MAY 16 THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

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MARK 16:15

Prince of Peace

Catholic Church 621 CEDAR ROAD, CHESAPEAKE, VA 23322

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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, 9:00 a.m. and also being livestreamed.

> > RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday at 4:00 p.m.

Ascension, John Singleton Copley (1775)

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.



PASTOR: Father Romeo D. Jazmin DEACON: Rev. Mr. Adrian A. Marchi, Ph.D. PASTORAL ASSOCIATE: Sister Dolores Sabisky, IHM **COORDINATOR OF CHRISTIAN FORMATION:** Mrs. Melody Smith CF ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Miss Erynn O'Connor **MUSIC/YOUNG ADULT MINISTER:** Mrs. Margaret Bailey **BOOKKEEPER:** Mrs. Karen Pacomio SECRETARY: Ms. Shannon Daly ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Mrs. Tanya Cole FACILITIES COORDINATOR: Mr. Johnny Matias PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRPERSONS PARISH COUNCIL: Mike Corrigan......775-7696 **MINISTRY CHAIRPERSONS** Community Life: Sheila Gargiulo......716-244-2031 Evangelization: Mary Riley 410-0523

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.

PRINCE OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Calendar of Events This Week May 16-23, 2021

Sunday, May 16 – Ascension of the Lord 8:00 a.m., Mass

11:00 a.m., Mass, livestreamed by Prince of Peace on Facebook at <u>facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake or youtube.com</u>

Second Collection – Diocesan Home missions

Monday, May 17

10:00-11:00 a.m., Drop off groceries at Food Pantry, 7:00 p.m., Venture Crew

Tuesday, May 18

9:00 a.m. Mass, livestreamed followed by praying the Holy Rosary

Wednesday, May 19

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., Food Pantry Open via drive up 9:00 a.m., Mass, livestream followed by praying the Holy Rosary

Thursday, May 20

- 9:00 a.m., Mass, livestreamed followed by praying the Holy Rosary
- 7:00 p.m., "Get Your Affairs in Order" Seminar, via Zoom or in person. In person registration required.

Friday, May 21

9:00 a.m. Mass, livestream followed by praying the Holy Rosary

Saturday, May 22

4:00-5:00 p.m., Reconciliation

5:30 p.m., Mass Second Collection – POP Capitol Improvement

Sunday, May 23 – Pentecost Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass

11:00 a.m., Mass, livestreamed by Prince of Peace on Facebook at <u>facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake or</u> <u>voutube.com</u>

Second Collection – POP Capital Improvement

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*

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



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.



THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL READING

May 16, 2021, The Ascension of The Lord Gospel: Mark 16:15-20 "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature." Mark 16:15

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

May 23, 2021, Pentecost Sunday 1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11 2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 Gospel: John 15:26-27; 16:12-15

MASS RESOURCES:

LIVESTREAM PRINCE OF PEACE

Events such as Masses and praying the Holy Rosary are being livestreamed at facebook.com/ popchurchchesapeake and 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 <u>www.</u> <u>HeartoftheNation.org</u>.

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 <u>https://us.magnificat.net/free.</u>

FREE RESOURCES

You may download these free resources for unrestricted, re-distributable use here: <u>www.hometouchministry.com/</u> <u>covid19-resources-for-elderly-homebound.</u>

SUNDAY MASS WITH THE BISHOP

Sunday Mass with Bishop Barry C. Knestout can be found as a link at <u>richmonddiocese.org/livestream</u>.

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.



Tuesday, May 18 9:00 a.m. Sotero Inocencio †

Wednesday, May 19 9:00 a.m. Phil Russo †

Thursday, May 20 9:00 a.m. Luz Cordenas †

Friday, May 21 9:00 a.m. Mary Hill †

Saturday, May 22

5:30 p.m. Roger Williams †

Sunday, May 23

8:00 a.m. Jim Howe † 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.

OUR TREASURES TO THE LORD

	<u>5-9-21</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Offertory 5-9-21	\$ 4,926.00	\$ 284,868.38
E-Giving 5-9-21	\$ 4,360.00	\$ 294,214.50
Weekly Operational		
Needs	<u>\$ 12,303.00</u>	<u>\$ 553,635.00</u>
	\$ (3,017.00)	\$ 25,447.88

*Amount in () indicates shortfall

Capital Improvement 5-9-21:	\$ 24,092.56
Food Pantry 5-9-21:	\$ 45,373.35
Haiti 5-9-21:	\$ 24,694.50
Diocesan debt (BLUE env)	
funds 5-9-21:	\$ 12,170.00
Homeless Meals 5-9-21:	\$ 20,019.23

