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In Loving Memory of our departed families and friends

Bettie & Bobby Berndt
The Fitzgerald Family

Helpful Hands and Hearts

If you need transportation to a doctor or pharmacy, call 252-586-3000 for a free ride.

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

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

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

June Birthdays

- 2 Alivia Martin
- 4 Margaret Baron
Brian Quigley
Erwin Satur
- 5 Mary Stacy
- 8 Maribeth Hodge
- 10 Donald Fitzgerald
- 11 Bettie Berndt
- 12 Yolanda Villanueva
- 13 Abegail Aguila
- 14 Jay Warfel
- 16 Linda Adamos
Jennifer Foran
- 18 Sheri Polignone
Kip Boisot
Tom Morton
Lois Sava-Foltz
- 21 David Quinn
Joan Medina
Thomas Poeppelman
- 23 Nancy Arena
- 25 Martin Harlow
- 26 Bob Gongla
- 28 David Sanford

Happy Anniversary

- Rose & Bob Gongla**
June 3, 1961
- Elizabeth & David Vaughn**
June 5, 1981
- Yolanda & Felix Villanueva**
June 9, 1984
- Anna & Carlos Mendez**
June 11, 1979
- Barbara & Bob Oravits**
June 18, 1978
- Sharon & Isaac Bette**
June 24, 1994
- Mary Ann & Paul Daly**
June 26, 1965

Our Lady of the Lake



Council 9309

Officers for 2023-2024

Chaplain: Fr. Jong R. Bayta
Grand Knight: Mark Fracassa
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Chancellor: Dave Thomas
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Trustee One Year: Chuck Youse
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 *PGK-Past Grand Knight
Catholic men 18 years or older are eligible to join the Knights of Columbus. Please contact Mark Fracassa (804) 305-6175 or Tom O'Neill (252) 519-3050.

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St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

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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 narthex.

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.

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 Jim Tomazic: 434-636-2993
Family Service Advisor:
 Linda Adamos: 434-774-9376

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

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ—June 2, 2024

PARISH NEWS



Study of the Readings

Background on the Gospel

Reading Mark 14:12-16,22-26

Today is the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. At one time, this day was called Corpus Christi, the Latin words for “the Body of Christ.” In the most recent revision of our liturgical rites, the name for this day is expanded to be a more complete reflection of our Eucharistic theology. Today’s Gospel is the account of the Last Supper found in Mark. It begins with the instructions that Jesus gave to his disciples to prepare their Passover celebration then goes on to give an account of the Last Supper. It describes Jesus’ Last Supper with his disciples as a celebration of the Jewish feast of Passover, which is a memorial

to and a ritual participation in the defining moment of Israel’s history. It celebrates God’s deliverance of his people from slavery in Egypt. The Passover meal includes many ritually important elements, such as unleavened bread, lamb, and bitter herbs. Each food item recalls an aspect of the Exodus event. The instructions for the preparation of this meal are carefully prescribed in the Law of Moses. It is a central obligation of the Jewish faith tradition to celebrate this meal and to give thanks to God for his deliverance and protection. Mark, however, omits many elements of the Jewish Passover meal. Instead he describes only those elements he believes to be most essential to the Christian Eucharist: Jesus took bread,

blessed the bread, broke the bread, and shared it with his disciples. Similar words and actions follow as Jesus shares the chalice with his disciples. This bread now shared is Jesus’ own body. Those who drink from the chalice are invited to share in a new covenant which will be sealed by Jesus’ own blood. Mark’s Eucharistic theology looks forward to the Kingdom of God that Jesus inaugurates. The Gospel for today reminds us that the Eucharist is a memorial of Christ’s sacrifice on the cross. We believe that Jesus is truly present to us in the elements of bread and wine. Each time we celebrate this sacrament, we prepare for the Kingdom of God. This celebration, as the Second Vatican Council taught us, is the source and summit of the Christian life.

The Diocesan *Office of Cemeteries and Funeral Services* the Diocese of Richmond will be here next weekend, to educate and inform you on Catholic Funeral Rites, Cemeteries, and the benefits of pre-planning your funeral arrangements. Please stay after all Masses for their presentation and you will receive a funeral planning guide and information about our Catholic funeral rites. This is an important part of our Catholic faith. Please stay for the presentation and refreshments.

We are having a *school supply drive* through July 31st to benefit Meherrin-Powellton Elementary School. Collection boxes are in the narthex. Thank you for your generosity to those in need in our local community.
ITEMS NEEDED:
3 Subject Notebooks (wide rule)
glue sticks
tissues
index cards (3" x 5" and 4" x 6")
pencil pouches (not pencil boxes)
highlighters (any color)
folders (plastic; 3-prong with pockets)
folders (plastic; no prongs/pockets only)

Maria Schutte, Rose Gongla, Ann Mogilnicki, Mary Purdy, Tom Eddy, Judy, Kyle, Josh & Emma Pelletier, Carol & Bernie Haefner, Tamara Burns, Lexie Burns, Katie & David Berlin, Megan Quigley, George McCall, Jean Sasser, Bob & Pat Weise, Cheryl Beebe, Jerry Chini, Virgil Frizzell, Betty Morris, Patricia Pruden, Mary Jo & Don Bankard, James Caruso, George Wall, Jeri Schottenbauer, Jackie & Dale Pfendler, Bob Warwick, Zony Carino, Stephanie Hathaway, Peter Hamilton, Dale Litzinger, Robert Purdy, Jan & John Holt, Jim Perozek, Helen Gryboski, Eneida Felisha Mendez, Linda Fleegle, Travis Smith

Please contact the office with updates.
Contact Mary Ann Daly at 434-577-2660 to receive Holy Communion at home.

The Knights of Columbus is conducting their annual "*Baby Bottle Campaign*" during June. All funds collected are donated to the Roanoke Rapids Pregnancy Support Center, which provides counseling, information, support, and baby needs to pregnant women in our area. The familiar Baby Bottles are available after all Masses. Thank you in advance for supporting this worthy cause.

Patriotic Quilt Raffle

\$5.00 for 5 tickets

Proceeds for our new Lifesize Outdoor Nativity set.

Tickets sold after Masses through Sunday, September 1st, when the winner will be announced after Mass.

You don't have to be present to win.

Praying With Next Week's Readings

Reading I: Genesis 3:9-15
Responsorial Psalm: 130:1-8
Reading II:
2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1
Gospel: Mark 3:20-35

Mass Intentions



Saturday, June 1st
Our Parishioners
Sunday, June 2nd
David Russell

Upcoming Events:

- June 5-Pastoral Council
- June 5-9-Office Closed
- June 6-Holy Hour
- June 7-First Friday Devotion
- June 20-Finance Council

MASS ATTENDANCE:

Online Giving

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stpeterebonyva>
OR
Text GIVE to 434-686-6277

May 25th
79
May 26th
183

Last Week's Offertory

	Needed	Actual
Offertory:	\$3,423.08	\$3,534.96 \$111.88
Votive Stand:		\$58.00
Poor Box:		\$113.00

Next Week's Ministry Schedule

	USHERS	READERS	SERVER	BODY OF CHRIST	BLOOD OF CHRIST
Saturday	Barbara Oravits	Dan Moyles	Chuck Youse	Patricia Moyles	Marge Youse
	Robert Oravits	Dan Moyles			Jackie Pfendler
Sunday	Janet Hagan	Bob Hathaway	Carlos Mendez	Barbara Jones	Mary Ann Daly
	Carl Hagan	Linda Adamos			Anna Mendez