St. Peter Catholic Church

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 13th, 2025



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

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Readings: Dt 30:10-14/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37 (105) Pss III)

July 125:00 p.m. Vigil MassGenie KnightJuly 138:15 a.m.Bart Beasley9:45 a.m.John Jude Family

11:30 a.m. For all parishioners

Monday— Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

July 14 8:30 a.m. Brendan Lauderdale +

11:15 a.m. Clyde Butters

Tuesday— Saint Bonaventure,

Bishop and Doctor of the Church

July 15 Private Mass Matthew Schnur

Wednesday— Our Lady of Mount Carmel

July 16 8:30 a.m. Norma Dietrich + 11:15 a.m. Christian Wagner +

Thursday— Weekday in Ordinary Time

July 17 7:00 p.m. Jim and Lea Hollis Justice

Friday— Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest

July 18 8:30 a.m. Rev. Ramon Decaen +

11:15 a.m. Cindy and Keith (+) Casey

Saturday— Weekday in Ordinary Time

July 19 8:30 a.m. Tony Jamil Kas-Mikha +

4 p.m. Confessions

5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass Edmund Kavanagh +

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"

Moving Forward on our Parish Library - Monday, July 21: We are moving forward with our plans to create a library at St. Peter's, which will be filled with informative and inspirational resources to help us grow in our Catholic faith. We are committed to making this vision a reality. This will be the main focus of our upcoming Ministry of Mercy meeting on Monday, July 21.

Mary Garden Progress: We are so pleased that most of the plants in our Mary Garden have grown and bloomed. A few have needed to be replaced, but that is to be expected. It looks so amazing and will look even better as the plants mature! We are sure Mary is pleased too.

Front Royal Pregnancy Center Needs: Donations needed for the FRPC include summer girl clothes (sz. 6 mo. – 4t), summer boy clothes (2t – 4t), baby formula (Sensitive and Advanced, off brands ok), diapers (sz. 5 any brand), baby wipes (any brand), and new car seats. There is a donation basket in St. Peter's office hall closet.

Ministry of Mercy Meetings – Monday, July 21 and August 4: The next meetings for the Ministry of Mercy will take place on Monday, July 21 and August 4 following the 8:30 Mass and the rosary for parish needs. On July 21 we will be focusing on our parish library.

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

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More Announcements

-This Sunday the basket of blessed altar candles stubs will be out on a table as you enter the church. Please take as many as you like for your prayer times at home.

World Wide Marriage Enounter

"I PLACE MUCH OF MY HOPE FOR THE FUTURE IN MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER". (Pope Saint John Paul II) Your honeymoon was a special time. Wherever you went, the things you saw and did were secondary. Just being together was most important. The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend has the same focus. The weekend centers entirely on your relationship. It is a positive, simple common sense, private experience between you and your spouse, that revitalizes marriage by helping you to see again those loving qualities in each other that you may be taking for granted. Upcoming experience are:

September 12-14, 2025 - Richmond VA

October 24-26, 2025 - Jessup MD

November 7-9, 2025 - Rehoboth Beach DE

February 13-15, 2026 - Waynesboro VA March 6-8, 2026 - Hampton VA

For more information please call 757-690-1369 or to register, go to WWME.org, click "Apply" and search for your desired location.

Upcoming Second Collections

July 13: Church in Africa

July 27: St. Peter's Local Outreach

August 3: Building Fund and Maintenance

August 17: St. Peter's Local Outreach

Enrollment in the Brown Scapular

Wednesday, July 16th, is the feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. In 1251 Our Lady appeared to St. Simon Stock of the Carmelite order and gave him a garment of grace--the brown scapular. Wearing this sacramental with devotion to our Blessed Mother, will open your heart to God's graces.

After the Sat. evening Mass on July 12th, the 8:30 Sunday Mass on July 13th, and the 8:30 am Mass on July 16th, the brown scapular will be offered to you. Father Beres will enroll you in this scapular with a brief ceremony if you haven't been enrolled before.

Monthly 2025-2026 Catholic Homeschool Clubs!

Looking for fun social activities for all of your homeschooled kids in the same time & place? Look no further! Mayflower Homeschoolers offers a Clubs Day for all ages on 3rd Fridays of the school year! St. Bosco Coed Teen Games Club~Little Flowers Girls Club~Blue Knights Boys Club~St. Nicholas Coed PreK&K Club. For details about clubs & our other weekly events, go to

www.mayflowerhomeschoolers.org.

Pastor's Piece

Dear Folks,

In the reading from the Old Testament Moses encourages the people that the following of the Law is entirely within their power, they have only to carry it out. We are an even better position now with the Holy Spirit upon us by baptism and confirmation. The struggle is still constant because we are wounded by original sin but by nature and grace we must always be in the fight. Never lose hope because God is greater than our sins.

God Bless!

-Fr. Beres