

# 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.

### 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.

IF TODAY  
YOU HEAR HIS  
**VOICE**  
HARDEN NOT YOUR  
**HEARTS**

PSALM 95

## Staff

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## Calendar Of Events This Week

### March 8-15, 2020

#### Sunday, March 8

Masses, 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

#### 2020 Annual Diocesan Appeal In-Pew

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

Finance Class, 10:15-11:00 a.m., Parish Office Conference Room

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

#### Monday, March 9

Set up for Legacy Seminar, 1:00-2:00 p.m., Rooms 9, 10

Den Pack Meetings, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Rooms 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10

Divine Mercy Cenacle Meeting, 7:00-8:00 p.m., Small Worship Space

Troop 824 Meetings, 7:30-9:00 p.m., Parish Hall,

Rooms 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11

#### Tuesday, March 10

Mass, 9:00 a.m.

Divine Mercy Cenacle Meeting, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Rooms 4, 5

#### Legacy Seminar, 10:00-11:00 a.m., Rooms 9, 10

Little Rock Class, 7:00-8:30 p.m., Room 10

Finance Class, 7:00-8:00 p.m., Rooms 4, 5

Rosary/Divine Mercy Chaplet, 7:30-8:30 p.m.,

Blessed Sacrament Chapel

#### Wednesday, March 11

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

Orchestra Rehearsal, 7:00-8:15 p.m., Worship Space

Flute Choir Rehearsal, 7:00-8:00 p.m., Commons

#### Thursday, March 12

Mass, 9:00 a.m.

Walking with Purpose Bible Study, 9:45-11:15 a.m., Rooms 1, 9, 10

Set up for Legacy Seminar, 12:00-1:00 p.m., Rooms 9, 10

#### Legacy Seminar, 6:00-7:00 p.m., Rooms 9, 10

Children's Choir Rehearsal, 6:00-6:45 p.m., Worship Space

Walking with Purpose Bible Study, 7:00-8:30 p.m., Rooms 1, 6, 8

Adult Choir Rehearsal, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Worship Space

Knights of Columbus Council 8240 Meeting, 7:30-10:00 p.m.,

Rooms 4, 5

#### Friday, March 13

Mass, 9:00 a.m.

#### Stations of the Cross, 9:30-10:15 a.m., Worship Space

Knights of Columbus Fish Fry, 5:00-7:00 p.m., Parish Hall,  
Kitchen

#### Stations of the Cross, 6:45-8:00 p.m., Worship Space

#### Saturday, March 14

Men's Breakfast, 8:00-9:30 a.m., Parish Hall

Reconciliation, 4:30 p.m.

Mass, 5:30 p.m.

#### Sunday, March 15

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

#### First Eucharist Module, 10:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Rooms 6, 7, 9, 10, 11

K-Grade 5 Christian Formation, 10:05-10:55 a.m., Education Wing

Middle School and High School Christian Formation, 6:00-8:00 p.m.,

Parish Hall



### THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL READING

March 8, 2020, The Second Sunday of Lent

Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

Question of the Week: What difference does  
your faith in Jesus Christ make in your life?

### READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

March 15, 2020, The Third Sunday of Lent

1st Reading: Exodus 17:3-7

2nd Reading: Romans 5:1-2, 5-8

Gospel: John 4:5-42



#### Tuesday, March 10

9:00 a.m. Frances Sole †

#### Wednesday, March 11

9:00 a.m. Charles Wade Sr. †

#### Thursday, March 12

9:00 a.m. Maria Medina †

#### Friday, March 13

9:00 a.m. Tuong Nguyen †

#### Saturday, March 14

5:30 p.m. Ron Atkinson †

#### Sunday, March 15

9:00 a.m. Ana Livia Vazquez †

11:00 a.m. For the Parishioners

† Denotes deceased

\*In order to keep with Canon Law, beginning 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.

**LIVING OUR MISSION:** Prince of Peace received a **\$206.00** *Living Our Mission* check for a total from *Living Our Mission* of **\$107,167.79**. Thank you for your support.





## OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD

	3-1-20	Year to Date
Offertory 3-1-20	\$ 9,419.50	\$ 318,434.80**
E-Giving 3-1-20	\$ 4,414.00	\$ 141,091.00
Weekly Operational Needs	\$ 13,408.50	\$ 469,327.50
	\$ 425.00	\$ (9,801.70)*

\*Amount in ( ) indicates shortfall

\*\*Includes Ash Wednesday collection in YTD total

Ash Wednesday collection: \$ 3,474.25

Diocesan debt funds collected through 3-1-20: \$ 18,666.00

FY 16-17 Diocesan debt balance \$ 15,960.96

FY 19-20 Diocesan debt balance \$ 29,218.94

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



***Congratulations to the following who celebrated their Confirmation March 3rd, 2020***

***At Prince of Peace***

Jaime Alvarado	Isaac Avis
Sami Casingal	Athena Ebright
Natalie Gargiulo	Anne Marie Griffith
Hunter Humphries	Cole Ippolito
Kayla Jones	Jennifer Kemp
Ethan Kinsman	William Lefebvre
Jordan Lowe	Emmanuel Malpaya
Michael Manser	Kevin McCollum
Lucas McDonald	Macy McMeekin
Jessica Michalski	Vincent Mirance
Katherine Olenick	Emily Pendlebury
Kennedy Pendlebury	Mackenzie Raniowski
Christian Rodriguez	Destine Romera
Danella Romera	Stephen Roney
Sterling Smith	Tyler Stanczyk
Megan Zardeskas	

**ADULT CONFIRMATION:** Any adult Catholic who has never been confirmed: Confirmation will be celebrated on Pentecost Sunday, May 31, 2020 for baptized Catholic adults who have received their First Eucharist. An 8-session preparation program will begin on Sunday, March 22, 2020. For more information, please call Sister Dolores at the Parish Office or email her at [Sister.Dolores@popparish.org](mailto:Sister.Dolores@popparish.org).

**HOT DOG/BBQ LUNCH SALE:** Thank you to everyone who supported last Sunday's Hot Dog/BBQ Lunch Sale. It was one of our most successful! So, please mark your calendars for Sunday, March 29th. That's the date of our next Hot Dog/BBQ Lunch Sale. Once again, THANK YOU!!!



**SHINE LIKE STARS BICENTENNIAL**

**BOOK:** To celebrate the 200th anniversary of our diocese, our diocese has compiled a book entitled, *Shine Like Stars*. The book is available for purchase during the week in the Parish Office or on the weekend after Mass at the New Parishioner Registration Desk. The cost of the book is \$35.00. Discover the history of the Diocese of Richmond in this richly illustrated book with pull-out objects.

**BULLETIN DEADLINE SCHEDULE:** Due to the Easter season, the deadline for information to be included in the bulletins for the weekends of Palm Sunday, Easter Sunday, and the Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy) have changed:

Information must be received by **12:00 p.m. (noon) on Wednesday, March 25th**, in order to be printed in the bulletin dated **April 5th, Palm Sunday**.

Information must be received by **12:00 p.m. (noon) on Wednesday, April 1st**, in order to be printed in the bulletin dated **April 12th, Easter Sunday**.

Information must be received by **12:00 p.m. (noon) on Monday, April 6th**, in order to be printed in the bulletin to be dated **April 19th, Second Sunday of Easter/Divine Mercy**.

Thank you, Joyce Cain

**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.

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

April 18/19, 2020	May 23/34, 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.**



### Lenten Communal Penance Services

At the last meeting of the priests of our deanery, which is Deanery 3, it was decided that Parish Communal Lenten Penance Services will be celebrated together offering the parishioners the availability of a number of priests.

The following are Communal Penance Services in our deanery.

We thank Father Anthony Mpungu at St. Mark's for hosting the service for our area.

Wednesday, March 11 at 6:30 p.m.

St. Paul  
St. Mary – Bowers Hill  
Holy Angels  
Resurrection – **Host Church**

Thursday, March 19 at 7:00 p.m.

St. Mark – **Host Church**  
St. Benedict  
St. Stephen  
Prince of Peace

Wednesday, April 1 at 7:00 p.m.

St. Therese

Due to geography each of the following parishes will have its own Lenten Communal Penance Service  
The pastors will let us know their times and dates.

- St. Mary – Suffolk
- St. Jude – Franklin
- Good Shepherd

Please note that there will not be a Communal Lenten Penance Service at Prince of Peace. Father will hear Confessions every Saturday evening from 4:30-5:15 p.m.

**CHURCH NEEDS AND THE HAITI LENTEN APPEAL:** One half of the funds received during the Lenten Appeal will be kept at Prince of Peace for church needs; the other half will go directly to support the Maison Fortune Orphanage. Please note on your check on the memo line if you would like your donation dispersed differently. Thank you for your generosity.



**BATHROOM REMODELING IN THE COMMONS AREA:** Thank you for your patience, the bathrooms are now open for your convenience. Thank you to John Ricci for all of his hard work and doing a wonderful job facilitating the remodeling!



