

# PRINCE *of* PEACE

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### Parish Email

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### Parish Website

[www.popparish.org](http://www.popparish.org)

### Mass Live Stream

[www.facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake/](https://www.facebook.com/popchurchchesapeake/)  
or [youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com)

### Diocesan Website

[www.richmonddiocese.org](http://www.richmonddiocese.org)

### Bulletin Deadline

Tuesdays at noon

### Office Hours

Monday-Thursday, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Closed for lunch 12:00 - 12:30 PM

Friday, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

## MASSES

Saturday 5:00 P.M.

Sunday 9:00 A.M.

11:00 A.M. *Livestreamed*

Tuesday-Friday 9:00 A.M.

## RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday at 3:30-4:45 P.M.

## REGISTER IN THE PARISH

Welcome! To join the parish,  
please contact our office at  
[pop.office@popparish.org](mailto:pop.office@popparish.org).



## STAFF

## PARISH SECRETARY:

Mrs. Shannon Schmidt

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS THIS WEEK: JULY 13-20, 2025

## SUNDAY, JULY 13

9:00 a.m.

Mass

11:00 a.m.

Mass (Livestreamed)

7:00 p.m.

Confirmation Meeting (Virtual)

## MONDAY, JULY 14

No Daily Mass

## TUESDAY, JULY 15

9:00 a.m.

Mass followed by the Praying of the Rosary

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 16

9:00 a.m.

Mass followed by the Praying of the Rosary

10:00-11:30 a.m.

Food Pantry Open

## THURSDAY, JULY 17

9:00 a.m.

Mass followed by the Praying of the Rosary

12:00 Noon

Office Closed for Staff Meeting

## FRIDAY, JULY 18

9:00 a.m.

Mass followed by the Praying of the Rosary

## SATURDAY, JULY 19

3:30-4:45 p.m.

Reconciliation

5:00 p.m.

Mass

## SUNDAY, JULY 20

9:00 a.m.

Mass

11:00 a.m.

Mass (Livestreamed)

## MASS INTENTIONS

## TUESDAY, JULY 15

9:00 a.m. Gregory Florance †

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 16

9:00 a.m. Jose and  
Purification Borromeo †

## THURSDAY, JULY 17

9:00 a.m. Tom Packert †

## FRIDAY, JULY 18

9:00 a.m. Rodney Seymour †

## SATURDAY, JULY 19

5:00 p.m. Kathleen McDermott †

## SUNDAY, JULY 20

9:00 a.m. Margarita and  
Catalina Ancheta †  
11:00 a.m. For the Parishioners

† denotes deceased

## THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE QUOTE

## FOR MEDITATION

July 13, 2025:

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Luke 10:27

"You shall love the Lord, your God,  
with all your heart,  
with all your being,  
with all your strength,  
and with all your mind,  
and your neighbor as yourself."

## READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

July 20, 2025:

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Genesis 18:1-10a

2nd Reading: Colossians 1:24-28

Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

## 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.

MASS COUNTS:  
JULY 5-6, 2025

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	220
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	286
Sunday	11:00 p.m.	365
Total:		871



## PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Please note, as a Community of Faith, we offer our prayers for the sick. With so many requests for prayers, we have begun rotating names. Please be assured that sick loved ones and friends continue to be prayed for each week, our petition for the sick states, "For the sick.... especially all those who have asked for our prayers, including..."

**NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENTS:** Glenn Davis, Wilma O'Callaghan, Bill Holtsnider, Rosa Iglesia, Margaret Gillaspie, Walter Quigley, Tom Boone, June Baiocco, Christine Harrington, Carolyn Seigle, Marie Kiesel, Louise Phillips, Dick DeLong, Joan Crane, Marie Kuenzer (MC), Susan Ott, Mary Oliver, Mary Anne Agne, Phyllis Hunt, Maureen Anderson, Steve Blum, Jane & Rick Gallagher, Anita York, and Diane Davis.

