



Prince of Peace

Catholic Church

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Bulletin Deadline: Tuesdays at noon

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.;

Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Sacraments

Masses:

Saturday, 5:30 p.m.; Sunday, 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Tuesday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.

Reconciliation:

Every Saturday at 4:30 p.m.

Baptism – Infant: Baptisms are only scheduled on specific weekends throughout the year at liturgies. Please check inside this bulletin for upcoming Baptism dates. A required initial parent preparation session occurs several weeks before the Baptism. To register for the next parent session and schedule your child's Baptism, please call the Parish Office. An additional required session is also held just prior to the Baptism.

Marriage: Please call the Parish Office. Minimum of six months preparation time.

Anointing/Hospital Visit: If you or someone you know is being admitted to Chesapeake General Hospital, please call the office so we may share Eucharist with them and/or celebrate the Sacrament of the Sick.

Confirmation (Youth) may celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation when they are in the tenth grade and are at least 15 years of age. In addition to the Confirmation program, each confirmandi must also be enrolled in a religious education program. Confirmation is normally celebrated during the Easter Season. Contact Sister Dolores at the Parish Office for additional information.

Confirmation (Adult): Baptized Adults who have received their first Eucharist and wish to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation participate in an eight-week process usually beginning in Lent. Contact Sister Dolores at the Parish Office for information.

Adults for Baptism or Reception into the Catholic Church: Adults who have not been baptized or wish to be received into the Catholic Church participate in the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA). **Children:** The process is adapted for children 7 years of age or older. Contact Sister Dolores at the Parish Office for information.

Holy Orders, Religious Life and Lay Ministry: Men and women who are considering Holy Orders, Religious Life, or Lay Ministry are encouraged to call Fr. Jazmin at the Parish Office for information.

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TO REGISTER IN THE PARISH

Welcome! To join the parish, please register at the New Parishioner Desk in the commons after liturgy or in the Parish Office during office hours. You may also register online at our website popparish.org.

Calendar of Events This Week January 19-26, 2020



Sunday, January 19

Masses, 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
 Second Collection – Capital Improvements
 RCIC, 9:15-10:15 a.m., Room 10
 RCIA, 10:00-11:00 a.m., Library
 K-Grade 5 Christian Formation, 10:05-10:55 a.m.,
 Education Wing
 Youth Pierogi Prep, 1:00-5:00 p.m., Kitchen
VIRTUS Training, 1:00-3:00 p.m., Room 10
 Middle School & High School Christian Formation,
 6:00-8:00 p.m., Parish Hall

Monday, January 20

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
 Parish Office Closed

Tuesday, January 21

Mass, 9:00 a.m.
 Parish Council Meeting, 7:00-9:00 a.m., Room 9
 Rosary/Divine Mercy Chaplet, 7:30-8:30 p.m.,
 Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Wednesday, January 22

Mass, 9:00 a.m.
 Food Pantry Open, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
 Eucharistic Adoration, 12:00-1:00 p.m.,
 Blessed Sacrament Chapel
 Confirmation Music Rehearsal, 4:30-5:55 p.m.,
 Worship Space
 Baptism Prep 1, 6:30-8:00 p.m., Room 11
 Orchestra Rehearsal, 7:00-8:15 p.m., Worship Space
 Flute Choir Rehearsal, 7:00-8:00 p.m., Commons
 RCIA, 7:00-8:00 p.m., Room 10

CAST Begins

Thursday, January 23

CAST
 Mass, 9:00 a.m.
 Children's Choir Rehearsal, 6:00-6:45 p.m., Worship Space
 Knights of Columbus Council 8240 Meeting,
 6:30-10:00 p.m., Rooms 4, 5
 Prayer Shawl Ministry, 6:30-8:00 p.m., Rooms 9,10
New Evangelization Meeting, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Room 11
 Legacy Committee Meeting, 7:00-8:30 p.m., Library
 Adult Choir Rehearsal, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Worship Space

Friday, January 24

CAST

Mass, 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, January 25

CAST

Reconciliation, 4:30 p.m.
 Mass, 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, January 26

