



Prince of Peace

Catholic Church

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Diocesan Web Site: www.richmonddiocese.org

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesdays at noon

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday
9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Friday
9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Masses

Saturday, 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

The 11:00 a.m. Mass is also being livestreamed

Tuesday-Friday, 11:00 a.m.

and also being livestreamed.

Reconciliation Every Saturday at 4:00 p.m.

Sacraments

Baptism – Infant: Baptism-Infant Baptisms currently take place outside of Mass throughout the year. Parents are required to attend a parent preparation session prior to their child's Baptism. Please check inside this bulletin for upcoming parent sessions. To register for the next parent session please contact Sister Dolores at the parish office or go to our parish website. Click on Sacrament tab and scroll down to 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.

Staff

PASTOR: Father Romeo D. Jazmin

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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 31-FEBRUARY 7, 2021

Prince of Peace Catholic Church is open for Mass. Please arrive 30 minutes before Mass to allow for adequate time for the ushers to assist you with seating. Everyone will be ushered into the worship space. Masks are required by all (except children under age 10) to enter our worship space. Our 11:00 a.m. Sunday Mass will continue to be livestreamed. Our 11:00 a.m. Daily Mass (Tuesday through Friday) is open to the public and will also continue to be livestreamed. **Our 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass has moved to 8:00 a.m. to provide the appropriate time to clean between Masses. Reconciliation has moved to Saturdays at 4:00 p.m.**

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

Sunday, January 31

8:00 a.m. Mass

11:00 a.m. Mass will also be livestreamed with Prince of Peace on Facebook at facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake or youtube.com

9:30-10:30 a.m., CF Elementary School Zoom Meetings

5:00-6:00 p.m., CF Middle School Zoom Meetings

6:00-7:00 p.m., CF High School Zoom Meetings

Monday, February 1

10:00-11:00 a.m., Drop off groceries at Food Pantry

Tuesday, February 2

11:00 a.m. Mass, also livestreamed, followed by praying the Holy Rosary

Wednesday, February 3

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

11:00 a.m. Mass, also livestreamed, followed by praying the Holy Rosary

Thursday, February 4

11:00 a.m. Mass, also livestreamed, followed by praying the Holy Rosary

Friday, February 5

11:00 a.m. Mass, also livestreamed

Saturday, February 6

4:00 p.m., Reconciliation

5:30 p.m., Mass

Sunday, February 7

8:00 a.m. Mass

11:00 a.m. Mass, will also be livestreamed with Prince of Peace on Facebook at facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake or youtube.com

9:30-10:30 a.m., CF Elementary School Zoom Meetings

5:00-6:00 p.m., CF Middle School Zoom Meetings

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WELCOME!

As we gather again for the celebration of Mass, we are all asked to do our part to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Out of an abundance of caution for others gathered, please be aware, prior to entering the church, an usher will ask you a series of questions. Please be patient and wait for their instructions regarding seating, as we must comply with social distancing guidelines.

We ask that everyone takes the following precautions:



Stay home if you are ill, elderly, anxious, or immunocompromised. Bishop Knestout has dispensed all Catholics in the Diocese from their Sunday Mass obligation.



Maintain six feet of social distance from others who are not from the same household at all times while in the church or on church property.



All those aged 10 and up and those to receive Communion must wear a face mask or face covering. Be sure the mask covers your nose and your mouth.



Refrain from physical contact, such as holding hands during the Our Father and shaking hands during the Sign of Peace.



Sanitize hands when entering and leaving church. Bring personal supply of hand sanitizer to use before receiving Communion, if possible.



Consider receiving Holy Communion in the hand. After receiving the host in your hand, step six feet to the side, lower your mask, consume the host, put your mask back in place and return to your seat.

If you have a fever or symptoms of COVID-19, you will not be permitted to enter the building.

ORATIO IMPERATA

God our Father,
We come to You in our need
To ask Your protection against the 2019 N-Coronavirus,
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, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
One God, forever and ever. Amen.



THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL READING

January 31, 2021, Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

"I know who you are – the Holy One of God!" Mark 1:24

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

February 7, 2021, Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Job 7:1-4, 6-7

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23

Gospel: Mark 1:29-39

MASS RESOURCES:

LIVESTREAM PRINCE OF PEACE

Events such as Masses and praying the Holy Rosary are being livestreamed at [facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake](https://www.facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake) and [youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com).

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.

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, re-distributable use here:

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.

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.



Tuesday, February 2

11:00 a.m. Grand Group †

Wednesday, February 3

11:00 a.m. Joshua Schmidt †

Thursday, February 4

11:00 a.m. Ethan Pacomio †
Mass Intention

Friday, February 5

11:00 a.m. Rafael Martinez-Boucher †

Saturday, February 6

5:30 p.m. Josh Thompson †

Sunday, February 7

8:00 a.m. Tuong Nguyen †

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.



Valentine's Day Drive Thru Dinner

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH, 4PM-6PM

Location: The VENUE at Cahoon Plantation
(1501 Cahoon Parkway Chesapeake VA 23322)

Choice of Prime Rib, Green Beans, Baked Potato and Dinner Roll \$20.00

or

Chicken Dinner, Green Beans, Baked Potato and Dinner Roll for \$15.00

Reservations to pick up your meal: Jan 15th - Feb 5th
(Payment must be received before Feb 5th)

Chairman: Prince of Peace - James Cobell 757.761.1031 or
Stephen Clock 757.615.2367, sjclock@phoenix-group.com



Knights of Columbus - Council 8240





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.

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 TREASURES TO THE LORD

	<u>1-24-21</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Offertory 1-24-21	\$ 3,896.80	\$ 182,695.11
E-Giving 1-24-21	\$ 4,870.00	\$ 189,152.50
Weekly Operational Needs	\$ <u>12,303.00</u>	\$ <u>369,090.00</u>
	\$ (3,537.00)	\$ 2,757.61*

*Amount in () indicates shortfall

Capital Improvement 1-24-21:	\$ 16,231.00
Food Pantry 1-24-21:	\$ 29,497.35
Haiti 1-24-21:	\$ 2,497.00
Diocesan debt (BLUE env) funds 1-24-21:	\$ 8,529.00
Homeless Meals 1-24-21:	\$ 13,198.00
Respect Life 1-24-21	\$ 981.00

2021 CHURCH CALENDARS: 2021 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.

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.

FROM THE BOOKKEEPER:

2020 TAX STATEMENTS

If you are interested in obtaining a financial statement of your 2020 contributions to Prince of Peace, please visit our website popparish.org. On the website, click on "My Giving" under "Support Your Parish" dropdown. Follow the instructions on the My Giving page to log into your My Own Church account or to set up an account. **Your 2020 tax statements are available for download!** If you do not have access to a computer, you may drop off your self-addressed stamped envelope (to help offset costs) and place it in the box in the commons during Mass or office hours. 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 757-547-0356.

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS:

Pop Capital Improvement	February 13/14, 2021
Catholic Relief Services	March 13/14, 2021
PoP Capital Improvement	March 20/21, 2021

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS: Baptismal Preparation
 In preparation to celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism with an infant, the parents are asked to attend a Baptismal Preparation Session at Prince of Peace. Sessions are being held by ZOOM until further notice. The sessions will begin at 1:00 p.m. and last 45 minutes to an hour. The next sessions scheduled at Prince of Peace:

- Sunday, February 21, 2021
- Sunday, March 21, 2021
- Sunday, April 18, 2021
- Sunday, May 16, 2021

Parents are asked to register for the sessions by visiting our parish website at popparish.org. Go to the sacrament tab and scroll down to Baptisms.

Eucharist and 1st Reconciliation: All Sacramental classes are conducted online this year. Contact Melody.Smith@popparish.org for more information.

Confirmation: All Sacramental classes are conducted online this year. Winter session Confirmation Retreat and classes have begun. Contact Melody.Smith@popparish.org for more information.

Adult Confirmation: For any adult Catholic who has never been confirmed, a preparation program will begin in October. For more information, please call Sister Dolores at the parish office or email her at Sister.Dolores@popparish.org.

