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.

Winnie Clark Lynn Dickerson	Gail Hebert George T. Hoag Ottie Huddleston Jeannine lannaco Meja Irvin Virginia King Al Lecco Brian Low Margaret MacDiarmid Tuniesha McCoy Jerry Monahan Kathleen Moore Beverly Moyer Chris Moyer Ray Moyer Tim Murphy Patsy Notestein George Perry Isabel Perry	Gino Prioletti Nelson Sanchez Dolores Sanders Lynn Sanders John Seaquist 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 Betty Jo Wolfram Ted Zimmerman
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#### **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	Donald Notestein	Pam Skirvan
Joe Gardner	Chuck Hirtz	Ted Skirvan
Dorothy Garcia	Kevin Hirtz	Felix lannaco

#### Join the Ladies Sewing Circle

The Ladies Sewing Circle meets every Tuesday from 9:00 a.m. until ....

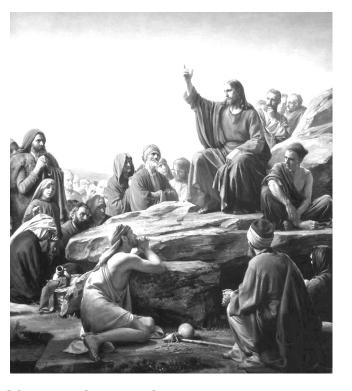
On the first and third Tuesdays of each month we work on individual projects.

The second and fourth Tuesdays are dedicated to working on quilts for charity.

Bring your lunch and join us for the fun!

# Our Lady Of Peace Roman Catholic Church

When he saw
the crowds, he
went up the
mountain, and
after he had sat
down, his disciples came to him.
Matthew 5:1



#### 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

#### January 29, 2017 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



#### **Scripture Readings:**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:26-31 Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12

#### Calendar

January 31
St. John Bosco
February 2
Presentation of the
Lord
February 3
First Friday

#### Reconciliation

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

#### Collection 01/22/2017

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#### **Upcoming Meetings and Events**

### Announcements Before Mass

Fr. Jim would appreciate a written copy of announcements before mass or a verbal detailed explanation of what you will be talking about.

#### **No Mass Thursday**

There will be no mass. on Thursday February 2 as Father Jim will be tied up with Holy Cross School Thursday afternoon.

## Important Cemetery Meeting on February 7

Some one who heads up cemeteries for the diocese of Richmond will be at Our Lady of Peace right after our 7 p.m. mass on Tuesday, February 7. We need all from that ministry present. Any other interested parties are also invited.

#### Annual Diocesan Appeal Time Again

In late February we will begin our part in the Annual Diocesan Appeal. Our goal is \$2,160. We get 50% back. In addition the Appeal Supports many wonderful programs.
Please stay tuned for more details.

#### Field Trip

On March 8, some parishioners from Holy **Cross Catholic Church** in Lynchburg are taking a trip to the National Shrine of St. John Paul II. Departure time is 7 a.m. Bring a sack lunch but we will stop for dinner on the return trip. We will have mass at noon at the Shrine. There are three exhibits to view -self guided tours. 52 seats are available on the bus. All payments of \$42 per person are due by February 6. For more information contact Emily Sublett, Linda VanScooter or Pat Golden at 434-385-9430.

#### **SHINE 2017**

## Justice and Peace Gathering

The Office of Social Ministry is offering a *Summit* for anyone involved with assisting the poor from-March 31 to April 1 at

#### **Parish Notices and Announcements**

the Cultural Arts Center in Glenn Allen, Va.
For more information go to: https://
www.regonline.com/
builder/site/Default.aspx?
EventID=1913449
Fr. Michael Renninger,
Pastor of St. Mary's
Church in Richmond and
Fr. Ambrose Kulandairai
from Missionaries of the
Poor will be keynote
speakers. It promises to
be an exciting event!

### Celebrate Catholic Schools Week

Catholic Schools Week for Holy Cross will be January. 29 - February. 4. Please join Fr. Jim for a special mass at the school on Monday, January 29 at 10:15 a.m. Many other activities planned for that week. Please stay tuned.

### Happy Birthday!

January 29
Keith Hamilton, Jr.
February 2
Bob Burke

#### **Kudos to OLP Cleaning Crews!**

We would like to acknowledge our cleaning crews. Millie and Alan Budney, Mary Messinger, Pattie West, Carolyn Connor, Bonnie Toth, Mary Fishback,

Patsy and Don Notestein, Marie Ann and Yvone Page have all been working hard for over a year now.

Each team gives up hours every month, in all kinds of weather, to clean the toilets, take out the trash, mop floors, vacuum carpets, and straighten up and put things away. They do this without fail despite their many other obligations; and some, even after they have worked all day at a nine to five job. Because we are not a large congregation, these men and women also do many other jobs for OLP. They may also mow grass, teach our children; plan, practice, and play music at our liturgies, and work in Mac's Kitchen.

They give their time, talents, and energy because they love our church, and so we can all be proud when we come to worship and welcome visitors to Our Lady of Peace.

If you would like to join either team, please contact Mary Fishback (434 248 6204) for the A team who clean on the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month or Sheila Seaquist (434 352 8756) for the B team who clean on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month.

Keep me away from the wisdom which does not cry, the philosophy which does not laugh, and the greatness which does not bow before children.

Kahlil Gibran