### Lent Resources

There are number of resources for Lent on the website of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops: [usccb.org](http://usccb.org)

From their website:

### Regulations for Fasting and Abstinence

Fasting is to be observed by all 18 years of age and older, who have not yet celebrated their 59th birthday. On a fast day one full meal is allowed. Two other meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids, including milk and juices, are allowed.

Abstinence is observed by all 14 years of age and older. On days of abstinence no meat is allowed. Note that when health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not oblige. When in doubt concerning fast and abstinence, the parish priest should be consulted.

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence.

All the Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence. Fasting, almsgiving, and prayer are the three traditional disciplines of Lent. The faithful and catechumens should undertake these practices seriously in a spirit of penance and of preparation for baptism or of renewal of baptism at Easter.

Also Available:

### Spiritual Aids for Lent

### Little Black and Purple Books

Little Black Books are available in the Commons Area to assist you during your Lenten journey. The books provide content to spend 6 minutes a day with God. The plain cover allows anyone to comfortably use the book in public. The books have been updated, using the readings for this year. We also have Little Purple Books available for the children. We will be providing The Little White Books for the Easter Season. If you are able, a \$1.50 donation would help defray the cost of the books.

### The Word Among Us

*The Word Among Us* contains Mass as well as the readings for each day and a daily meditation. A \$5.00 donation is asked to help defray the cost.

### Living Faith

*Living Faith* is a small book that contains daily meditations for 3 months. It is available for a \$3.00 donation.

# END OF LIFE DECISIONS PLANNING SEMINAR

Prince of Peace  
Roman Catholic Church



## Wills and Trusts • Estate Planning • Advanced Medical Directives • Legacy Giving

This is a free seminar offered for the parishioners of Prince of Peace.

*This is an information-only seminar on ways to better understand the process of end of life planning.  
Select from one of the dates below:*

**Tuesday, March 10, 2020 or**

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Parish Rooms 9 & 10

**Thursday, March 12, 2020**

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Parish Rooms 9 & 10

### TOPICS INCLUDE

- Catholic Advanced Medical Directives
- Funeral Planning
- Wills and Trusts
- Types of Legacy Gifts
- Beneficiaries and Designations

### PLEASE RSVP

*Please let us know at least two days prior to the event that you will be attending so that we can have enough materials on hand. **RSVP (757) 547-0356***



# Fish Fry



(Prince of Peace Catholic Church,  
621 Cedar Road)

**March 13th, 5:00-7:00 p.m.**

The Knights of Columbus will be holding a FISH FRY in the Parish Hall on FRIDAY, March 13th from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

The cost of the ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT dinner is \$10.00 for adults, \$9.00 for those 60 and "wiser," and \$5.00 for children under 12. Takeout orders will be available.

Tickets may be purchased at the door.

Pollock – Fried and Baked

French Fries and Baked Potatoes (with fixings)

Cole Slaw, Hushpuppies and Cornbread

Iced Tea, Lemonade, and Water





## 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](http://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 then you can download your tax statement. If you have any issues with your ParishSoft account set up or have any questions, please contact Karen Pacomio at [karen.pacomio@popparish.org](mailto: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:

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Home	Giving History			

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[Family Suite](#)

**MISSION TRIP TO OCRACOCKE:** Mark your calendars!! Volunteers are needed for a Faith Works Coalition disaster relief mission to Ocracoke Island to assist in the recovery from last fall's Hurricane Dorian. No experience is needed. Faith Works will provide project managers for supervision.

**When:** Monday, May 11-Friday, May 15. Option to arrive Sunday in order to start work early Monday morning.

**What:** Rebuilding damaged homes, primarily drywall, painting, flooring, carpentry, and perhaps roofing. Also, licensed electricians are urgently needed.

**Who:** Local coordination is provided by United Methodist Commission on Relief (UMCOR)

**Shorter stay:** Volunteers have the option to shorten their stay on Ocracoke and just work part of the week.

**Important!** The UMCOR project manager suggests that this mission trip is not for anyone unable to easily climb stairs or with any serious underlying medical condition. It is a \$10,000.00 helicopter ride from Ocracoke to a mainland hospital.

Please contact John Nogosek at [nogos@cox.net](mailto:nogos@cox.net) or 548-2794 if you are potentially interested in joining this ecumenical team or just want more information. Saying you are interested now does NOT commit you to attend.

