

FATHER JIM'S SCHEDULE

Mon. - St. Victoria: 9:30 a.m. Reconciliation; 10 a.m. Mass followed by Adult Formation and evening meetings

Tues. – Our Lady of Peace: 10:00 a.m. Mass followed by Meetings; 7:00 p.m. Mass followed by evening meetings

Wed. - St. Victoria: 10:00 a.m. Mass followed by Clergy Association Meeting Or Over the Hill Gang Lunch

Thurs. - Holy Cross School: 7:45 a.m.–11:15 a.m.; OLP Mass at 12:15 p.m.; Hargrave at 4pm; St. Victoria Mass at 6:30 p.m. followed by RCIA/Adult Formation

Fri. - Father Jim's day off

Sat. – Our Lady of Peace: RCIA at 10:15 a.m. Afternoon weddings, funerals at 4 p.m. or 5 p.m.; Mass at Holy Cross when scheduled.

Sun. - OLP 8:30 a.m. Mass; St. Victoria 11:00 a.m. Mass; Holy Cross Spanish Mass 2 p.m.

Food Pantry & Outreach: Georgia will meet with those in need on **Mondays from 1:00pm - 3:00 pm**; and on **Thursdays from 10:30a.m. - 12:30 p.m.** This will be routine except for holidays.

Mark your calendars - First Communions will be Sunday, May 10th, this year

Collecting Men's Clothing for the Migrant Workers Ministry.

Bag the items up and leave in the church hall any day between Feb.2nd and 10th.

Fr. Jim would like to meet with all Altar Servers – or anyone interested in becoming a Server - on Sunday, February 16th, after Mass. Any child who has received their First Communion is eligible to participate in this ministry. Adults are also welcome! Training is provided. *Please come to the meeting to explore the possibilities*

Deanery/ Region Meeting- Ministry Leaders: Attention Ministry Leaders! Our next Deanery/Region meeting is February 19 at 9:30 a.m. at Holy Cross Church in Lynchburg. Let Fr. Jim know if you are coming so they can plan for lunch.

Madeline McCracken has gone Professional: Madeline has begun her professional soccer career! She will be playing in Germany. We are overjoyed! Let us pray for her and her family. More information will be coming soon.

The Series," **Pivotal Players II**", by Bishop Robert Barron, will begin on Sunday Feb.16, before mass at 9:30 a.m. at St. Victoria.

February 9, 2020

St. Victoria Catholic Church

Pastor: Rev. James E. Gallagher, Jr.

P.O. Box 640, 305 Victoria Drive

Hurt, VA 24563

Phone: 434-324-4824

February 9th, Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Greeters: Melissa Andrews, Samson Wells, & Gerry Caprario

Lectors: Mary Dziabas, Len Rodgers

E.M. Jane Coates, Allan Lavoie, Mary Dziabas, David Van Donsel, Barbara Rodgers

Servers: Hayden Scolpini, Alma Sanchez

Counters Cathy Higgs, Joe Humphrey

St. Victoria Mass Schedule:

Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Monday 10:00 a.m.

Wednesday 10:00 a.m.

Thursday 6:30 p.m.

Holy Day Mass 7:00 p.m.

Marriage: Plan one year ahead.

Registration forms are in the office. See Janet.

Confession:

Monday before Mass at 9:30 a.m.; and the 1st Sunday of the month, after Mass.

Visitation of the Sick:

Contact Fr. Jim of any needs. Leave your name and phone number. Hospitals no longer notify the clergy.

READINGS

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 58:7 - 10

1 Corinthians 2: 1 - 5

Matthew 5:13- 16

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sirach 15:15-20

1Corinthians 2:6-10

Matthew 5:17-37

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Office, Bulletin & Registration: Janet Caprario - 434-656-9082

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Outreach Coordinator: Georgia Stomer 434-221-8709 (**DO NOT GIVE OUT**)

STEWARDSHIP (FINANCES)

February, 2, 02020:

Sunday & Holy Day Collections

Loose \$ 137.00

Envelopes \$ 2,295.00

TOTAL \$ 2,432.00

Our church fiscal year runs from July 2019 to June 2020. *The Annual Budget (needed) for Sunday Collections is \$105,600.00.*

July 2019 to Dec 2019 Budget \$ 52,800.00

Collected July 2019 to Dec 2019 \$ 53,090.00

Year to Date Plus to Budget \$ 290.00

Please note for STV to cover its budget, the weekly collection needs to be at least \$2,031.00 per week.