**CHESAPEAKE HEALTHCARE CENTER:** Patricia Byrne, Mary Thatcher, Rafaela Martinez.

**AT HOME:** Charles Detore, Tony Jaacks, Eric Holland, Helena Sanchez, Emily Herrick, Makenna Bilbo, Ilea Hines, Fannye Wickley, Alvin Paul Calderon, Helen Neyinpassu, Tina Dean, Wayne Waibel, Ann Waibel, Bob Russell, Edward Gasca, Shawn Ries, Elma Alviar, Betssie Ilen Reed, Shirley Byrd, Kathryn Marks, Emily Lutz, Joseph Evan, Ada Murphy, Sherri Yewitt, and Heather Speicher.

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:** Infant Jacob McKensie Jordan, Janet Miller, Walter Quigley, Vanda Paternite, Mike Walker, Thomas Packert, Carma Boswell, Monica Keel, Catherine Twomey, Elma Muniz

### ASSISTIVE HEARING DEVICES

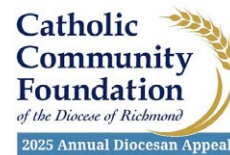
Our new sound system is now working with Assistive Hearing Devices for use during Mass. While we recommend you bring your own earbuds, we do have headsets you may borrow. Please see an usher for assistance.



#### PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

As we pray for peace and an end to violence throughout the world, we as a parish community will pray the Prayer to St. Michael after Mass. The prayer will be prayed after the Final Blessing and before the Recessional.

*St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.*



**2025 ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL:  
SHARING HIS LOVE WITH OTHERS**



## Prince of Peace Donor Tree



The Prince of Peace Donor Tree in the Commons of the church is a permanent means for our community to offer remembrances and to mark milestones such as *Baptisms, First Communion, Confirmations, and Anniversaries*; etching in time significant events in our Parish Family. *Single Leaf with 4 Lines of Text is \$300.00.* This ongoing project raises capital for future Parish needs. The tree was installed May 20, 2018 to coordinate with the birth of the Church on Pentecost Sunday. Like our Parish, we'd love to see our tree grow in commemoration of our 50th Anniversary. Order forms are available at the Welcome Desk.

Prince of Peace  
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**Text "Give" to 757-300-0155 or visit our website [www.popparish.org](http://www.popparish.org) to sign up for E-Giving.** This helps to reduce our mailing costs. After your account is set up, please email [pop.office@popparish.org](mailto:pop.office@popparish.org) to let us know to stop mailing your envelopes. Thank you for your generosity!

### UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS:

PoP Capital Improvement	July 19/20, 2025
PoP Capital Improvement	August 9/10, 2025
Assumption of the Blessed Mary	August 15, 2025



Sign up for Flocknote and receive Parish communications, ministry updates and information about Parish happenings. Simply text "POP" to **84576** and follow the prompts. Please call the Parish Office if you need assistance.

## 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. 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, July 27, 2025**
- **Sunday, August 24, 2025**

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.



### **OCIA: Thinking of joining the Catholic Church???**

Prince of Peace parish community offers the "Order of Christian Initiation of Adults" (OCIA) process for those adults seeking to learn more about and join the Catholic Christian Faith. OCIA 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 OCIA journey, please contact Sister Dolores at the Parish Office at 757-547-0356, or email [Sister.Dolores@popparish.org](mailto:Sister.Dolores@popparish.org).

### **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).



### **REGISTER NOW FOR THE 2025/2026 CONFIRMATION MEETING**

If your son/daughter will be in 10th grade and at least 15 years old in September 2025, has celebrated the Sacraments of Baptism and Eucharist, and wishes to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in spring 2026:

You and your Teenager are invited to attend a mandatory Confirmation

Information Meeting on **Sunday, July 13th or August 10th at 7:00 p.m.** These are the only two meetings scheduled before classes begin in September. Please take a moment to register for the Confirmation Information Meeting by using the QR code.



