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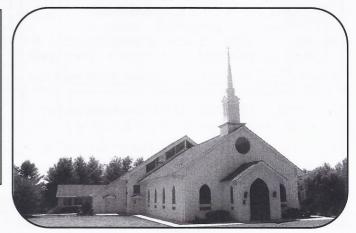
Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM
Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 AM
Mon. Wed., & Fri. 8:30 AM
Thursday 7:00 PM
Holy Hour 7:30 PM
No Mass on Tuesdays

Holy Days of Obligation 8:30 AM & 7:30 PM

Parish Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:30am ~ 3:30pm Everyday except Tuesday



12762 Lee Highway, Washington, VA 22747 website: www.stpeterparishva.org

Receiving the Sacraments

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Any Catholic with a life-threatening illness should receive this sacrament even if not in immediate danger of death.. Please call Father Grinnell and ask him to anoint you if you think you should receive the sacrament soon.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Thursday Evening during Adoration Every Saturday -

3:45 PM until 4:45 PM (Also by appointment)

The Sacrament of Matrimony

The Diocese of Arlington requires that the parish priest be contacted at least six months before the intended wedding, We want to help all of our couples receive the abundant benefits and graces that the Sacrament of Matrimony can offer them.

The Sacrament of Baptism

A class is required for parents having a child baptized at St. Peter Parish for the first time. Please call Father Grinnell at 675-3432 to make arrangements.

Pastor

Reverend Father Horace Grinnell Parish Phone Numbers

Pastor Rev. Father Horace Grinnell........(540) 675-3432
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Sunday, September 13, 2015 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"I WILL WALK BEFORE THE LORD, IN THE LAND OF THE LIVING"

Mass Intentions for the Week

Vigil Mass Sept. 12	5:00 PM	Wendy Lee
Sunday Sept. 13	8:30 AM 11:00 AM	Rebecca Dietrich Pro Populo
Monday Sept. 14	8:30 AM	Communion Service
Wednesday Sept. 16	8:30 AM	Communion Service
Thursday Sept. 17	7:00 PM	Communion Service
Friday Sept. 18	8:30 AM	Communion Service

SECOND COLLECTION TODAY

Second collection is for St. Peter's Religious Education. Please help support this important program. Please be generous.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." (Mark 8:34)

When we truly believe that all we have is a gift from God, then we must be willing to give up some things so that we can share our blessings as God intended. Living a stewardship not only being regrateful sponsible for our own life, but the lives of others as well.

Weekly Contributions for 9/6/15 —

General Collection—\$3,183.00



Thank You for your generosity!



PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the following members of our Parish:

Elaine Viguerie	Harrison Knight
Christian Knight	Deacon Charles Coutu
Evelyn Johnson	John Paul Storey
Colleen Cybrowski	Penny Smith
Nicole Cornado	Patricia J. Carey
June Burdick	Al Regnery
Gail Barcalow	Robert Smith
Constance Goska	

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD Children Ages 3 to 9

Parents of children ages 3 to 9 — Now is the time to sign up for orientation to the Atrium for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. Please contact Danuta Coble at (540) 364-9428 for the 3 to 6 year old children or Emilia Benyo (540) 937-5939 for the 6 to 9 year old children to schedule a time on August 30th after both Masses.

Teach at RappU

Have the urge to teach? Efforts are underway to harness the talent living in our County to create new learning opportunities. RappU is looking for persons willing to share their knowledge and passion on any subject. No teaching experience is necessary, just some expertise in something interesting. RappU will be based on the LifeLong Learning Institute programs that exist in many areas of the country but will have its own unique Rappahannock style and flavor. For more information visit www.RappU.org.

CANDLELIGHT DESSERT SATURDAY.



FUNDRAISING RECEPTION— OCTOBER 24

Make your reservation now to attend the 18th Candlelight Fundraising Dessert Reception on Oct. 24th benefiting the Pregnancy Center in Culpeper. The Reception will feature Fr. Agustino Torres of the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal, a dynamic speaker who reaches disadvantaged youth with the Gospel and a message of purity. It will be held at GCC's Daniel Technology Center at 7 p.m. There will be a St. Peter's table there. For further information or to make reservations, call 727-0800 or go to www.pccvfriends.org or contact J. Beattie at 987-8315. The Culpeper Center has served over 9,000 women, and has made a difference in the lives of many families in our community. Please support this wonderful ministry!

