

**St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church**

25236 Coastal Boulevard

Onley, VA 23418

**NOTICE TO PARISHIONERS OF ST. PETER'S PARISH, ONLEY, VIRGINIA**

Dear Parishioners,

On Wednesday, May 13, I participated in a ZOOM conference with Bishop Knestout and his staff to review the guidelines for re-opening our Church to the public. The Diocese of Richmond will **NOT** be opening the churches this weekend, May 16/17. Masses will continue to be streamed until further notice.

A small group of parishioners, the Re-Opening Team, is working with me to develop a plan to re-open St. Peter's. The plan will be ready to implement when we are approved to re-open.

A few notes on what will change:

ALL who enter the church must wear a facemask if over the age of 3.

Social distancing (6 foot distance) will be strictly followed.


The number of people allowed in the church will be limited and everyone will have an opportunity to attend mass occasionally. Masses will continue to be streamed even after the Church begins to re-open.

You may not enter the church if (1) you or anyone in your household have a new cough or new shortness of breath; (2) you or anyone in your household had a fever in the 2 previous weeks; or (3) you came in contact with anyone who is positive with COVID-19 in the previous 2 weeks.

An update with more details will be provided by Thursday, May 21.

Stay safe. Be happy. Pray for our families and community.

In prayer,



Fr. Roger Abadano