## Christian Formation Children & Youth

### **CHRISTIAN FORMATION REGISTRATIONS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 2025-2026 ARE NOW OPEN!**

There will be three class models this year:

- **Friday Family Faith** – 1st Fridays, 6:30-8:30 p.m., remaining 3 classes per month are homeschooled
- **Elementary classes** – Sunday mornings, 10:05-10:55 a.m., between both Masses
- **Youth Ministry** – Sunday evenings, 6:00-8:00 p.m., twice a month, plus events
- **Peer Ministry** – Sunday evenings, 5:00-8:00 p.m., twice a month, plus events

If you have any questions, please contact:

Elementary Formation –

[Melody.Smith@popparish.org](mailto:Melody.Smith@popparish.org)

Middle School/High School Formation & Peer Ministry –

[Kelly.Bruno@popparish.org](mailto:Kelly.Bruno@popparish.org)

For online registration, visit

[popparish.org/sacraments/holy-eucharist](http://popparish.org/sacraments/holy-eucharist)

or scan the QR Code.



**First Eucharist Virtual Meeting, 7:00 p.m.**

August 12th, September 9th, October 7th

**Confirmation Meeting** in Parish Hall, 7:00 p.m.

July 13th, August 10th

**Sonlight:** Wednesday, 5:00-6:30 p.m.

July 16th

**Teen Missions:**

August 11th-15th



### **REGISTER NOW FOR THE 2025/2026 FIRST EUCHARIST MEETING**

Children at least 7 years old and in at least the 2nd grade (by September 1st) may be ready to begin preparation for their First Eucharist. To begin the process, register for an online Parent Information & Registration meeting: **August 12,**

**September 9, or October 7. All meetings begin at 7:00 p.m.**

See our parish website for online registration: [popparish.org/sacraments/holy-eucharist](http://popparish.org/sacraments/holy-eucharist) or scan the QR Code.



# Deacon Keith Fournier & his wife, Laurine

*God bless your ministry here!*

**Deacon Keith Fournier, BA, JD, MTS, MPhil.** has been appointed by His Excellency, Bishop Barry Knestout, as Deacon to our parish. He has served as a Deacon of the Diocese of Richmond for almost 30 years. He is a Constitutional Lawyer and Moral Theologian. He and his beloved wife Laurine will soon celebrate their 50th anniversary. They have five grown children and eight grandchildren. Deacon Keith served for many years before his ordination as a lay leader. Deacon is a graduate of Franciscan University of Steubenville, the University of Pittsburgh Law School, the John Paul II Institute and the Catholic University of America. Deacon Keith and his wife Laurine recently moved back to Chesapeake Va. From Tyler, Texas.

A "revert" to the Catholic Church over fifty-two years ago, the deacon is a faithful Catholic Christian with an authentically ecumenical heart for the entire Christian community. He has spent his life as a "missionary to the culture" in varying roles of service – as counsel and a Dean to the Franciscan University of Steubenville in the 80s, first Executive Director of the American Center for Law and Justice in the Nineties, founder and President of Common Good Foundation, Editor in Chief of Catholic Online, Dean of Catholic Online School. He and his wife relocated to Tyler, Texas to assist Bishop Joseph Strickland in several capacities: as legal and theological advisor, Director of Deacon Formation and Dean of Catholic Identity for the School.

Deacon Fournier holds three theology degrees. His BA in Theology and Philosophy from the Franciscan University of Steubenville, his first master's degree from the John Paul II Institute of the Lateran University (emphasis on Marriage and family) and his MPhil in Moral Theology from the Catholic University of America. He completed all requirements for the PhD, but did not complete the Dissertation. His dissertation, which he still hopes to complete, is on the Theological Anthropology of the Gift in Pope St. John Paul II.

He holds his Juris Doctor Degree (JD) from the University of Pittsburgh School of Law and, in his legal practice, appeared as Co-Counsel in several Pro-Life, Pro-Family and Religious Liberty cases at the US Supreme Court. A published author of eight books and hundreds of articles, he now serves as special counsel and advisor to several ministries. Deacon Keith wants us all to know "...I am so very happy to be able to assist Fr. John Bosco and I am excited to serve the faithful of the Prince of Peace Catholic Church community."



