

# ST. PETER'S PARISH

## 6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES

### FEBRUARY 12<sup>TH</sup>, 2012

#### MASSES

MON	FEB 13	7:00 pm	GINA BRIEFS-ALGIN
TUE	FEB 14	8:00 am	BILLY RAFFERTY
WED	FEB 15	8:00 am	PARISHIONERS
THU	FEB 16	8:00 am	COMMUNION SERVICE
FRI	FEB 17	9:00 am	AL RISCTO
SAT	FEB 18	8:00 am	ERIC HAYNAL
		5:30 pm	BERNICE COOPER
SUN	FEB 19	7:15 am	STEPHEN HASSETT
		9:00 am	LIBBY KAY WHITE
		11:30 am	MARION JACQUES

	<u>GOAL</u>	<u>COLLECTION</u>	<u>&amp; EFT FIG</u>
COLLECTION	\$17,931.00	\$15533.45	\$4,230.00
POOR BOX	\$ 833.34	\$ 570.06	\$ 235.75
CHURCH MORTGAGE MO (AS OF 2/5)		\$ 7750.00	\$1,710.00

#### \*\*\*\*\* FEBRUARY 18<sup>TH</sup> & 19<sup>TH</sup> \*\*\*\*\*

	<u>MASS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVER</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>
FEB 18	5:30 pm	A & N HARTLEY & PLAYER	GREGORY & DUBOYCE
FEB 19	7:15 am	BUCHHEIT, GILL & SMELLER	JACKSON & HEILAND
	9:00 am	GORDON, ROACH & SEESE	PUGH & HOFFMAN
	11:30 am	DIGREGORY, N MOXLEY & SUPROCK	MOXLEY & LILLY

**NEXT WEEKEND** the second collection will be for Catholic School Education.

**THIS WEEK'S READINGS:** Lv 13:1-2, 44-46, 1 Cor 10:31-11:1, Mk 1:40-45 (77)

**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:** Is 43:18-19, 21-22, 24b-25, 2 Cor 1:18-22, Mk 2:1-12 (80)

**PRAY WITH THE HEART PRAYER GROUP** will meet this Wednesday, February 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm for Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary and Prayer in the Adoration Chapel

**WE PRAY IN HOPE** that God's healing power may touch those who are sick, especially Joe Wirfs, Richard Ellis, Ellen Burns, Norman Avery, Joshua Wade, Marilyn Hall, Herb Worley, James C Brennan, Len Bainbridge, Rob Player, Ann Fowler, Dottie Dayton, Sean Mulvey, Susan D Aud, Susan K Aud, Jean Harley, Carole Schaub, Donald DeRidder, Andrew Kearney, John Nau, Jess Gold, Debbie Lutman, Fr. Ray Harris, Karen Misorek, Andrew Lee, Alice Insehner, Donald Gordon, Richard Mills, Daniel Nisonger, Jerry Beller, David Foster, Cameron Foster, Sharon Baker, Regina Moran, Ken Hartsek, Vernetta Ackerman, Joan Seeze, Lewis Goode, Diane Andersen, Dale Stiffler

**Names will be kept on the prayer list for 1 month** from the time they are requested. At the end of that time, you may renew your prayer request by emailing or calling the Parish Office.

\*\*\*Anyone wishing to receive Communion and/or the Sacrament of the Sick please call the Parish Office.

**PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:** We are already into the 2<sup>nd</sup> month of 2012 and it's a good time to make a visit to our Eucharistic Lord, 9 am-7 pm daily in our chapel. Please call Linda (301-829-2888) or Diane (301-898-0833) for more info about adoration or if you would like to sub.

**100,000 ROSARIES:** The Archdiocese of Baltimore, in collaboration with the Knights of Columbus of Maryland, the Archdiocese of DC & Wilmington, is soliciting pledges to have 100,000 rosaries prayed in the month of March, 2012 to eliminate abortion in our state and our nation, and to pray for the families of those children who have been aborted. There are some 37,000 children aborted in Maryland each year – more than 700 per week. This is a rate that is 50% higher than the national average. While direct action to eliminate this killing is necessary, it must be accompanied by prayer. Can you pray 4 to 5 rosaries (only one per week) over the course of a month? A pledge sheet will be available after all Masses on the weekend of Feb 18<sup>th</sup>. You may also pledge online at [www.bit.ly/mdrosarycampaign](http://www.bit.ly/mdrosarycampaign).

