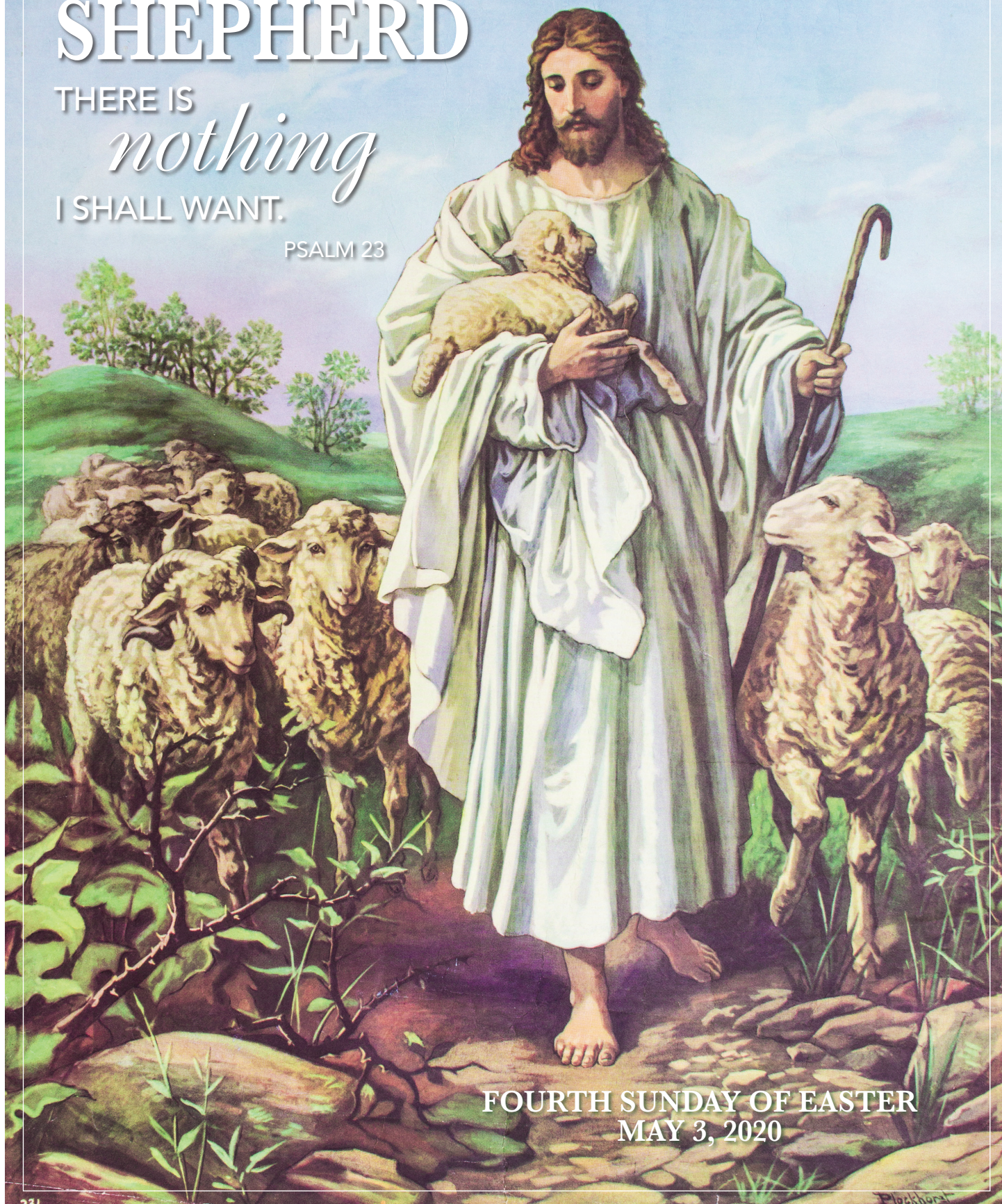


THE LORD IS MY  
**SHEPHERD**

THERE IS  
*nothing*

I SHALL WANT.

