

# The Season of Advent

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## PRINCE *of* PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**Bulletin Deadline**  
Tuesdays at noon

**Office Hours**  
Monday-Thursday, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM  
Friday, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

### MASSES

Saturday 5:30 P.M.  
Sunday 9:00 A.M.  
11:00 A.M. – *Livestreamed*  
Tuesday-Friday 9:00 A.M. – *Livestreamed*

### RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday at 4:30 P.M.

### REGISTER IN THE PARISH

Welcome! To join the parish,  
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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS THIS WEEK DECEMBER 4-11**

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4**

**9:00 a.m. Mass**  
10:05-10:55 a.m. Elementary Christian formation  
**11:00 a.m. Mass**, livestreamed by Prince of Peace on Facebook at [facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake](https://facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake) or [youtube.com](https://youtube.com/popchurchchesapeake)  
6:00-8:00 p.m. Middle & High School Christian Formation

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 5**

10:00-11:00 a.m. Drop off groceries at Food Pantry  
6:30-9:00 p.m. Boy Scouts/Venturing Crew

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6**

**9:00 a.m. Mass** livestream followed by praying the Holy Rosary  
11:00 a.m. Grand Group Mass/luncheon off-site  
**7:00 p.m. Advent Reconciliation Service**  
7:00-8:30 p.m. Walking with Purpose

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7**

**9:00 a.m. Mass** livestream followed by praying the Holy Rosary  
10:00-11:30 a.m. Food Pantry

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8 - The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**9:00 a.m. Mass** livestream followed by praying the Holy Rosary  
Office Closes at Noon for a staff meeting  
6:00-9:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus  
**7:00 p.m. Mass**, livestreamed by Prince of Peace on Facebook at [facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake](https://facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake) or [youtube.com](https://youtube.com/popchurchchesapeake)

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9**

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

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10**

9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Holiday Craft Fair  
**4:30-5:00 p.m. Reconciliation**  
**5:30 p.m. Mass**

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11**

**9:00 a.m. Mass**  
10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. First Reconciliation Module 2  
10:05-10:55 a.m. Elementary Christian Formation  
**11:00 a.m. Mass**, livestreamed by Prince of Peace on Facebook at [facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake](https://facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake) or [youtube.com](https://youtube.com/popchurchchesapeake)

**THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE QUOTE FOR MEDITATION**

December 4, 2022,  
Second Sunday of Advent  
Matthew 3:3 *"Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths."*

**READINGS FOR DECEMBER 8-11**

December 8, 2022  
The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
*1st Reading:* Genesis 3:9-15, 20  
*2nd Reading:* Ephesians 1:3-6, 11-12  
*Gospel:* Luke 1:26-38

December 11, 2022,  
Third Sunday of Advent  
*1st Reading:* Isaiah 35:1-6a, 10  
*2nd Reading:* James 5:7-10  
*Gospel:* Matthew 11:2-11

*Prince of Peace 2023 Calendars are now available at the welcome desk in the commons.*

**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.

**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.

**ADVENT COMMUNAL RECONCILIATION:**

Our Parish Advent Reconciliation Service will be Tuesday, December 6, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. here at Prince of Peace. There will be several priests present to hear individual Confessions.

**FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY:**

The Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated on Thursday, December 8, 2022. Masses are at 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. The 9:00 a.m. Mass will be livestreamed. It is a Holy Day of Obligation.

**SIMBANG GABI**

**Help Needed!!** Interested in joining, helping, and/or donating for December 2022 *Simbang Gabi (SG)*? Simbang Gabi is a Philippine tradition of nine consecutive Masses, preparing for the coming of "CHILD JESUS." POP will be a host for one night: **Friday, December 16 at 5:00 p.m.** Please contact Val or Nelia MacAsaet by cell phone at 757-737-1506, by home phone at 757-472-5064, or email at [neliamacasaet@gmail.com](mailto:neliamacasaet@gmail.com). *"Teach us to give and not count the cost."* - St. Ignatius of Loyola