11 Ways to help POP Homeless Meals Ministry (YEAR-ROUND Help is NEEDED)

1. **20 PBJ SANDWICHES / 20 MEAT & CHEESE SANDWICHES** (2 Times a Week)

*Must schedule a donation date and receive instructions.

**We don't accept sandwiches that are just dropped off without being scheduled.

2. **20 pieces of SOFT FRUIT** (2 Times a week)

Soft fruit includes oranges, bananas, bunches of grapes

*MUST schedule a donation date and receive instructions.

**We don't accept fruit that is just dropped off without being scheduled.

3. **4 cases of WATER BOTTLES** (Once a month)

*MUST schedule a donation date and receive instructions.

**We don't accept water bottles that are just dropped off without being scheduled.

4. **SHELF STABLE FOOD ITEMS** (Consistently need)

List below.

*Can be dropped off in the donation boxes in church lobby during church office Hours during the week or before Masses on weekends.

5. **HYGIENE ITEMS** (Consistently need)

List below.

*Can be dropped off in the donation boxes in church lobby during church office Hours during the week or before Masses on weekends.

6. **"LOVE COOKIE "program** (Once a month)

Bake a couple dozen cookies that can then be frozen until we need them.

*MUST schedule a donation date and receive instructions.

**We don't accept cookies that are just dropped off without being scheduled.

7. **NEW SOCKS / NEW MEN'S T-SHIRTS (M, L, XL) / NEW MEN'S UNDERWEAR M, L, XL**

*Must be new in package.

**NOT ACCEPTING ANY OTHER CLOTHES ITEMS AT THIS TIME. **

Can be dropped off in the donation boxes in church lobby during church office Hours during the week or before Masses on weekends.

8. **"Welcome Home Bags Program"**

For people transitioning into permanent housing
list of kitchen type items including shelf stable food –
See list below.

9. **MONETARY DONATION** to the POP Homeless Meals Ministry.

Make donation online at popparish.org. Click on the ParishSOFT icon click on the link in the first paragraph that says ParishSOFT Giving. Click on Choose Fund down arrow and click on Homeless Meals Ministry to make your donation. Checks or cash can be brought during regular church office hours.

Any donation by check must be written out to Prince of Peace Catholic Church and in the memo line write:
"POP Homeless Meals Ministry."


10. **HOTEL FEEDING PROGRAM** - Churches and other organizations can sign up for 1 night to a week of providing dinners. We have at any time about 50-60 people that we bring dinners for each night. Any place of business, civic group, HOA or other organizations can be a part if they can provide even 1 night's worth or (60) dinners.

**MUST schedule a donation date and receive instructions.

**We don't accept dinners that are just dropped off without being scheduled and given instructions.

Homelessness does not end when the CAST Season ends in the beginning of April.
Homelessness occurs YEAR-ROUND in our city.

God bless and stay safe!

 Your POP Homeless Meals Ministry Team

Hygiene Items Needed

Please check expiration dates on all items donated to ensure they are not expired prior to donating 😊

Deodorant
 Toothpaste
 Toothbrush
 Hairbrush
 Comb

Sealed Razors
 Shaving Cream
 Feminine Pads
 Tissues – individual size packs
 Chap Stick

WELCOME HOME BAG ITEMS

Please check expiration dates on all items donated to ensure they are not expired prior to donating 😊

Vegetables canned
 Tea Bags
 Pasta
 Rice side dishes
 Instant Rice
 Large Bag Rice
 Pancake Mix
 Cookie Mix
 Hot Chocolate Mix
 Mac & Cheese
 Microwave Soup
 Paper Napkins
 Paper Towels
 Baking Soda
 Italian Seasoning
 Garlic Powder
 Oregano
 2 lb Spaghetti
 Fruit Cups
 Chicken Ramen Noodles
 Beef Ramen Noodles
 Soft granola Bars
 Quick Cooking Oats or Box of Flavored instant oatmeal

Corn Bread Mix
 Mustard
 Ketchup
 Mayo
 Italian Dressing
 Ranch Dressing
 Pam Spray
 Vegetable oil
 Cranberry Juice
 Apple Juice
 Cereal
 Salt
 Pepper
 Flour
 Tuna
 Chicken
 Dried Pasta
 Jelly
 Peanut Butter
 Parmesan Cheese
 Ritz type crackers
 Diced Tomatoes
 Gravy
 Potato Flakes

