



SAINT PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Emergency – If someone is dying or there has been a death, please call: 804-402-1221

Mass Schedule

Sunday: 8:30 & 10:45 am Weekday: 12:05 pm

Holy Day: Call the Parish Office or See Notices

Confession: Mon. thru Fri., 11:45 am

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 26, 2016

Mass Intention: Victims of the Shooting in Orlando, FL

TODAY'S MUSIC

ENTRANCE	#547
Praise to the Lord, the Almighty	
PSALM	#903
You are My Inheritance, You, O Lord	
OFFERTORY	#630
Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service	
COMMUNION	#732
Draw Near and Take the Body of Your Lord	
RECESSIONAL	#628
Go Make of All Disciples	

HOMEBOUND/HOSPITALIZED

David Adams, Carolyn Alford, Anthony Arrighi, Rollo Brown, Steve Campbell, Stuart Cary, David Coffman, Bill Holzgreffe, Shirley Hudson, Camilla Hull (mother of Doyle Hull), Connie Klyver, (friend of Ginnie & Marilyn), Maria Konwerska, Emma Mednikov, Jim Melton, Jesse Oliver, Rachel Robinson, Marilyn Reilly, Nancy Severns, Beulah Taylor, Greg Stowers, Bob Webster, Flordeliza Ybanez. Thank you for your prayers.

If you know of anyone who is sick, hospitalized, homebound, or dying and desires a visit from a priest, please call or email us. Without your help, we have no way of knowing.

LECTOR & EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

8:30 am: Justin Haynes Extraordinary Ministers:
Linda Shisler, Maggie Wilkins, Robert Wilkins
FINANCE: Linda Shisler, Chris Thomas, Kris Mednikov
10:45 am: Jim Martinelli Extraordinary Ministers:
Jim Martinelli, Marie Martinelli, Joe Naman
FINANCE: Steve Gerloff and Kathy Kelly

NEXT SUNDAY

8:30 am: Bill Lipchak Extraordinary Ministers:
Doug Dewing, Tom Fahed, Barbara Goode
FINANCE: Ron Hurst, Doug Dewing, Kris Mednikov
10:45 am: Margaret Hable Extraordinary Ministers:
Joe Naman, Colin Schmidt, Mimi Schoof
FINANCE: John Rogers, Patty Talley

SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

Mon.: Mass Intention: Ruth Leftwich
Tues.: Mass Intention: Frank Linari
Tues.: Social Ministry: 10:30 am – 12:30 pm
Wed.: Mass Intention: Leo Smith
Thurs: Mass Intention: Harry Sherwin
Fri.: Mass Intention: Isabell Spear

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

Hello all!

As you all know, our own Father Danny is being transferred August 1. I am very happy for him, although I will miss him. I joked in my homily last week, as I was talking about all the little things that people we live with do that annoy us: I said living with Fr. Danny is sort of like living with a saint...he never does anything annoying!

I am very grateful for his work that past year. Father Danny has been very helpful in serving the needs of these parishes. He

is faithful and reverent in administering the Sacraments, reliable when given an important responsibility, and never beyond helping with even trivial/mundane but necessary tasks. I know he will make a great pastor; but pray for him, because he will have a great deal of responsibility.

We were going to have a 1 year anniversary party for him at St. Peter on June 30th at 6:30 pm.; BUT, since he is moving we are going to make it a COMBINED ANNIVERSARY/GOING AWAY PARTY. Please join us to celebrate his one year anniversary as well as wish him well as he moves to this new assignment. PLEASE rsvp with a simple email to the office at St. Peter (stpeterchurch2@aol.com) or call the office (804-643-4315) and leave a message.

Also, one thing about today. Today, had it fallen on a weekday, is the feast day of St. Josemaria Escriva, an amazing saint who in 1928 founded a group called Opus Dei (meaning 'work of God'). It is a personal prelature in the Church, a religious organization with over 90,000 members. 98% of its members are lay and 2% are priests.

It is a wonderful organization that has as its special focus the sanctification of our daily labors. Whether it be washing dishes, cleaning toilets, performing brain surgery, typing at a computer...its tenets hold that holiness and sanctification can be found through these tasks, when done in the right spirit and for the right reasons. This is not a new concept in the Church, but it's one that this group has wonderfully highlighted.

St. Josemaria wrote a great book called "The Way." It's full of excellent quotes. He was tough but truthful. I leave you with a few quotes of his.

"Understand this well: There is something holy, something divine hidden in the most ordinary situations, and it is up to each one of you to discover it."

"I assure you, my children, that when a Christian carries out with love the most insignificant everyday action, that action overflows with the transcendence of God. That is why I have told you so often, and hammered away at it, that the Christian vocation consists in making heroic verse out of the prose of each day. Heaven and earth seem to merge, my children, on the horizon. But where they really meet is in your hearts, when you sanctify your everyday lives..."

"Either we learn to find the Lord in the ordinary everyday life or else we shall never find him."

"Don't say, 'That person bothers me.' Think: 'That person sanctifies me'."

"To defend his purity, St. Francis of Assisi rolled in the snow, St. Benedict threw himself into a thorn bush, and St. Bernard plunged into an icy pond...You – what have you done?"

"You always leave the Rosary for later, and you end up not saying it at all because you are sleepy. If there is no

other time, say it in the street without letting anybody notice it. It will, moreover, help you to have presence of God."

"You don't know how to pray? Put yourself in the presence of God, and as soon as you have said, 'Lord, I don't know how to pray!' you can be sure you have already begun."

"You're bored? That's because you keep your senses awake and your soul asleep."

"Compromise is a word found only in the vocabulary of those who have no will to fight."

"You need a heart which is in love, not an easy life, to achieve happiness."

"All the things that are now worrying you can be put into a smile which shows your love of God."

"Put your heart aside. Duty comes first. But when fulfilling your, put your heart into it. It helps."

"Temptation is necessary to make us realize that we are nothing in ourselves."

Have a great week! Fr. Rossi

Fr. Danny's COMBINED ANNIVERSARY/GOING AWAY PARTY - There is a signup list in the kitchen – please help by signing up to bring a dish.

First Friday Adoration and Confessions at St. Patrick: Friday, July 1, 7-8 pm – Join Dcn. Miguel and Fr. Danny for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Patrick this coming Friday. Come spend some time with the Lord, and there will be an opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Holiness is always in season!

Outreach & Social Ministry – 156 lunches were served to the homeless on Tuesday, June 21, 2016. **58 dinners** were served to the homeless on Wednesday, June 22, 2016. Thanks so much to all who help make this ministry possible.

Budgeted Weekly Income	\$3,461.00
Collection	<u>3,736.69</u>
Gain	\$ 285.69
Budgeted income was determined during spring of 2015 budgeting process by Fr. Brownell and Finance Council.	

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