**OUR TREASURES TO THE LORD**

WEEK ENDING	CURRENT MONTH	E-GIVING	WEEKLY NEEDS	OVER/ (SHORT)*
Offertory 11-6-22	\$ 6,822.07	\$ 8,843.00	\$ 12,303.00	\$ 3,362.07
Offertory 11-13-22	\$ 3,519.30	\$ 4,753.00	\$ 12,303.00	\$ (4,030.70)
Offertory 11-20-22	\$ 6,569.50	\$ 5,966.00	\$ 12,303.00	\$ 232.50
Offertory 11-27-22	\$ 5,116.50	\$ 4,539.00	\$ 12,303.00	\$ (2,647.50)
Total	\$ 22,027.37	\$ 24,101.00	\$ 49,212.00	\$ (3,083.63)
*Amount in () indicates negative				
Capital Improvement 11-27-22:				\$ 12,693.73
Food Pantry 11-27-22:				\$ 19,362.00
Diocesan debt (BLUE env) funds collected through 11-27-22:				\$ 3,694.00
Homeless Meals 11-27-22:				\$ 3,526.00
Archdiocese for Military Services 11-20-22:				\$ 1,202.27
Campaign for Human Development 11-13-22:				\$ 50.00

**UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS:**

PoP Capital Improvement	December 10/11, 2022
Catholic Charities (Christmas Day)	December 24/25, 2022
PoP Capital Improvement	January 14/15, 2023

**REGIONAL CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT RETREAT "ENCOUNTERING CHRIST"**

St. Clare of Assisi Retreat Center, 620 Buckroe Avenue, Hampton, VA 23664. December 16, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Social and Adoration; December 17, 8:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m., Retreat Day; Register at <https://tinyurl.com/y5znsk4w>. Cost is \$20.00 and includes meals on December 17. *Optional overnight lodging for an additional \$20.00.* Questions? Email [sherry.rotter@icloud.com](mailto:sherry.rotter@icloud.com).

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP**

We are starting a bereavement support group: "Grieving with Great Hope." The day and time will be determined by those participating. Anyone wishing to participate, please contact Sister Dolores at the parish office.

**MUSIC MINISTRY:**

Do you have a song in your heart? Do you find yourself humming from time to time? Well, God appreciates your gifts and so do we! Prince of Peace Music Ministry is in need of singers and instrumentalists who can share their gifts with our congregation. Beginners are needed, too! Whether you are new to music or have been doing this for a long time, there is a place for you to play or sing in the choir. Send inquiries to [pop.office@popparish.org](mailto:pop.office@popparish.org) or see Melody or Sister Dolores.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

We are looking for volunteers as we restart our coffee and snacks after weekend Masses. This volunteer opportunity requires limited time involvement. Please consider participating in this ministry. Contact Sister Dolores at the parish office.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6**

9:00 a.m. Don Graham †  
11:00 a.m. Charles McNally †

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7**

Charles McNally †

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8**

9:00 a.m. Anthony Gravina †  
7:00 p.m. Roger Williams †

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9**

V. Jeremiah P. Macasaet  
Mass Intention

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10**

Mamerta Cuartero †

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11**

9:00 a.m. Chester Sabisky  
Mass Intention  
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. Mass Intentions for the repose of the soul and Special Intentions can be made at least two 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.

**MASS COUNTS FOR LAST WEEKEND:**

Saturday, 5:30 p.m.	151
Sunday, 9:00 a.m.	247
Sunday, 11:00 a.m.	303
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>701</b>

**PLEASE NOTE**

Beginning Saturday, January 7th, Saturday evening Mass will be at 5:00 p.m. Confessions will be at 4:00 p.m.

**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, December 18, 2022 • Sunday, January 15, 2023 • Sunday, February 19, 2023

Parents are asked to register for the sessions by visiting our parish website at [popparish.org](http://popparish.org). Go to the *sacrament* tab and scroll down to *Baptisms*. Anyone with questions, please contact Sister Dolores at the Parish Office.

**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](mailto:Sister.Dolores@popparish.org).

**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 joining 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 email [Sister.Dolores@popparish.org](mailto:Sister.Dolores@popparish.org).



**MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2023**

Mass Intentions for 2023 will be available to offer beginning Monday, December 5th in the parish office. For 2023, there will be a limit of five intentions per person and the donation requested is \$10.00 each. Thank you for your patience as we work towards a new process.

**VIRTUS DATES:**

All Catechists, Assistants, VYMs and people in leadership roles, and those serving minors or vulnerable adults are required to register for and attend the one-time class, VIRTUS Protecting God's Children. Registration for the class will initiate the Safe Environment Screening which is required every five years. Please register at <https://www.virtusonline.org/>.

**FORMED.ORG:**

Prince of Peace offers a wide variety of Catholic movies, educational programs, seminars, books, and spiritual exercises for all POP families and adults at no cost to them. Here is how to get signed up!

1. Go to [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org).
2. Click on the blue *Sign up as a Parishioner* button.
3. Enter: "Prince of Peace 621 Cedar Road Chesapeake VA"
4. Enter your name and email.

**CHRISTIAN FORMATION**

**ELEMENTARY CLASSES:**

**Sunday, 10:05-10:55 a.m.**

- DECEMBER: 4, 11, 18
- JANUARY: 8, 22
- FEBRUARY: 5, 12, 26
- MARCH: 5, 12, 19, 26
- APRIL: 23, 30
- MAY: 7 (10:30-11:00 a.m.)

**MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES:**

**Sunday, 6:00-8:00 p.m.**

- DECEMBER 4, 18
- JANUARY 8, 22
- FEBRUARY 5, 12
- MARCH 5, 19
- APRIL 16, 23

**FRIDAY FAMILY FAITH CLASSES:**

**First Friday, 6:30-8:30 p.m.** (Remaining 3 lessons at home) Bring the kids to join in on the fun!

- JANUARY: 6
  - FEBRUARY: 3
  - MARCH: 3
  - APRIL: 28
  - (MAY DATE TBD)
- \*Dates subject to change

**UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS**

**2022**

- DECEMBER 16: PAINT NIGHT – FAMILY
- DECEMBER 17: BAKE-A-THON/SALE
- DECEMBER 18: BAKE SALE

**2023**

- JANUARY 16: LAZER QUEST
- FEBRUARY 10: DYC
- FEBRUARY 11: DYC
- FEBRUARY 12: DYC
- FEBRUARY 19: LAZER QUEST
- MARCH 18: LAETARE BREAD SALE
- MAY 6: MOTHER'S DAY PLANT SALE
- MAY 7: MOTHER'S DAY PLANT SALE
- JUNE 19: MISSIONS
- JUNE 20: MISSIONS
- JUNE 21: MISSIONS
- JUNE 22: MISSIONS
- JUNE 23: MISSIONS

**PEACE AND JUSTICE:**

We strive to live the love of Christ by sharing it with those in our community.

**ADVENT TREE PROGRAM**

Sign-ups for the Advent Tree Program, which provide gifts and food baskets for the less fortunate in the community, began after Masses the weekend of November 19/20 and continue through December 10/11. For more information, please contact Julie Chandoo at 287-2916 or by email at [jchandoo@cox.net](mailto:jchandoo@cox.net).



**FATHER ROMEO D. JAZMIN FOOD PANTRY**

The goal to raise \$2,500.00 for Thanksgiving Turkeys and Bags of Thanksgiving Fixings for 150 households was a total success!!! On November 17th, it was so heartwarming to see the smiles on the faces of our guests and the outpouring of love and appreciation by each. They expressed their sentiments with a, "Thank You and God Bless You." You can feel the presence of Jesus. To all the Food Pantry Volunteers, you were all Beacons of Light

and the Salt of the Earth to all of our guests. Kelly Bruno and her teens thank you for making Thanksgiving Cards for our guests. Every handmade card was an expression of love, and received as thoughtfulness, by all guests. All the cards were placed in the Thanksgiving Bags. Evangelization at its best!