ON-SITE FEEDING BAGS

Please check expiration dates on all items donated to ensure they are not expired prior to donating 😊

Soft Granola Bars
 Fruit Cups
 Pudding Cups
 Apple sauce cups
 Squeeze fruit pouches
 Vienna Sausages
 Slim Jim's (small lunch bag size)
 Tuna and cracker packs (Individual cracker packets/ kits)
 Chicken Salad and cracker packs (individual cracker packets / kits)
 Deviled ham with crackers (individual packets/kits)
 Cheese and crackers (individual packets/ kits)

Goldfish Crackers or other crackers (individual serving size pouches or packs)
 Teddy Grahams or other type cookies (individual size pouches or packs)
 Cheese It Crackers (individual size pouches)
 Fig Newton Cookies (individual serving size)
 Raisins (individual serving size boxes)
 Cereal Bars (individual serving size pouches)
 Snack Size - zip lock type bags
 Quart size - zip lock type bags
 GALLON SIZE - Zip Lock Type Bags
 Cases of water bottles

RCIA: Thinking of joining the Catholic Church???

Prince of Peace parish community offers "Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults" (RCIA) process for those adults seeking to learn more about and join the Catholic Christian Faith. RCIA is for those who are not yet baptized and also for Christians of other denominations who choose to seek full Communion with the Catholic Church. If you are interested or know someone who might be interested in learning more about the RCIA journey, please contact Sister Dolores at the Parish Office at 547-0356, or e-mail Sister.Dolores@popparish.org. Sessions began October 14, 2020.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION NEWS!


Elementary School Zoom Meetings –
Sundays, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Middle School Zoom Meetings – Sundays, 5:00-6:00 p.m.

High School Zoom Meetings – Sundays, 6:00-7:00 p.m.

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!



WE NEED OLD PALMS: Ash Wednesday is February 17th. Please bring your old palms through Tuesday, February 16th so we may burn them for ashes. There will be a basket in front of the Baptismal Font.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING:

It's not too late to make one resolution that will change your life! Natural family planning (NFP) is fertility awareness, which is simply knowledge of a couple's fertility. It is a means of reading the body's signs of fertility and infertility; applying this knowledge through the Sympto-Thermal Method (STM) is over 99% effective in postponing pregnancy.

The Couple to Couple League offers three ways for couples to learn NFP:

- **Self-Paced Class:** Learn at your own pace, and on your own schedule. With your spouse or fiancé, of course!
- **Live Online:** Meet your teaching couple and fellow students online, in a virtual classroom. Some gadgets required.
- **Live On-site:** Take a class the traditional way—meet in person, with the teaching couple and other student couples.

Stephanie and Deacon Chris Finocchio will teach a *Live On-site* series of classes at **St. John the Apostle starting on February 13th from 1:00-4:00 p.m.** Preregistration and purchase of course material required no later than February 8th. Visit www.live-the-love.org to register. Questions? Contact the Finocchios at finoc@msn.com or 757-430-1493.

Prince of Peace and the American Red Cross are hosting a blood drive on:

Monday, February 8, 2021

11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at

Chesapeake Public Library

Meeting Room

298 Cedar Road

Chesapeake, VA 23322

To schedule an appointment, please visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: POPCath

(All blood donations are now tested for COVID-19 antibodies
Results are available in 7 to 10 days)

The American Red Cross has taken added safety precautions during the pandemic to insure safety to all. This includes taking temperatures of staff and donors, hand sanitizer, social distancing, surface and equipment disinfecting, appointments by donors for social distancing, and wearing masks.

CALLING ALL POP BAKERS

"Cookies with Love"!

I know from different events that we have had here at POP that there is one plentiful type of chef we have and it is BAKERS!!!!

Do you remember getting homemade cookies and knowing that those cookies were made with LOVE just for you? Well, we are going to try and replicate that feeling of Love for community members that are currently experiencing homelessness that our church is helping.