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS:

Diocesan Home MissionsMay 15/16, 2021PoP Capital ImprovementMay 22/23, 2021Peter's PenceJune 5/6, 2021

HAITI APPEAL:

"Thank you, Thank you. The Maison Fortune' Orphanage Foundation would like to thank Fr. Romy and all the parishioners of Prince of Peace for their very generous support to the 2021 Haiti Lenten Appeal. You were able to raise We collected \$25,457.00. \$24,145.50 for the MFO Foundation and \$1,311.50 for POP. This year you raised \$5,471.00 more than last year. The money will allow the MFO Foundation to pay \$14,500.00 needed to cover the cost of the spring 2021 tuition to educate our high school aged children in local parochial schools, and apply the remaining \$9,645.50 toward the June operating cost of \$18,000.00.

This year's Haiti Lenten Appeal collection was very impressive considering that we were still dealing with the COVID-19 Virus. You can be proud of what you have done for the Children of Maison Fortune and for your own Church's ministries, operations, and financial stability. Please accept the Maison Fortune' Orphanage Foundation's sincere gratitude and thanks for your continued support for this very important mission to support those less fortunate than ourselves.

God Bless you and Prince of Peace Catholic Church."

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" drop down. 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-address 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 set up or have any questions, please contact Karen Pacomio at <u>karen.pacomio@popparish.</u> org or call the Parish Office at 757-547-0356.

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.

BAKERS NEEDED: If you are a cookie baker and would like to be a monthly donor of home baked cookies please give me a call for more information at 757-547-2151. Cookie donations must be scheduled for amount, safety requirements and needed date for delivery.



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.

SACRAMENTS

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 <u>Sister.Dolores@popparish.org</u>.

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, May 16, 2021
- Sunday, June 13, 2021
- Sunday, July 18, 2021
- Sunday, August 15, 2021
- Sunday, September 19, 2021
- Sunday, October 17, 2021
- Sunday, November 21, 2021
- Sunday, December 19, 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.

Adult Confirmation: Any adult Catholic who has never been confirmed, sessions are held throughout the year. For more information, please call Sister Dolores at the parish office or email her at Sister.Dolores@popparish. org.

PARISH COMMUNITY LIFE NEWS

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



LUMEN CHRISTI LEGACY SOCIETY

Happening Next Week! May 20, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. will be a Zoom webinar, Get Your Affairs in Order: 4 things your family will thank you for webinar. It will provide you with some basic information on Wills & Trusts, Catholic Advanced Medical Directives, Legacy Planning and Catholic Funeral Planning that will prepare you for discussions with your professional advisor.

Zoom Webinar Link: <u>https://tinyurl.com/5he3bk3p</u> Passcode: 23294

For more details about the webinar: <u>https://popparish.org/support-your-parish/planned-giving/.</u>

In-person seating for the seminar will be available but limited due to Covid-19. Please sign up now if you haven't already. Call the parish office at (757) 547-0356 to reserve your seat in advance.

You can also download the program's handouts and guides at <u>https://popparish.org/support-your-parish/planned-giving/.</u>

HOPE 4 LIFE BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

On May 22nd and 23rd Prince of Peace Respect Life Ministry will be collecting cash and checks for the

Hope 4 Life Mobile Pregnancy Center in large baby bottles in the Commons.

Your donation assists women and families in crisisrelated pregnancies with free ultrasounds, counseling services, educational programs, maternity/baby/child items, and financial help provided by Hope 4 Life. Hope 4 Life has been blessed with two mobile pregnancy units that we park outside the abortion facilities and reach out to abortion-vulnerable women

as they are entering the clinics.

Through the grace of God, we have been able to help over 730 moms and families choose life as they are entering the clinics since 2015.

To learn more go to www.hope4lifeva.com

THE GREAT EXCHANGE:

Your Spring and Summer lightly loved clothing that you no longer want or need you can donate to the **Prince of Peace Account** at:

The Great Exchange The Bridge Church: 1116 Hillwell Road Chesapeake, VA 23322 757-266-8769 <u>www.thegreatexchangeva.com</u> Open 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday & 1st Saturday (You <u>do not</u> have to schedule a drop off appointment.)

For every piece of clothing you donate to the Prince of Peace Account we are able to pull a piece of clothing that will help members of our community that are currently experiencing homelessness with their clothing needs. It also helps our parishioners in need. Any parishioner in need of clothing must speak with Sister Dolores about your need and she will direct you on how to obtain the proper paperwork for the program.