**FOOD PANTRY CLOSED: Wednesday, December 21 and 28**

**MONTHLY FOOD COLLECTION DATES:** December 3/4; January 7/8 (Mark your calendar)

*(Drop off food bags before each Mass in the commons. Thank you!)*

**FOOD PANTRY HOURS:** Mondays, 10:00-11:00 a.m. (Drop off food); Wednesdays, 10:00-11:30 a.m. (Pick up and drop off food)

(Drop food bags off at the food pantry located in the back of the church. Do not leave food outside of the doors.) Parishioners who need assistance, contact the office for a date and time to pick up food or pick up food on Wednesdays between 10:00-11:30 a.m.

**SOME SHOPPING ITEMS TO CONSIDER:** Peanut butter and jelly, tuna, canned ham, canned pork and beans, canned fruits and vegetables, fruit juice, cereal, hot and cold, rice, pasta and sauce, and canned soups. The Food Pantry accepts ground beef, chicken thighs and legs, fish, hamburger patties, hot dogs, bacon and eggs.

*If you would rather have the pantry do the shopping, consider a financial contribution. Financial gifts can be made in cash, check, and by going to [popparish.org](http://popparish.org) and submit through E-giving. If you are writing a check, in memo, write "Food Pantry." Thank you and God bless you.*



*Pictured (L-R) Bobby, Linda Marchesano & Nick Vacca*

Thank you so very much to Bobby and Linda Marchesano, on behalf of the Lion's Club, who made a very generous donation to the Food Pantry in honor of the Thanksgiving outreach. We are so blessed to receive their gift.



## Advent: From the website of the United States Catholic Bishops:

### Advent

Advent (ad-venio in Latin or "to come to") begins the Church year and consists of the four Sundays before Christmas. The Advent season is a time of preparation that directs our hearts and minds to Christ's second coming at the end of time and also to the anniversary of the Lord's birth on Christmas. Advent devotions remind us of the meaning of the season. Special Advent Devotions: the lighting of the Advent wreath each Sunday during Advent. Advent prayers prepare us spiritually for the birth of Jesus Christ.

### Advent Wreath

The four candles represent the four weeks of Advent. Three candles are purple and one is rose. The purple candles in particular symbolize the prayer, penance, and preparatory sacrifices and goods works undertaken at this time. The rose candle is lit on the third Sunday, Gaudete Sunday, when the priest also wears rose vestments at Mass; Gaudete Sunday is the Sunday of rejoicing, because the faithful have arrived at the midpoint of Advent, when their preparation is now half over and they are close to Christmas. The progressive lighting of the candles symbolizes the expectation and hope surrounding our Lord's first coming into the world and the anticipation of his second coming to judge the living and the dead.

### Advent Prayers

Advent prayers call to mind our preparation for the Lord's coming on Christmas and His second coming at the end of the world. The Advent theme of preparing one spiritually requires special Advent prayers focused on waiting, watching, and hoping for the Lord's coming. Many Advent prayer books include daily prayers, while others involve the writings of popular Catholics including Pope John Paul II or Fulton Sheen. Other prayers are meant specifically to be said along with an Advent wreath.

### Prayer of Blessing For Your Home Advent Wreath

Lord, our God, we praise you for your Son, Jesus Christ: He is Emmanuel, the hope of all people, he is the wisdom that teaches and guides us, he is the Savior of every nation.

Lord God, let your blessing come upon us as we light the candles of this Advent wreath. May the wreath and its light be a sign of Christ's promise to bring us salvation.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

### Advent Wreath Prayers

#### First Week of Advent

Light the first purple candle

#### Prayer:

Stir up your power, O Lord, and come,  
that by your protection we may be rescued  
from the dangers that come upon us through our sins;  
and be a Redeemer to deliver us;  
Who lives and reigns with God the Father  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
ever one God, world without end. Amen.

#### Alternate/Complementary Prayer:

O Emmanuel, Jesus Christ,  
desire of every nation,  
Savior of all peoples,  
come and dwell among us.

*(From Christmas Prayers, Victor Hoagland, C.P.)*

#### Scriptures:

Isaiah 11:1-10

Isaiah 7:10-14

Luke: 1:26-38

Matthew 1:18-24

## Second Week of Advent

Light 2 purple candles.