### \* 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!**

**MEN'S BREAKFAST:** The next Men's Breakfast will be **Saturday, March 14, 2020**, from 8:00-9:30 a.m. in the Parish Hall. All men of the parish are invited to attend to share fellowship and faith.



#### DOUGHNUT VOLUNTEERS:

March 8 – Rod & Peg Chakan, Theodora Uloghobui  
 March 15 – Heather Thomas, Cecilia Cordoba De Soto  
 March 22 – Joanne Sawyer, Milagros Velez



### 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.





**FOOD PANTRY:** Please, please try to remember if Saturday falls in one month and Sunday in the next month, then our monthly collection is the following weekend. The schedule is always in the bulletin or online on the parish website. We can always use paper bags; please leave them on the benches in the commons. We are always in need of 46 oz. juice and 19 oz. jelly (can be purchased at the Dollar Tree).

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:

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

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



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 April 3, 2020.
- Third Friday of the month from 7:00-8:15 p.m. The next third Friday is March 20, 2020.



### Divine Mercy Cenacle Ministry

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

**Monday, March 9th**, from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the small worship space or **Tuesday, March 10th**, from 9:30-11:30 a.m. in **classrooms 4 and 5**.

**Monday, March 23rd**, from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the small worship space or **Tuesday, March 24th**, from 9:30-11:30 a.m. in **classrooms 9 and 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.

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN:** As part of the nationwide 40 Days for Life Campaign, the Prince of Peace Respect Life Ministry invites you to join in a peaceful prayer vigil outside Planned Parenthood 515 Newtown Road, Virginia Beach from February 26th to April 5th. We will be joining other parishes and communities of faith in 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. Prince of Peace will be standing vigil from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. on Tuesdays. If you wish, you may choose a time that fits your schedule to help in this important outreach. Parking is along Lake Edward Drive (The street adjacent to the 7-11 on Newtown Road). For more information, please contact Vicki Olenick at 549-2192 or [olenickv@yahoo.com](mailto:olenickv@yahoo.com) or visit the Respect Life Ministry table in the Parish Hall.





## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

**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](mailto:vacationj72@gmail.com) or by calling 757-677-6721.



**FISH FRY:** The Knights of Columbus will be holding a FISH FRY in the Parish Hall on FRIDAY, March 13th, from 5:00-7:00 p.m. The cost of the all-you-can-eat dinner is \$10.00 for adults, \$9.00 for those 60 and "wiser" and \$5.00 for children under 12. Take-out orders are available. Tickets may be purchased at the door.



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:

Charitable Remainder Trusts allow you to make a gift to your church while retaining income from the gifted asset during your lifetime (and that of your spouse). If the trust is funded with appreciated property, capital gains taxes may be avoided. There will also be a significant current income tax deduction at the time the trust is created.

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.



### 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](http://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

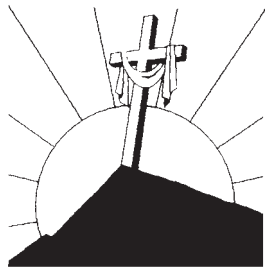
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**BUS PILGRIMAGE:** Bishop Knestout will lead a Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, in Baltimore, MD on **Saturday, May 9, 2020**. St. Mark's Church in Virginia Beach will sponsor a bus for the parishes of our Deanery. The bus will leave early on Saturday morning and return around 11:00 p.m. The cost is \$60.00 per person, which includes the bus, as well as a tip for the driver. Passengers should bring a snack for the trip up and back. To register, call St. Mark's Catholic Church at 757-479-1010.

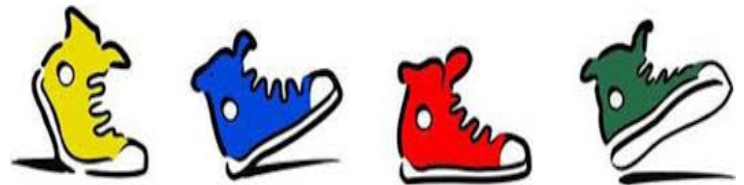


**WOMEN'S CURSILLO WEEKEND:** Lent is a great time to get away from everyday life and attend a retreat to spend quality time with God. The Greater Hampton Roads Cursillo Movement has scheduled a Women's Cursillo Weekend for March 19-22, 2020. The weekend is being held at the Williamsburg Christian Retreat Center in Toano. The weekends will be led by local clergy and lay spiritual directors. They are joined and supported by local Cursillo leaders in conducting these weekends. For more information or an application, please email [ghrcursillo@gmail.com](mailto:ghrcursillo@gmail.com).



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