



PRAYER LIST

David Adams, Joseph Birchette, Steve Campbell, William Claiborne, Mary Davidson, Marta Fritzne (Gabi Wolz's Mother), Cathy Lipchak, Jim Melton, Erin Moores, Jesse Oliver, Sarah Riegel, Marilyn Reilly, Mimi Schoof, Beulah Taylor. Thank you for your prayers.

If you know of anyone who is sick, hospitalized, homebound, or dying and desires a visit from a priest, please call or email us. Without your help, we have no way of knowing.

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

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 11, 2018

Mass Intention: Rico Rivera

TODAY'S MUSIC

ENTRANCE	#530
Praise My Soul the King of Heaven	
PSALM	#959
Praise the Lord my soul, praise the Lord.	
OFFERTORY	#606
My Shepherd Will Supply My Need	
COMMUNION	#728
Shepherd of Souls	
RECESSIONAL	#763
America the Beautiful	

Holy Communion – *This is a reminder that Holy Communion, in the Catholic Church, is reserved to actively practicing Catholics. If you are not Catholic or have not been actively practicing your faith, then please refrain from receiving Communion. If you would like to learn how to be welcomed to full Communion, we would love to help. All you need to do is contact a priest. Our contact info is in this bulletin.*

SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

Mon.: Mass Intention: Gregory Bauer
Tues.: Mass Intention: John J. Beall, Sr.
Tues.: Social Ministry: 10:30 am – 12:30 pm
Wed.: Mass Intention: Karin Haily
Thurs: Mass Intention: Hazel Randall
Fri.: Mass Intention: Columbus Donati

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

Today we heard about the poor widow who put in her last 2 coins as a financial offering to God. Her act was very praiseworthy.

There are a couple principles God teaches us in this account.

First, we can make sacrifice to God with our money. To put it in a crass way, we can worship God with our money. Why? Because we work hard for our earnings. And when we offer it to God, it is literally giving him the 'sweat of our brow.' We are giving Him our pain and suffering that we went through to get those earnings. Just like Cain and Able in the Bible, Able made the better sacrifice because what he gave cost him more to give up. Words are cheap but our actions speak. When we give our earnings it is a loud action.

Second, the significance of our giving is in relation to how much we have to give. If someone gives \$100 a week and they only make \$500 a week that is a lot. If someone gives \$200 a week and they make \$5,000 a week that is less. The latter are giving more from their excess, as the account we heard about today tells us

Giving should hurt. It should not be our leftover \$5 bill in our wallet. It should be thought about, prayed about and given generously, in spite of hurt. Our financial sacrifices are a fragrant offering to God.

Fr. Rossi

Budgeted Weekly Income	\$ 3,288.00
Collection	4,440.13
Gain	\$ 1,152.13

On Saturday, December 1, 2018, at 2:00 p.m., a FREE one-hour Christmas Concert in Commemoration of World AIDS Day with vocalists Dr. Lisa Edwards Burrs, Elisabeth Carlton Dowdy, Katherine Virginia DeLoyht, & Michele Baez, and pianist Dr. Patrick Carlin, will be presented at Holy Rosary Church. The Church is located at 3300 R Street, Richmond, VA 23223

OUTREACH & SOCIAL MINISTRY

106 lunches were served on Tuesday, November 6, 2018. 95 dinners were served on Wednesday, November 7, 2018. Thank you for your generous help in serving God's people.

Bishop Knestout encourages anyone aware of sexual abuse of minors on the part of clergy or staff of our diocese to notify civil authorities, call the Attorney General's Clergy Abuse Hotline at 1-833-454-9064, and reach out to the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator, Jennifer Sloan at 1-877-887-9603.

ST. PETER'S FOOD PANTRY

The food pantry at St. Peter helps to feed the poor in the City of Richmond. At this time, we need restocking. If you can help us, please donate canned vegetables of all kinds, beans, marinara sauce, broth, meaty soups, tuna, chicken, and peanut butter.

Hygiene items, women's pads, razors and belts are also appreciated.

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Each year during the cold winter months we collect clothes and give to the homeless at St. Peter. Please bring us your old clothes, jackets, blankets and toiletries. When preparing your donation, please be sure clothes are gently used and clean. Make sure if you have washed them, they are completely dry. We have received some well-meaning donations of clothes that were not completely dry when placed in plastic bags and they have mildewed. Please bring them to St. Peter Tues-Fri 9am-2pm. Thank you in advance.

I want to thank the people of St. Peter for supporting me in my walk for life. You have been very generous in the past. The three parishes contributed a total of \$1,460.00. St. Peter donated \$523.00 of support. If you haven't donated to the Tri-Cities Pregnancy Center and still want to do so, you can mail in your contribution to 700 S. Sycamore St., Suite 12, Petersburg, VA 23803. Again, thank you very much for your support of the Pregnancy Center.