### Prayer:

Stir up our hearts, O Lord,  
to prepare the paths of your Only-begotten Son:  
that we may worthily serve You  
with hearts purified by His coming:  
Who lives and reigns with God the Father in the unity of the  
Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

### Alternate/Complementary Prayer:

O King of all nations, Jesus Christ,  
only joy of every heart,  
come and save your people.

*(From Christmas Prayers, Victor Hoagland, C.P.)*

### Scriptures:

Micah 5:2                      Isaiah 2:1-5  
Matthew 2:1-2, 9-11      Matthew 3:1-6

## Third Week of Advent

Light 2 purple candles and the rose candle.

### Prayer:

We beseech you to listen to our prayers, O Lord, and by  
the grace of your coming enlighten our darkened minds:  
You who lives and reigns with God the Father in the  
unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

### Alternate/Complementary Prayer:

O Key of David, Jesus Christ,  
the gates of heaven open at your command,  
come and show us the way to salvation.  
*(From Christmas Prayers, Victor Hoagland, C.P.)*

### Scriptures:

Isaiah 9:6-7                      Ecclesiastes 3:1-8  
John 1:19-34                      Philippians 2:1-11

## Fourth Week of Advent

Light 3 purple candles and the rose candle.

### Prayer:

Pour forth your power, O Lord, and come:  
Assist us by that mighty power,  
so that by your grace and merciful kindness  
we may swiftly receive the salvation that our sins impede:  
Who lives and reigns with thee in the unity of the Holy  
Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

### Alternate/Complementary Prayer:

O Wisdom, holy Word of God, Jesus Christ,  
all things are in your hands,  
come and show us the way to salvation.

*(From Christmas Prayers, Victor Hoagland, C.P.)*

## Scriptures:

Malachi 3:1-5  
Romans 8:18-25  
Isaiah 52:7-10  
Revelation 21:1-4

### (Optional)

## Christmas Eve/Christmas Day

Light 3 purples candles and the rose candle.

Light a white candle placed in the center.

### Prayer:

God of love, Father of all, the darkness that covered the earth  
has given way to the bright dawn of your Word made flesh.  
Make us a people of this light. Make us faithful to your Word  
that we may bring your life to the waiting world.  
Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*(From The Roman Missal, Catholic Book Publishing Co.)*

### Alternate/Complementary Prayer:

Let the just rejoice, for their justifier is born.  
Let the sick and infirm rejoice, For their savior is born.  
Let the captives rejoice, For their Redeemer is born.  
Let slaves rejoice, for their Master is born.  
Let free men rejoice, For their Liberator is born.  
Let All Christians rejoice, For Jesus Christ is born.

*St. Augustine of Hippo*

### Scriptures:

Isaiah 9:1-6                      John 1:1-18  
Luke 2:1-20                      Titus 2:11-14



## Additional Advent Resources

- United States Catholic Bishops Website:-  
Prayer and Worship: [usccb.org](http://usccb.org)
- FORMED See our parish bulletin for details.
- Prince of Peace Parish Facebook Page
- Prince of Peace Parish App: Tabella
- Catholic Relief Services:  
[www.crsfairtrade.org/advent](http://www.crsfairtrade.org/advent)
- Loyola Press:[loyolapress.com](http://loyolapress.com)



# Pilgrimage to Jordan & Holy Land

## Walk in The Footsteps of Christ, Moses and The Virgin Mary



**March 13-24, 2023 (12 Days, 10 Nights)**

**Tour Price \$ 3,945.00 Including Taxes, Fuel & Security Charges**

TOUR PRICE INCLUDES

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Roundtrip Airfare from <del>EWR, Newark, NJ</del> <b>DULLES, DC</b></li> <li>* <b>10 Nights</b> Accommodations in First Class Pilgrim Hotels</li> <li>* Daily Mass Arrangements in Holy Land and Jordan</li> <li>* Pre- Arranged Renewal of Marriage Vows in Cana (For Couples)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Daily Mass</li> <li>* Daily Breakfast, lunch and Dinner</li> <li>* Professional Guided Tour and Entrance fees</li> <li>* Baggage Handling at Hotel</li> <li>* Departure Tax from Jordan</li> <li>* Transfer from Norfolk to IAD (RT)</li> </ul> |
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Not Included: Tips, Travel Insurance and anything not mentioned

### ITINERARY

**Day 1, March 13, Monday, Departure from USA, overnight flight to Amman, Jordan**

**Day 2, March 14, Tuesday, Arrival to Amman Jordan.**

We will be met by our tour guide and transferred to our hotel near the Dead Sea. Dinner and overnight in Amman.