**PRO-LIFE SPEAKER:** Mark your calendars for Friday, Feb. 17, 10 am in the Daily Mass Chapel. Fr. Paul Schenck, National Pro-Life Action Center and Pro-Life director for the Harrisburg Diocese, will speak on "Has Science Become Pro-Life?" Free will offering will be collected by Defend Life. All are invited!

**TENEBRAE SERVICE:** On Good Friday evening, April 6<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 pm, we will be presenting the Tenebrae Service. Through word and music, this service dramatizes the suffering, death, and burial of Jesus Christ. Margaret Stack is leading the Tenebrae and we are need of singers. Rehearsal schedule will be every Tues. evening at 7:30 pm Feb 7<sup>th</sup> (ALL), 14<sup>th</sup> (tenors & basses only), 21<sup>st</sup> (soprano & alto only) & 28<sup>th</sup> (ALL). The March dates are Mar 6<sup>th</sup> (tenors & basses only), 13<sup>th</sup> (sopranos and altos only), Mar 24<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am (ALL) & Mar 28<sup>th</sup> (ALL). If interested, please contact Margaret at 301-865-1349 or via email at [margstack1075@aol.com](mailto:margstack1075@aol.com) as soon as possible.

**TRIDUUM SINGERS NEEDED:** Please consider singing for Holy Thursday & Easter Vigil. There will be 3 rehearsals for each & they will not conflict with Tenebrae practices. Contact Sherri at 301-898-5111, ext. 11 or [sslattery@stpeter-libertytown.org](mailto:sslattery@stpeter-libertytown.org) to sign up. *The Lord wants us to give back His gifts, and what a perfect way to do just that – in sung praise of His name.*

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

February 12, 2012

### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

George Brunner:  
[gbrunner@stpeter-libertytown.org](mailto:gbrunner@stpeter-libertytown.org)



### ADULT MINISTRY

Carolyn Nolan: [cnolan@stpeter-libertytown.org](mailto:cnolan@stpeter-libertytown.org)



#### FEBRUARY CLASSES:

February 12th & 26th. Reminder there is no Religious Education next Sunday, February 19th (President's Weekend!)

#### SACRAMENTAL PREP 2011/2012

- First Eucharist Preparation Meetings & Workshops for Parent & Child!  
March 3rd: Saturday Workshop Experience from 9AM-Noon. (For Parent & Child)  
March 6th: Tuesday from 7:00-8:15PM... (For Parent & Child)  
March 13th: Tuesday from 7:00-8:15PM... (For Parent & Child)  
Parents will go over guidelines and procedure for First Communion.

*All meetings are required per Archdiocese of Baltimore Sacramental Guidelines and both parent & child need to be present at the meeting.*

**Marriage Tip:** "They brought to [Jesus] all who were ill." (Mk 1:32) How do you like to be treated when you are ill? Do you want to be left alone or fussed over? What about your spouse? Don't assume that what you like is what your beloved would like. Ask.

*Visit: [www.foryourmarriage.org](http://www.foryourmarriage.org)*

**Baptism Prep Classes** - meets on Tuesday, Feb. 21st, from 7 - 9 pm in the lower level of the Parish Office Bldg. You need only one godparent and this person must be Catholic; to have celebrated Confirmation; is at least 16 years of age, and is practicing the faith (attending mass each week and celebrating the sacraments.)



### YOUTH MINISTRY

Kenn DeMoll: [kdemoll@stpeter-libertytown.org](mailto:kdemoll@stpeter-libertytown.org)

**LIFE TEEN:** February 12<sup>th</sup>: Uno Por Favor! Come join us for a n Uno Card tournament & tons of fun!

**EDGE:** February 12<sup>th</sup>: Not By Bread Alone: We will be making sandwiches to feed the hungry while we learn about the Eucharist that spiritually feeds us.

**CONFIRMATION :** Reminder that our next Confirmation meeting is scheduled for Monday evening @ 7PM in the Parish Center. *FEBRUARY 13th -Session #3: You call this good? (Suffering in our world & Christ's Passion)*

**SUPERBOWL SUB SALE:** Thank you for all who participated in our annual Sub Sale it was once again a great success- we sold out!

**APPALACHIA 2012:** Looking for a few good adults with or without experience to chaperone our trip to Appalachia this summer. Contact Kenn for more information.