# 4th Annual Women's Retreat

## *Beauty - How God Sees You*

Where: Saint Clare of Assisi Retreat Center, Hampton, Virginia

When: August 22-23, 2025

Cost: \$75 (Recommended Donation)

Details: Check in Friday-5-5:45pm

Friday Dinner-6pm

Saturday Breakfast-8am

Lunch-12pm

Saturday Vigil Mass at Retreat Center-5pm



LUMEN CHRISTI  
LEGACY SOCIETY

July is an Ordinary Time in our Church calendar, BUT not at all an ordinary time. There are several celebrations, divine interventions and commemoration of holy saints. On **July 3**, we celebrate St. Thomas the Apostle who had doubts about the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, when upon seeing and touching the wounds of Christ exclaimed, "My Lord and my God!" We honor St. Mary Magdalene on **July 22**, who showed her love for Christ looking for Him in the garden with anguish. She eyewitnessed the Risen Christ and announced and testified before The Apostles His Resurrection, and she became an evangelist, announcing the message of His Resurrection to all. St. James the Apostle, the first apostle to shed his blood for Christ in A.D. 44 (Acts 12:2) in Jerusalem, was beheaded by order of King Herod Agrippa I of Judaea. According to Spanish tradition, his body was taken to Santiago de Compostela, where his shrine attracts Christian pilgrims from all over the world. His martyrdom won him the title of "Saint James the Greater" by which we distinguish him from the other apostle. His feast day is **July 25**. Let's contemplate the life stories of these Saints, their love of Jesus and their unity with our Church. They will remind us of the essential act of Catholic stewardship. This ensures that our values and faith are woven into our future plans. Visit [FreeWill.com/RichmondCatholicFoundation](http://FreeWill.com/RichmondCatholicFoundation) to start your estate planning today. It is free, legal and user-friendly. Contact Nick Vacca, Legacy Fund Coordinator, for additional information. He can be reached at [nbv8080@outlook.com](mailto:nbv8080@outlook.com) or at the Parish Office at 757-547-0356.

**VIRTUS:**

All Catechists, Assistants, VYM's, people in leadership roles, and those serving minors or vulnerable adults are required to register for and attend a 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 email our POP Safe Environment Coordinator at Melody.Smith@popparish.org for more information.

**PEACE AND JUSTICE:**

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

**PRINCE OF PEACE FUNERAL RECEPTION MINISTRY**

The Funeral Reception Ministry provides a kind work of mercy by providing a delicious reception for families and friends after a Funeral Mass. The Ministry welcomes parishioners who would be interested in supporting us by donating a specialty dish, salad, or dessert for **upcoming receptions**. If you are interested in helping, please contact: **Judy Florance at judithflorance@cox.net OR Rosalyn Price at roz3@cox.net**. We will add your name to the Funeral Reception Ministry Contact List and be in touch by text, phone or email (your preference) when a Funeral Reception is planned. There will not be a need for everyone on the list to provide a dish for each reception, contacts will be rotated. Thank you for supporting this caring Ministry.

**AGAPE FEAST MONDAY DINNER TEAM NEEDED:**

Are you a parishioner who likes to cook? Are you wishing you could find a worthwhile way to serve people in Chesapeake who are in need? Agape Feast is looking for 3-5 people who like to cook and serve late afternoons on Mondays. Cooking would be done at each person's house and menus decided by your team. Each dish would need to be thoroughly heated at home and brought to the We Care Resource Center on Mondays at 3:45 p.m. Serving and light clean-up would end at 5:00 p.m. Please contact Sandy Shepard for more information at [agapefeastmeals@gmail.com](mailto:agapefeastmeals@gmail.com) or 757-547-2151.

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**NEW DONATION DROP-OFF LOCATION FOR FOOD PANTRY AND AGAPE FEAST:**

Please leave donations at the **tables marked at the entrance of the Parish Hall** rather than on the benches in the Commons.

**THE AGAPE FEAST CRAFT AND SEW TEAM IS LOOKING FOR THE FOLLOWING DONATIONS:**

- egg cartons (cardboard)
- wood beads
- toilet paper rolls (just the cardboard part)
- paper towel rolls (just the cardboard part)
- glitter

**Please leave donations on the Agape Feast Table in the Parish Hall in a box or bag tagged: "For Agape Feast." Thank you!**

**YOUNG ADULT****THEOLOGY ON TAP**

The goal of Theology on Tap in the Diocese of Richmond is to provide a place for young adults (roughly ages 21-35) to gather, delve into a Catholic topic, and connect with other young adults in the area. All young adults, whether single or married, are welcome!