Our POP Homeless Meals Ministry is asking our bakers to rev your ovens, put on your oven mitts and start baking! What we are looking for are donations of homemade cookies of any type that can be kept frozen after baking. So fully baked cookies that can then be kept frozen.

We are also asking for one note of just a loving thought/message that is uplifting to be brought with your donation of cookies. One or two sentences at the most. We ask that you not put your name on the note that has the loving/uplifting thought. So, for example, maybe that thought would be a Bible verse like: "Be Strong & Courageous!" – Deuteronomy 31:6. Or maybe just a line of love off the top of your head like – "Please know that you are loved!" If you use an actual quote, please include the name of the person being quoted.

The uplifting note will be duplicated and attached to each package of cookies that goes out on the night we send your cookies to our guests.

You can drop off your donation at the parish office (during office hours) in a large zip-lock bag and please include your name and contact info on a post-it note with the cookies when you drop them off in case we have any questions.

We will be looking for cookies from now through at least the first of the new year.

Thank you all for being such a caring parish and spreading the LOVE of GOD through Word and Deed!!!!

Blessings Always,

Your POP Homeless Meals Ministry Team



FOOD PANTRY: Donations for the food pantry can be made on Monday from 10:00-11:00 a.m. and on Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Someone is near the pantry entrance to receive your

donations. Financial gifts can be made by going to popparish.org and submitted 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 doing a drive-through from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Wednesday for anyone who needs food.

Leave plastic and paper bags on the benches in the Commons. At this time, we have plenty of the following: Mac & Cheese, RICE, canned vegetables, spaghetti & pasta. Will let you know when they are needed again. Our next collection will be February 6/7. Please do not donate large sizes and NO glass. We can use the following: Cereal, Juice (64 oz.), Hamburger Helper, Ramen Noodles, Pork & Beans, Soup, Canned Fruit, Jelly, Peanut Butter, and JELL-O. Let us give thanks that we are able to help those in need. Stay safe and God Bless. **As a parishioner, if you need food, please come to the Food Pantry to pick up a bag of groceries, too.**

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FOOD PANTRY: Monthly food collections for the following weekends in 2021:

February 6/7	March 6/7	April 10/11	
May 1/2	June 5/6	July 10/11	August 7/8
September 11/12	October 1/2	November 6/7	December 4/5

CATHOLIC CHARTITIES: Catholic Charities of Eastern Virginia offers free, confidential pregnancy counseling to any woman considering adoption for her baby/child. Our staff can be reached 24/7 at 757-274-4952 by phone or text.



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 Frank Kenney at greatfx35@yahoo.com or by calling 757-615-6285.

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 DeLong, Mary Finch, Mary Brinker, and Florence Kress.

CHESAPEAKE HEALTHCARE CENTER: Mary Garris, Mary Churchill, Clair Saar, Marcella Damweber, Florence Farrell, Mary Thatcher, Donald Holloway, Laverne Barks, Joyce Clair, Mark Walker, Frank Katusich, Nenita Beliso, and John O'Leary. **AT HOME:** Bonnie Gallimore, Gene and Diane DiPascale, Maureen Kelly, John Heeremam, Jr., Doris Moyer, Joseph Evan, Patty and Al Russell, Ed Boone, Ada Murphy, Sherri Yewitt, Paul Michael Thomas and Leigh Armstrong.

IN THE HOSPITAL: Let us pray for all those currently in the hospital.

HOW IS HIS AUTHORITY SPEAKING TO YOU TODAY?



ANNUAL APPEAL:

Have you ever met someone, had a teacher or coach, listened to a speaker or been to a concert and been blown away by the person in charge or leading the event? You walk away thinking "Wow! That was

excellent!" What was it about that person? It's not so much what they said, but *HOW* they said it. Well, that's what it was like when Jesus spoke in the synagogue. He blew people away...even the evil spirits! We should be blown away, too. Maybe we need to listen more closely. He speaks to us every day. He'll drive out what needs to be driven out of you as well. Let's begin today to listen more intently, and ask for His help to cleanse us from the things that keep us from Him. Ask Him to be the authority in your life and for His guidance in your participation in the Annual Diocesan Appeal.

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