

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



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 15, 2023

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

TBA

Religious Education

Elementary & First Communion
Sundays: Immediately following Mass

High School & Confirmation
2nd, 4th, & 5th Sundays – 11:00 a.m.

Baptism & Marriage Preparation

By Appointment



Thank You!

All of God's children are welcome to come and glorify Jesus here at our parish. Thank you for attending, and we hope to see you again soon!

"Whatever you do, do it wholeheartedly, as if you were doing it for the Lord and not for others."

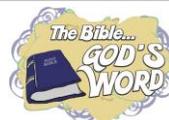
Colossians 3:23

PASTOR'S CORNER

“Life is a trajectory, always with a terminus a quo and terminus ad quem!!s ha To embraced one and ignore the other brings despair or/and subjects an individual to a near-state of oblivion!! Always know where you are coming from, and where you are heading to, even when difficulties/obstacles have not allowed you to be where you should be just yet!!”

Upcoming Events / Meetings

- January 21** – Pastoral Council Meeting – 10:30 am.
Health & Wellness Meeting – 2 p.m.
- January 22** – Elementary PREP – immediately following Mass
High School PREP – 11a.m. followed by SIP meeting
- January 29** – Elementary PREP – immediately following Mass
High School PREP – 11a.m. followed by SIP meeting
- February 5** – Sodality Meeting



Weekly Readings

- Sunday:** Isaiah 49:3, 5-6/ Psalm 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/ 1 Corinthians 1:1-3/ John 1:29-34
- Monday:** Hebrews 5:1-10/Psalm 110:1, 2, 3, 4/ Mark 2:18-22
- Tuesday:** Hebrews 6:10-20/ Psalm 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 and 10c/ Mark 2:23-28
- Wednesday:** Hebrews 7:1-3, 15-17/ Psalm 110:1, 2, 3, 4/ Mark 3:1-6
- Thursday:** Hebrews 7:25-8:6/ Psalm 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/ Mark 3:7-12
- Friday:** Hebrews 8:6-13/ Psalm 85:8, 10, 11-12, 13-14/ Mark 3:13-19
- Saturday:** Hebrews 9:2-3, 11-14/Psalm 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9/ Mark 3:20-21

MOVED??? Do you have a new address, name change, new phone numbers, etc.? Be sure to update them in order not to miss any important communications from the parish. Use the Change of Address form on the web site or call the office.

Forgot your envelopes again? Tired of writing checks? Take advantage of 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. Your prayerful generosity, as always, has a positive impact on our parish.

The Mass Part three: Meal sharing/ Liturgy of the Eucharist (cont'd from 11/13/22 bulletin)/Communion Rite.

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The Exchange of Peace: Then everyone in attendance exchanges the peace sign. This custom has its roots in the Bible (Matthew 5.23-24), where Jesus commands his followers to make peace with one another before presenting their sacrifice at the altar. This practice was a crucial component of the Mass from the outset. People who were angry with one another in the early Church went and begged for forgiveness. The Mass didn't resume until everyone had made amends.

The handshake of peace is a solemn occasion for reunification and getting ready to receive Holy Communion. Either a handshake or a bend of the head should be used to convey it in a polite and suitable way, individuals should not leave their pews.

The Fraction Rite: The priest prays that "this mingling will bring eternal life to those who accept it" as he fractures the consecrated Host over the paten and places a small portion in the cup during the Fraction Rite. This serves as a reminder of the global community's dispersed members' mutual communion.

"Lamb of God": The "Lamb of God" is sung or recited during the Fraction Rite. Early Christians gathered for Mass in a ceremony known as the breaking of bread. (Read Acts 2.42.) Due to the significance of this ritual, eucharistic worship was given that term. The act of breaking the bread symbolizes the suffering that Jesus went through for us, and the act of eating it recalls the Last Supper. The large crowd that has gathered is brought together as one body by the act of breaking the bread as they partake in Communion from the one loaf of bread that is broken and shared for the life of the world.

The Preparation Prayer of the Priest: As he prepares to take Holy Communion, the priest says a private prayer. Also included in this prayer is 1 Corinthians 11.29, where Saint Paul barred the faithful from receiving Holy Communion in an unworthy manner. The congregation prays silently to prepare their hearts to receive the Lord in the Eucharist after singing "The Lamb of God."

Seek the City to Come, Parish Visit - Our parish visit is scheduled for Wednesday, February 8, 2023 from 2:00pm - 7:30pm.

January 7 & 8, 2023
Total Attendance- 100
Total Collections - \$6,004
Year- to-date Collections - \$9,689.17

OUTREACH & EVANGELIZATION

Martin Luther King Jr. Day Peace Walk –The 10th Annual Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Peace Walk is MLK Jr. Day on January 16. The in-person prayer service and presentation will take place at St. Bernardine's beginning at 12 noon followed by the Peace Walk.

The next World Youth Day Local Pilgrimage Series for all young adults (ages 18-39) in the Archdiocese of Baltimore will be held January 21 at St. John the Evangelist, 118 E. 2nd St. Frederick, Maryland 21701. The local pilgrimage is a monthly half-day spiritual formation that will be held every third Saturday of the month. It will be an opportunity to strengthen community and faith through mass, an excellent talk, adoration, opportunities for confession and opportunities to meet other young adults from within the archdiocese. Register for this event here - <https://bit.ly/3U35UQm>

A Women's Retreat will be held Holy Family, 826 W Central Avenue in Davidsonville, MD on January 21 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Cost \$20. A women's retreat featuring morning Mass, brunch, and a talk by Catholic author Liz Kelly, entitled: "Blossom and Bloom with the Holy Spirit: Nurturing a Heart that Collaborates and Co-creates with Heaven," will be held at Holy Family in Davidsonville. Register at <https://bit.ly/3GvmfrY>

Bosco Day - The annual Bosco Day on January 31, at St. Gabriel in Woodland from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., is the Archdiocesan mid-year gathering of ALL parish staff (or volunteers who function as staff) who work with children, young people, & families (in honor of St. John Bosco, patron of children and youth). Teams/multiple registrations from one parish are both welcome and encouraged. Refreshments and lunch are included, but please register ASAP so the Office of Family, Youth, & Young Adult Ministry can plan accordingly: <https://archbalt.regfox.com/bosco-day-2023>.

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