

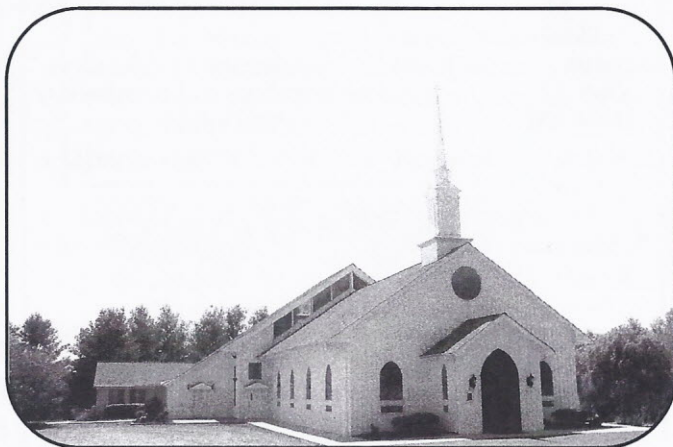
St. Peter Catholic Church

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

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Mrs. Kathleen Tester, Organist.....(540) 987-8764

Sunday, November 15, 2015

**33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME**

**“YOU ARE MY INHERITANCE,
O LORD”**

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Vigil Mass 5:00 PM Dan & Melba Lozano
Nov. 14
Blessed Virgin Mary

Sunday 8:30 AM Deceased Legionnaires
Nov. 15 (Former Members and Auxiliaries)
11:00 AM Pro Populo

Monday 8:30 AM John Lesinski +
Nov. 16
St. Margaret of Scotland

Wednesday 8:30 AM Shannon Ayers +
Nov. 18
Dedication of the Basilicas of St. Peter & St. Paul

Thursday 7:00 PM Evelyn and Stewart Willes
Nov. 19

Friday 8:30 AM Franklin & Esther Schmidt
Nov. 20



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
Jane Burdick	Constance Goska
Gail Barcalow	Robert Smith

FALL HARVEST FOOD DRIVE

Next weekend, November 21/22, we will collect food drive contributions at all masses. The Fall Harvest Food Drive supports Catholic Charities' St. Lucy Project, the Arlington Diocese's efforts to alleviate hunger at St. Peter's. Last year parishioners contributed 1,626 lbs. of food and \$1,137. Of the 58 parishes that participated last year, the average donations was 1,612 lbs. Little St. Peter's outperformed many parishes much larger than it.



COLLECTION NEXT WEEK, 11/22, IS FOR: CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT



The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) was founded to help end the cycle of poverty in the United States. With an emphasis on **improving education, housing situations, and community economic development**, CCHD continues to make an impact in communities nationwide. Your contribution will defend human dignity and reach out to those living on the margins. Please give to the CCHD collection next weekend.

Retirement Fund for Religious Collection

Religious Gives Thanks. "We cannot begin to repay all who contribute," writes a Catholic sister "So we pray to God, who is never outdone in generosity, to reward you." Heartfelt thanks for your donation to last week's collection of \$1,127.00 for the Retirement Fund for Religious. May God bless you for your goodness!

Weekly Contributions for 11/8/15 –

General Collection– \$3,121.00



Thank You for your generosity!

PLANNED GIVING

Strengthening the Household of Faith. Jesus asks us to demonstrate our love for Him through our generosity to others. In our everyday lives, He calls us to share our gifts of time, talent, and treasure with others. "While we have the opportunity, let us do good to all, but especially to those who belong to the family of the faith." (Galatians 6:10) A gift in any amount given through an estate will strengthen our household of faith. For more information, call the Diocesan Planned Giving Office at 703-841-3819 or visit www.arlingtondiocese.planyourlegacy.org.

TAX SAVINGS THROUGH A GIFT OF STOCK



You may make a gift of stock as a **donation to our parish or our diocese**. In exchange for a gift of long-term, appreciated securities (stock), you can receive an income tax deduction and avoid capital gains taxes on stock appreciation. For more information, please call 703-841-3896 or visit: www.arlingtondiocese.org/giving/gifts_stock.aspx.

LADIES RETREAT—SATURDAY, 11/21

8:30AM MASS—1:00PM— AT...

PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHOLIC CHURCH PARISH

Includes talk, meditation, confession, adoration, and some refreshments afterwards. This retreat is for all ladies looking for a morning prayer reflection, time to spend in prayer with the Lord. Please join us! Speaker is Glory Darbellay, a consecrated member of Regnum Christi. Free babysitting provided in church basement. Please contact Jacqueline Masson for more information, email:

jacque1114@yahoo.com or call or text: 678-267-6377.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY ADOPTED BABY!

Your spiritually adopted baby was born this month—nine months after his/her mother conceived him. The only change at birth is a change in the external life support system of the baby. He/She is no different now than he/she was before birth except that he/she breathes and eats differently. He/She is truly a miracle! He/She began as a 46 chromosome cell and has developed over the past nine months into this unique human baby. Never before in history, nor ever again, will anyone exist who is just like your spiritually adopted baby! You may never meet the mother and baby, but your prayers saved his/her life!



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, call 703/351-7211 or visit www.HelpOurMarriage.com

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND.

While we await Jesus' coming let us continue to live for Him and live in His love in all we do, especially in our marriage relationship. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are on Feb. 19-21 in Herndon, or Apr. 22-24 in Fredericksburg. 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.

LEGION OF MARY

"Not so easily was I remade as made. He spoke and all things were made. But while He made me simply and at once by a word, He has in the remaking of me said many words, and worked wonders and suffered much." (words of St. Bernard) This gem, found in the Legion of Mary Handbook, is one of many you can hear in our meetings on Fridays at 9:30 am in the CCD room off of the kitchen in the parish hall. Come join us!

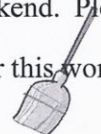


WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE SENIOR CENTER??

Come to Scrabble School Senior Center this week for a little fun: Starting at 11am at site on Mon., 11/16 Search & Rescue Dog Info/Demo, 1pm Crafts w/Cynthia; Tues., 11/17, 9am, Trip to Country Cookin' in Culpeper for Breakfast (\$5 + tip), 11am "Moonstruck"; Wed., 11/18, 10:30am-2pm Cornhole Tourney; Thurs., 11/19, 11am Special Music, 1pm Little Debbie Cake Walk/Exercise w/Lisa & Bonnie. A delicious lunch is free to all. Come and have fun. If you need to call: 540-987-3638.

HELP IS NEEDED

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 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!



Pastor's Piece



Dear friends,

FALL HARVEST FOOD DRIVE - NEXT WEEKEND

Next Sunday (Nov 21 & 22) St Peter's will conduct its 5th annual food drive for Catholic Charities of the Dioceses of Arlington. Last year 58 parishes participated, contributing an average of 1,613 lbs per church. In our little parish, you gave 1,626 lbs!!! .. and \$1,137!!! Let's have another bountiful collection for our neighbors throughout the Diocese.

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS, THURSDAY, NOV. 26th

Mass on Thanksgiving Day will be held at 8:00 a.m. There will be no 7 p.m. mass that day.

COME TO THE ECUMENICAL THANKSGIVING SERVICE

10:00 AM AT REYNOLDS BAPTIST CHURCH, SPERRYVILLE

You are invited to the ecumenical Thanksgiving service at 10 am on Thanksgiving Day at Reynolds Baptist Church in Sperryville, I will be participating with other members of the Rappahannock Ministerial Association in this service. Come and be a part of this joyful celebration.

ST. AUGUSTINE REFLECTION GROUP — “POLITICS“

“Without justice, what are kingdoms but gangs of criminals on a large scale? What are criminal gangs but petty kingdoms? A gang is a group under the command of a leader, held together by a pact of association. They divide their plunder according to agreed upon rules.” (taken from pg. 173, St. 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.

Father Tuck Grinnell



CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT WORKING ON THE MARGINS

During his visit to Brazil, Pope Francis said, “The measure of the greatness of a society is found in the way it treats those most in need” (World Youth Day, Address, July 25, 2013). With these words, Pope Francis continues to bring our attention back to the poor and our responsibility toward them. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) responds directly to his call by addressing the root causes of poverty in the United States.

Since 1996, Tohono O’odham Community Action (TOCA) has been dedicated to creating a healthy and sustainable community on the Tohono O’odham Nation, located in the Sonoran Desert of Arizona. TOCA’s projects encourage community self-sufficiency and strengthen the roots of O’odham culture. After 1930, O’odham farming began to decline, and the federal government introduced commodity foods into O’odham. This led to a rapid rise of type 2 diabetes in the community.