PSALM 23



**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
MAY 3, 2020

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS THIS WEEK****May 3-10, 2020**

Due to restrictions announced by Governor Northam and following directives from our Bishop, our pastor, Fr. Jazmin has canceled Weekend Masses, Daily Mass, all events, and meetings until further notice. Please contact the Parish Office via phone at 757-547-0356 (Monday – Friday 8:30-3:30, exception is Thursday 8:30-12:00), the website [popparish.org](http://popparish.org), or the Prince of Peace Facebook page for updates.

Prince of Peace Catholic Church will be open on Sunday mornings for private devotion to the Blessed Sacrament. The Tabernacle has been moved to the Main Sanctuary to allow for “social distancing” while in prayer. Realizing that many may wish to spend time before the Blessed Sacrament, we ask that you be respectful of social distancing and the amount of time spent.

Our parish website offers various spiritual aids that we can use at home during this time.

**Sunday, May 3**

Church open for private devotion, 8:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Mass, 10:00 a.m., livestream with Bishop Barry C.

Knestout at [richmonddiocese.org/livestream](https://richmonddiocese.org/livestream)

**Mass, 11:00 a.m., livestream with Prince of Peace on Facebook at [facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake](https://www.facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake)**

**Tuesday, May 5**

Mass, 11:00 a.m., livestream with Prince of Peace on Facebook at [facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake](https://www.facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake),

followed by praying the Holy Rosary

**Wednesday, May 6**

Food Pantry Open via drive up, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Mass, 11:00 a.m., livestream with Prince of Peace on Facebook at [facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake](https://www.facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake), followed by praying the Holy Rosary

**Thursday, May 7**

Mass, 11:00 a.m., livestream with Prince of Peace on Facebook at [facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake](https://www.facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake), followed by praying the Holy Rosary

**Friday, May 8**

Mass, 11:00 a.m., livestream with Prince of Peace on Facebook at [facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake](https://www.facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake), followed by praying the Holy Rosary

**Saturday, May 9**

**Reconciliation, 4:30 p.m.**

**Sunday, May 10**

Church open for private devotion, 8:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Mass, 10:00 a.m., livestream with Bishop Barry C.

Knestout at [richmonddiocese.org/livestream](https://richmonddiocese.org/livestream)

**Mass, 11:00 a.m., livestream with Prince of Peace on Facebook at [facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake](https://www.facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake) followed by Blessing of Mothers via drive through front parking lot**

**ASSISTANCE FOR 65+ OR AT-RISK PARISHIONERS:**

During this time where you may be self-quarantining due to your age or because you are high risk, if you need assistance with grocery shopping or other high importance errands, please give our Parish Office a call at 757-547-0356. We will contact a parish volunteer to call you to assist you with your needs.

*“[Those who trust in the Lord]  
are like a tree planted beside the water...  
In the year of drought it shows no distress,  
but still produces fruit.” – Jeremiah 17:8*

My Dear Parishioners,

May Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Prince of Peace be with you and your loved ones!

Preparations being put in place to slow the spread of COVID-19 in our community present us with both challenges and opportunities. The priority of Prince of Peace is to care for our families and minister to them in every way we can.

As you know, the Diocese of Richmond has suspended all public Masses until further notice. Bishop Knestout will be updating us regularly. You can check the diocesan website for these updates at <https://richmonddiocese.org/coronavirus/>.

Through all of this, Prince of Peace will remain a community of faith that trusts in the Lord and shares His blessings with each other. We are moving forward with new ways to minister to our parish families, including:

1. Utilizing our parish’s presence on Facebook: Please visit us there for the latest parish news, photos and other resources we are providing. This is also the best place to check in with each other, share prayer requests and continue to live as a community. Our Facebook page is at <https://www.facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake/>.
2. Celebrating livestreamed Masses: Updates and links will be available on our parish Facebook page and website at <https://popparish.org/>.

We are committed to making the most of this time and help draw families closer to Christ. In times of crisis, people look to Christ and his Church. Prince of Peace will be here to serve.