CAST

Masses, 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
 RCIC, 9:15-10:15 a.m., Room 10
 RCIA, 10:00-11:00 a.m., Library
 K-Grade 5 Christian Formation, 10:05-10:55 a.m.,
 Education Wing

Reconciliation Module Make-Up, 1:00-5:00 p.m., Room 11

Women's Tea, 2:00-4:30 p.m., Rooms 9, 10

Middle School & High School Christian Formation,
 6:00-8:00 p.m., Parish Hall



THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL READING
January 19, 2020, Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Gospel: John 1:29-34

Question of the Week: When have you been surprised to see goodness that you had overlooked in someone?

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK
January 26, 2020, Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
 1st Reading: Isaiah 8:23-9:3
 2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17
 Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23



Tuesday, January 21

9:00 a.m. The Faas Family †

Wednesday, January 22

9:00 a.m. Fred Harvey †

Thursday, January 23

9:00 a.m. The Walker Family †

Friday, January 24

9:00 a.m. Rosemary Miller †

Saturday, January 25

5:30 p.m. Chester Sabisky †

Sunday, January 26

9:00 a.m. Theresa Ricci †

11:00 a.m. For the Parishioners

† Denotes deceased

*In order to keep with Canon Law, as of March 13, 2019, there will be only one Mass Intention offered per Mass. The Mass Intentions already scheduled will be respected, but no new ones will be made on a date that another one has already been scheduled. Also, Mass Intentions for the repose of the soul and Special Intentions can be made at least 2 weeks before the requested day. The Parish Office will not be able to schedule Mass Intentions on the same week of the requested day. Thank you for understanding.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED: The Parish Office will be closed Monday, January 20, 2020 in observance of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Day holiday.

2020 BICENTENNIAL CHURCH CALENDARS: 2020 Church Calendars are available after Mass in the Commons. Thank you to Hollomon-Brown Funeral Home and Crematory for providing the calendars to Prince of Peace at no cost to our parish.



PRINCE OF PEACE POLICY: Anyone requesting a Godparent sponsor letter, a Confirmation sponsor letter, or a letter verifying church membership, must be a registered member of the Parish a minimum of six months.

OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD

	1-12-20	Year to Date
Offertory 1-12-20	\$ 9,803.31	\$ 259,955.43
E-Giving 1-12-20	\$ 3,625.00	\$ 114,808.00
Weekly Operational Needs	\$ 13,408.50	\$ 375,468.00
	\$ 19.81	\$ (704.57)*

*Amount in () indicates shortfall

Respect Life Collection:	\$ 2,080.65
Diocesan debt funds collected through 1-12-20:	\$ 15,352.00
FY 16-17 Diocesan debt balance	\$ 19,924.66
FY 19-20 Diocesan debt balance	\$ 29,199.80

Thank you for your generosity and continuing support of your parish.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND: Please remember that this weekend, January 18/19, we will have our monthly second collection for our Capital Improvement Expenses.

BAPTISMS: Baptisms are offered only on the following weekends for 2020:

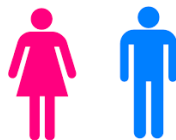
February 15/16, 2020	April 18/19, 2020
May 23/24, 2020	July 4/5, 2020
August 15/16, 2020	September 26/27, 2020
November 14/15, 2020	

Please call the Parish Office to schedule a Baptism date, and to register for the required sacramental preparatory class.



NEW EVANGELIZATION: If you are interested in being a part of the New Evangelization Team, please join me on January 23rd at 7:00 PM in Room 11. We will explore the Diocesan Plan for evangelization and opportunities to embrace our baptismal call to go forth and

share the gospel. We will be working on projects that give us an opportunity to deepen our faith through the love of God and our neighbor. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mary Riley at 757-560-6444 or parentfirst@cox.net. Thank you for your interest and I look forward to seeing you on the 23rd!



