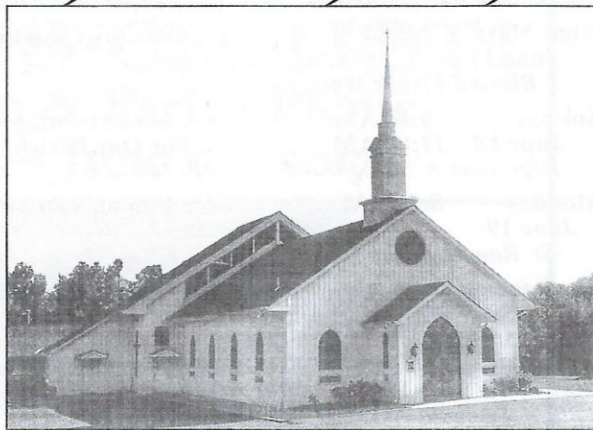


St. Peter Catholic Church

Mass Schedule

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| 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 & 7:00 PM | |



Parish Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Friday
8:30am ~ 3:30pm

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
E-mail: grinnellhorace@gmail.com
Deacon Bob Benyo.....(540) 937-5939
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Mary Ann Krammes, Cemetery Admin.....(540) 547-4441
and Bulletin Coordinator
Mrs. Kathleen Tester, Organist.....(540) 987-8764
Epiphany Catholic School (PK-8).....(540) 825-9017
EpiphanyCatholicSchool.org

Sunday, June 18, 2017

**THE MOST HOLY BODY AND
BLOOD OF CHRIST
[CORPUS CHRISTI]**

"PRAISE THE LORD, JERUSALEM"

MASS INTENTIONS AND READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Vigil Mass 5:00 PM Dorothy Cosica+
June 17
Blessed Virgin Mary

Sunday 8:30 AM Chuck Horning+
June 18 11:00 AM **For Our Parish**
Rdgs. Deut. 8:2-3, 14-b-16a, 1 Cor. 10:16-17, Jn. 6:51-58

Monday 8:30 AM **Communion Service**
June 19
St. Romuald, abbot

Wednesday 8:30 AM **Communion Service**
June 21
St. Aloysius Gonzaga

Thursday 7:00 PM Tony & Helen Priebe family
June 22 7:30 PM **Eucharistic Holy Hour**
St. Paulinus of Nola, St. John Fisher, St. Thomas More

Friday 8:30 AM Roger Portula+
June 23
The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus



**"AMEN, AMEN, I SAY TO YOU
UNLESS YOU EAT THE FLESH OF
THE SON OF MAN AND DRINK
HIS BLOOD, YOU DO NOT HAVE
LIFE WITHIN YOU."**
-
JOHN 6:53

FEEDING THE HUNGRY

On June 10, Ted Pechie and John Guyant delivered **643 pounds** of food from Catholic Charities to the Page One Food Pantry in Luray.



Weekly Contributions for 6/11/17
General Collection — \$1,958.00
Online Giving — \$780.00
Parish Outreach — \$890.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the following members and their relatives of our Parish:

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|----------------------------|------------------------|
| Elaine Viguerie | Joan Gannon |
| Jane Collinson | Bonnie Fogelberg |
| Colleen Cybrowski | Melanie Maloney |
| Deacon Charles Coutu | Pat Galletta |
| Nicholas Hovey | Christopher John Field |
| Michael and Eileen Hawkins | |

A MESSAGE FROM OUR BISHOP

In handling cases regarding the declaration of the nullity of a marriage, Pope Francis indicates that "care is to be taken that everyone ... can participate in the process at a minimum of cost" (Apostolic Letter *Mitis iudex*, art. 7, para. 2). Following a review of our existing annulment processes and upon appropriate consultation, I have determined there will be no fee or suggested donation for the services rendered in the Diocese of Arlington by the Office for Canonical Affairs and the Tribunal.

This policy will be effective July 1, 2017, and will be conveyed via the Catholic Herald and social media. You may also wish to include this information in your parish bulletin.

May Our Lord Jesus bless you in all your endeavors.

Fraternally in Christ,
Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge,
Bishop of Arlington

ADULTS GROWING IN FAITH

JOIN THE BIBLE STUDY GROUP ON
ST. LUKE'S GOSPEL

WEDNESDAY MORNINGS, 9 A.M.—10 A.M.

All are invited to join the Wednesday morning bible study in the parish meeting room. Come every week or come when you can!

ALL ARE WELCOME.