There are three things that I’m asking you to do right now, today:

1. Pray. Remember God does not abandon his children. Please join me in praying for the following:
  - All the sick and suffering around the world, and families affected by the coronavirus
  - Those who are struggling financially because of this crisis
  - First responders, medical personal and all government leaders
  - Our parish, our bishop and the Holy Father in Rome
2. Follow us on Facebook. Go to Facebook and search for POPchurch Chesapeake. Click to “follow” us and “like” our page. You will be connected to posts and information about live Masses online and be able to interact with our community.
3. Continue to support our parish - online. I want to express my heartfelt gratitude for the continued financial stewardship of parishioners and friends during this difficult time. With public Masses suspended, I am asking every family to move their financial support online:
  - a. You can find giving options online at <https://giving.ncsservices.org/app/giving/ncs-1546>
  - b. Please consider setting up a recurring gift to help our parish for the future.

If you need assistance with online giving, please contact Karen Pacomio at [karen.pacomio@popparish.org](mailto:karen.pacomio@popparish.org). Your gifts will support parish ministries, church missions, and church maintenance. God bless you for your generosity!

I will continue to provide updates, primarily through our parish Facebook page and on our website.

Please know that you are in my prayers and I am grateful for your prayers. Have faith! Let us rally together behind what is most important in our lives – God, family, and our Prince of Peace community.

In Christ,  
Very Rev. Romeo Jazmin, V.F.  
Pastor

**ORATIO IMPERATA**

God our Father,  
 We come to you in our need  
 To ask your protection against the 2019 N-Corona Virus,  
 That has claimed lives  
 And has affected many.  
 We pray for your grace  
 For the people tasked with studying the nature and cause  
 Of this virus and its disease  
 And of stemming the tide of its transmission.  
 Guide the hands and minds of medical experts  
 That they may minister to the sick  
 With competence and compassion,  
 And of those governments and private agencies  
 That must find cure and solution to this epidemic.  
 We pray for those afflicted  
 May they be restored to health soon.  
 Grant us the grace  
 To work for the good of all  
 And to help those in need.  
 Grant this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, your Son,  
 Who lives and reigns with You, i  
 n the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
 God, forever and ever. Amen

**MASS RESOURCES:****LIVESTREAM PRINCE OF PEACE:**

Events such as Stations of the Cross and Masses are being livestreamed at [facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake](https://www.facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake).

**TV MASS FOR THE HOMEBOUND:**

WTVZ channel 33 (MyTVZ) at 7:00 a.m.  
 Please invite anyone you know to tune in Catholic Mass on TV or watch online anytime on Sundays at [www.HeartoftheNation.org](http://www.HeartoftheNation.org).

**MAGNIFICAT:**

During this challenging time, many of the faithful may be unable to attend Mass. Magnificat is honored to provide complimentary access to our online version to help people pray from home at <https://us.magnificat.net/free>.

**FREE RESOURCES**

You may download these free resources for unrestricted, redistributable use here:  
[www.hometouchministry.com/covid19-resources-for-elderly-homebound](http://www.hometouchministry.com/covid19-resources-for-elderly-homebound)

**SUNDAY MASS WITH THE BISHOP:**

Sunday Mass with Bishop Barry C. Knestout can be found as a link at [richmonddiocese.org/livestream](http://richmonddiocese.org/livestream).



**THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL READING**  
**May 3, 2020, Fourth Sunday of Easter**

Gospel: John 10:1-10

Question of the Week: How are you a shepherd to those in your care?

**READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK****May 10, 2020, Fifth Sunday of Easter**

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 6:1-7

2nd Reading: 1 Peter 2:4-9

Gospel: John 14:1-12

**Tuesday, May 5**

11:00 a.m. The Cacho Family †

**Wednesday, May 6**

11:00 a.m. Augusto Pigtain Sr. †

**Thursday, May 7**

11:00 a.m. Vincent Mollura †

**Friday, May 8**

11:00 a.m. Ruben Galutera †

**Saturday, May 9**

5:30 p.m. Mamerta Cuartero †

**Sunday, May 10**

9:00 a.m. Dorothy Schares-Mass Intention

11:00 a.m. For the Parishioners

† Denotes deceased

Currently Mass Intention obligations will be fulfilled in a daily private Mass.

\*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.

**SOUP KITCHEN MINISTRY:** Our soup kitchen ministry heads will continue to provide food for the needy. Prince of Peace volunteers will not staff the kitchen or serve meals. Please contact your soup kitchen ministry head if you would like to help. To donate food the Wesley Soup Kitchen contact Kelly Bruno at 757-636-2234.



