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*In Loving Memory of our
departed families and friends*

Bettie & Bobby Berndt
8/30/21

The Purdy Family
11/29/21

The Fitzgerald Family
5/9/22

July Birthdays

- 1 Lil Meyer
- 2 Edward Maynes
- 4 Teri Oswald
- 9 Jacob Husson
- 12 Lewis Keipe
- 13 Betty Morris
- 15 Daniel Jones
- 16 Laurie Coughlin
Nora Macdonald
- 19 Jaimie Martin
- 22 Tom Wadkins
- 23 Sebastian Centamore
- 24 Anne O'Neill
- 25 Myrna Rodriguez
- 27 Michael Guthrie
- 28 Robert Kapinskis
- 30 Mary Purdy
Carolyn Smith

Happy Anniversary

Sharon & Michael Guthrie

July 1, 1982

Tamara & Tim Burns

July 6, 1996

Elizabeth & Doug Martin

July 6, 1996

Haley & Justin Vermeulen

July 9, 2010

Kathryn & William Karls

July 16, 1960

Nancy & Paul Arena

July 18, 1981

Carol & Bernie Haefner

July 19, 1967

Natalie & Ronnie Carlson

July 20, 1968

REMINDERS

Remember donations to our Poor
Box, canned food for our food closet,
and donations for Hannah's Place.

Our Lady of the Lake



Council 9309

Officers for 2021-2022

Chaplain: Fr. Jong R. Bayta
Grand Knight: Bobby Berndt
Deputy Grand Knight:

Chancellor: Dave Thomas
Recorder: Bob Hathaway
Treasurer: Jay Warfel, PGK
Financial Secretary:

Tom O'Neill, PGK

Advocate: Bob Oravits

Warden: Paul Kurilla

Guards:

Inside: Kip Boisot, PGK

Outside: Richard Rumplick

BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

Trustee One Year:

Mark Fracassa

Trustee Two Years:

Tom Eddy, PGK

Trustee Three Years:

Chuck Youse

*If you are a Catholic man 18
years or older and wish to join
our Council, please contact
Bobby Berndt (434)636-2565
or Tom O'Neill (252)308-0493.*

**Save your aluminum, rinsed
cans and place them in the
receptacle near the garage.**

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

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

Mission Statement:

We are people of God under the patronage of Saint Peter the Apostle and are called to be active followers of Jesus Christ. As members of the Body of Christ on earth, we gather for worship around the word of God and celebration of the Eucharist. We commit ourselves to each other in Faith, in Hope, and in Love. We, as an adult family of believers, are uniquely positioned in this time of our life with the time, talent and energy to bring the message of Jesus to our Community with the help of the Holy Spirit through testimony, example, hospitality and service.

Pastor: Fr. Jong R. Bayta

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Jay Warfel: 434-636-4029

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Jim Tomazic: 434-636-2993

Liturgical Schedule

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday-Friday: 9:00 am

Weekend Masses:

Saturday—5:30 pm

Sunday—8:00 am

Holy Hour w/ Exposition of the
Blessed Sacrament & Benediction:

**First Thursday of the month
after Mass**

Reconciliation:

**First Saturday of the month
at 4:30 pm & by appointment**

Blessing of the Sick:

**Last Tuesday of the
month after Mass**

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time—July 25, 2021

Study of the Readings

Focusing the Gospel

Key words and phrases:

large crowd was coming to him, Where can we buy enough food, test him, he himself knew what he was going to do, had their fill.

To the point: What answer did Philip need to give Jesus to pass the test? When Jesus asks about where to buy food to satisfy the hunger of the large crowd, he is not thinking about a store and purchases. He is really asking a

question about who he is. Jesus knows full well that the “where” of the food will be himself. The superabundance of food Jesus provides from so little is a sign of the fullness of Life—his very self—Jesus gives. So, Philip’s answer? “Give them yourself.”

