

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 mniagro@gnsnetworks.com.

Elizabeth Budd	Jeanne Harper	Dana Mendoza	Kara Schimek
Wayne Clark	Michael Hayden	Ray Moyer	Ray Servis
Winnie Clark	Roland Hayden	Carol Notestein	Jane Sliwinski
Mark Davis	Bob Hing	Marilyn Portman	Margaret Smith
Irene Dombrowski	Harold Hing	Gino Prioletti	Fred Toth
Isleah Duncan	Margaret MacDiarmid	Patricia Rainka	Laura Williams
Mary Fahrer	Fr. McEleney	Mary Scheideler	

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Cemetery

Plots are available in the cemetery for \$400.00, or you may purchase crematory urn plots for \$200.00. These prices include perpetual care. For more information, contact one of the following **Cemetery Committee Members**:

Al Lecco	Felice Iannaco	Chuck Hirtz
Joe Gardner	Dorothy Garcia	Kevin Hirtz
	Bernadette Servis	

Lay Ecclesial Ministry Institute

Would you like to enhance your ministry skills? Or how about earning a Bachelor's or MA or certificate of studies? There are 1 year, 3 years or 5 year programs. Call 804-622-5157 or email lemi@richmonddiocese.org

Thinking About RCIA? Adult Baptism? Confirmation?

Are you curious about the Catholic Church? Do you know someone who is? Did you miss Confirmation in your teen years and would like to celebrate Confirmation as an adult? Please contact Pat Wood if you are in the Hurt/Altavista area at 434-369-4957 or Fran Lecco at 434-352-2099 if you are in the Appomattox area.

Our Lady Of Peace Roman Catholic Church



Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way and how he was made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

Luke 24: 35

Our Lady Of Peace Catholic Church

2938 Oak Leigh Avenue 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 10:00AM
Tuesday 7:00 PM Thursday 10:00AM**

Bulletin news to: Mary Niagro at: mniagro@gnsnetworks.com
Requests for mass cards to: Stacey O'Neill at: iafolkssso@gmail.com

**Upcoming
Meetings and Events**

**April 22, 2012
Third Sunday
of Easter**

Scripture Readings:

1st Reading:
Acts 3:13—15, 17—19
Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 4:2, 4, 7—8, 9
2nd Reading:
1 John 2:1—5
Gospel:
Luke 24:35—48

Calendar

April 25
St. Mark

Reconciliation

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

On the Cover

Nineteenth century Mexican artist Ramón Sagredo painted *Jesús el Camino a Emaús* (Jesus on the Road to Emmaus) in 1857. It hangs at the Palacio de Bellas Artes (Palace of Fine Arts) in Mexico City.

**Dedication Date
April 27, 6:30 p.m.**

Thank you to all who are working so hard to make it special. The Holy Cross School Orchestra and Steve Neil from the *Catholic Virginian* will be joining us along with Bishop Francis DiLorenzo.

Dedication Mass

Since the bishop is doing a blessing and not a mass on April 27, the dedication mass will be Sunday April 29 at 8:30 a.m. Father Robert McEleney will be the guest celebrant and Fr. Jim will concelebrate. A reception will follow.

**Next Year's Budget
Input Needed**

The Finance Council welcomes your input for next year's budget. If you are a ministry chairperson please, you will receive soon an income statement of the budgeted amount for the current fiscal year (2011-2012). Please look at what you might need for the next fiscal year (2012-2013). Your finance council will use

your amount submitted to help determine next year's budget. We ask that you see if you can turn in your number by Tuesday, May 8.

Next LPA 18 Meeting

The regional meeting will be at St. Victoria on May 8. There will be a 9:30 a.m. mass for those who would like to come early.

Calendar Planning

Our ministerial year runs from June 1 to May 31st. It is time to think about placing things on the 2012-13 calendar. Fundraising events, social events, liturgy and much more are to be scheduled. Calendar planning times are May 15, Tuesday, after the 10 a.m. mass and after the 7 p.m. mass.

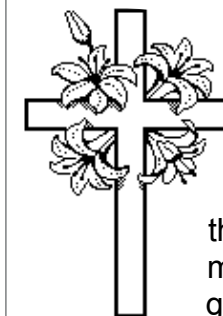
**Appalachian Outreach
June 11-15**

Fr. Jim once again will be the spiritual director for youth and adults from four of the Catholic Churches in the area as they travel to Hurley, Virginia. They will be repairing homes for

Parish Notices and Announcements

**Fr. Jim Says
Thank-You!**

The faith community was very generous to me on Easter Sunday.



Thank you for the personal thoughtful money gift to me.

those who are impoverished and have disabilities. This is open to high school age students as well as adults. Please see Fr. Jim for details.

Remembering 30 Years

(The reflections from Carolyn Notestein, one of our founders, continue.)

One year there was a Charismatic Convention held in Indiana at which a healing service was planned. Over ten thousand people would attend to pray for those broken in body, mind and spirit. The parishioners knew of a fellow worshiper who was severely wracked by disease and came together to bring her to the healing service. Charlie Graf, who was a pilot, offered to fly her to Indiana if the parish would raise the funds needed for fuel. Under the guidance of Father Al Pereira, members of Our Lady of Peace took a huge leap of faith and trusted that God would hear their cries.

(Continued next week)

**Rummage Sale to
Support New Building**

We may have expenses left over after our dedication. To that end Pat Bonnewitz is organizing a rummage sale on Saturday, May 19. Please put some items you would like to sell aside. Do not bring them to church yet.



*Our God Reigns,
Alleluia!*

Altar Servers

Today

Elizabeth Iannaco
Emma Thomason

Next Sunday

Sarah Thomason
Stephanie Hamilton

Please call another altar server if you cannot serve on your day.

Happy Birthday!

April 24
Phil Krajewski
April 25
Mary Fahrer
April 27
Allen Lecco

Happy Anniversary!

April 26
Bernadette & Ray Servis