

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@hughes.net.

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| Manfred Bower | Jeanne Harper | Jerry Monahan | Steve Runyan |
| Cathy Brescia | Michael Hayden | Patsy Mosebrook | Ray Servis |
| Winnie Clark | Roland Hayden | Beverly Moyer | Jane Sliwinski |
| Maggie Dinsmore | Gail Hebert | Chris Moyer | Margaret Smith |
| Carol Donato | George T. Hoag | Ray Moyer | Fred Toth |
| Irene Dombrowski | Meja Irvin | Tim Murphy | Trish Tracey |
| Islea Duncan | Margaret MacDiarmid | Loretta Pilecki | Laura Williams |
| Patrice Anding Duncan | Tim McMichaels | Gino Prioletti | John Wingo |
| | Msgr. Chester Michael | Patricia Rainka | |

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Cemetery

Plots are available in the cemetery for \$500.00, or you may purchase crematory urn plots for \$250.00. These prices include perpetual care. For more information, contact one of the following **Cemetery Committee Members:**

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| Al Lecco | Dorothy Garcia | Chuck Hirtz |
| Joe Gardner | Donald Notestein | Kevin Hirtz |

Msgr. Chester Michael - Thought of the Day

Msgr. Chester Michael, lives at Our Lady of Peace retirement community in Charlottesville. This first year he has not been able to actively guide the Spiritual Direction Institute, he sends along a thought for the day via emails from graduates.

We are to make contact with the Real Presence of the Risen, Post Easter, Resurrection Jesus in every Eucharist we celebrate." Father then added with much emphasis that our prayer should be "Adsum" to Our Lord, which means 'I'm present, I'm here or I'm available' - available to be used by Jesus any way He wants.

From Patricia Stubbs, one of Father's Long-time Directees

Al, I have been meaning to write to you for the last few days to point out Fr. Chet's photo at the bottom of pg. 4 of the April 28th issue of the Catholic Virginian. His niece Felicia Rakes called my attention to it in an email – I hadn't looked at that particular issue yet – the current one still, I think. One or more of the Little Sisters of the Poor got him to the Cathedral for the Chrism Mass, where he represented the chapels in their order in the diocese on that day. It's lovely seeing him all dressed in his priestly vestments again.



Our Lady Of Peace Roman Catholic Church



*In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If there were not, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you?
John 14:2*

Our Lady Of Peace Catholic Church

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Pastor: Father James Gallagher 434-352-0104

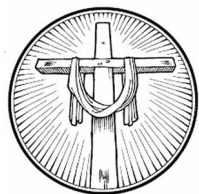
For emergencies: Fr. Jim cell number: 434-238-7030
or Holy Cross Roman Catholic Church @ 434-846-5245

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**Holy Eucharist: Sunday 8:30 AM and Tuesday 10:00AM
Tuesday 7:00 PM Thursday 12:15 PM**

Bulletin news to: Mary Niagro at: mniagro@hughes.net
Requests for mass cards to: Bonnie Toth at: bonnie3871@gmail.com

**May 18, 2014
Fifth Sunday of
Easter**



Scripture Readings:

1st Reading:
Acts 6: 1-7
2nd Reading:
1 Peter 2:4-9
Gospel:
John 14:1-12

Calendar

May 20
St. Bernardine of Siena
May 21
St. Christopher Magalanes, & Companions
May 22
St. Rita of Cascia

Reconciliation

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

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**Upcoming
Meetings and Events**

**Holy Cross School
Presents**

Holy Cross School will be performing the musical Shrek on May 24 and 25th. The times are: Friday at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. and Saturday at 7 p.m. Please let Fr. Jim know if you are coming in order to reserve tickets. It will be held at Randolph College.

**Second Collection for
Home Mission**

On the weekend of June 1st there will be a second collection for our Diocesan Home Missions. The Catholic Diocese of Richmond sees Mission Parishes as valuable gifts from God and important paths for evangelization in our Diocese. A mission parish is one that has a special mission in the ministry of the Diocese of Richmond challenged by a combination of financial, demographic, socio-economic, and cultural factors. This collection is used to fund the Home

Mission Grant Program which helps our mission parishes with capital and program grants. Please give what you can.

**Call for Ministers
to the Sick**

Except for one couple in the parish who have taken care of someone dying and assisting a surviving relative, we have not been visiting the sick. Evangelization begins right here in our parish. To that end there will be a meeting on Tuesday, June 3 after 7 p.m. mass about correcting the situation.

**Second Annual
Catholic Classic**

Last year the team of Monsignor Rush from Holy Cross Church defeated Fr. Jim's combined team of St. Victoria and Our Lady of Peace. This year's contest is June 14 at 6:30 p.m. at Holy Cross School Field. Practice up. More information will follow Fr. Jim made some expensive trades in the off season and traded his minor

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leaguer for a parishioner (player) to be named later.

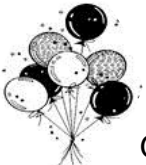
Fundraiser

On June 21, from 5-7 p.m., we will have a dinner and entertainment at the church in order to raise money for a Nativity scene and LED Christmas lights. If you would like to participate in the entertainment, please contact Fr. Jim or Kathleen Hamilton. There is also a jar in the commons for this cause if you would like to contribute your spare change to this cause.

*Our God Reigns,
Alleluia!*

Latin Mass

The Latin Mass Community of SW Virginia will be celebrating a Latin Mass at Our Lady of Peace today at 3 p.m. Call Isabel or George Perry with any questions at 434 352 7976.

**Happy
Birthday!**

May 21
George Perry

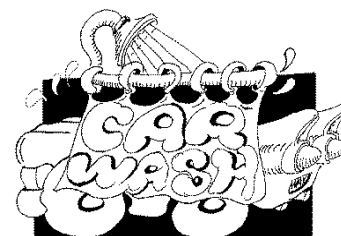
**Happy
Anniversary!**

May 20
Betty & Bill McDermott
May 22
Cathy & Pete
Zdgiebloski

Curious About the Catholic Faith?

This past year you got to see enthusiasm displayed by those who were fully initiated at the Great Vigil of Easter and some who are excited about Pentecost! Are you curious about the Catholic Faith? Are you thinking about becoming a Catholic? Or how about if you grew up Catholic and never celebrated the sacrament of Confirmation? For more information call Bob Burke at 434-352-2367, bobsandycreek@verizon.net Inquiry sessions begin next fall but we would be happy to talk any time.

Car Cleanup Supports a Good Cause



If your car is still wearing a dirty winter coat, keep it that way for a little while longer. On Saturday June 7, at Farmers Bank near the Pizza Hut, there will be a car wash to raise funds for OLP Youth Ministry. The cost will be \$5 a car from 8 a.m. -1 p.m. The proceeds will support the altar servers' outing at Putt-Putt and Bumper Boats