FALLING UPWARD, by Fr. Richard Rohr
CHAPTER 5, pgs. 65-73

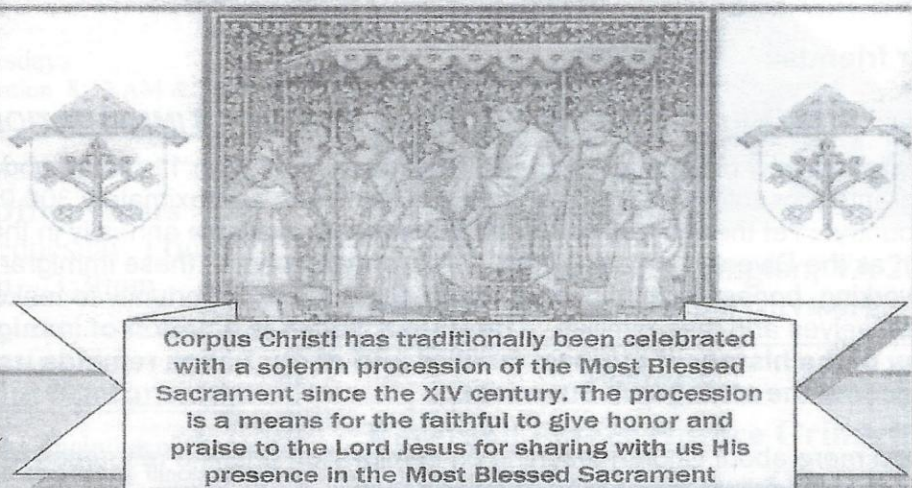
You are invited to join the Monday morning group — we are discussing *Falling Upward*, by Fr. Richard Rohr. We will be discussing Chapter 5, pgs. 65-73, of the book on Monday, June 19.

Saint Peter Catholic Church

CORPUS CHRISTI

Procession & Parish Picnic

Sunday — June 18th 2017



Corpus Christi has traditionally been celebrated with a solemn procession of the Most Blessed Sacrament since the XIV century. The procession is a means for the faithful to give honor and praise to the Lord Jesus for sharing with us His presence in the Most Blessed Sacrament

Saint Peter Parish Picnic
Sunday June 18th at 12:30 PM
All Are Welcome!

Saint Peter's Knights of Columbus invite all parishioners and friends to join the parish in this most reverent procession and then to join us for our Parish Picnic at the church directly after the Corpus Christi Procession. The Knights will supply meats, drinks, and condiments. We encourage each family attending to bring a covered dish or **dessert** to share with all.

FRONT ROYAL PREGNANCY CENTER

On behalf of the Front Royal Pregnancy Center, thank you sincerely for the more than \$400.00 that was donated via the baby bottle project!

If you have a baby bottle still at home, please return it to church even if it is empty. These bottles are reused for future fundraising events either at St. Peter's or at neighboring churches.

June 21--FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM: Pray, Reflect, Act

We are called to follow Christ as missionary disciples by seeking the truth, serving others, and living our faith in all that we do. Take a few moments each day from June 21--July 4 to pray, reflect, and take action on religious liberty, both here in this country and abroad.

PASTOR'S PIECE



Dear friends,

A MESSAGE FROM BISHOP BURBIDGE ON IMMIGRATION

Immigration and the human impact. There are more than 11 million undocumented immigrants presently in the United States. Each year, approximately 300,000 more enter the country. Yet there are only 55,000 green cards available annually in the lottery, known as the Diversity Visa program. With few exceptions, these immigrants are hardworking, honest, faithful people simply desiring the opportunity to make a better life for themselves and their families. **The United States is a nation of immigrants; a review of the history of our own families and of our nation reminds us of the need to welcome the stranger in our midst.**

To learn more about Church teaching on immigration and find resources for immigration advocacy, visit arlingtondiocese.org/immigration.

HELP THE KNIGHT'S SUPPORT KOVAR AND SPECIAL OLYMPICS

The Parish Knights of Columbus Council is raising money to support KOVAR and Virginia Special Olympics. In lieu of the traditional selling of Tootsie Rolls, we are going to use the funds donated in the Poor Box from now through Corpus Christi Sunday (May 28, June 4, June 11, and June 18) to support their fundraising effort. KOVAR is a Virginia Knights of Columbus Charity which serves Virginians with intellectual disabilities. KOVAR was started in 1971 and has distributed over \$14M in grants and \$3.5M in interest free loans. Virginia Special Olympics supports over 27,000 athletes and over 2,500 competitions. Please be generous to these two worthy causes and place your donations in the Poor Box.

Father Tuck Grinnell

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FREE

John Bourgeois'
American Festival Concert

Saturday July 1

featuring

The Bourgeois Concert Band

Avon Hall, Washington Virginia
Event opens at 12 noon

Concert starts at 5 PM

Come join us for an old fashioned family celebration of America

**Come early bring your lawn chairs, blankets, and a picnic lunch. special activities
for children**