

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



**Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
June 26, 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**

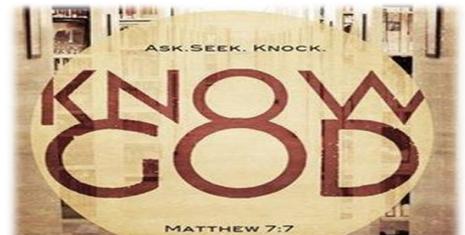
By Appointment

*"Like good stewards of the varied graces of God, use whatever gift each one of you has received to serve one another."*

**1 Peter 4:10**

**Mass Intention**

6/26/22 – 9:30 a.m. Mass  
Josephite Vocations  
Requested by Mary Purnell



*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***

“At some point in life, a man (used generically) should, and must realize that life here on earth is transitory!! He/she must be convinced that all men regardless of their status, gender, and race, etc., will compulsorily leave the world some day!! And at the end of life, there will be two columns in our EARTHLY REPORT CARDS!! We shall be graded as HEROS or LOSERS!! This grading has nothing to do with our various vocations/professions; but everything to do with how we make use of the different positions God has placed us in!! One may be graded a hero not because he/she is perfect without struggles/limitations/sins, but because he/she understood the purpose of his/her life and lived it out by being kind, humane, peaceful, compassionate, loving, tolerant, etc. Another may be considered a loser because he/she lived a monster-like life by being intolerant, mean-spirited, terribly greedy, deeply evil, stupendously selfish and indifferent!! You got choice now of what your report card grade should be!!”

## **Upcoming Events / Meetings**

**July 3** – St. Pius V Sanctuary Choir’s 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

**July 3 – 24** – Christmas in July Angel Tree/SIPS “Hotdog Grab ‘n Go”

**July 9** – Harper’s Helpers

**July 16** – Pastoral Council

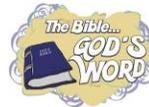
**July 20 & 27** – Emergency Food Distribution – 9 am to noon

**July 27** – LifeBridge Mobile Unit – 10 a.m. – 12 noon

**July 31** – Diamond Mass

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## **Weekly Readings**



**Sunday:** 1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21/Psalm 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Galatians 5:1, 13-18/Luke 9:51-62

**Monday:** Amos 2:6-10, 13-16/ Psalm 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23/ Matthew 8:18-22

**Tuesday:** Amos 3:1-8; 4:11-12/ Psalm 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8/ Matthew 8:23-27

**Wednesday:** Acts 12:1-11/ Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/ Matthew 16:13-19

**Thursday:** Amos 7:10-17/ Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 11/ Matthew 9:1-8

**Friday:** Amos 8:4-6, 9-12/ Psalm 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131/ Matthew 9:9-13

**Saturday:** Amos 9:11-15/Psalm 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/ Matthew 9:14-17

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In today’s Gospel we see how Jesus, on his way to Jerusalem, sent “messenger on ahead of Him.” To be the messengers of God, we must know well what it is God wants to say and do through us, as he sends us out to bring his love to others. *In the month of June, you were the “messenger of God” in bringing hope to the poor. Your gifts enabled the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to assist an additional 132 families with food and clothing.*

## Did you know? . . . .

*Advent Wreath:* A wreath with four candles, lit successively in the weeks of Advent and accompanied by a special prayer, to help Catholics spiritually prepare for Christmas.

*Angelus:* A prayer recounting the events that led up to our Lord's Incarnation (becoming man) and our redemption.

*Communion Fast:* The practice of abstaining from food and beverages (except water) one hour before receiving the sacrament of the Eucharist as a sign of reverence and respect for our Lord.

*Fast & Abstinence:* Fasting is refraining from eating between meals and less at regular meals. Fasting, as penitential practice, is required on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Abstinence, no eating of meat, is required on Ash Wednesday, the Fridays of Lent, and Good Friday.

*Holy Days:* Certain days of the year outside of Sundays, when Catholics are asked to gather for the Eucharist to celebrate an important feast in the life of the Church.

*Holy Water:* Blessed water used to make the sign of the cross upon entering the church as a reminder of baptism and used in blessings as a sign of god's loving care

*Last Rites:* An outdated term for the reception of the Sacrament of the Sick. This anointing should be received as many times as a person is facing serious illness or hospitalization, whether the threat of death is present or not.

*Seal of Confession:* The grave obligation of a priest to never reveal the slightest detail of a person's confession, even if threatened.

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Calling all former and present members of St. Pius V Sanctuary Choir. Come celebrate the choir's 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary July 3 at the 9:30 a.m. Mass.

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Please phone the parish office and give their contact information if you or someone you know has a cleaning or security business that you can recommend to our parish for events.

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**Hiring** – The Oblates are in need of a nursing assistant for their healthcare unit, 701 Gun Road. Hours are from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. If interested, call (410) 242-8500.

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SIPS hot dog sale will be held after each Mass in July beginning on the 9th. All proceeds will benefit our youth programs.

## OUTREACH & EVANGELIZATION

**Combating Racism Town Hall Meeting** – St. Vincent de Paul is holding a town hall focusing on combating racism on June 27, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. at St. Vincent de Paul Church (please wear a mask), 120 N. Front Street, 21202. For more information visit - <https://www.stvchurch.org/justice-service/racial-equity>. If you are unable to attend in person, the meeting will be livestreamed via their YouTube channel – [stvchurch.org](http://stvchurch.org)

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**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/](http://thread.org/get-involved/volunteer/) to learn more about volunteer opportunities at Thread!

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**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](mailto:ana.farias@baltimorebasilica.org).

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**Harper's Helpers** will have its first service opportunity of 2022 on Saturday, July 9. They will serve their standard cookout menu. If you'd like to volunteer and/or donate, please click the link on the home page of the website and complete the form. They look forward to seeing you soon!

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