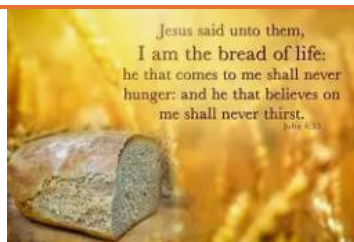


Potomac Highlands Catholic Churches



Jesus said to the Jewish crowds: "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world." The Jews quarreled among themselves, saying, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?"

John 6:51-52



June 07, 2026
The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and
Blood of Christ

Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a
1 Corinthians 10:16-17
John 6:51-58



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Message/Event for All

1. Please call 304-249-8114 or email St. Mary's to schedule a Mass Intention for someone. On weekday and weekend Mass, we will begin celebrating the Mass for any mass intention. An offering generally made and that offering will go into a fund for these who have less than we.
2. Next Special Collect is on **June 14 for Peter's Pence Collection.**
3. Legion of Mary: All are invited and active support is encouraged for Our Lady of the Valley Praesidium. To learn more about this dynamic group you can attend a meeting as a guest or contact any of the members. Meetings are each Monday from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the lower level of St. Mary's meeting hall. We need a secretary to take meeting notes. No experience is necessary and training will be provided. If you are interested, call or text St. Mary's at 304-249-8114 or Paul Lawrence at 860-680-9364.
4. Rev. Rusiri K. Wijewickrama, T.O.R. has been appointed as the Administrator of St. Mary Parish, Petersburg and St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, Franklin, effective June 17, 2026. He will reside at the St. Mary Parish rectory in Petersburg as he begins his ministry among us. Please keep Fr. Rusiri in your prayers as he prepares for this new chapter of service. **The temporary Mass Schedule will end once Fr. Rusiri arrives. And St Elizabeth and the Epiphany will return to their original weekend schedule. Namely, Epiphany's Saturday Vigil Mass at 5:00 pm and Reconciliation from 4 to 4:45 pm. And St Elizabeth's Sunday Mass at 12:00 pm. Weekday Mass and Communion Service for St Elizabeth's are still being determined.**

Sacrament by Appointment

Please call or text 304-249-8114 or send an email if there is a need for a hospital or home visit.

Any information for the bulletin and Mass intentions should be forwarded to the general office email address by Thursday evening.

Next Sunday's readings

Exodus 19:2-6a

Psalms 100:1-2, 3, 5

Romans 5:6-11

Matthew 9:36-10:8

St. Mary's Catholic Church

4 Grant Street
Petersburg, WV 26847
304-257-1057 or 304-249-8114

Liturgies

Wednesday at 12PM
Sunday at 10AM



Confessions

After Wednesday weekday mass
or call to schedule

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

First Wednesday of the month

Please join us for Rosary Prayer on Sunday at 9:30 AM.

The first Sunday of each month is Birthday Sunday at St. Mary's. Please stay after Mass and celebrate everyone who has a Birthday that month with some sort of dessert and good conversation.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/people/St-Marys-Catholic-Church/61569546391435/>

Ministry List for June 14, 2026

Lector: Tom Parisi **Acolyte:** Matthew Parisi
Eucharist Minister: Kelly Kuh & Lesley Parisi

Prayer List

Cleo Alt; Paul Borrer; David Brosh; Jerry Fetch; Gina Hinkle; Fr. Hite; Tommy Kimble, Nola Lawrence; John Lutz; Ben Miller; Levi Miller; Richard Ours; Roy Reynolds; Liz Sites; Alice Veach; Mary Wood; Gavin Yonce.

Home Bound members - Cleo Alt, Alice Veach, Larry Whetzel.

at the Grant County Nursing Home – Jerry Fetch; Dick Henderson.

Announcements

- Petersburg Interfaith Pantry Needs would be Cereal, Canned ravioli or something alike, pasta sauce. Donation can be accepted too. Please make check payable to Petersburg Interfaith Food Pantry.
- Our Lady of the Valley Praesidium within St. Mary's Catholic Church has contracted with WELD Radio Station out of Fisher, WV. The weekly broadcast is scheduled every Sunday from 11AM to 11:15AM
- Our Church Women United has sponsored the James Isaac House, a pregnancy resource center, in Petersburg. Please drop coins and/or bills in the baby bottles in the narthex.



