

A Place to Share God's Word, Faith, Family Life & Fellowship
St. Peter Claver St. Pius V Catholic Church – “One in the Spirit”



Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 10, 2022

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil 4:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:30 a.m.

DAILY MASSES

Mondays 8:00 a.m.
Tuesdays 8:00 a.m.
Thursdays 8:00 a.m.
Fridays 8:00 a.m.

HOLY DAYS

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Religious Education

Elementary & First Communion
Sundays: Immediately following Mass

High School & Confirmation
1st, 3rd, 5th Fridays: 7:00 pm

Baptism & Marriage Preparation

By Appointment

"Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice hospitality."
Romans 12:13

Mass Intention

7/11/22 – 8 a.m. Mass–
Elizabeth & Eugene Stewart
Requested by:
Cathy Stewart Barksdale

GIVE *Thanks*
to the LORD,
FOR HE IS GOOD:
HIS *Love* ENDURES
FOREVER!

Thank You!

We're glad you joined us today! It is our sincere hope that the fellowship and love you experience today will continue to be a part of your lives over the days and years to come.

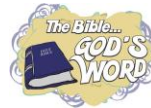
PASTOR'S CORNER

“There has been, and will always be a clear difference between a spiritually/morally weak human being and an evil individual!! A weak human being does things that in themselves are ipso-facto (by their very nature) good, but done at a wrong time by a wrong person!! But an evil individual is an individual, regardless of his/her status/vocation/profession, who derives joy or gratification from intrinsic against-human-nature activities!! There comes in the distinction between sin according to nature, and sin against nature!! Now, be your own judge whether you are a good but weak human being or an evil individual!!”

Upcoming Events / Meetings

July 3 – 24 – Christmas in July Angel Tree
July 16 – Pastoral Council/Health & Wellness
July 16&17 - SIPS “Hotdog Grab ‘n Go”
July 20 & 27 – Emergency Food Distribution – 9 am to noon
July 27 – LifeBridge Mobile Unit – 10 a.m. – noon
July 31 – Youth Mass/Diamonds
September 24 – Black Rodeo

Weekly Readings



Sunday: Deuteronomy 30:10-14/Psalm 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 or 19:8, 9, 10, 11/
Colossians 1:15-20/Luke 10:25-37
Monday: Isaiah 1:10-17/ Psalm 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/ Matthew 10:34-11:1
Tuesday: Isaiah 7:1-9/ Psalm 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8/ Matthew 11:20-24
Wednesday: Isaiah 10:5-7, 13b-16/ Psalm 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15/ Matthew 11:25-27
Thursday: Isaiah 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/ Psalm 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18, 19-21/ Matthew 11:28-30
Friday: Isaiah 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/ Isaiah 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16/ Matthew 12:1-8
Saturday: Micah 2:1-5/Psalm 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14/ Matthew 12:14-21



*In today's Gospel, when Jesus asks “which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers' victim?” the scholar of the law answered, “the one who treated him with mercy.” Jesus then said, “Go and do likewise.” *This week you can also “treat the poor with mercy” by giving a gift to St. Vincent de Paul.*

Moved?? New phone numbers?? Use the “Change of Address Form” on the website to provide this information.

Understanding Baptism

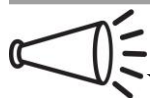
The basis for all of Christian life is baptism. It is the first of the Sacraments of Initiation and serves as both a doorway to the other sacraments and a portal to life in the Holy Spirit. It removes the original sin that we are all born with; and our formal relationship with Jesus Christ and the Church is established via baptism.

Baptism is an unrepeatable, one-time gift. The baptisms of people converting to Catholicism from other Christian denominations are regarded as valid if they are carried out in accordance with the Trinitarian formula (*in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit*). However, there is conditional baptism. Meaning, that if there is reasonable doubt about the fact or validity of one's previous baptism, the sacrament is administered conditionally, i.e., the one who performs the ritual at least mentally says, "If you are not baptized," and then proceeds to confer the sacrament.

The blessings that Jesus obtained for us by dying on the cross are made available to us, granted to us, and integrated into our identity as Christians via baptism. In the person of His Son, Jesus Christ, God offers and bestows both the forgiveness of sins and eternal life through baptism. For us Catholics, the sacrament is not a mere formality; it is the very mark of a Christian because it brings us into a new life in Christ.

Rodeo: Contact Lawrence Pauling at (443) 621-5838 or William Reagan at (443)804-4873 for tickets. Ticket prices are \$50 for adults and \$30 for children.

REMINDER - SIPS hot dog sale will be held after each Mass in July. All proceeds will benefit our youth programs. All beef hotdog-\$3, combo \$4 (includes a beverage and chips) Cake on sale - \$2.00 per slice.



You have three (3) ways to submit bulletin items/church announcements: email to saintpeterpius@gmail.com; contact form on the church's website; or text to (443)527-5478. All announcements must be received no later than 5 p.m. on Wednesday.

Online Giving — Use the link on the church's website and please remember to include your envelope # for proper credit. You will need your bank or credit card account information. Be sure to print a copy for your records. Thank you for your continued support!

OUTREACH & EVANGELIZATION

Building a New Social Fabric in Baltimore - Thread, a local non-profit, harnesses the power of relationships to create a new social fabric of diverse individuals deeply engaged with young people facing the most significant opportunity and achievement gaps. Thread matches every young person it enrolls with an extended family of up to four volunteers from across the region who provide tailored support like rides to school, weekend dinners, or navigating transitions to adulthood. If you'd like to be part of transformational change and build a more connected Baltimore, visit thread.org/get-involved/volunteer to learn more about volunteer opportunities at Thread!

Adorers Needed at the Basilica - Every week over 280 people go to the Basilica to pray a Holy Hour before the Blessed Sacrament at the Basilica's Pope Saint John Paul II Eucharistic Adoration Chapel. 24/7 adorers are praying for our Church and our City. The Basilica is asking Archdiocese of Baltimore parishioners to pray a weekly Holy Hour. They hope to have two adorers for every hour. Hours are available for anyone's schedule – DAYTIME for our retired community, NIGHTTIME for night owls, WEEKEND and, EARLY MORNING for those who work during the week. Watch this video to learn more about adoration at the Basilica: <https://vimeo.com/500538414>. To sign up contact Ana Farias at ana.farias@baltimorebasilica.org.

World Day for Grandparents & the Elderly - The fourth Sunday in July, in close proximity to the liturgical memory of Saints Joachim and Anne, Jesus' grandparents, has been designated by Pope Francis as the official World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly in the Church. The festival on July 24 this year will have the theme "In Old Age They Will Still Bear Fruit" (Ps. 92:15). The emphasis of the theme is on how grandparents are a blessing to the Church and society as a whole. Moreover this year, Pope Francis is offering a plenary indulgence to the faithful who devote adequate time to visiting their elderly relatives in need or in difficulty, either in person or virtually.

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