**Date:** Last Thursday of the month.

**Location:** Locations rotate every month; contact Chloe for more information.

**Time:** 7:00-9:00 p.m.

**Contact:** Chloe Barnes at [oliviafreeman804@outlook.com](mailto:oliviafreeman804@outlook.com).

**THE CHURCH OF ST. THÉRÈSE IN CHESAPEAKE IS SEEKING:  
FULL-TIME DIRECTOR OF MUSIC**

Applicants should hold a master's degree in music (preferred) or equivalent education and experience. A minimum of 3-5 years' music ministry experience, instrumental and vocal skills, knowledge and appreciation for Catholic liturgy and music. Must be a Catholic in good standing. Interested candidates should send a résumé and diocesan application to Fr. Rolo B. Castillo at [RBCastillo@sttheresechesva.org](mailto:RBCastillo@sttheresechesva.org). For additional information, call the Church Office at 757-488-2553. Full job description posted on Diocesan website. Applications accepted until position filled.

**ST. GREGORY THE GREAT IN VIRGINIA BEACH IS SEEKING:  
COORDINATOR OF FINANCE**

The candidate must have a bachelor's degree in accounting and five years of experience working in accounting/finance is preferable. A Certified Public Accountant would be optimal to oversee the financial affairs of an active, large parish, which includes a daycare center and a food pantry along with several properties. This position would also work closely with the parish school business manager, the director of development and the parish finance council. Please contact Toni Redifer, Church Administrator, at [toni@stgregorysva.org](mailto:toni@stgregorysva.org).

**SCHOOL BUSINESS MANAGER**

Eligible candidates must hold a bachelor's degree in accounting and/or finance; CPA is desired. A minimum of five years of experience in school finance/business administration is preferred. Previous experience in a parochial school is desired. Interested candidates should submit a cover letter, Diocesan Application, and résumé to Leanna Landry, Principal at [llandry@sggsvb.org](mailto:llandry@sggsvb.org).

**CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION IN VIRGINIA BEACH  
IS SEEKING:  
COORDINATOR OF YOUTH MINISTRY**

Church of the Ascension is seeking a full-time (35 hours a week) Coordinator of Youth Ministry. This candidate must be a Catholic in good standing and have a passion for working with Middle School and High School-age youth. In addition to responsibilities of overseeing our Middle School and High School programs, the Coordinator of Youth Ministry is also responsible for Ascension's Confirmation program.

**COORDINATOR OF INITIATION (OCIA)  
AND SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

Church of the Ascension is seeking at part-time (15 hours a week) Coordinator of OCIA and Sacramental Preparation. This candidate must be a Catholic in good standing and have a passion for sharing the faith. The candidate must have a working knowledge and experience with the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults as well as Baptism, First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion for children. Please visit <https://www.ascensionvb.org/employment> or call 757-495-1886, for more information about these positions and how to apply.



**"I PLACE MUCH OF MY HOPE FOR THE FUTURE  
IN MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER" (Pope Saint John Paul II)**

Your honeymoon was a special time. Wherever you went, the things you saw and did were secondary. Just being together was most important. The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend has the same focus. The Weekend centers entirely on your relationship. It is a positive, simple, common sense, private experience between you and your spouse, that revitalizes marriage by helping you to see again those loving qualities in each other that you may be taking for granted.

Upcoming experience are:

September 12-14, 2025 – Richmond, VA

October 24-26, 2025 – Jessup, MD

November 7-9, 2025 – Rehoboth Beach, DE

February 13-15, 2026 – Waynesboro, VA

March 6-8, 2026 – Hampton, VA

For more information, please call 757-690-1369 or to register, go to [WWME.org](http://WWME.org), click "Apply" and search for your desired location.

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When you make a gift of a distribution from your IRA to your parish, it allows you to demonstrate a legacy of love for Christ and His Church. If you're over 70½, making a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) to our parish from your IRA can also save on taxes. To make a Qualified Charitable Distribution from your IRA, contact parish staff with questions.



**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 8240 has existed for more than 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 Michael Mastro at 908-399-3982.

**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.

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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."
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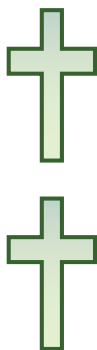


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