**Prayer to End the Coronavirus:**

*Holy Virgin of Guadalupe,  
Queen of the Angels and Mother of the Americas.  
We fly to you today as your beloved children.  
We ask you to intercede for us with your Son,  
as you did at the wedding in Cana.  
Pray for us, loving Mother, and gain for our nation and world,  
and for all our families and loved ones,  
the protection of your holy angels,  
that we may be spared the worst of this illness.  
For those already afflicted,  
we ask you to obtain the grace of healing and deliverance.  
Hear the cries of those who are vulnerable and fearful,  
wipe away their tears and help them to trust.  
In this time of trial and testing,  
teach all of us in the Church to love one another  
and to be patient and kind.  
Help us to bring the peace of Jesus to our land and to our hearts.  
We come to you with confidence,  
knowing that you truly are our compassionate mother,  
health of the sick and cause of our joy.  
Shelter us under the mantle of your protection,  
keep us in the embrace of your arms,  
help us always to know the love of your Son, Jesus.  
Amen.*

**OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD**

**4-26-20 Year to Date**

Offertory 4-26-20	\$ 2,927.00	\$365,943.80
E-Giving 4-26-20	\$ 5,150.00	\$185,021.00
Weekly Operational Needs	\$13,408.50	\$576,595.50
	(\$ 5,331.50)	<b>(\$ 25,630.70)*</b>

*\*Amount in ( ) indicates shortfall*

Diocesan debt funds collected through 4-26-20	\$ 21,563.00
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. Please utilize E-giving on our website [popparish.org](http://popparish.org) or the USPS (Prince of Peace, 621 Cedar Road, Chesapeake VA 23322) to send in your offertory envelopes.**

**CONTRIBUTION RELIEF PROGRAM FOR THOSE UTILIZING OFFERTORY ENVELOPES:** On April 23, 2020, pre-printed envelopes were sent out with the church’s address and your return address. All you have to do is insert your offering, add a stamp, and return the envelope in the mail – it’s that easy! We appreciate your continued generosity during these challenging times.

**GOD BLESS MOTHERS**

**Mother’s Day Bouquet Cards** are available on the table in the Commons. If you would like someone remembered at this year’s Mother’s Day Masses, please take a card, fill out the remembrance offering envelope, include your donation, and place the envelope in the container provided.

**Mother’s Day Blessing:** After the 11:00 live stream Mass on Sunday, May 10th, Fr. Romy and Fr. Pat will be blessing Mothers via drive through the front parking lot. They will remain there for an hour after the Mass.

**SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER**

by Saint Alphonsus Liguori

*My Jesus,  
I believe that You  
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things,  
and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment  
receive You sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there  
and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You.  
Amen.*



Catholic Diocese of Richmond  
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**2020 Annual Diocesan Appeal:  
Building Our Family of Faith**

Over the past month, many of our parishioners have contributed their support to the 2020 Annual Diocesan Appeal. To date, we have raised **\$51,724.50** on a target of \$38,760 putting us at **133.45%** of our target. If you have already made your 2020 Appeal gift, please accept our gratitude for your commitment. If you have not had the opportunity to contribute, you can donate securely online, as well as learn more about the ministries Appeal supports, by visiting [richmondcatholicfoundation.org/giving/annual-appeal/](http://richmondcatholicfoundation.org/giving/annual-appeal/). Please join us in supporting the 2020 Annual Appeal.

**THANK YOU:** Many thanks to **Nick Vacca** and **Mike Corrigan** for being the chairmen of the 2020 Diocesan Annual Appeal. We appreciate their dedication to our parish and the leadership they provided for the Annual Appeal. Their hard work helped us to exceed our target goal.

**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. The cost of the book is \$35. Discover the history of the Diocese of Richmond in this richly illustrated book with pull-out objects.

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

**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.

**\* 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!**

**DOUGHNUT VOLUNTEERS:**

May 3 – canceled  
May 10 – canceled  
May 17 – canceled



**FOOD PANTRY:** Donations for the food pantry can be made on Monday from 10:00-11:30 a.m. and on Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.. **This weekend May 2/3, for the monthly food collection, please drop off food from 1:00-3:00 p.m..** Financial gifts can be made by going to popparish.org and submitting through e-giving. You may not be present physically to give out the food but without your charity, we could not be your hands and heart. You are an integral part of this entire operation. We are still doing the drive through from 10 a.m. to 12 PM on Wednesday for anyone who needs food. We would like to say “thank you and God Bless” to everyone who has been donating food to the pantry. We really appreciate it. During the drive through, families get one bag of food so it is important to donate SMALL or MEDIUM size items. At this time we can use the following: Jell-O, Hamburger Helper, Cereal (8 to 12 oz. boxes), peanut butter, jelly (NO GLASS), Spaghetti Sauce, ramen noodles, canned fruit, pork & beans, and 40 to 48 oz. juice. Stay safe.