In an effort to recapture traditional agricultural practices and return to a healthier lifestyle, TOCA established the New Generation of O’odham Farmers program in 2009.

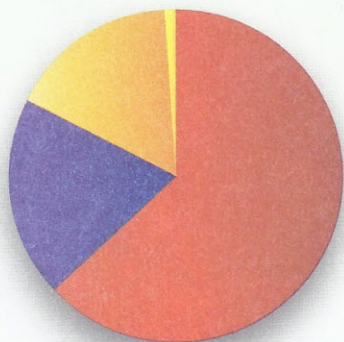
Dedicated to training and empowering community members to pursue careers in sustainable agriculture, the program emerged from experiences on TOCA’s two farms and from local young adults who wanted to learn how to create a livelihood for themselves within their communities. Training new farmers and gardeners is a key part of TOCA’s larger efforts to rebuild a sustainable local food system and a healthy way of life.

CCHD funds programs in communities across the United States. By giving a hand up, rather than a handout, CCHD helps people living in poverty join together to identify problems, make decisions, and find ways to improve their lives and neighborhoods.

Your support helps to end poverty through building solidarity in our communities. Working together, we can reach out to our brothers and sisters living on the periphery of society. Please visit www.povertyusa.org to read more details about CCHD’s efforts to spread Christ’s love by helping to break the cycle of poverty in your community and across the country.

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT WORKING ON THE MARGINS

2013-2014 GRANTS



- Community Development: \$7,567,000 (156 grants)
- Economic Development: \$2,329,946 (38 grants)
- Strategic National Grants: \$2,003,000 (5 grants)
- Technical Assistance: \$109,355 (10 grants)

Total: \$11,614,301



Community Development: \$7,567,000 (156 grants)

- 28% Creating Resilient Communities, Access to Housing, & Stronger Schools
- 24% Building a Just Economy & Defending Workers' Rights
- 22% Protecting the Rights of Immigrants
- 11% Expanding Access to Health Care & Empowering Persons with Disabilities
- 8% Protecting God's Creation, the Environment
- 7% Reforming the Criminal Justice System



Economic Development: \$2,329,946 (38 grants)

- 28% Fair Access to Credit & Financial Planning
- 19% Home Ownership & Community Real Estate Opportunities
- 19% Job Training & Social Purpose Business Support
- 19% Creating Worker & Community-Owned Businesses
- 15% Business Incubation & Community Marketplaces



Strategic National Grants: \$2,003,000 (5 grants)



Technical Assistance: \$109,355 (10 grants)

ORIGINS

CCHD was founded in 1970 by the Catholic bishops of the United States as their domestic anti-poverty program. They realized that established charitable services alone were not creating the changes people needed to stay out of poverty. With a goal of creating sustainable systems, the bishops worked to address the policies and structures that perpetuate poverty. CCHD seeks to eliminate poverty by building solidarity in communities.

IMPACT

CCHD brings Catholic social teaching to life by funding community and economic development programs across the United States that help poor and marginalized people join together to make decisions, seek solutions to local problems, and find ways to improve their lives and neighborhoods. Economic development initiatives help create new businesses and jobs. CCHD also provides educational opportunities for Catholics to learn about poverty, stand in solidarity with those affected by it, and reflect on their own responsibility before the great need of others.

INVOLVEMENT

You can make a difference:

1. **DONATE.** Your generous support, in the parish collection and throughout the year, is vital to CCHD's anti-poverty mission and creates real change.
2. **LEARN.** CCHD offers awareness programs to learn more about poverty, those affected by it, and our responsibilities as members of the Church. Visit www.povertyusa.org.
3. **PRAY** for those who give and receive CCHD support, in thanksgiving for generous donors, and to ask support for those struggling.

CCHD is committed to accountability and transparency. We allocate funds to community projects that promote the mission and vision of CCHD while adhering to the moral and social teachings of the Catholic Church. Please visit www.usccb.org/cchd to view funding criteria and see a detailed list of our most recent grants. CCHD's primary source of support is the annual collection held in parishes across the United States. Twenty-five percent of each collection supports anti-poverty projects in the local (arch)diocese where the funds are collected.



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