# *St. Peter's Parish Mission*

*Libertytown, Maryland*

**“Follow me...”:**

**Living as a Believer,**

**Disciple and**

**Witness of the Lord**

**Sun., Feb., 26 – Wed., Feb. 29  
7 p.m. In St. Peter's Church**

**Led by Fr. Brian Nolan**

– Chaplain at Mount St. Mary's University



*Come and join St. Peter's Catholic Church for a time of faith,  
reflection, encouragement and challenge  
to live out the Christian call of faithfulness and holiness.*

St. Peter's Centen Series

## 7 Deadly Sins/7 LIVELY VIRTUES

By Fr. Robert Barron (creator of the *Catholicism* series)

"Where sin increased, grace overflowed all the more." Romans 5:20

Join us for this 4 week Retreat-on-DVD presentation concerning the seven Deadly Sins, those great spiritual blocks that inhibit our flourishing in relationship to God and to one another. After viewing Fr. Barron's talk on DVD, we will break into small groups for discussions on reflection questions provided in the workbook.

That's not all! Fr. Barron presents the Seven Lively virtues that offer healing to our sin-sick souls and set us on the right path to salvation. This series is a message of hope to all those who seek to know Christ and to accomplish his will. This is a perfect way to spiritually prepare for Lent as well as the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

**Class options:      Wednesday mornings, 9:30-11:30      March 7 – 28**  
**Wednesday evenings, 7 – 9                      March 7 – 28**

**Cost: \$14/workbook (couples/family members may share workbooks)**

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**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Class Selection:**     AM         PM        **E:Mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

Checks payable to: St. Peter Church. Mail completed registration form to:  
Carolyn Nolan, P.O. Box 278, Libertytown, MD 21762

OR

E:Mail completed registration forms to: [cnolan@stpeter-libertytown.org](mailto:cnolan@stpeter-libertytown.org)

# ***Shrove Tuesday***

## ***February 21st. 2012***

***Bring Your Friends and Family***

***5:00 pm to 7:00 pm***

***Carry Out Available***



**All You Can Eat Menu: Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Bacon, Pancakes- (Regular and Chocolate Chip), Red Potatoes, Beverages, Fixings Table**

***Cost: \$25.00 Maximum for Families !***

***Adults - \$7.00    Children 15 yrs. & under - \$4.00    5 yrs. & under Free***



***Sponsored by your Knights of Columbus, Council 13290  
You do not have to be a member to help out . Call Chairman Chuck Gill 301 363 8331***

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:** "Moved with pity, Jesus touched the leper and healed him." By your gifts in the poor boxes, you put your faith into action as you bring healing to the poor, hungry, and suffering in our midst. Volunteers who can give a five-hour commitment one day a month are needed to help the Society of St. Vincent de Paul reach out to touch our neighbors in need. 301-662-4676

**WORLD MARRIAGE DAY:** All married couples are cordially invited to join Archbishop Edwin O'Brien this afternoon, Feb 12<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm for the special World Marriage Day Mass & Reception at the Cathedral of Mary Our Queen, 5200 N. Charles Street.

**SEEKING OUR LONGEST MARRIED COUPLE:** Our parish participated in the Worldwide Marriage Encounter's search for the longest married couple in the Archdiocese of Baltimore. Our nominee, **Joseph & Maria Roskowsinski**, will be honored today during this special Mass. Congratulations and God Bless to Joe & Maria.

**OUR LADY OF LOURDES ROSARY CRUSADE:** We warmly invite you to join us in heartfelt prayer and beautiful sacred music at our monthly Rosary Crusade, **Sat., Mar 17, 2012, from 1-2 pm, the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes**, at the Gazebo in Baker Park, right off West 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, near the Band Shell in Frederick, MD. Bring your family, (lawn chairs) & invite others to pray with us! Info call Pat Oliver at 301-845-8253. "Everything begins with prayer." Mother Teresa

**FOOD PANTRY HELP NEEDED:** Dependable & reliable men and women needed to help in the Food Pantry each Friday from 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm. Please call the parish office at 301-898-5111 to volunteer.

**END OF YEAR FOR 2011:** Donation statements have been mailed out to all who donated \$250 or more to St. Peter's in 2011. With the closing of the mail distribution center in Frederick, the post office is experiencing delays. If you have not received your statement, please be patient. Thank you all for your generosity.

