

Please continue to pray for the sick of our Parish. To add someone to the prayer list, call Fr. Jim or email Chene Heady at headycr@longwood.edu.

Kelly Bergholz  
Manfred Boewer  
Julie Byron  
Bowlie Carter  
Toni Capute  
Winnie Clark  
Lynn Dickerson  
Maggie Dinsmore  
Carol Donato  
Irene Dombrowski  
Islea Duncan  
Barbara Ekberg  
Angela Fitzgerald  
Michael Goad  
Rhonda Goad  
Rich Guild  
Kathleen Hamilton  
Jeanne Harper  
Roland Hayden

Gail Hebert  
George T. Hoag  
Sister Mary Eleonora  
Holdgrafter  
Ottie Huddleston  
Jeannine Iannaco  
Meja Irvin  
Margaret MacDiarmid  
Tuniesha McCoy  
Jerry Monahan  
Kathleen Moore  
Beverly Moyer  
Chris Moyer  
Ray Moyer  
Catherine Murphy  
Tim Murphy  
Mary and Victor Niagro  
Patsy Notestein  
George Perry

Isabel Perry  
Nelson Sanchez  
Princess Sanchez  
Dolores Sanders  
Lynn Sanders  
John Seaquist  
Ray Servis  
Jane Sliwinski  
Margaret Smith  
Laylah Marie Taylor  
Fred Toth  
Amy Tracy  
Trish Tracey  
Laura Williams  
Michael Williams  
Travis Williams  
John Wingo  
Betty Jo Wolfram  
Ted Zimmerman

### 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:**

Joe Gardner	Chuck Hirtz	Ted Skirvan
Dorothy Garcia	Kevin Hirtz	Felix Iannaco
Donald Notestein	Pam Skirvan	



### Donate to Our Lady of Peace Online

The new E-Giving donation system is up! You can make donations right online, including regular, recurring, or anonymous donations, or donations for special purposes. Click on the DONATE link on the homepage at <http://olpcatholicchurch.org> for more information.

# *Our Lady Of Peace Roman Catholic Church*



### **Our Lady Of Peace Catholic Church**

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For emergencies: Fr. Jim cell number: 434-238-7030

or Holy Cross Roman Catholic Church 434-846-5245

[www.olpcatholicchurch.org](http://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: Chene Heady at: [headycr@longwood.edu](mailto:headycr@longwood.edu)  
Requests for mass cards to: Bonnie Toth at: [bonnie3871@gmail.com](mailto:bonnie3871@gmail.com)

**August 27, 2017  
Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary  
Time**

**Scripture Readings:**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading:  
Is. 22:19-23  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:  
Rom. 11:33-36  
Gospel:  
Matthew 16:13-20

**Calendar**

August 28  
St. Augustine  
  
August 29  
Passion of St. John the Baptist

**Reconciliation**

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

**Collection**

8/20/2017:  
Collection totals not available at time of printing.

***Upcoming Meetings and Events***

**Cemetery Meeting**

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 6th at 6:30 PM.

**Parish Council:**

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 12th after the 7:00 PM mass.

**Liturgy Meeting**

Wednesday, September 13 at 6:30 p.m. is our first liturgy planning meeting! We will discuss banners and colors and begin looking at Advent.

**Welcome Gathering**

Saturday, Sept. 16 at 6:00 PM we will have a welcome gathering for all families who have joined the parish in the past year.. Details to come!

**Religious Formation**

Religious Formation classes for Grades 1-12 will resume here at Our Lady of Peace starting Wed. Sept. 20th at 3:30 . We will meet each Wed. from 3:30-5:00 . Our contact person is Biff Gillam at 941-3909.

**Thinking of Becoming a Catholic — Adult Confirmation/RCIA?**

RCIA classes start in September. But if you are thinking about becoming a Catholic at this time, it is not too early to contact Bob Burke [bobsandycreek@gmail.com](mailto:bobsandycreek@gmail.com), or Fr. Jim at [jimg301@juno.com](mailto:jimg301@juno.com) One of them would be happy to meet with you NOW and prepare you for classes!

***Parish Notices and Announcements***

**Annual Appeal Report:**

We have met our goal and will receive money back from the diocese!

**Walk for Life:**

The Pregnancy Support Center of Southside Virginia will hold its annual Walk for Life on Saturday, October 21st. Please see Bonnie Toth if you would like more information or to walk for this pro-life cause.

**Update from Commonwealth Catholic Charities**

**Another Good Measure of Hope**

Over the last year, CCC's Homeless Services team implemented a new strategy to that showed a significant increase in the number of households that were prevented from becoming homeless, while also saving money. According to Abby Boyd, Program Manager, CCC Homeless Services, "We have been able to assist more people, keep more people off the streets, and have greatly reduced the costs of service." The homelessness diversion strategies prevented 101 households from becoming homeless, a 777% increase in positive exits from the previous year while also saving over \$9,300 per client. Implementing homelessness diversion strategies enabled CCC to serve 200 more individuals this year than in the previous year.

**A CCC Client Reflection**

From a former homeless client: "God used CCC to bless me. When you're down to absolutely nothing, that just means God is up to something."

**How You Can Help**

You can donate to support Commonwealth Catholic Charities at: <http://cccova.org/donate/>