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.

Jodi Aerts	Felice lannaco	Isabel Perry
Dylan Anderson	Jeannine lannaco	Nelson Sanchez
Terry Brennen	Meja Irvin	Princess Sanchez
Julie Byron	Lori Lecco	John Seaquist
Toni Capute	Margaret MacDiarmid	Ray Servis
Carol Donato	Kathleen Moore	Jane Sliwinski
Irene Dombrowski	Beverly Moyer	Margaret Smith
Islea Duncan	Chris Moyer	Fred Toth
Lynn Goss	Ray Moyer	Charles Watson
Kathleen Hamilton	Mary Niagro	Laura Williams
Roland Hayden	Patsy Notestein	Michael Williams
Jane Hayes	Angel Ortiz	Travis Williams
Bill Hines	George Perry	Betty Jo Wolfram

#### **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	Dorothy	Donald	Chuck	Kevin
Gardner	Garcia	Notestein	Hirtz	Hirtz

#### **Memorable Moments in Diocesan History**

To be published each week of the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary liturgical year

by Chene Heady

John Keane—the fifth bishop of Richmond (1878 to 1888)—was the first of our bishops to prioritize outreach to African Americans. Less than fifteen years after the end of the Civil War, he personally said mass for and taught catechism to Richmond's African American community. Undeterred by the anti-Catholic backlash these efforts created, he also began creating schools and churches for the African American population throughout the diocese.

# Our Lady Of Peace Roman Catholic Church

I am the gate.
Whoever enters through me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture.
John 10:9



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

2938 Oakleigh Ave. P.O. Box 668
Appomattox, VA 24522-0668
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

#### May 3, 2020 Fourth Sunday of Easter



#### **Scripture Readings:**

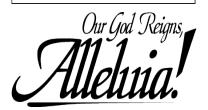
1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 2:14, 36-41 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Peter 2:20-25 Gospel: John 10:1-10

#### <u>Calendar</u>

May 10 Mothers Day

#### **Reconciliation**

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



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

#### **Easter Greeting**

Alleluia! Jesus is risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

#### **Private Prayer Schedule**

Our Lady of Peace will still be open for prayer. Tuesday 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., Tuesday evening 7p.m. -8 p.m., Thursday -12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Sunday 7:45 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.

### The Father Robert McEleney Cluster

From this Easter Sunday, April 12, 2020, forward, we may refer to the parishes of Our Lady of Peace in Appomattox and Saint Victoria in Hurt as the "Father Robert McEleney Cluster".

#### **Giving to the Parish:**

We may not have mass

during the COVID crisis, but we still have expenses. Please assist the parish by mailing your offering to Our Lady of Peace, P.O. Box 668, Appomattox, VA 24522. Or give on-line at the parish website: https://www.olpcatholicchurch.org/donate

### Annual Diocesan Appeal Surpassed Goal

Our goal for the Annual Appeal was \$3,180. You pledged \$6150. As we will receive 50% in return, that will be \$3075. Congratulations again. \$2,190. We need every penny. Thank you

Sunday Masses
Continue online for
St. Victoria and
Our Lady of Peace

You can access our Sun



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

-day mass by going to http://
olpcatholicchurch.org/
videos until further notice. We hope to be able to upgrade and live stream soon.

The loveliest masterpiece of the heart of God is the heart of a mother.
St. Therese of Lisieux

## Happy May Birthday!

- 07 Carolyn Maples
- 10 Jeremy Hounsell
- 12 Jean Roberge Nick Gaydos
- 14 Bonnie Toth
- 15 Anneliese Garcia
- 21 George Perry
- 25 Jane Hayes

## Happy May Anniversary!

- 16 Fr. Jim Gallagher (Ordination)
- 22 Cathy & Pete Zdgiebloski



# A Message From Commonwealth Catholic Charities

As we lift our prayers to Mary this month, we share this one from His Holiness Pope Francis. We ask for continued prayers for our clients and staff during this time of separation and isolation.

"Beloved Mother, help
us realize that we are
all members of one
great family and to
recognize the bond
that unites us, so that,
in a spirit of fraternity
and solidarity, we can
help to alleviate
countless situations of
poverty and need.
Make us strong in
faith, persevering in
service, constant in
prayer."