**KINKLING DAY:** Feb 18<sup>th</sup>, 2012 Libertytown Volunteer Fire Dept Auxiliary will be selling kinklings, \$7.00/doz, To order, call Suzanne (301-865-4386) or Rosie (301-898-7385). Please pick up orders no earlier than noon and no later than 4 pm.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 13290: Membership -** A reminder that your council dues are now past due. Please remit to our Financial Secretary, ASAP! Council membership now is at 189 members. There will be a **3rd degree** in our area at St. Timothy Council in Walkersville on Feb 17th. Second Degree Knights are encouraged to take their 3rd degree at this time. Contact GK Tom Stanley at 301 831 8497...**Programs** - Chuck Gill is in need of helpers for Shrove Tuesday, Feb 21<sup>st</sup>. Jim Zik needs a few helpers for the Family Dance on the 18<sup>th</sup>. A reminder that we will need workers for the March 2nd Lenten Meal...**SpotLite:** Happy Valentine's Day! No Meeting this week!...**Special Notice: St. Patrick's Day Event** -The Knights are sponsoring a St. Patrick's Day Celebration Event on March 17th. It will be a Bull Roast Fare with entertainment by "PET ROCK", a combo that has provided entertainment for several parish and knights events in the past. Tickets will go on sale Feb 19th after Masses & by phone. Please place this event on your calendar & plan to bring your friends for an evening of fun, dancing and a good meal. Look for the flyer in next Sunday's bulletin.

**PARISH NURSE NOTES:** The Parish Nurse Program/Health Ministry of St. Peter's would like to invite you to wholeness! Plan now to sign up for "Get My People GOING!" – a program that invites you to select three areas of your life you would like to change for a healthier lifestyle, based on the Exodus story. This program is for all ages & people of all health conditions. We will be meeting on Thursday nights from Mar 1 through April 26 (skipping Holy Week) from 7 – 8:30 pm or if you can't make each session, we will touch base via email. We will be signing you up and passing out program materials after Mass on (Feb. 25 and 26). Or you can register by email to Marybeth Terrell at [mbt9507@verizon.net](mailto:mbt9507@verizon.net). Any questions, give Marybeth a call: 301-845-6572 Come, join us on the journey!

**BEREAVEMENT:** There will be no bereavement this month.

**LADIES CLUB:** Thank you to all who baked for our Valentine Bake Sale which is being held today, Sunday, February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2012 after the 7:15, 9 and 11:30 am Masses in Sappington.

**PARISH CENSUS PHONE-A-THON:** We have begun to conduct our Parish Census by phone. Someone will be calling all of our 1734 registered parishioner families to verify if in fact they are still parishioners, and if so, then the names, addresses, phone numbers and e-mail addresses of each member. It will be a quick call. Those of you who have received our call already can attest to this! We thank you in advance for your understanding cooperation.

**ST JOHN REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL: Now accepting applications** for 2012/2013 school year for Pre-K 3 through 8<sup>th</sup> grade...**Are you a SJRCS Alumni?** Currently looking for alumni to serve on "The Alumni Program Committee Executive Board Team." The goals of the program include; reconnecting alumni with classmates, teachers, and the current students of SJRCS. Please visit [http://www.sjr.org/alumni\\_info.php](http://www.sjr.org/alumni_info.php) or contact, Sheila Evers at 301-662-6722...**Story Time Tots** - "Hats & Hearts" free story time will be held on Monday, Feb 13<sup>th</sup> starting at 8:30 am for 2, 3 & 4 year olds. Please join us & bring a friend, everyone is welcome...For more info about SJRCS & programs please email Sheila Evers at [severs@sjr.org](mailto:severs@sjr.org) or call 301-662-6722 for additional information. [www.sjr.org](http://www.sjr.org)

**ST THOMAS MORE ACADEMY:** PreK3 to 8<sup>th</sup> grade Catholic Elementary school in Frederick/Buckeystown. Small Classes, Classical Education – Accepting applications for all grades – Call for a tour 301-874-9014. **Bingo** every Friday and Saturday night. Doors open at 5pm, bingo starts 7 pm.

**THE VISITATION ACADEMY:** the only all-girls PreK3 – 8<sup>th</sup> grade Catholic school in Frederick County will soon begin enrolling new 1<sup>st</sup>- through 8<sup>th</sup>-graders for the 2012-2013 academic year. Applications are currently being accepted for PreK3, PreK4, and Kindergarten. For more information, visit our web site at [www.thevisitationacademy.org](http://www.thevisitationacademy.org)

**MOTHER SETON SCHOOL: Mother Seton School Open House on Wed, Feb 15<sup>th</sup> at 10 am. to 1 pm. & 7 to 8 pm.** 100 Creamery Road, Emmitsburg, MD. Registration for the 2012-2013 school year is now open! Looking for a school that models the values of your home? Have you thought about private school, but you are just not sure? Financial aid, bus transportation, and before & after care information available Time not convenient? Call to schedule a personal visit and receive school info 301-447-3161 or visit [www.mothersetonschool.org](http://www.mothersetonschool.org)