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

545 Walnut Street
Franklin, WV 26807
304-358-7012

Deacon: John Windett

Liturgies

First and Third Tuesday of the Month at Noon
Second and Fourth Tuesday of the Month at Noon with
Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion

Saturday Vigil at 3PM

**Sunday 11AM Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion

****Please note that there will be no Sunday service unless Saturday Vigil Mass has been canceled due to inclement weather or illness.**

The 3rd Sunday of each month is Birthday Sunday at St. Elizabeth. Please stay after service and celebrate everyone who has a Birthday that month with some sort of dessert and good conversation.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/share/1XHzzPwsVH/?mibextid=wwXlfr>

Ministry List for June 14, 2026

Lector: Lynn Vandevander

Eucharist Minister: Carol Windett

Prayer List

Brat Alt; Lynn Beatty; Andi Boggs; Charlie Dundas; Matilda Garcia; Wayne Hedrick; LJ Huey; Deacon John; Kim Kline; Melvina Kolman; Don Mundy; Residents of Pendleton Manor.

Home Bound members - Don Mundy at 800 J.D. Anderson Dr.,

Room 228A, Morgantown, WV 26505.

Announcements

- CAN Needs would be Personal hygiene items, dish detergent, and laundry detergent. Cash/check donations can be dropped off at CAN or given to Carol Windett. A little green is always welcome!
- It's that time of year again. The grass is green and growing. Seas needs volunteer help to help mow. Please contact Steven O'Toole to volunteer. Thank you!

**EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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Monday 5 p.m.—7 p.m.
or by appointment

Facebook:

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Weekly Liturgical Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:30 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m.
12:00 p.m. (Spanish)
Thursday 11:00 a.m. (Holy Hour)
12:00 p.m.
Friday 6:00 p.m.
(Spanish Faith Formation)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Thursday after the noon mass
or by appointment.

Support in Prayer

*“The Lord bless you & keep you! The Lord let his face shine upon you & be gracious to you!
The Lord look upon you kindly & give you peace! ~Numbers 6:24-26*

Roy & Kathy Ratliff; Marlene & Anthony Ciccolella; Patty Fraley; Ben Miller; Liz Simpson; Zuber Family; Ring Family; Rodell Family; Yarworth Family; Joe Sis; Kathy Sis; Eileen Beatty; Tina; Marjory Jones; Larry Canterbury; Eugene Tuckwiller; Keith Wisner; Mark Wright; Maverick Cunningham; Bea Armentrout; Jon Hill; Lesley Hill; Donna Gandy; Don Watkins; Yolaine Watkins; Stefano Watkins Ratti; Michelle Watkins Ratti; Giovanni Ratti; Alessandro Ratti; Anna Nardone; Francesca Lezzi; Margherita Marchegiano; Ray & Anita Gandy; Ruddle Family; Louise Miller; Sage Peterson; Eugene Sherman
HOMEBOUND: Juanita Martin.

Announcements

- **Are you new to our Parish?** We are so happy you're here! We warmly welcome you to our parish community. If you have not yet registered, please contact the parish office to become a member. We look forward to getting to know you and helping you feel at home.



Pope's Monthly Intentions – June : For the values of sports

Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.

Feast Days in June

06/12: Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

06/24: Nativity of John the Baptist

06/29: Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles



SAFE ENVIRONMENT

To report suspected cases of child sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, please contact one of the following designees at (888) 434-2637 or (304) 233-0880: Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Tim Bishop, ext. 353; Sr. Martha Gomez, ext. (304)230-1504.

Monthly Devotion

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus is one of the most popular Catholic devotions. Although it was beloved in previous centuries, Jesus appeared to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque in 1673, showing her a vision of the now-famous image of His Sacred Heart, surrounded by flames. He said to her: "My Heart is so full of love for men that It can no longer contain the flames of Its burning love. I must discover to men the treasures of My Heart and save them from perdition." She was given the special mission to spread devotion to His Sacred Heart throughout the Church. Jesus gave St. Margaret Mary many promises associated with this devotion, and requested that a feast day in honor of His Sacred Heart be instituted on the Friday after the Octave of Corpus Christi. In 1856, the Feast of the Sacred Heart was spread to the Universal Church, and in 1899 Pope Leo XIII solemnly consecrated all mankind to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, calling it "the great act" of his pontificate.