International Day of Prayer For Peace— September 20

Join Unity in the Community at Holy Family Catholic Church on Sunday, September 20 from 3 to 6 p.m. for the International Day of Prayer and Peace. Unity in the Community is hosting an interfaith event to mark the International Day of Prayer for Peace, with the theme of "Sharing Our Sacred Journeys Toward Peace." Please bring a dish to share at the fellowship supper following the service. Participants are also invited to contribute non-perishable items for the food pantries at ACTS and Northern Virginia Family Service (SERVE). Holy Family Catholic Church is

Put on your walking shoes to help the Front Royal Pregnancy Center!

located at 14160 Ferndale Rd., Woodbridge, VA

Pledge: Get your friends and relatives to pledge contributions to FRPC by sponsoring you. You don't have to collect money; the FRPC will do that for you. Fill out a Sponsor Pledge form, or register on-line at: www.frpcwalkforlife.com. Your sponsors will be able to pledge on-line.

Walk: Join us on October 3rd in the parking area behind the Pregnancy Center to walk one beautiful mile through downtown Front Royal on the annual Walk for Life. Registration starts at 9:00 a.m. and the Walk kicks off at 10:00 a.m.

Pray: Remember the Walk for Life in your daily prayers. The Walk's theme is: You're Not Alone! As prayer warriors the FRPC Walk Team will be praying for you as well!

If you can't participate in the Walk for some reason, please pledge, so others can. Please "like" us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/frpcwalkforlife

Call Maura at the FRPC at 540-635-6181, if you have any

FALL FANFARE -

questions.

A CONCERT FOR ORGAN, PIANO, AND VIOLIN

Wendy Aichele & Angela Snyder
Sunday, September 20, 2015
3:00-4:00 p.m. — Washington Baptist Church
180 Gay Street, Washington, Virginia

A lemonade and iced tea reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone invited. . Admission free.

[A special offering will be collected for The Rappahannock Benevolent Fund.]

HELP IS NEEDED

To clean the church for the third weekend and for the fourth weekend of every month. Individuals, couples or families are welcome. At least two partners work together anytime before or on the Saturday of a weekend. Please contact J. Beattie at 987-8315 or jarbb234@yahoo.com Consider this wonderful service to God!

MARRIAGE HELP



RETROUVAILLE has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you too. For confidential information or to register for the program beginning the weekend of July 17, call 703/351-7211 or visit www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

BLESS YOUR MARRIAGE! @MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER



Today's gospel says, "For whoever wishes to save his life will lost it, but whoever loses his life for my sake and that of the gospel will save it." Are you living out the gospel in your marriage? Learn how God is calling you to live in your Sacrament. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are on 18-20 September in Herndon or 6-8 November in Herndon. For more information or to apply, visit our website at renewmarriage-vanorth.org or contact us at: applications@renewmarriage-vanorth.org or 703-378-4150.

7 MONTH DEVELOPING BABY

You're in the home stretch with your spiritually adopted baby. He/She is completely formed, and has been since 8 weeks. All he/she is doing now is gaining weight, and making his/her mother uncomfortable with his/her size. Mom, however, is not worried now. In a short time, her baby will be born. She has planned to bring him/her home, or to place him/her for adoption. Either way, she knows she can receive the assistance she needs from the Catholic Church and from the crisis pregnancy centers. Your baby's mother appreciates the prayers you have said for her and her baby throughout the pregnancy. It hasn't been easy, but your prayers have helped to give her grace to seek the help she needs.

A great thank you to all who helped the Legion of Mary in contributing food or desserts, in preparing items that were needed on the tables, in washing and drying dishes, and in cleaning up after Our Lady's birthday celebrations after each of the Masses last weekend! You were much appreciated!

On Saturday, Oct. 3rd, there will be a Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC (from 9:30 am - 2:30 pm). The theme is "Oh Mary, Keep Our Family Alive in Love". Car pools will be arranged. If you wish to join Bishop Loverde at the Basilica, please sign up at the entrance to the church.

Pastor's Piece



Dear friends,

ST. AUGUSTINE REFLECTION GROUP "THE DONATISTS" — WHO ARE THEY?

"The wild mobs of the Donatists made it necessary to do what was done on account of them for they did not know what had been previously settled, and it had to be shown to them." (quote from pg. 123, Saint Augustine of Hippo)

If you want to know more about this, come join us Monday morning for the St. Augustine reflection group (9:15-10:15 am) in the back meeting room at church. "

TEENS MEET TODAY, SUNDAY, 9/13, AFTER THE 11:00 AM MASS FOR HOLY HOUR/CONFESSIONS, LUNCH AND YOUTH ACTIVITIES PLANNING.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION BEGINS TODAY!! REGISTER FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

It is not too late for people to register their kids for Religious Education. We will accept your kids today. If you are new, pick up the registration form at the entrance of the church. If you have any neighbors who have kids, tell them about our religious education classes. There will be a special parent orientation for parents who have children in the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (grades pre-K—third grade).

Father Tuck Grinnell





Thank you wour event sponsors

OCTOBER 3 2015 RECISTRATION 2:30 AM

REGISTRATION 9:30 AM WALK BEGINS 10:00 AM

FRONT ROYAL PREGNANCY CENTER

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