Connecting the Gospel

... to the First Reading:

Elisha begins with more barley loaves (twenty) and satisfies the hunger of a smaller crowd (one

hundred people) with “some left over.” Jesus begins with only a few barley loaves (five) and satisfies the hunger of a much larger crowd (five thousand) with “twelve wicker baskets left over.”

... to experience: We Americans enter supermarkets and are faced with a superabundance of food that we take for granted. This gospel reminds us that it is not Quantity that satisfies but who gives us the food.

Praying With Next Week's Readings
 Reading I: Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15
 Responsorial Psalm: 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54
 Reading II: Ephesians 4:17, 20-24
 Gospel: John 6:24-35

Mass Intentions



Saturday, July 24th
George Pirnay (D)
 Sunday, July 25th
George Pirnay (D)

Upcoming Events:

July 27-7:00 K of C Membership Meeting
 August 4-Pastoral Council Meeting
 August 5-Holy Hour with confession
 August 6-First Friday Devotion

PARISH NEWS

First Friday Devotion

On August 6th all parishioners are invited to join in the First Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. According to this devotion, the first Friday of each month was designated by Jesus himself as consecrated to honoring his Sacred Heart, to increase our love for him and to make reparation for past and present offenses against his love. The Church grants a Plenary indulgence to those who attend Mass and receive communion in honor of The Sacred Heart on the First Friday of each month for 9 consecutive months. After the daily Mass on Thursday (this can be the first Thursday or last Thursday of the month) before First Friday, there will be an exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and a Holy Hour will follow, with confession during the Holy Hour. Before the final blessing, on First Friday, the Act of Consecration to the Sacred Heart is recited. Pamphlets are available in the entry to the Church explaining this devotion, along with the First Saturday Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Please join us during this special time in prayer.

Knights' Clothing Drive

The Knights of Columbus will be holding a clothing drive to collect gently used items for the needy the weekend of August 28th and 29th. Please bring items in and drop them off at Saturday or Sunday Mass in the designated area. This would be a great opportunity to clean out your closet and help those less fortunate in our area. Tell your neighbors and friends - and let's make this a resounding success!

Next Week's Ministry Schedule

	USHERS	READERS	SERVER	BODY OF CHRIST	BLOOD OF CHRIST
Saturday	Carmie Chini	Mark Fracassa	Chuck Youse	Pat Moyles	N/A
	Paul Kurilla	Dan Moyles			N/A
Sunday	Nancy Arena	George McCall	Suzanne McCall	Mary Jo Bankard	N/A
	Paul Arena	Linda Adamos			N/A

PARISH NEEDS

Anyone is welcome to bring something to share for our after-Mass socials. Saturday evening Mass are appetizers or light snacks. Sunday Mass are pastries or morning snacks.



Please use this list to pray for those who are in need. May we all lift one another up in prayer.

Jack Fioriti, Megan Sullivan, Mary Jo & Don Bankard, Maria Schutte, Doug Campion, Rose Gongla, Ann Mogilnicki, Lynn Martin, Mary Purdy, Joe Dart, Tom Eddy, Mike McFadden, Mark Sullivan, Judy, Kyle, Josh & Emma Pelletier, Linda & Steve Miller, Carol & Bernie Haefner, Tamara Burns, Lexie Burns, Ranada Morbitzer, Mary Marshall, Katie & David Berlin, Megan Quigley, Al Meyer, Katy Meyer, Bob Warwick, Zony Carino, Brenda George, Nettie Williams, Carol Warfel

Names will remain on the prayer list for 1 month. Please contact the office with updates. Contact Mary Ann Daly at 434-577-2660 to receive Holy Communion at home.

Last Week's Offertory

Needed	Actual	
Offertory: \$3,269.23	\$3,252.30	(\$16.93)
Votive Stand:		
Poor Box:		
Diocesan Collection:		

Online Giving

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 Text GIVE to
 434-686-6277

MASS ATTENDANCE:

**Saturday
 July 17th
 75**

**Sunday
 July 18th
 120**