BATHROOM REMODELING IN THE COMMONS AREA: Attention, Parishioners! This year's Annual Diocesan Appeal project process has started. The project is upgrading the two bathrooms off of the Commons. Please use the other Restrooms during this process. Thank you in advance for your patience. Respectfully, John Ricci, Facility Coordinator

GRANT RECEIVED: Prince of Peace received a \$1,000.00 award from the Diocesan Fuel and Hunger Fund established by the Diocese of Richmond. It will be used to provide assistance to people in need. **The Fuel and Hunger Fund is made possible by contributions to the Annual Diocesan Appeal.** Thank you to all parishioners who made this award possible.



FOOD PANTRY: Our next monthly food collection will be FEBRUARY 1/2. When paper bags are passed out, they are not due back for 2 or 3 weeks. You have plenty of time before you need to bring them back. Please do not think you have to bring them back the following weekend. At this time we DO NOT NEED the following: Baby Food or Formula, Spaghetti or Pasta, Tuna, or Canned Vegetables. We can always use Jelly, Hamburger Helper, Juice (46 or 64 oz.), Pork & Beans, and Spaghetti SAUCE (NO GLASS JARS).

When preparing your bag, please keep these things in mind:

- ✓ Bring your bag the weekend of the monthly collection
- ✓ NO glass jars
- ✓ Always check the expiration dates
- ✓ Donate only FOOD ITEMS (except for toilet paper)
- ✓ Small or Medium size items are best to donate
- ✓ Do not open an item at home, take some out, and send the rest to the pantry

Let us give thanks that we are able to help those in need.

FOOD PANTRY: Monthly food collections for the following weekends in 2020:

February 1/2, 2020	August 1/2, 2020
March 7/8, 2020	September 12/13, 2020
April 4/5, 2020	October 3/4, 2020
May 2/3, 2020	November 7/8, 2020
June 6/7, 2020	December 5/6, 2020
July 11/12, 2020	

Your bag does not need to be full; any amount of food is really appreciated.

THANK YOU, WALMART NEIGHBORHOOD MARKET #3330: We received a \$1,000.00 grant from Walmart Neighborhood Market located at 673 Cedar Road. This is the fifth year Walmart has chosen the Prince of Peace Food Pantry for this award. This money will be used to stock our shelves in the pantry. Please consider shopping for your family at this Walmart store location. THANK YOU WALMART!



Lenten Bible Study – The very core of the good news of Christianity is the Passion, death and Resurrection of Jesus. Join us for a study of these crucial events as they are told in the gospels. The study will be held for 7 sessions on Tuesdays beginning January 28th. We will be using the Little Rock Scripture Study at a cost of \$17.00 for each participant. This Lenten study can help you contemplate and better understand the saving acts of Jesus as we prepare for Easter! Contact the parish office, Bobbi Yeager (560-4050), or Mike Corrigan (775-7696) for information about registration.

*** PARISH COMMUNITY LIFE NEWS ***

Our mission is to strengthen our parish by bringing neighbors together.

The following dates have been scheduled for events taking place here at Prince of Peace!



WOMEN'S TEA: Ladies, mark your calendar: the next Women's Tea will be on **Sunday, January 26th**, 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., in Rooms 9/10 in the Education Wing of Prince of Peace Church. We hope you can join us for a blessed afternoon of faith sharing and delicious food. As always, it is a bring some/share some event. Please bring a dish to share if you can. Also, don't forget your favorite tea cup/coffee mug. Invite a friend!

GRAND GROUP: Please join us for the **11:00 Mass** on **Tuesday, February 4th**. The February luncheon menu is potluck and dessert. Show some love to the Grand Group by participating in our secret Valentine surprise gift exchange. Please bring a gift less than \$5.00 for our gift table. Grand Group Cupids will distribute a gift to each person who decides to participate in our planned early Valentine fun. Please share your finest homemade or store-bought potluck dish or dessert to make our February Grand Group luncheon special. We DO NOT charge anything for potluck lunches. **Everyone** brings something: their favorite dessert, salad, veggie, main course, etc.



RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE: The Red Cross Blood Drive will be held at Prince of Peace Catholic Church on **Monday, February 10, 2020 from 2:00-7:00 p.m.** Sign-ups will be held after Mass on the weekends of February 1/2 and February 8/9. If you cannot sign up there, please visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: POPCath to schedule an appointment. Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting redcrossblood.org/rapidpass to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions **on the day of your appointment.**

DOUGHNUT VOLUNTEERS:

January 19 – Heather Thomas, Cecilia Cordoba De Soto
January 26 – Joanne Sawyer, Milagros Velez
February 2 – Ellen Green, Kathleen Dawson

**PRAYERS AND DEVOTIONS****Eucharistic Adoration**

Wednesdays at 12:00 noon

Any time the building is open, the Blessed Sacrament Chapel is available for Adoration.

Rosary

Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m. in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel and following daily Masses at 9:30 a.m.

**Divine Mercy Cenacle Ministry**

We are starting up again for the New Year!

January Meetings (you pick either the Monday night or Tuesday morning meeting to attend):

Monday, January 27th from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the small worship space or **Tuesday, January 28th** from 9:30-11:30 a.m. in classrooms 9 & 10.

We explore ways to incorporate the Divine Mercy Message/Devotion into our everyday lives. We study and discuss the Bible, the Catholic Catechism, Saint Faustina's Diary, Saint John Paul II's Encyclical on Divine Mercy and the cenacle's formation manual(s). By touching on all of these items we are growing in a deeper trust in God, a greater ability to forgive, and a stronger desire to be merciful to others.

We meet in small groups about every other week. There are only small readings and a few questions completed for each meeting. Opportunities for acts of mercy will occur throughout the year.

All are welcome to join at any time throughout the year.

No matter whether you know a lot about Divine Mercy or nothing at all, come and learn with us about this unique way of progressing in your Catholic Faith life!!!

For more information, please call the office at 757-547-0356.



Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament with Exposition and Benediction is held two times a month giving parishioners an opportunity to come spend time before the Lord outside of Mass. The dates and times as the calendar allow will be:

- First Friday of the month, 9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. The next first Friday is February 7, 2020.
- Third Friday of the month from 7:00-8:15 p.m. The next third Friday is February 21, 2020.

**ST. MATTHEW'S OPEN HOUSE:**

St. Matthew's School is having an Open House on Sunday, January 26th from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. We offer Preschool 2 through Grade 8. This is a great time to visit the school and ask any questions you might have. Our teachers and school guild will all be here, and our students will be offering tours. Hope to see you there!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 8240: Attention, Catholic Men! Have you ever thought of joining the Knights of Columbus? The Knights of Columbus is the largest fraternal Catholic organization in the world. Men age 18 and over, who are practicing Catholics, are strongly encouraged to join for a variety of reasons. All Knights strive to be Catholic gentlemen, to learn more about their faith, and are dedicated to putting their faith in action in support of their church, family, community, and, yes, charities that help benefit children, the elderly, the handicapped, and the homeless. Prince of Peace Knights of Columbus Council 820 has existed for over 35 years. Working together in unity and fraternity, the Brothers have helped countless families, individuals, church programs, and benefits over the years. **We make a difference!** Come join us. For more information, please contact Grand Knight Jason Gusman at vacationj72@gmail.com or by calling 757-677-6721.



ADVENT TREE: A hearty thanks to all who

made it another successful Advent Tree season! Many thanks to all the parishioners who contributed gifts, and/or food or monetary contributions to support

the 2019 Advent Tree program. Advent Tree supported 71 families including 189

children this year! Special thank-yous go out to Pat & Shirley Mitolo, Diane Brooks, Emilia Lonigro, Grand Group, Knights of Columbus, all of the drop-off night volunteers, car loaders and unloaders, and everyone who made deliveries to the families on December 21st. I couldn't have done it without your continued support and dedication. Happy New Year! – Julie

THANK YOU, JULIE! Thank you, Julie Chandoo, for all of your hard work and dedication to make the 2019 Advent Tree such a success. This ministry brings so much joy to families who otherwise would not have presents under their Christmas Tree. Great job, Julie!



