

Please continue to pray for the sick of our Parish. To add someone to the prayer list, call Fr. Jim or email Mary Niagro at mcniagro@gmail.com.

Jodi Aerts
Dylan Anderson
Terry Brennen
Julie Byron
Toni Capute
Riordan Cavoors
Justin Curtis
Carol Donato
Irene Dombrowski
Islea Duncan
Lynn Goss
Kathleen Hamilton
Jane Hayes

Bill Hines
Felice Iannaco
Jeannine Iannaco
Meja Irvin
Lori Lecco
Margaret MacDiarmid
Kathleen Moore
Beverly Moyer
Chris Moyer
Ray Moyer
Mary Niagro
Patsy Notestein
Angel Ortiz
George Perry

Isabel Perry
Nelson Sanchez
Princess Sanchez
John Seaquist
Ray Servis
Jane Sliwinski
Margaret Smith
Fred Toth
Charles Watson
Laura Williams
Michael Williams
Travis Williams
Betty Jo Wolfram

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Cemetery

Plots are available in the cemetery for \$500.00, or you may purchase crematory urn plots for \$250.00. These prices include perpetual care. For more information, contact one of the following **Cemetery Committee Members**:

Joe Gardner	Dorothy Garcia	Donald Notestein	Chuck Hirtz	Kevin Hirtz
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Memorable Moments in Diocesan History

To be published each week of the 200th anniversary liturgical year

by Chene Heady

The diocese of Richmond grew rapidly following World War II, as many Northern Catholics moved South, seeking military or government work (if our parish is any indication, nothing has changed). In Protestant Virginia, these Catholic transplants were often unable to find Catholic spouses. By 1944, Catholic-Protestant “mixed” or “ecumenical” marriages accounted for 60% of all marriages conducted in the diocese. In fact, from 1944 to the present, the ecumenical marriage has remained numerically the norm, rather than the exception, in our diocese.

Our Lady Of Peace

Roman Catholic Church



I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.
Matthew 16:19

Our Lady Of Peace Catholic Church

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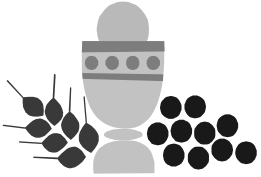
Holy Eucharist: Sunday 8:30 AM and Tuesday 10:00 AM

Tuesday 7:00 PM Thursday 12:15 PM

Bulletin news to: Mary Niagro at: mcniagro@gmail.com

Requests for mass cards to: Bonnie Toth at: bonnie3871@gmail.com

**August 23, 2020
Twenty First Sunday
in Ordinary Time**



Scripture Readings:

1st Reading:
Isaiah 22:19 - 23
2nd Reading:
Romans 11:33 - 36
Gospel:
Matthew 16:13 - 20

Calendar

August 24
St. Bartholomew
August 27
St. Monica
August 28
St. Augustine
August 29
The Passion of St.
John the Baptist

Reconciliation

Fr. Jim offers the Sacrament of reconciliation before Mass or by appointment.

Upcoming Meetings and Events

**Second Collection
for Victims of Beirut
Explosion**

By this time you have read or seen on the news that there was a terrible explosion in Beirut, Lebanon. 300,000 people were made homeless. To that end there will be a second basket put out at our masses for a collection to assist the victims.

No Online Mass

As Nick Mendoza, our technician will be on vacation, there will be no mass online for Sunday, August 23.

**Christian Formation
Resources**

For the whole parish and especially those in religious education; Kaky Bowden and Ginna Haske coordinate Christian Formation at Holy Cross. They will be happy to offer themselves as resources if your need arises.



Kbowden@holycrosslynchburg.org and ghaske@holycrosslynchburg.org
Resources from St. Thomas More can be used as well.

**Plans for Outdoor
Mass (Tentative)**

Mark your calendars! On September 13, Our Lady of Peace is planning on celebrating Grandparents' Day by holding an outdoor mass. We look forward to this fun event, which of course depends both on the weather and peoples' ability to participate.

Walk for Life

As we abolish capital punishment, feed the hungry and welcome immigrants, we are also concerned about protecting the unborn. Please contact Bonnie Toth at: bonnie3871@gmail.com if you are interested in participating in the Walk for Life taking place in Ap-

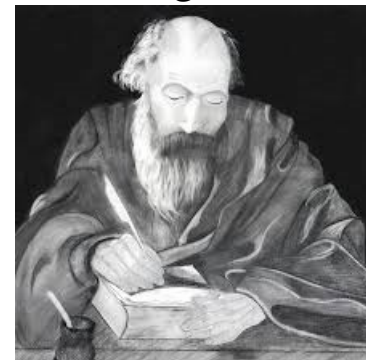
Parish Notices and Announcements

pomattox on Saturday, October 3. Bonnie will have sign up sheets and more detailed information to share soon.



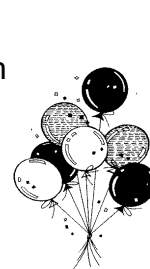
Faith is to believe what you do not see; the reward of this faith is to see what you believe.

St. Augustine



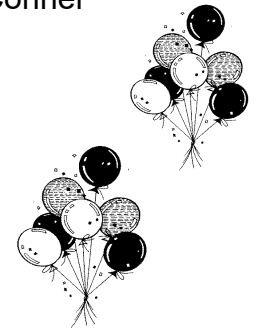
Happy August Birthday!

04 - Islea Duncan
10 - Sheila Seaquist
14 - Joseph Schimek
16 - John Seaquist
17 - Joanne Clark
19 - Janice Callahan
21 - Joe Gardner
Fran Lecco
25 - Vanessa Castleberry
28 - Isaac Jackson
31 - Melissa Clark



Happy August Anniversary!

09 - Joanne & Matthew Clark
22 - Carolyn & Gary Conner



Curious about the Catholic Religion?

There are classes called Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). It is a process for bringing into the Catholic Church both those who have never been baptized (Catechumens) and those who were baptized in another Christian religion (Candidates). The RCIA is also the best way for adult Catholics who have never been confirmed to prepare. Each year in late September, Our Lady of Peace begins a new class of RCIA, and we invite to participate everyone who is curious to understand the teachings and customs of our beautiful faith. Anyone interested in receiving more information contact: Bob Burke at bobsandycreek@gmail.com 434-851-1055 or Bonnie Toth at bonnie3871@gmail.com - 434-660-3786 or even Fr. Jim at jimg301@juno.com -434-238-7030.