m.	Monastic Community of St. Anselm's Abby, Washington DC

Thursday— Lenten Weekday

March 27	7:00 p.m.	Christian Knight
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Friday— Lenten Weekday

March 28	8:30 a.m.	John and Judy Tole +
	11:15 a.m.	Jack Cintorino

Saturday— Lenten Weekday

March 29	8:30 a.m.	Teresa Sladky
	4 p.m. Confessions	
	5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass	Cindy and Keith (+) Casey

Prayers for the Sick

Please pray for the following parishioners and their relatives:

Elaine Viguerie

Nicholas Hovey

Eileen Hawkins

Jim Haley

Lindy Klaus

Kathy Eggers

Ronin O'Neill

Neil and Bernadette O'Heir

Leigh Sargent

Ray Mifflin

Michelle Suess

Tara Cintorino

Gabrielle Barros

Stephanie DiNapoli

Shirley Franey

Robert B. Beattie

Mike Cioffi

Baby Kevin

Ministry of Mercy

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

Lenten Soup Suppers and Stations of the Cross: Every Friday during Lent, St. Peter's invites everyone to the parish meatless supper at 6:00 pm followed by Stations of the Cross at 7:00 pm and then either a talk given by Father or confessions. It's a wonderful way for the parish family to come together and embrace the Lenten spirit!

St. Peter Parish Library: The M&M's are continuing to update the new parish library's book selection and finalize its database.

Mary Garden: Spring is on the way, and we are excited to see some bulbs emerging in the Mary Garden!

Ministry of Mercy Meetings – March 24th and April 7: The next meeting will take place in the social hall on Monday, March 24th, at 9:30 AM, following Mass and the rosary for parish needs.

For questions or to be put on our mailing list, contact Julia Neely (703-927-1811c) at julia.neely@verizon.net.

Upcoming Second Collections

March 30: Catholic Relief Services

April 6: Building Fund/Maintenance

April 13: St. Peter's Local Outreach

Virginia March for Life

Mark your Calendars!

April 2nd will be the Virginia March for Life. Once again we will be celebrating a morning Mass and then heading down to Richmond for the March. Please plan on joining in this peaceful sign that we value life from conception unto a holy death!

More Announcements

-Epiphany Catholic School in Culpeper, VA, is seeking a dedicated and capable principal with strong leadership, communication and team-building skills, a commitment to Catholic education, and a passion for helping the school grow. As a PK-8 parish school, Epiphany requires a principal who will oversee rigorous, well-rounded academics, mentor and supervise a qualified and caring faculty, uphold disciplinary standards in line with Christian principles, identify and pursue funding opportunities, and actively work to increase enrollment. Our future principal will be skilled at creating an environment that reflects Catholic identity through which the presence of Christ is encountered.

A qualified candidate must be a faith-filled, practicing Catholic with a minimum of five years of teaching experience and a master's degree. The ideal candidate will be a collaborative leader, an effective communicator, and someone who nurtures both students and teachers to reach their full potential. Salary and benefits will be commensurate with qualifications, experience, and Diocesan guidelines

For full job requirements and to apply, please visit <https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/catholic-schools/careers/application/>. Applications due by April 11.

Spiritual Adoption of an Unborn Child

ONE MONTH DEVELOPING BABY: Your spiritually adopted baby has been quite active over the past month. Already your baby is 10,000 times bigger than at conception. Your baby has developed the foundations of his/her brain, spinal cord, and nervous system by the 20th day. His/her heart began to beat on the 21st day and is pumping blood through its own circulatory system. The blood type can be different from his/her mother's. Your baby is most vulnerable during the next month of being aborted. Pray that the Lord of Life might move the heart of his/her mother to give him/her the most precious gift of all—the gift of life.

St. Peter's on Charity Mobile

Charity Mobile is a pro-life phone company that donates 5% of your phone bill to charities of your choice. For those using it, St. Peter's is now a listed as a beneficiary that you can choose!

Lenten Dinner Volunteers

As part of the Rappahannock church community's 2025 Ecumenical Lenten Services, St. Peter's seeks volunteers to assist in hosting one of the community Lenten Dinners scheduled for Wednesday, March 26, 2025, at Washington Baptist Church. Father Beres is the guest speaker on that evening and our congregation has been asked to host the dinner. For further details, please call Bernie Cieplak at 540-522-5100 to show your support of our congregation and community by assisting at this community event.

Pastor's Piece

Dear Folks,

This coming Tuesday, March 25th is the feast of the Annunciation, the day when the Archangel Gabriel visited the Virgin Mary and told her the good news that she would conceive the savior of the world. This is the moment when our God entered into our world as a part of His creation. How awesome that He loves us so much! May we be moved to love Him in return!

God Bless!

-Fr. Beres