

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 Cavoris
Justin Curtis
Carol Donato
Irene Dombrowski
Islea Duncan
Steve Ekberg
John Evans
Earl Fishback
Lynn Goss
Kathleen Hamilton
Jeanne Harper

Jane Hayes
Felice Iannaco
Jeannine Iannaco
Meja Irvin
Margaret MacDiarmid
Kathleen Moore
Beverly Moyer
Chris Moyer
Ray Moyer
Mary Niagro
Victor Niagro
Patsy Notestein
Angel Ortiz
George Perry
Isabel Perry

Frank Powell
Nelson Sanchez
Princess Sanchez
John Seaquist
Ray Servis
James Sheets
Jane Sliwinski
Margaret Smith
Fred Toth
Amy Tracy
Charles Watson
Laura Williams
Michael Williams
Travis Williams
Betty Jo Wolfrum

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

Join us Virtually for our Annual Fundraiser, the Holiday Festival of Music!

This year's Holiday Festival of Music is the event's 30th anniversary. That's 30 years of a wonderful holiday music experience where the money raised through your ticket purchases goes back into programs & services that truly represent the reason for the season. This year, the virtual option is once again available so that all of our supporters from across the diocese can tune in to enjoy. To purchase tickets or to learn more information, please visit www.cccofva.org/hfom. Please share this HFOM information with your parishioners, your colleagues, and of course your family & friends! - all proceeds benefit CCC's programs for the most vulnerable.

Our Lady Of Peace Roman Catholic Church



John answered them all, saying, "I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I is coming. I am not worthy to loosen the thongs of his sandals. He will baptize you with the holy Spirit and fire.

Luke 3:16

Our Lady Of Peace Catholic Church

2938 Oakleigh Ave. P.O. Box 668

Appomattox, VA 24522-0668

Pastor: Father James Gallagher 434-352-0104

For emergencies: Fr. Jim cell number: 434-238-7030

or Holy Cross Roman Catholic Church 434-846-5245

www.olpcatholicchurch.org

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

**December 12, 2021
Third Sunday of
Advent**



Scripture Readings:

1st Reading:
Zephaniah 3:14-18
2nd Reading:
Philippians 4:4-7
Gospel:
Luke 3:10-18

Calendar

December 13
St. Lucy
December 14
St. John of the Cross

Reconciliation

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



Upcoming Meetings and Events

**Fr. Jim Away on
Medical Leave**

Fr. Jim Gallagher will be away on medical leave from November 18 to Mid January. But all will be in good hands with Deacon Lou, our lay leaders of prayer, our finance council and parish pastoral council. Fr. Ken Rush will cover mass for most weekends. However, Instead of Daily Mass, there will be morn-

ing/evening prayer with communion.

**On Call Priest for
Emergency**

As Fr. Jim will be away recovering from surgery, Fr. Sal Anonuevo from Holy Cross in Lynchburg offered to be available if someone needs Anointing of the Sick or in the event of a funeral. You can reach him at Holy Cross at 434-846-5245 from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. After office hours the an-

**Happy December
Birthday!**

01 - Mackenzie Lecco
02 - Kathleen Hamilton
05 - Mia Garcia
Carolyn Conner
08 - Will McCabe
09 - Irene Stephens
14 - Glen Moore
15 - Betty Joe Wolfrum
16 - Christine Hamilton
Dory Garcia
Chere Tew
22 - Don Smith
25 - Terry Brennen
29 - Mary Metzinger
31 - Jackie Johnson

**Happy December
Anniversary!**

29 - Mary & Thomas
Metzinger



Parish Notices and Announcements

swearing service will call him. The house number is 434-386-0220.



**Get Well Cards for
Fr. Jim**

There is a basket in the common area should anyone wish to send a card to Fr. Jim. The cards will be delivered to Holy Cross and then taken to Fr. Jim.

**Notes from the OLP
Liturgy Team**

Christmas Eve will be here before we know it! During *Lessons and Carols* our choir members will share some special carols. Beatrice Heady and her mom, Emily, have also agreed to play some carols. Do you feel called to be a part of the program, too? Then, please contact me as you are most welcome. Following *Lessons & Carols*, there will be a lovely Christmas play written by our own Miss Beatrice Heady. That certainly will be awesome! - Bonnie

No Charge for Christmas Movie Event

Howdy everyone!!

After our wonderful breakfast right after Mass this Sunday, Our Lady of Peace will be hosting a wonderful Christmas special! We invite you all to attend this wonderful show.

This is a FREE event!

We will have 2 flat screen TV's in the common area so all of you can view in the comfort of our breakfast seating area. The Harmon household was happy to test this awesome video and WOW !

Hope you can stick around and enjoy this event with us !!

Enjoy and Blessings,
Paul Harmon

We are Having a Party

The Knights of Columbus will host a Christmas Party for parish and Appomattox community children, at Our Lady of Peace after Mass (10 to noon) on December 19, 2021. Stay and enjoy some Christmas Festivity with your children.



Advent Prayer

During this Advent, let your light of peace and love shine in our world. Give us eyes to see the signs of your presence in the world. Help us to prepare our lives and our homes to receive the One who said, "I am the light of the world."

Amen.