



SAINT PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Emergency – If someone is dying or there has been a death, please call: 804-402-1221

Mass Schedule

Sunday: 8:30 & 10:45 am Weekday: 12:05 pm

Holy Day: Call the Parish Office or See Notices

Confession: Mon. thru Fri. 11:45 am

Fifth Sunday of Lent

March 13, 2016

Mass Intention: Dirck Teller

ENTRANCE #420

Again We Keep This Solemn Fast

PSALM

The Lord has done great things for us, we are filled with joy, we are filled with joy.

OFFERTORY #624

What Does the Lord Require

COMMUNION #738

I Am the Bread of Life

RECESSIONAL #752

The Master Came to Bring Good News

SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

Mon.: Mass Intention: Dirck Teller

Tues.: Mass Intention: James Murphy

Tues.: Social Ministry: 10:30 am – 12:30 pm

Wed.: Mass Intention: James Cavanagh

Thurs.: Mass Intention: Pauline Guard

Fri.: Mass Intention: Adelaide Thurman

HOMEBOUND/HOSPITALIZED

Manuel Alvarez, Anthony Arrighi, Rollo Brown, Steve Campbell, Stuart Cary, David Coffman, Martha Dewing (mother of Doug Dewing), Bill Holzgreffe, Shirley Hudson, Camilla Hull (mother of Doyle Hull), Connie Klyver, (friend of Ginnie & Marilyn), Maria Konwerska, Emma Mednikov, Jim Melton, Jesse Oliver, Rachel Robinson, Marilyn Reilly, Nancy Severns, Beulah Taylor, Greg Stowers, Bob Webster. Thank you for your prayers.

LECTOR & EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

8:30 am: Bill Lipchak Extraordinary Ministers: Linda Shisler, Maggie Wilkins, Robert Wilkins

FINANCE: Carol & Dan Piett and Linda Shisler

10:45 am: Joe Naman Extraordinary Ministers:

Marie Martinelli, Colin Schmidt, Mimi Schoof

FINANCE: Eileen Zorzi, Bill Conkle

NEXT SUNDAY

8:30 am: Will Rogers & Team Extraordinary Ministers: Doug Dewing, Tom Fahed, Barbara Goode

FINANCE: Doug Dewing, Chris Thomas and Volunteer

10:45 am: Colin Schmidt & Team Extraordinary Min.:

Nancy Gowen, Margaret Hable, Jim Martinelli

FINANCE: John Rogers, Patty Talley

FROM OUR PASTOR – Hello,

A couple things I want you to be aware of going on around town.

Firstly and most importantly, confession.

On Tuesday, March 15, from 6:30 – 8:30 pm, we will have priests available for confessions at St. John in Highland Springs. There will be visiting priests as well.

Every Saturday, before the Mass, at 4:30 pm, at St. Patrick and St. John, a priest is available for confessions.

Monday through Friday, confessions can be made at St. Peter at 11:45 am, before daily Mass.

On Good Friday, confessions will be heard at St. Peter from noon until 3 pm.

As such, there are tons of opportunities to go to confession before Easter. PLEASE GO!!! The Church

makes it a requirement to go at least once per year...because it is good for us...like going for your yearly physical.

The other events I wanted to mention have been highlighted in the bulletin, but I wanted to point out again and simply add that it is amazing what can be done when everyone pulls together to do something amazing for the Church.

At St. John, we are continuing to have our Lenten fish dinners each Friday. We have had on recent Fridays over 250 guests per night come from the local community to share a meal. It has been a ton of work, but a wonderful success.

At St. Patrick, we are preparing for our large annual event, the Irish Festival, which is sponsored and run by many people that attend Mass at St. Patrick. Tens of thousands will come to Church Hill in just a week, with proceeds benefiting many local charities, including St. Patrick Church.

At St. Peter, hundreds of homeless are fed each week in our lunch program, a number which is expected to grow in the near future as we look to add an evening dinner.

We are a working people.

I encourage anyone and everyone to get involved in these events. There are plenty of opportunities to offer your talents in service to God. We would love to have your help in these events and in all the future events that we will be hosting and sponsoring. There is plenty of work to be done in the Kingdom. When we give of ourselves freely to work for God, we get the benefit of satisfaction from a job well done, and the confidence of knowing to whom we belong.

Hope you are having a wonderful Lent.

Fr. Rossi

TRIDUUM TRAINING – Training for the Triduum will be after the 8:30 am Mass on Sunday, March 13. All who are interested in participating are welcome.

Tuesday, March 15 – Communal Penance Service, 6:30 pm – St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, Highland Springs, VA

DCM Palm Sunday Celebration Service on Grace Street outside Centenary Church – Sun. Mar. 20, 10:45 am.

Then at 12:15 pm – We would love to have you join us for brunch at Ms. Girlee’s Restaurant located right around the corner from Centenary at 112 N. 5th St. Their Sunday brunch is \$14.99 per person and features omelets, bacon, sausage, potatoes, waffles, fried chicken and fish, cornbread, and more. Bring your church bulletin to receive a 15% discount!

For Healing after Abortion, a *Rachel’s Vineyard* will be held Apr. 8 – 10, at Shalom House Retreat Center in Montpelier, VA, for women and men who have known regret, sorrow, guilt, or shame from abortion. If you would like to learn more about this retreat, contact Marty Montgomery-Jennings, 804-704-0429, or Maggie Carlson, 804-432-2589 or email RV4hope@gmail.com. Visit our website: www.rachelsvineyard.org.

Outreach & Social Ministry - 113 lunches were served to the homeless on Tuesday, Mar. 8, 2016. Many thanks to all who helped.

Our Knights of Columbus are collecting canned food for the Commonwealth Catholic Charities between now and the Easter Vigil. Please bring a can or two, or as many as you can, and place them in the CCC designated collection box at the back of the church. The Knights will collect the food and take it to the CCC on Sat. Mar. 26th.

St. John Lenten Dinners – Our sister parish, St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Highland Springs, invites you to enjoy a delicious Lenten Dinner every Friday during Lent from 5 pm – 7 pm. The menu includes fried fish, baked fish, a special dinner, or a non-meat pasta. Beverages and homemade dessert are included for only \$8. We hope you can join the fun.

Budgeted Weekly Income	\$3,461.00
Collection	<u>4,282.70</u>
Gain	\$ 821.70
Budgeted income was determined during spring budgeting process by Fr. Brownell and Finance Council	

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