Thank You!

Mass Intention: George Dziabas

PARISH PRAYER LIST:

Ruth Simpson	Emily McCurry	Joe Smith
Eudora Roach	Marilyn Thurman	Ismael Gonzalez Garcia
Jessie Burks	Oneal Matthews	Chink Thomas
Vince Gryctko	Polly Ostmann	Roger Wood
Virginia Cantwell	Peg & Carl Obuchowski	Joyce Hackworth
Anastasia Cowan	Tom Newman	Pat Stapleton

Please pray for our Servicemen and Servicewomen: Dylan Allen, Chris Davidson, Ursula Hall, Edward Huddleston, Alex Simpson, Tiffany Smith, Chris Thielenhaus and Emma Reddy.

Welcome to the 2020 Annual Diocesan Appeal Building Our Family of Faith

The 2020 Appeal will provide critical funding to three areas of our Diocesan Church: Advancing Social Ministries, Cultivating Catholic Leadership and Empowering Parish Communities.

In **addition**, our parish received back a portion of the funds collected. This year, the funds returned will be used to supplement operating costs and Maintenance

In **complement** to the funds returned to our parish through the parish sharing formula, the 2020 Appeal also benefits us through the following ministries and programs. So far this year, St. Victoria received a \$1500.00 Fuel and Hunger Fund Grant to help our Outreach Programs. We will also apply for additional grants as needed.

"Local" March for Life – Thursday, February 13th. Cost is \$15 per person.

Contact Lucy Klaus at 804-492-5524 or lucyk3733@gmail.com

Fr. Jim Away -February 10-14

As Fr. Jim's dad has gone into assisted living, Father will travel to Rhode Island to visit Jim Gallagher Sr.

Start bringing your **palms in** for **Shrove Tuesday, Feb. 25th**. They will be burned then.

Diocesan Bicentennial Website-Don't Fall Behind: As you know our diocese is celebrating its 200th Anniversary. There is a song and a book out about it. You can access all information:: <https://2020.richmonddiocese.org/> Learn the song for mass. Learn about our history.

Song Contest: Can you add another verse about Saint Victoria or Our Lady of Peace to our Diocesan's Anniversary Song? If so, Fr. Jim has a prize for you. Contest begins on the First Sunday of Lent which is March first.

Great Speaker Coming to Holy Cross Church - March 28th from 9a.m. -3:30 p.m.

We are invited to come to Holy Cross and meet and listen to Gus Lloyd from Seize the Day, the host on the Catholic Radio Sattlelight Channel. He has written a number of books and also has a great sense of humor. His website address is <https://guslloyd.com/> . Check it out and come to meet him.

Bi-Centennial Chairperson

Chene Heady is the Bi-Centennial chairperson for Our Lady of Peace. He is at headycr@longwood.edu. **St. Victoria does not have a chairperson yet.**

Memorable Moments in Diocesan History- 1820 Bicentennial 2020 – 200 years.

Our diocese's second bishop, Richard Whelan, actually liked the demanding life of a circuit rider. He was in constant motion, travelling untold miles on horseback, stagecoach, and even on foot, to oversee his scattered flock. And so, when in 1850 the Vatican gave western Virginia its own see in Wheeling, he promptly requested a transfer to the even more rugged new diocese.

Guys - For Your Spiritual Testosterone!

Men's Convocation on **March 21st at St.Bedes in Williamsburg.9:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.** Guest speaker is Tri-athlete, John Lendeck (biking, running and swimming).and Deacon Charles Williams. Contact CDRCMFLorg., or the diocese for more info.

Gerry is looking for a few additional **Volunteers for the Evacuation Assistance Team.**

Please call 434-656-9082 if interested.