LUMEN CHRISTI
LEGACY SOCIETY

PRINCE OF PEACE
LUMEN CHRISTI SOCIETY CHAPTER

Our parish Lumen Christi Society Chapter is being created to honor those who have named the parish as a beneficiary with a legacy gift. Take this into mind:

“Later” can be too late. Don't delay having your will drawn. Make sure your estate plans are in place so your wishes will be carried out to benefit your family. Gifts you plan for your church through your will can help your church continue to minister and serve.

Prince of Peace Church is formulating an endowment fund from legacy gifts to perpetuate financial security for our beloved church. Contact the church office for more information.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER these people, and all who are kept from joining us due to their health...

(Nursing Home/Assisted Living Residents) Mary Fallon, Dick and Lorraine DeLong, Emilia Carcaise, Mary Finch, Mary Brinker, Maggie Watson, and Florence Kress. **AUTUMN CARE:** Joan Schnell, Pauline Garr, Mary Fussell, John Weaver, Martha Nelson, and Anastasia Peifer. **CHESAPEAKE HEALTHCARE CENTER:** Mary Garris, Mary Churchill, Clair Saar, Marcella Damweber, Florence Farrell, Mary Thatcher, Donald Holloway, Richard Tobin, Joyce Clair, Elizabeth Bolmarcich, Eugene Batt, Laverne Barks, and Mark Walker. **AT HOME OR IN THE HOSPITAL:** Cheryl Bilbo, Bonnie Gallimore, Gene and Diane DiPascale, Maureen Kelly, John Heerema, Jr., Jackie Herz, Doris Moyer, Joseph Evan, Patty and Al Russell, Ed Boone, and Ada Murphy.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

Jean Young and Carol McQuaid

RESPECT LIFE
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“It is a poverty to decide that a child must die so that you may live as you wish.”
~ Blessed Mother Teresa

Ever Wonder Why ?

There is a multitude of anomalies, inconsistencies and downright deceit surrounding the abortion issue.

Why is it...one never sees the word “abortion” on the buildings or signs at abortion clinics? If abortion is such a good “choice,” why hide what it is they really do?

Why is it...when three people die from E.coli poisoning, spinach is immediately pulled off the shelf in every corner of the nation, but when eight women die from the RU-486 (the at-home abortion pill) no one even raises an eyebrow?

Why is it...that on one floor of many US hospitals they will abort babies left and right, but on another floor, we spend tens of thousands of dollars to save a child born at the same gestational age as the children being aborted floors below?

Why is it...when a woman goes into an abortion clinic, the champions of “choice” only offer the choice of abortion?



Divorced? Separated? WE CAN HELP!

Our Divorce Care program is held every **Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.** at **Christ the King Catholic Church**, 1803 Columbia Avenue, Norfolk, VA 23509-1200. Contact Tess Rozelle at THERoze0305@aol.com or Janet Ficca at faith@christthekingnorfolk.org for more information.

VOCATIONS: “To you who have been consecrated in Christ Jesus and called to be a holy people.” Could it be that you or someone in your family is being called to consider priesthood or consecrated life? Call the Vocations Office at 804-359-5661, and speak to Fr. Brian Capuano, or email vocations@richmonddiocese.org.

2019 Tax Statements

If you are interested in obtaining a financial statement of your 2019 contributions to Prince of Peace, the procedure has been updated! Please follow the instructions below or visit our NEW website at popparish.org. On the website, click on "My Own Church" under the "Home" drop-down. You will first need to set up an account with ParishSoft and when available (late January), you are able to download your tax statement. If you have any issues with your ParishSoft account setup or have any questions, please contact Karen Pacomio at karen.pacomio@popparish.org or call the Parish Office at 547-0356.

My Own Church

Pull Your Own Year-end Giving Statement Update Your Personal Information

The software we now use for our parish database has the ability for individuals to create accounts allowing you to update your personal data and also monitor your donations. You are even able to download an electronic copy of your year-end giving statement once they have been generated by the church.

How do you Access My Church?

