

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 mcniagro@gmail.com.

Kelly Bergholz
Manfred Boewer
Eileen Brennen
Julie Byron
Toni Capute
Mary Cavallaro
Winnie Clark
Lynn Dickerson
Maggie Dinsmore
Carol Donato
Irene Dombrowski
Islea Duncan
Patrice Anding Duncan
Angela Fitzgerald
Rich Guild
Kathleen Hamilton

Jeanne Harper
Michael Hayden
Roland Hayden
Gail Hebert
George T. Hoag
Meja Irvin
Al Lecco
Margaret MacDiarmid
Tuniesha McCoy
Tim McMichaels
Jerry Monahan
Beverly Moyer
Chris Moyer
Ray Moyer
Tim Murphy
Patsy Notestein

Isabel Perry
Loretta Pilecki
Gino Prioletti
Nelson Sanchez
Ray Servis
Jane Sliwinski
Margaret Smith
Laylah Marie Taylor
Fred Toth
Amy Tracy
Trish Tracey
Josiah Walsh
Laura Williams
Michael Williams
Travis Williams
John Wingo

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**:

Al Lecco
Joe Gardner

Dorothy Garcia
Donald Notestein

Chuck Hirtz
Kevin Hirtz

Holy Cross School Golf Tournament

Holy Cross School will once again sponsor its Annual Golf Tournament on Saturday, October 10, 2015, at London Downs Golf Club. Lunch will be served beginning at 12:00noon with a shotgun start at 1:00 p.m. The entrance fee is \$300.00 per foursome and \$100.00 to sponsor a hole. Please plan on joining us! For more information, please contact the school at 434-847-5436.



Vocations

"Wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield." Praying for wisdom will help you yield to Christ's choice of you, should He extend to you the gift of a vocation to the consecrated life or priesthood. If you are discerning your vocation, Call Father Michael G. Boehling at (804)359-5661.

Our Lady Of Peace Roman Catholic Church



*"Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but the One who sent me."
Mark 9:37*

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
www.olpcatholicchurch.org

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

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

**September 20, 2015
Twenty Fifth
Sunday in
Ordinary Time**



Scripture Readings:

1st Reading:
Wisdom 2:12, 17-20
2nd Reading:
James 3:16-4:3
Gospel:
Mark 9:30-37

Calendar

September 21
St. Matthew
September 23
St. Pius of Pietrelcina

Reconciliation

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

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Upcoming Meetings and Events

Annual Diocesan Appeal

Beginning October 4, you are invited to participate in the Diocese Annual Appeal. This is NOT *Living Our Mission* which you are already doing over five years. This is a special yearly appeal. If you have not taken part in *Living Our Mission*, then I invite you to participate as you are able with the Annual Appeal. Do what you can. Our goal for the Appeal is 1,900. Someone has already pledged \$1000. So we only have \$900 to go! Thank you for your generosity.

Cemetery Ministry

The Cemetery Ministry (Committee) met on Tuesday night September 15. There is no chairperson for the group at this time. However, Don Notestien, Joe Gardner, and Felix Iannaco will be the contact people for interments.

Dori Garcia and Fr. Jim will be going over the By-laws. Chuck Hirtz and Felix Iannaco will be look-

ing at permits, permission and other logistics concerning expansion. On the current cemetery land more plots will be laid out and measured. A group will come up with area and section markers.

Other questions concerning costs for parishioners, non-parishioners and those impoverished will be brought before parish council on November 10.

The next meeting is Wednesday night October 14 at 7 p.m.

OLP Art & Environment

On Tuesday, September 22, after the 7 p.m. mass there will be a Liturgy Meeting. Fr. Jim would like all those involved with Banners, Flowers, Music and Liturgy to have clarity about art and environment for the upcoming Advent and Christmas Season.

Meeting Change

The meeting about the parking lot scheduled for September 23 needs to be re-scheduled as Fr.

Parish Notices and Announcements

Jim will be enroute to Washington D. C. that evening.

Laudato Si! Study Group

Sid Smith will be leading a study group on the Pope's encyclical concerning the environment beginning Saturday, September 26 at 10:15 a.m. As RCIA will be meeting in one room, the new study group will meet in another. Fr. Jim has some copies of *Laudato Si!* to share.

Bishop DiLorenzo to Visit

On Sunday, September 27, Bishop Francis Xavier DiLorenzo will celebrate Eucharist with us, share a brunch and share some stories about the Civil War. We are all looking forward to it. There will be a sign-up for the brunch after mass today.

Prayer Service for Persecuted Christians

On Tuesday, September 29 at 7 p.m. at the Cathedral in

Richmond, there will be prayer service for persecuted Christians. Join the Catholic Diocese of Richmond's Office of Social Ministries, Richmond's Coptic Church, and other Christian denominations for an ecumenical prayer service for our brothers and sisters in Christ who are being persecuted for their faith around the world. A light reception will follow the service



Happy Birthday!

September 24
Paul Portman
Christine Prioletti

September 25
Fred Toth

September 26
Patrice Duncan
Alan Budney

Diocesan Women's Conference

It is not too early to register for the Diocesan Women's Conference being held on Saturday, November 21 at the Greater Richmond Convention Center. The conference is open to women over 18 years of age. Guest speakers are Pat Gohn and Rachel Sherburne. There will be a Vigil Mass that Saturday at 3:15 p.m. Register today at www.regonline.com/womenontheway2105

Diocesan Catholic Men's Conference

The theme of the Diocesan Men's Conference, which will be held January 16, 2016 at the Greater Richmond Convention Center is *Lions to Lambs*. The guest speakers are Mark Hart and Father Dan Beeman.

It is not too early to register at www.regonline.com/lionstolamb2016. There will be a vigil mass for Sunday that Saturday at 3:15 p.m.