**Day 3, March 15, Wednesday Madaba, Mt. Nebo.** After breakfast, we will drive to **Mt. Nebo** to view the "Promised Land" and the **Dead Sea**. Continue to **Madaba** to see a beautiful 6th century mosaic map of the Holy Land in a Church. Followed by a drive to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

**Day 4, March 16, Thursday, Petra.** After an early breakfast, we will drive through the desert terrain, to **Petra**: "The Red Rose City - Half as Old as Time." We will walk or go by horseback through the narrow canyon that leads to the **Red Rock**. There we will see scores of imposing monuments, including the **Khazneh** (treasury), the **Roman theatre** and many other ancient buildings, all carved into the pink mountains. During the walk-through Petra you will have a break for lunch in a nearby hotel, giving you a chance to relax a bit before we continue our journey. Return to our hotel for dinner and overnight

**Day 5, March 17, Friday, Jordan to Holy Land, Mount Tabor**

After breakfast, we will drive to Holy Land. Visit **Mount Tabor** with a spectacular view of upper Galilee, where Jesus transfigured in the presence of Peter, James and John. Celebrate mass at the **Church of Transfiguration**. Dinner and overnight in Nazareth.

**Day 6, March 18, Saturday Nazareth and Cana**

After breakfast, we will go to Nazareth, visit the **Basilica of the Annunciation** and view the **Blessed Cave**, where **Angel Gabriel** appeared to **Mary**. View **Mary and Joseph's House** and the **carpentry shop** where Jesus spent 30 years of his life. Visit **Cana** where Jesus performed his first miracle. Here married couples can renew their marriage vows. Dinner and overnight in Nazareth.

**Day 7, March 19, Sunday, Jordan River, Sea of Galilee, Boat Ride, Capernaum, Tabgha**

After breakfast we visit **Jordan River** where Jesus was baptized and will continue to the **Mt. of Beatitudes**. Here Jesus proclaimed his Sermon on the Mount. Drive to **Capernaum**, the town of Jesus which is the center of his ministry where he performed many miracles. Visit the **House of St. Peter** and the ruins of the ancient Synagogue where Jesus preached. Stop at **Tabgha**, the Primacy of St. Peter and visit **The Church of the Miracle of the Loaves and Fishes**; the site of the multiplication miracle. Followed by a **boat ride** on the **Lake of Galilee**. Dinner and overnight in Nazareth

**Day 8 March 20, Monday, Galilee, Jerusalem, Bethlehem**

After breakfast continue to **Bethlehem** and visit **Church of Nativity in Bethlehem** where Jesus was born. Celebrate Mass here. Visit **Milk Grotto** and the **Shepherd's Field**. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

**Day 9, March 21, Tuesday, Jerusalem**

After breakfast, we will follow the **Stations of the Cross** along the **Via Delarosa** to the **Holy Sepulcher** and celebrate Mass here. See the Christian, Armenian Quarters and the Wailing Wall. We will continue onto the **Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu** (where Peter denied Christ), the **House of Caiphas**. We will visit the monastery of **Dormition Abbey** which is Virgin Mary's traditional place of her assumption to heaven and the **Upper Room**, commemorating the **Last Supper**. See the tomb of King David. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem

**Day 10, March 22, Wednesday, Bethany, Jericho, Qumran**

After breakfast, we will drive to **Bethany** and visit the Church built on the traditional site of **The House of Mary and Martha** and their brother **Lazarus**, see **The Tomb of Lazarus** continue to **Jericho** and see **The Mount of Temptation** and **The Sycamore Tree**. Continue to **Qumran**, the place where **The Dead Sea Scrolls** were found. Take a drive along the Dead Sea the lowest point on earth 1300 Feet below sea level. We make stop on a private beach and take the opportunity to float on the salty water, rich in minerals. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