"Get Your Affairs in Order: 4 things your family will thank you for"

This is a free-informational webinar offered for the parishioners of Prince of Peace Church.

Topics include:

Wills and Trusts • Catholic Advanced Medical Directives • Legacy Planning • Catholic Funeral Planning

Date: Thursday, May 20, 2021 at 6:00pm

Location: Zoom and Parish Hall

<u>Parish Hall</u>: Seating is limited. COVID-19 guidelines will be in place. Call the parish office to reserve you seat in advance at (757) 547-0356.

Zoom information:

Please use the link below to join the webinar: <u>https://tinyurl.com/5he3bk3p</u> Passcode: 23294

OR Telephone: Dial: (301) 715-8592

Webinar ID: 983 7771 7095

Handouts are located on our website at Legacy Giving – Prince of Peace Catholic Church (popparish.org)



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UNDERSTANDING ALZHEIMER'S & DEMENTIA



June 9

Alzheimer's disease is not a normal part of aging. Join us to learn about the impact of Alzheimer's; the difference between Alzheimer's and dementia; stages and risk factors; current research and treatments available for some symptoms; and Alzheimer's Association resources. Register HERE.



10 WARNING SIGNS OF ALZHEIMER'S

Alzheimer's and other dementias cause memory, thinking and behavior problems that interfere with daily living. Join us to learn how to recognize common signs of the disease; how to approach someone about memory concerns; the importance of early detection and benefits of a diagnosis; possible tests and assessments for the diagnostic process, and Alzheimer's Association resources. Register HERE.

HEALTHY LIVING FOR YOUR BRAIN AND BODY

For centuries, we've known that the health of the brain and the body are connected. But now, science is able to provide insights into how to make lifestyle choices that may help you keep your brain and body healthy as you age. Join us to learn about 2-1 p.m research in the areas of diet and nutrition, exercise, cognitive activity and social engagement, and use hands-on tools to help you incorporate these recommendations into a plan for healthy aging. Register HERE.



24/7 HELPLINE 800.272.3900



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.-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.-12:00 p.m. on Wednesday for anyone who needs food.

Please when you make a donation to the pantry, try to remember two things NO GLASS JARS and try to get medium size items, not large. Thank you. These are the items we need most often and the size we use, JELL-O, Soup (18 or 19 oz.), Hamburger Helper, Jelly (15 oz.), Pork & Beans (15 oz.), Cereal, canned vegetables, Juice, boxed Potatoes (medium size) and Peanut Butter (15 oz.). God Bless. Let us give thanks that we are able to help those in need.

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

FOOD PANTRY: Monthly food collections for the following weekends in 2021: June 5/6 • July 10/11 • August 7/8 September 11/12 • October 2/3 • November 6/7

December 4/5

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER:

COVID disrupting your lives? Don't let the stresses destroy your marriage. Join us for a virtual or in person Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. Take a weekend away at a Worldwide Marriage Encounter to gain a richer, fuller married life together. Attend a Marriage Encounter weekend and learn the tools needed to keep your marriage strong. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming virtual Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends on Jul 16-18, 2021 in Beaufort, SC and August 27-29, 2021 in HICKORY, NC, and September 24-26, 2021 Virtual Virginia Weekend. Early sign-up is recommended. For more information, visit our website at <u>https://renewmarriage-vasouth.org/</u> or call 757-690-1369. **REMEMBER IN PRAYER** these people, and all who are kept from joining us due to their health... (Nursing Home/Assisted Living Residents) Dick DeLong, Mary Finch, 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 DiPascale, Maureen Kelly, John Heerema 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.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED: Migdalia Paez

> St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery 3000 Church Street Norfolk, VA 20504

MEMORIAL DAY MASS

Monday, May 31, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. Celebrant - Rev. Timothy M. Kuhneman



Join us in front of the Mausoleum located in the back of the cemetery. Feel free to bring a chair or blanket for this special outdoor Mass. Face masks and social distancing required.

NOVENA TO HOLY SPIRIT:

You are invited to participate in an ecumenical Novena to the Holy Spirit, May 13-22, commemorating the 120th anniversary of the Pentecostal movement! The movement began in 1897 when Pope Leo XIII decreed that this Novena would occur annually prior to Pentecost Sunday. Catholic bishops and Pentecostal leaders will lead us in prayer for a fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit on our world to change hearts and overcome what divides us. The concluding event will be the Pentecostal Vigil celebrated by Pope Francis at 9:00 p.m. Rome time (3:00 p.m. EDT). More information, including resources and instructions on how to participate in the international prayer service, can be found at <u>www.Pentecost.cmax.tv</u>.

Thank you!