**As a parishioner if you are in need of food, please come to the Food Pantry to pick up a bag of groceries too.**

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:

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.

**THANK YOU!:** Thank You and God Bless You! To all of our parishioners and non-parishioners, your generosity to this year’s ham campaign is much appreciated. We were able to give out hams for 4 weeks and take care of over 120 families.



**WHY DO CATHOLICS DO THAT?**

**Why do Catholics believe in angels?** Angels are pure spirits with intelligence and free will (Catechism of the Catholic Church, No. 330). The belief in angels is a Catholic doctrine based on Scriptural evidence. Throughout the Bible, God sends angels to announce his will, punish, strengthen, or console. Angels also protected and ministered to Jesus during his time on earth. We are also given guardian angels to watch over us (Matthew 18:10). Finally, the Church joins in the adoration of the angels at Mass (CCC #335).



**We welcome the following families who joined our parish in the first quarter of 2020:**

**January 2020**

Gatto  
Balbuena  
Kiesel  
Myers

**February 2020**

Tucker

**March 2020**

Embry  
Caccamo  
Abubonsra



**DIVINE MERCY CENACLE MINISTRY**

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

**Tentatively:**

**Monday, June 15th** from 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. in the small worship space or

**Tuesday, June 16th** from 9:30 a.m.-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.

***Currently canceled***  
**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.



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 **tentatively** be:

- First Friday of the month, 9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. The next first Friday is July 3, 2020.
- Third Friday of the month from 7:00-8:15 p.m. The next third Friday is June 19, 2020.



**KNIGHTS**  
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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.



**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:

Proper estate planning can reduce administrative time, expense, and inconvenience. Careful estate planning can also be one of the best gifts you give both your family and church.

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, Mary Finch, Mary Brinker, 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, Laverne Barks, Richard Tobin, Joyce Clair, Eugene Batt, Mark Walker, Frank Katusich, Nenita Beliso, and John O'Leary.

**AT HOME OR IN THE HOSPITAL:** Cheryl Bilbo, Bonnie Gallimore, Gene and Diane DiPascale, Maureen Kelly, John Heerema Jr., Doris Moyer, Joseph Evan, Patty and Al Russell, Ed Boone, Ada Murphy, and Sherri Yewitt.

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:** Jackie Herz, Joan Brooks Wooldridge

**CHRISTIAN FORMATION PART TIME ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT:**

Prince of Peace is now accepting applications for the part-time position of Christian Formation Administrative Assistant. Applicant must be a practicing Catholic in good standing, a high school graduate, and have experience in the following areas: strong computer and organizational skills, Microsoft Office suite, graphics, multiple social media platform, and enthusiasm when working with children. Inquirers should call Melody Smith: 757-409-5484.

**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-of-human-resources>.

**Prince of Peace Clothing Ministry –  
TEMPORARILY CLOSED.**

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 Rd, 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 Rd., Chesapeake, VA 23322

**Donation drop off times and store hours are:** 10 a.m.-2pm on all Tuesdays and Thursdays – **TEMPORARILY CLOSED**

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND:** "I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly." Live your married lives "more abundantly" by participating in an upcoming **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** Weekend on Sep 11-13, 2020 in Hickory, NC or Sep 18-20, 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](mailto:applications@renewmarriage-vasouth.org) or 757-690-1369.

**VOCATIONS: Today is the World Day of Prayer for Vocations.** On this Good Shepherd Sunday we celebrate the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life, especially for our diocese, that God will raise up good shepherds in our midst. Do you think God is calling you to serve the Church as a priest or in the consecrated life? Call the Vocations Office, 804-359-5661, and speak to Fr. Brian Capuano, or email [vocations@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:vocations@richmonddiocese.org).

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