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Prayer Requests/ Pray For...



+Mary Regan, John Cavey, Debbie Cohill, All of the Flood Victim in WV, Val Valencia, Anna Thompson, Mendy Souders, Arlin Messersmith, +Fr. Peter F. Chirico, Mark Smith, Mickey McCusker, Rita, +Homer Schetrompf, +Jim McKenzie, +Helen Smith, +Pearl Zakrzewski, +Frank Lori, Penny McKenzie, +Marsha Dyer, Barb Hammond, Neal Redmond, +Jim Hopfer, +Eddie Williams, Noe Martinez, , +Alice Mellott, Jordan Daniel

Tashi, +Marge Stuhler, +Robert Flowers, Colleen Reilly, +Stefanie Knab, Louis Alexander Gutierrez, Jean Pierre Feuillet, Jean Watkins, , George Browner, Gene Silver, Aaron Silver, Marge McGuire, Gilbert Taylor ...And in our military: Benjamin Yellott, Andrew Golden, Elizabeth and Austin Garmon, Sean La Barbera, and Gabriella Voight +1Thess. 5:17: *Pray unceasingly...*

Are you praying for others?

This Week's Mass-Bible Readings: Dt 30:10-14; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37.

Next Week: Gn 18:1-10a; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42

"Ignorance of the Scriptures is ignorance of the Lord-" Read the Word daily



Respect Life Committee News:

Please bring in gently used baby clothes, etc... for the Hope Center and the Nazareth House. Leave in the basket in the back of the church. Thank you for your continued support in our efforts to maintain life!



Catholic Radio--WDTF 107.9/96.3: Father Jack's program: "Go Way out of Your Way for Love" with guest speaker Seminarian Patrick Gill, will air will air Sunday, July 10th at 12 Noon and repeat on Saturday, July 11th at 7:00PM Go to <https://soundcloud.com/wdtfradio1079> Semper Fi=Always Faithful!

In response to the brutal devastation that flood waters have left, across southern West Virginia, we are trying to get a group together to travel to a town very similar to ours. Pls help and bring bottled water, bleach, diapers, cleaning supplies, to Church, marked "WVa. Help" Group may possibly serve and deliver goods in the needy areas on August 9th thru 13th. Contact Suzanne Mellott 304-268-5285 or Parish Office.

July 12/13 & July 22/23- Parish Photo Directory (new folks: welcome!) help us create a contemporary album of our Parish Family and grow and show our Faith Family--we need to do this and exemplify we are not only alive but will thrive . Go to: <https://www.securedatatrans14.com/ap/stpeterscatholicchurch3/index.php?page=10>

And this link to schedule your photography session, or call the office set up your appointment.

Suzanne Mellott will take pictures of the groups and committees. Pls see announcements of these times...

Saint Peter Catholic Church Saint Patrick Catholic Church

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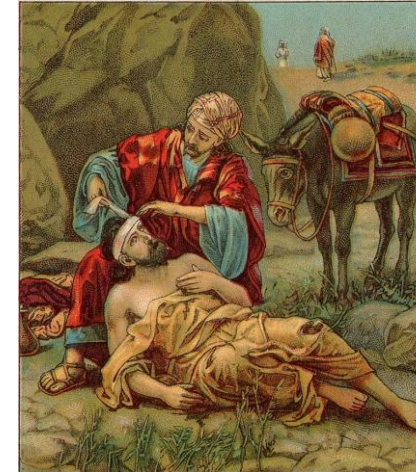
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July 10th, 2016-The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday	5:00 PM:	Little Orleans	Sunday	7:30 AM:	Hancock
				10:00 AM:	Hancock

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday The Fourth= 9am: in Hancock /Miraculous Medal Novena

Tuesday, Thursday-Saturday: 7:30 AM Hancock

RECONCILIATION: Confessions one-half hour before weekend Mass /by appointment.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Every Thursday from 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM. - Holy Hour for vocations 7:00 PM.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: classes are Sundays at 8:45 AM during the school year; we are now off for the summer. For more info, pls. contact Susan Taylor at the Office.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

The Parish Family of St. Peter and St. Patrick affirms its faith identity by living in full accord with the Gospel message of Jesus Christ, and the Teaching and Tradition of the Catholic Church. As Disciples of Christ, we give witness to that faith by active participation in the parish and its ministries. We are called by the Spirit to live the Gospel, to celebrate the Sacramental Life of the Church, to teach, to serve and love all, and to be stewards of the gifts that we have received for future generations

Last Weekend's Attendance and Stewardship				
<u>Saturday:</u>		<u>Sunday</u>		
5:00 PM	35	7:30 AM	61	
		10:00 AM	100	Total Attendance: 196
<u>Collections:</u>	<u>St. Patrick's</u>	<u>St. Peter's</u>		
Loose	\$65.00	Loose	\$492.00	
Envelopes	\$131.00	Envelopes	\$1267.00	
Poor Box	\$10.00	Poor Box	\$40.53	
Air Conditioning	\$150.00	Mission Co-Op	\$69.00	WV Flood Assistance: \$107.00
Total for Weekend Masses	\$2,331.53	Thank you for your generous giving!		



WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS:

Saturday, July 9th	5:00PM	Bernard Ashkettle
Sunday, June 10th	7:30AM	+Mary Regan
	10:00AM	Faithful of Ss. Peter & Patrick
Monday, July 11th	7:00 PM	Mary Lou Ames
Tuesday, July 12th	7:30AM	Alaska Service Pilgrims
Wednesday, July 13th	<i>No Mass</i>	
Thursday, July 14th	7:30AM	+Richard Herter
	<i>*Adoration 8AM-8:00PM*</i>	
Friday, July 15th	<i>No Mass</i>	
Saturday, July 16th	<i>No Morning Mass</i>	
	5:00PM	Parishioners of St. Patrick's

Join Us for These Upcoming Events!

Sunday, July 10th- St. Peter vs. St. Patrick's at 2:00PM

Monday July 11 Youth Trip to Rocky Gap 10 AM to 4 PM.

July 12/13 & July 22/23- Life Touch Studios here for *Parish Pictures* Booklet as we update our community (new folks: welcome!) and create a contemporary directory. Participate grow our parish life!!

Sunday, July 17th- 11:30AM- Presentation in the Parish Hall for all parishioners to review the Parish Surveys and read the preliminary Mission Readiness Statement for St. Peter and St. Patrick.

August 9 thru 13: Service trip to the needy regions of West Virginia...see bulletin.

Saturday, August 13th- "Meditation, East and West"- Presence UnLtd. Mediation Retreat at St. Peter's. 9:00AM-5:00PM ending with Mass at St. Peter's at 5.

Sunday, August 21 Parish Pilgrimage in Year of Mercy to Emmitsburg Shrines and Grotto, Md.

Be Missionary Disciples: Parish Survey Presentation

On *Sunday, July 17th after 10AM Mass*, we will be presenting a report to all parishioners about the findings of the parish survey that was conducted last fall. This process is extremely important to the future of both our parishes. As we move forward, please make every effort to attend this presentation and give your input. The Parish Mission Readiness Statement Committee will meet on *Tuesday, July 5th* at 7:00PM. They will meet regularly on *Mondays after this at 7:30PM*.

St. Peter and St. Patrick Churches
Parish Mission Readiness Statement Committee Report
From Deacon Jim Mason

As you know we are currently in a most crucial phase of the Baltimore Archdiocese’s Be Missionary Disciples Planning process. Parishes have been asked to prepare a two- to three- page “Parish Mission Readiness Statement” by the end of this September.

The statement will first describe our parish’s opportunities and challenges to its “mission readiness,” or its ability to serve God and the community while answering Christ’s call to “make disciples.” Ultimately, parishes in the Archdiocese of Baltimore will continue, cluster, or close.

Recall my homily of about two weeks ago now... I said that there is a special call from the Lord to each of us. I said there is a call to each of us from our own Archbishop William Lori to be disciples... missionary disciples! Will we follow and make it our spiritual **Reality** today? Or will we wait, hope someone else does it and risk waking up in **Nowhere Land**?

The future of our churches is at stake. We need your help and continue to ask for your help. And many of you have answered that plea!

On Tuesday July 5 we met a second time to continue to meet every Monday evening after the 7:00pm Mass to tackle this task until completed. All parishioners are welcome to attend meetings. We will create the best document we can to illustrate for the Archdiocese who and what we are all about here on the edge of the Western Region [and the Tri-State area]. We want to show the Archdiocese why we want and need to continue and how we will do it! Initially, Gary Voight, with the aid of Ian McAlister, David Mellott, Fr. Jack, and myself, has prepared and presented a brief overview of the fall 2015 survey results. From the initial group, Ian McAllister has graciously volunteered to write the final document that will be presented to the Archdiocese. Remember, he needs our help [input].

At our first meeting our focus was directed to our current Parish Mission Statement. It is printed on the Bulletin cover....

At our second meeting our focus was active information gathering. on our church programs, outreach programs, fundraisers, and other activities, we had a general brainstorming session listing any and all of the activities we have done over the years. New parishioner Kristin Lennon [with the aid of her husband, David] took diligent notes and typed out our thoughts arranging them in the Archdiocese’s Core Mission Priorities:

- Prayer, Worship & Sacramental Life
- Welcome & Fellowship
- Evangelization
- Material and Pastoral Care for the Poor & Suffering
- Education, Faith Formation & Discipleship
- Promotion of Vocations
- Stewardship of Resources

The list, too extensive to list here, has been sent to active committee members and will give to anyone who asks. We realize it is by no means complete but as Kristen commented, it is “mind-boggling”--we are "a very busy parish!". Our two- to three- page report may need to be accompanied by an addendum!

Our next meeting is this Monday, July 11 after the 7:00pm Mass to brainstorm into the future. Get involved.. We have a great group. We begin each session with the same prayer that was said before each session of Vatican II. We invoke the Holy Spirit to come to us, remain with us, and enlighten our hearts...