**Day 11, March 23, Thursday, Jerusalem, Ein Karem**

After breakfast, we will drive to the **Mt. of Olives**, where we gain a panoramic view of **The Old City of Jerusalem**. We will visit **Pater Noster** and walk down the **Road of Palm Sunday** stop at the beautiful little church, **Dominus Flevit** where Jesus wept over Jerusalem. Continue to the **Garden of Gethsemane** where Jesus endured his agony and visit **The Church of All Nations**. In the afternoon we will visit **Ein Karem** to see **The Church of St. John the Baptist** and the **Church of the Visitation**. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

**Day 12, March 24, Friday, Jerusalem, Tel Aviv-USA**

After breakfast, departure from Tel Aviv at 2:20 PM and arriving to EWR, Newark, NJ 4:35 PM on the same day.

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For more information, please contact Julie Chandoo at 287-2916 or [jchandoo@cox.net](mailto:jchandoo@cox.net).

**HELPING OUR HOMELESS CHESAPEAKE NEIGHBORS:**

As I am sure you are all aware, we have several ongoing programs to support our homeless neighbors within Prince of Peace and also partner with many other churches in the area. Sadly, with the events of the last two years, we have seen a significant increase and need in Chesapeake. We have established an Amazon Wishlist of what we call "shelf stable" items. This is a quick and easy way to buy items we use every week and would be a wonderful way to support this ministry if you don't have time to make sandwiches, etc... it is as easy as going to the link via the QR Code, ordering and having them sent to POP. The address will be available for you to choose once you go to checkout!! If you have any questions at all, please just email me at [coeybrooks@cox.net](mailto:coeybrooks@cox.net). Thank you so much!! You have no idea how much this will help so many!!! If you prefer to have me email you the link, just send me a message at the email provided above.

**PARISH COMMUNITY LIFE****GRAND GROUP NEWS****GRAND GROUP MEETING**

For December, we will have our Tuesday December 6th Mass at 11:00 a.m., then head out to our Christmas meeting at the Black Pelican in Greenbrier. Please be sure to connect with Joan or Judy to reserve your spot. We'd love to have you join us!

If you are a senior with a little extra time on your hands and would like to meet really great people, please join us. Please contact Joan at 757-226-7468 or [stanjam22@aol.com](mailto:stanjam22@aol.com), or Judy at 757-472-6008 or [judithflorance@cox.net](mailto:judithflorance@cox.net) with questions.

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Thanksgiving dinners to Chesapeake Meals on Wheels clients. I'm so thankful to be part of this parish community. May God bless you. – Kim Rabidoux, Prince of Peace Thanksgiving Dinner Meals on Wheels Coordinator

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More info about Fr. Calloway can be found at <https://fathercalloway.com>. If you have any questions, contact the Adult Faith Formation Director of St. Stephen, Martyr, **Traci Baker**, at 757-421-7416, ext. 305, or visit [www.ssmrcc.org](http://www.ssmrcc.org).

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Are you looking to rediscover the spark that was there on your wedding day? Do you want to rediscover the best friend you had when you were first married? Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a weekend for married couples who value their relationship and desire a richer, fuller life together. Sign up for an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on January 27-29, 2023 in NORTH MYRTLE BEACH, SC and February 3-5, 2023 in Warrenton, 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.

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Hello, all POP Parishioners! The Craft Fair is coming! The Craft Fair is coming! Next weekend, Saturday, December 10th, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Tell your friends, family, and neighbors who might be interested in attending the Fair. We will again have a hot lunch available – and we can't be successful without your help. We are asking for help in the kitchen and cleanup of the day of the Craft Fair. It's a lot of fun to work on team Prince of Peace. Contact John Ricci at [freshwaterten@gmail.com](mailto:freshwaterten@gmail.com) or 757-995-5532. Thank you and God bless!

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

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:** Lucille Whitehurst, Linda Barnes, David Laughlin, and Robert Furgan.



**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.

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