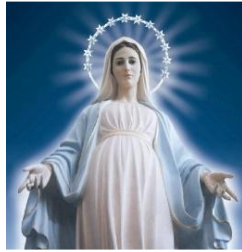


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SCHEDULE OF MASSES:

Weekday Masses:

TUE. - FRI.: 9:00 AM

SATURDAY: 5:30PM

SUNDAY: 8:00AM

Holy Days - As Announced.

ADORATION/BENEDICTION and ROSARY: First Thursday of the month, after 9:00 a.m. Mass

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Last Tuesday of the month, after 9:00am Mass.

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Pentecost Sunday May 23, 2021

in our world today. We are re-created by the Holy Spirit. The sign of re-creation is forgiveness.

Connecting the Gospel
... to the Second Reading: (Gal 5:16-25): Saint Paul identifies the fruits of being re-created by the indwelling of the Holy Spirit: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. These fruits are Life-giving and oppose the works of the flesh Paul describes.

... to experience:
We generally use the word "remain" to mean to "stay put." The "remain in me" that Jesus speaks, however, calls us to move beyond where we are to embrace an ever-widening circle of those whom we love.

Focusing the Gospel

Key words and phrases:

Jesus came, I send you, breathed on them, Receive the Holy Spirit, forgive

To the point: Jesus breathes the Holy Spirit into the disciples and by doing so he re-creates them. The life-giving breath poured forth at the dawn of creation is now the Spirit-breath, the very indwelling of God. Only because of this divine indwelling do we have the power to forgive and thus continue Jesus' saving mission. We are the incarnation of the risen Lord



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Mass Intentions This Week



Saturday
Elizabeth Ryan Burr
Sunday
Joyce Coincon

Next Weeks Readings

The Most Holy Trinity

Reading I: Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40

Responsorial Psalm: 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22

Reading II: Romans 8: 14-17
Gospel: Matthew 28:16-20

Remember the food closet:

We need canned vegetables & fruit. No paper, boxed, or any dried foods.

Aluminum Cans: Please save your aluminum, rinse cans and bring them to Church. A receptacle is available near the garage

Hannah's Place is in need of supplies. Pick up a Need List in the Narthex. Please contact **Mary Ann Daly** 434-577-2660 with any questions.

We welcome all visitors and new parishioners to our parish family. Frequent part-time attendees are encouraged to register. Registration forms are located in the narthex.

Calendar of Events & Special Announcements

The office will be closed the morning of May 25th and May 27th through June 1st. Please call the rectory for a pastoral emergency.



Father Jong will be blessing boats on Saturday, May 29 from 12 noon until 2:00 PM. There will be a boat in front of Watersview Restaurant at Eaton Ferry Bridge with a large sign. All boats and personal watercraft are welcome. Please tell your neighbors and friends.



Currently there are four vacancies on the Parish Pastoral Council. If you are interested in representing your church or know of someone you feel would be an asset to St. Peter's, please contact Father Jong, Jay Warfel, or the office.



It's been observed that people need a mission, a sense of purpose, in life. In fact, the sense of emptiness so many experience today is a byproduct of not "being on mission."

As Christians, we are always on mission. And we've been on mission ever since that first Pentecost. A mission of love, to share the Good News with a world in need. What a powerful source of purpose and meaning in our lives! To realize that we're part of the same mission that inspired the likes of St. Teresa of Calcutta, St. Francis of Assisi, St. Thomas Aquinas, all the saints throughout the ages, reaching all the way back to that Upper Room where the Risen Lord appeared to the disciples and first gave them the Holy Spirit.

That mission animates us today, and it's the reason why we're so intent on strengthening our parish through the Annual Diocesan Appeal. As we rejoice in our reception of the Holy Spirit this Pentecost, let us prayerfully consider how He might be prompting us to contribute to this mission, as important now as it was 2000 years ago.



If you have any blooming flowers at home for arrangements and would like to donate them to the church for decorating the altar and statue stands, please contact Donna Boisot at 434-636-3756.

Next Week's MINISTRY SCHEDULE

May 29th

Ushers: Jeanne Kurilla
Carmie Chini

Lectors: Dan Moyles
John Husson

Counter: Paul Kurilla

Altar: Teri Oswald

Server: Dan Moyles
May 30th

Ushers: Carol Warfel
Jay Warfel

Lectors: George McCall
Linda Adamos

Counter: Anne O'Neill

Altar: Mary Ann Daly

Server: Tom O'Neill

Weekly Offerings

May 16th

Offertory: **\$3193**
Diocesan Egiving: **\$280**
ParishSoft Egiving: **\$535.75**

Mass Attendance:	
Saturday-05/15	39
Sunday-05/16	82

PRAYER FOR AN END TO THIS PANDEMIC

To be recited after the rosary

O Mary, You shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who, at the foot of the cross, were united with Jesus' suffering, and persevered in your faith.

"Protectress of the Roman people," you know our needs, and we know that you will provide, so that, as at Cana in Galilee, joy and celebration may return after this time of trial.

Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the will of the Father and to do what Jesus tells us. For he took upon himself our suffering, and burdened himself with our sorrows to bring us, through the cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen.

We fly to your protection, O Holy Mother of God; Do not despise our petitions in our necessities, but deliver us always from every danger, O Glorious and Blessed Virgin

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The format of our bulletin is in the process of being updated and was discussed at the recent Parish Pastoral Council meeting. Among other changes, it was decided that the prayer list will also be updated. If you wish to remain on the prayer list, please email the office at office@stpeterebony.org prior to June 1st. The new version will be ready for the weekend of June 5th & 6th.