“In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.”

Psalm 138

The archangels Michael, Gabriel & Raphael
**This Week:**

**Tuesday, September 29**

*St. Dominic Cenacle*

Join Cenacle via Zoom as they watch and discuss Episode 3 of “The Chosen” at **7pm**

*See the parish website for the Zoom link.*

**Sunday, October 4**

*St. Dominic Chapter of the Lay Dominicans*

Fraternity Meeting

- 12pm in the Priory Chapel
- 1pm in the Parish Meeting Room

Come and join us!

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### Pray for the Sick

Doris Baldwin, Debora Brownlee, Jerome Buke, Col. Roscoe Campbell, Khristofer Chowbay, Sally Daly, Barbara Dever, Helen G. Hewit, Thomas Geron, Jazz Goff, Carmen Gowers, Patricia & Patrick Hannon, Mary Hogan, Karla Humbles, Marilyn Jarvis, June Jaeger, Maureen Kish, C. Richard Kotulak, Ray Leslie, Andrea Martin, James F. McGrath, III, Mary McMorrow, Rose Montas, Richard Pane, Tomas Ramirez, Maria DeJesus Sanchez, Bruce Sanowar, Rosa Maria Santos, Mike Scarpulla, Frances White, Saundra Yates, and the other sick of the Parish and Priory.

### Sanctuary Candle

*In memory of Albert Balint.*

Arrangements to donate the Sanctuary Candle for a week for $15 or a Mass Intention for $10 can be made in the parish office.

### The Weekly Mass Intentions

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**Introductions and Welcome to Paul Campbell—Parish Organist**

Last week our Pastor introduced and welcomed Paul Campbell, who is now our Parish Organist.

Paul is a skilled organist, sensitive to the needs of congregational singing and a fine soloist. He also brings a unique combination of skills and education which will provide subject-matter expertise and advice regarding the completion of the Roosevelt Organ refurbishment.

Paul has seven years’ experience as an assisting organist for the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception and simultaneously served six years as the Assistant to the Music Director at the Cathedral of St Matthew the Apostle. He also served as Organist and Music Director for Sacred Heart Parish in Winchester, Virginia as well as a substitute organist for many churches in the region. Paul completed his Bachelors in Organ Performance (Catholic University of America, 2012) *Cum Laude*. He recently returned from a one-year sabbatical where he served as a volunteer with the Taizé Community in France.

We welcome Paul to our Parish, and we know he will make valuable contributions to our parish music ministry and community.

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**Today’s Readings**

**First Reading** — When the wicked turn away from their wickedness they have committed and do what is right, they shall surely live (Ezekiel 18:25-28).

**Psalm** — Remember your mercies, O Lord (Psalm 25).

**Second Reading** — Consider others as better than yourselves; look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others (Philippians 2:1-11 [1-5]).

**Gospel** — Tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God ahead of you (Matthew 21:28-32).

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**Insights**

People complain God isn’t “fair,” and Ezekiel answers that God is more than fair. People choose their own fates, and people can change. Even evildoers can turn, do right, and live. “Actions speak louder than words.” A fresh new insight? Hardly.

Paul tells the Philippians that he would truly be encouraged if those who claimed to be believers would, in fact, look to others’ interests and not their own. “The proof of the pudding is in the eating.” A novel idea? I don’t think so.

In Jesus’ story of the farmer and his sons, everyone knows that the one who said he wouldn’t work—but did—is way ahead of the one who said he would work—but didn’t. “Talk is cheap.” Heard that before?

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**Readings for the Week**

**Monday:** Jb 1:6-22; Ps 17:1bcd-3, 6-7; Lk 9:46-50

**Tuesday:** Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51

**Wednesday:** Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Ps 88:10bc-15; Lk 9:57-62

**Thursday:** Jb 19:21-27; Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14; Lk 10:1-12

**Friday:** Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Ps 139:1-3, 7-10, 13-14ab; Mt 18:1-5

**Saturday:** Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130; Lk 10:17-24

**Sunday:** Is 5:1-7; Ps 80:9, 12-16, 19-20; Phil 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-43
Welcome
No matter how long you’re planning to be in the neighborhood, please consider this your home. Fill out a registration form found in the vestibule of the church or on the website, or stop by the parish office.

Sunday Masses
- 5:00pm Vigil (Saturday)
- 8:00am
- 10:30am (followed by coffee and donuts in the Parish Mtg Rm)
- 5:00pm

Weekdays
Monday—Friday:
- 8:00am
- 12:10pm (followed by the veneration of a relic of St. Jude on Fridays)

Saturday:
- 9:00am

Holy Days
- 5:00pm Vigil
- 8:00am
- 12:10pm
- 7:00pm

Sunday
- 9:45am

Monday-Friday
- 11:55am—12:15pm

Saturday
- 4:30pm

Confession Times

Administration of the Sacraments
Please Contact the Parish Office
Baptism: “Parents are obliged to take care that infants are baptized in the first few weeks” (Code of Canon Law, 867§1).
Matrimony: “And the two shall become one flesh” (Mark 10:8).
Holy Eucharist at Home: When a fellow parishioner is in the hospital or unable to attend Mass.
Adoration: Tuesday & Thursday from 7-7:30pm (Church); Thursdays from 5pm-6pm (Friar’s Chapel).
Anointing of the Sick: Those facing serious illness or entering the hospital.

Church Hours
Sun—Fri
- 7am—8pm
Sat
- 8am—8pm

Parish Office Hours
Sunday
- 9:00am—1:00pm
Mon—Fri
- 8:30am—5:00pm

Catholic Schools
St. Peter School
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- (202) 544-1618
- www.stpeterschooldc.org
- Grades K—8

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- (202) 484-0044
- www.waterfrontacademy.org
- Montessori 18 months—Grade 8

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Our mission is to preach the Gospel and make disciples, and glorify God through the Eucharist and the other Sacraments, build up the communion of the Church, and serve others through the spiritual and corporal works of mercy.

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