

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.

Dylan Anderson
Kelly Bergholz
Manfred Boewer
Terry Brennen
Julie Byron
Toni Capute
Winnie Clark
Lynn Dickerson
Maggie Dinsmore
Carol Donato
Irene Dombrowski
Islea Duncan
Angela Fitzgerald
Christopher Gardner
Rich Guild
Kathleen Hamilton
Jeanne Harper
Roland Hayden
Bill Hines

George T. Hoag
Sr. Mary E. Holdgrafter
Ottie Huddleston
Felice Iannaco
Jeannine Iannaco
Meja Irvin
Lillian Johannes
Lori Lecco
Margaret MacDiarmid
Tuniesha McCoy
Jerry Monahan
Kathleen Moore
Beverly Moyer
Chris Moyer
Ray Moyer
Patsy Notestein
Angel Ortiz
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	Donald Notestein	Kevin Hirtz	Ted Skirvan
Dorothy Garcia	Chuck Hirtz	Pam Skirvan	



Our Lady of Peace Ribbons for Life Fundraiser

We are beginning our Ribbons for Life fundraiser for 2019. We will be offering ribbons in the colors of the cancer they represent. The ribbons will be pinned on the cancer quilt in the commons. A \$5.00 donation is asked for each ribbon. This is a wonderful way to remember and honor friends and family in this effort to raise money for research and find a cure for cancer. Ribbons will be available on Sundays after Mass.

Our Lady Of Peace Roman Catholic Church



*So he got up and went back to his father. While he was still a long way off, his father caught sight of him, and was filled with compassion. He ran to his son, embraced him and kissed him.
Luke 15:20*

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

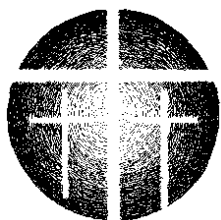
Holy Eucharist: Sunday 8:30 AM and Tuesday 10:00 AM

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

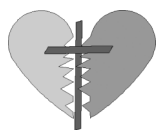
March 31, 2019
Fourth Sunday
in Lent



Scripture Readings

1st Reading:
Joshua 5:9-12
2nd Reading:
2 Corinthians
5:17-21
Gospel:
Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

Reconciliation



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

Collection 3/17/2019

General \$868.00

Collection 3/24/2019

General 951.00

Upcoming Meetings and Events

Confirmation at Holy Cross

Confirmation will take place on Saturday, April 6 at 11 a.m. at Holy Cross. Come support the high school confirmands from St. Victoria. Julissa, Mayela, and David, all from the Garcia-Mejia Family, will be confirmed by our Bishop.

Reconciliation/ Confessions

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated on Saturday, April 13 at 10:15 a.m.

Set up for Holy Thursday

The set up for Holy Thursday will be on Tuesday, April 16 at 10:30 a.m. before the Ecumenical Luncheon.

Ecumenical Prayer Luncheon

We will gather together for the Ecumenical Prayer Luncheon at noon on Tuesday, April 16.

Holy Week Triduum Sign-Ups

If you are interested in

servicing in any capacity during the Holy Week services sign up on the chart Bonnie Toth has made this year for the Holy Week Ministries.

Rehearsals for Holy Week

For those who have parts in the Easter Triduum Services, rehearsal will be after the Ecumenical Service on Tuesday, April 16 and also at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, April 17. If you are unable to make either of these times, please get with Bob Burke, Deacon Lou, or Bonnie Toth.

St. Victoria Needs You

If you are able to come to the Vigil on Saturday, April 20 at 7:45, St. Victoria is in need of three lectors and a Eucharistic Minister.

Stations of the Cross

Stations of the Cross will be held all Fridays during Lent at 6:30 p.m.



Parish Notices and Announcements



Happy Birthday!

April 3 - Maria Leslie
April 5 - Pat Bonnewitz

Rachel's Vineyard - Healing after Abortion

A group called *Rachel's Vineyard* will hold a retreat April 12-14, 2019 for those grieving from abortion. *Women and men who participate in Rachel's Vineyard Retreats are gently led through the critical steps of healing after abortion.*

Inquiries, registration and participation are strictly confidential. For more information and registration, contact: Marty Montgomery-Jennings @804-704-0429 or Maggie Carlson @804-432-2589 Email RV4hope@gmail.com.

April is National Volunteer Month

Much of CCC's ability to help others depends on volunteers—caring individuals who share their unique talents and skills. In 2018, CCC was blessed by 184 volunteers who provided over 8,000 hours of service to the agency around the state. To learn about volunteer opportunities in your area, visit www.cccofva.org.

The Definition and Meaning of the Ichthus

What is the definition and the meaning of the Ichthus / Fish symbol? Ichthus is the Greek word for fish (ΙΧΘΥΣ). The initials of the word Ichthus are also used as a Christian acronym of the following Greek words:

I=Jesus, Ch=Christ, Th=Theou (God's), U=Uios (Son), S=Soter (Savior)

Using the Ichthus acronym IChThUS means *Jesus Christ, God's Son, Savior*

The sign of the Ichthus was simple to draw consisting basically of two arcs.



Holy Thursday — April 18, 7:00: p.m.

Good Friday — April 19, 7:30 p.m.

Great Vigil of Easter — April 20, 7:45 p.m. at St. Victoria

Easter Sunrise Ecumenical Service — April 21, 7 a.m. at the Surrender Grounds

Easter Sunday Mass — April 21, 8:30 a.m.

Beau Ellrich is Baptized with his children, Beau and Anna. Elizabeth Ellrich receives communion

