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In Loving Memory of our departed families and friends

Bettie & Bobby Berndt
 8/30/22

The Purdy Family
 11/29/21

The Fitzgerald Family
 5/9/22

BRICK MEMORIALS

Purchase a brick for St. Peter the Apostle Grotto for \$100. Call the office for details.

August Birthdays

- 2 **Andrew Hren**
- 6 **Ronnie Carlson**
- 7 **Paul Daly**
- 12 **Elizabeth Vaughn**
- Kathy Beil**
- Jayne McFadden**
- 14 **Bernie Haefner**
- 15 **Ceil Lyons**
- Alan Oswald**
- 17 **Michelle Baric**
- 18 **Jack Fioriti**
- Kathleen Husson**
- 22 **Fred Foy**
- John Hagen**
- Olvin Rodriquez**
- 25 **Teresa Percic**
- Dee Quigley**
- 27 **Richard Karpinski**
- 28 **Natalie Carlson**
- 31 **Mary Jo Bankard**

Happy Anniversary

- Mary Jo & Don Bankard**
 August 2, 1969
- Pat & Dan Moyles**
 August 2, 1974
- Laurie & Michael Coughlin**
 August 3, 1991
- James & Elizabeth Howe**
 August 4, 1962
- Kathy & Jerry Beil**
 August 8, 1964
- Betty & Leon Morris**
 August 15, 1958
- Penny & Napier Breen**
 August 17, 1985

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 Rumlík

BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

Trustee One Year:

Mark Fracassa

Trustee Two Years:

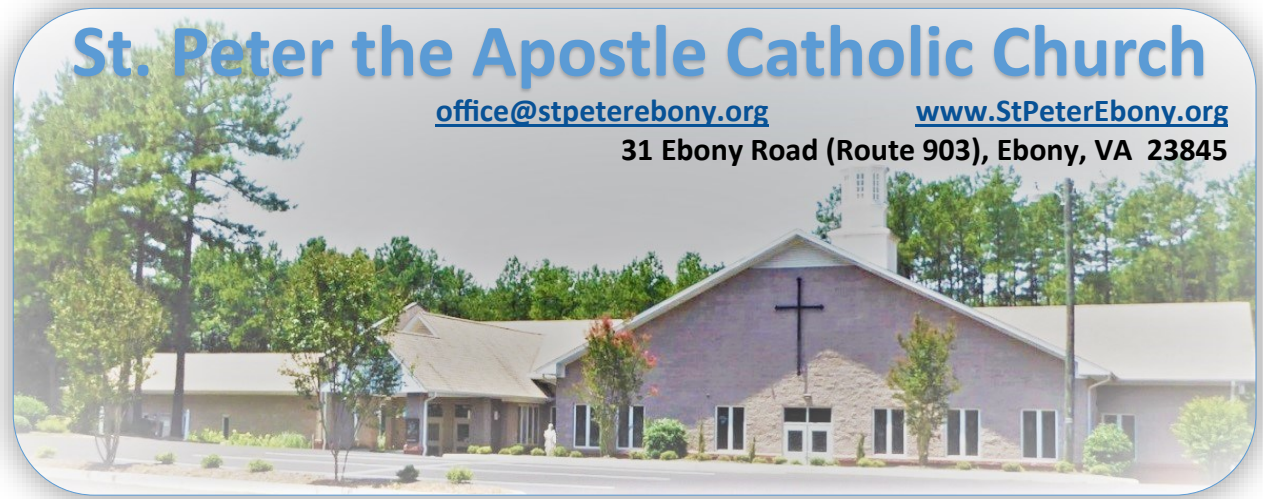
Tom Eddy, PGK

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

office@stpeterEbony.org

www.StPeterEbony.org

31 Ebony Road (Route 903), Ebony, VA 23845

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
jbayta@richmonddiocese.org
 Rectory: 434-636-7782

Secretary/Bookkeeper:
 Elizabeth Martin
 434-636-6277

Pastoral Council:
 Jay Warfel: 434-636-4029

Finance Council:
 Dan Moyles: 434-636-0081

Building & Grounds:
 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

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time—August 22, 2021

PARISH NEWS



Study of the Readings

Focusing the Gospel

Key words and phrases:

This saying is hard, disciples were murmuring, said to the Twelve, Do you want to leave?

To the point:

In this Sunday's Gospel it is not the crowd who murmurs but Jesus' own disciples. Only intimacy with Jesus such as the Twelve experienced can bring anyone to stay with Jesus despite the

challenge of what he says. When the disciples hear Jesus' words, they voice what many feel: "This saying is hard." And indeed it is! The choice that confronts those disciples confronts us: will we accept the hard saying? Will we stay with Jesus or not?

Connecting the Gospel

... to the First Reading:

Both the First Reading and the

Gospel call upon us to decide whom we will serve. The decision is based on our knowledge and experience of what God has done for us, and our relationship with Jesus.

... to experience:

Sometimes we follow Jesus even without full understanding or complete conviction. But, like Peter, we know that there is none other to whom we would rather go.

Praying with Next Week's Readings

Reading I: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8

Responsorial Psalm: 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5

Reading II: James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27

Gospel: Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Mass Intentions



Saturday, August 14th

Our Parishioners

Sunday, August 15th

Our Parishioners

Upcoming Events:

August 24-K of C Meetings

August 26-27-Office Closed

August 28/29-Clothing Drive

September 1-Pastoral Council Meeting

September 2-Holy Hour with confession after Mass

Knight's Clothing Drive Next Weekend

The Knights of Columbus will be holding a clothing drive to collect gently used items for the needy next weekend. Please bring items in and drop them off at Mass. 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!

Low Gluten Altar Bread

We now have low gluten altar bread. Please see the ushers in the back of the church before Mass with your request and come forward first to receive communion from the Eucharistic minister .

Our Bazaar Returns this Fall!

St. Peter's 11th annual bazaar/fall festival will be held on Saturday, November 6, 2021, from 9:00am until 2:00 pm. If you are interested in being a vendor, or know someone who might be interested, please contact Anne O'Neill at 252-308-0493 or at oneilltomandanne@gmail.com.

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, 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, Peter Hamilton

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.

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	Marilyn Tuite	Linda Adamos	Bob Hathaway	Mary Ann Daly	N/A
	Robert Tuite	Jennifer Hagen			N/A

NEW PARISH CONTACT

Please contact Linda Adamos, our new Family Service Advisor, for information regarding St. Peter the Apostle Cemetery and Columbarium at 304-222-1042 or ladamos@richmonddiocese.org

Last Week's Offertory

Needed	Actual
Offertory: \$3,269.23	\$4,799.95 \$1530.72
Votive Stand:	
Poor Box:	
Aluminum Cans:	

Online Giving

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stpeterebonyva>

OR
Text GIVE to
434-686-6277

MASS ATTENDANCE:

Saturday
August 14th
52

Sunday
August 15th
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