- Input <https://richmond.parishsoftfamilysuite.com> into your browser (this cannot be done on mobile devices)
- Select "New User?"
- This will bring you to a registration form – Fill out the form
- **Church Staff** will have to approve the registration and then you will receive a temporary password. (We will check this several times a week; please be patient)
- Log back into "My Own Church" (see step 1 above)
- You will be prompted for a permanent password
- Log in (you may need to return to (<https://richmond.parishsoftfamilysuite.com>))
- Enter username and password
- You now have access to your information and only your information

My Family Tab:

- Select Family Detail – here you can edit the file if you wish to make changes. Changes are not accepted until reviewed by POP staff.

My Offering Tab:

- Select Giving History – Here you can select a specific fund and/or year to look at. You can also download electronic year-end statements once they are available.

The page will look like this:

Home	My Family	Family Education	My Offering	My Ministry
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Home				
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Prince of Peace Clothing Ministry

Please consider donating your gently used (or new) clean clothing, accessories (jewelry, purses, shoes, belts, etc.), and books (Christian fiction, Christian non-fiction, youth, children and cookbooks to the Prince of Peace clothing account at The Great Exchange (clothing ministry), located at The Bridge Christian Fellowship Church, **1116 Hillwell Road, Chesapeake, VA 23322.**

This will enable our church to help parishioners and other families in our community who are experiencing a disaster or a financial time of need, to be able to obtain needed clothing items for their families.

The Great Exchange works on a point system. One piece of clothing donated is equal to one piece of clothing being able to be pulled.

For each piece donated by our parishioners under the Prince of Peace account one point will be added to our account. Two-piece outfits are worth two points.

You may bring up to 25 pieces of clothing per visit to donate.

During special times of the year they offer unlimited intake on items.

Fall/winter clothing is generally accepted October-March.

Spring/Summer clothing is generally accepted April-September.

For any parishioners or community members who are in need of clothing, please contact Sister Dolores at 757-547-0356 or stop by the parish office during regular office hours to speak with and register with Sister to be able to obtain clothing.

Please check out The Great Exchange Facebook page for more information on the clothing ministry or call 757-266-8769.

Web Address: www.thegreatexchangeva.com

All sizes are needed.

When donating, please remember to state that your donation is for the Prince of Peace Clothing Ministry Account.

ALL DONATIONS are made at the Great Exchange located at the Bridge Christian Fellowship Church during store hours (**not at Prince of Peace**).

Address: 1116 Hillwell Road, Chesapeake, VA 23322

Donation drop-off times and store hours are:
10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. on all Tuesdays and Thursdays

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND: Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will. Jesus wants to be the head of your marriage. Learn how to do His will on the upcoming **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends** February 21-23, 2020 in VIRGINIA BEACH, VA or March 20-22, 2020 in FAIRFAX, VA. Early sign-up is recommended. For more information, visit our website at <https://renewmarriage-vasouth.org/> or contact us at applications@renewmarriage-vasouth.org or 757-690-1369.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: Do you want to grow closer to God and have a stronger faith life with your spouse? Couples who use Natural Family Planning report a healthier and happier marriage and feel spiritually closer as well! Let God be the center of your relationship and try NFP. The next series starts at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 6th at St. John the Apostle. These classes are for engaged or married couples. *Preregistration and purchase of course material required prior to January 31st.* For information or if you are a single woman or teenage girl interested in learning more, contact Stephanie & Deacon Chris Finocchio at finoc@msn.com or 757-430-1493 or visit live-the-love.org.

ST. JOSEPH HOMESCHOOL CO-OP: St. Joseph Catholic Church (828 Buford Road, Richmond, VA) would like to invite all interested families to a planning meeting for our Homeschool Co-op 2020-2021 (Grades 4-12) on Sunday, January 26th at 12:45 p.m. We use the Mother of Divine Grace curriculum. For more info, please contact Mrs. Michelle Blake at 704-614-2765 or stjosephcoopdirector@gmail.com.



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES: There are a number of job opportunities available in the Diocese of Richmond that are posted on the Prince of Peace bulletin board. For more information, log on to <https://richmonddiocese.org/office/office-of-human-resources>.



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