

# Saint Peter the Apostle

Catholic Parish

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## October 19, 2014 Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### **MASS SCHEDULE**

**Saturday Anticipated:** 5:30 p.m.

**Sunday:** 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m.\*, 11:15 a.m.\*

**Holy Days:** 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

\*Nursery is available in the school during the  
9:00 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. Masses

**Daily Mass:** Monday - Friday at 7:30 a.m.

### **RECONCILIATION**

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS:** Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

**PHONE:** 912-897-5156

**FAX:** 912-897-7924

**EMAIL:** [info@spacsav.net](mailto:info@spacsav.net)

### **BAPTISMS**

Please call the parish office at least six weeks in advance before you make any arrangements. Parents are required to attend a Baptism Class that is offered once a quarter.

### **WEDDINGS**

Call the parish office at least six months in advance of the intended marriage. Please set no dates until the priest performing the ceremony has been consulted and the church of marriage is available.

### **FLOWERS**

If you wish to have flowers on the altar for a specific weekend, please call the parish office.

### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

If you have not yet had an opportunity to register in the parish, please take a Census Form from the narthex of the church or go to the parish website for instructions.

*"All Are Welcome"*



# MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 19, 2014



## INTENTION

## REQUESTED BY

SUNDAY	Marie Novak .....	Margie & Fred Moser
	Ellen Hogan Murray.....	Her Loving Family
	Hilda Patton.....	Mary Newton
MONDAY	St. Peter the Apostle Family and Friends	
TUESDAY	Paul Moore.....	Leigh & John Ebberwein
WEDNESDAY	Hilda Patton .....	St. Peter the Apostle School Faculty & Staff
THURSDAY	Carl Griffith .....	Leigh & John Ebberwein
FRIDAY	The Bulloch Family .....	Beidler Family
SATURDAY	Joe Heimes (birthday).....	Marianne Heimes
	Ellen Conlon .....	Dennis Conlon

**The SPA Cub Scouts will be selling popcorn after all Masses THIS weekend. Please support our Cub Scouts!**



**SECOND COLLECTION** this weekend is for World Missions. World Mission Sunday is a day set aside for Catholics worldwide to recommit themselves to the Church's missionary activity through prayer and sacrifice. Please respond generously to this appeal.



### **NEW!!! LIFE TEEN MASS**

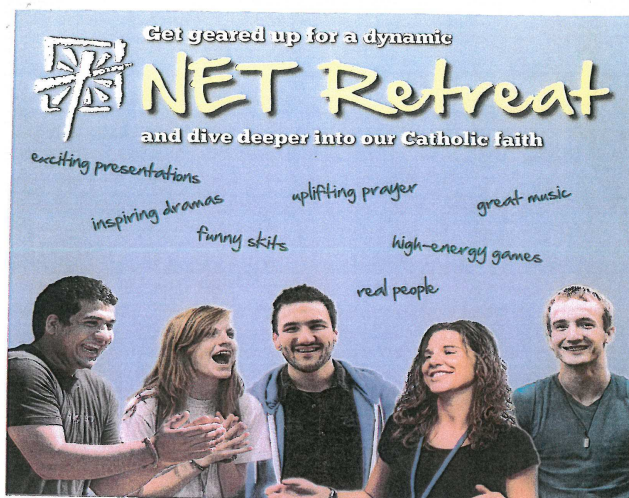
The first LifeTeen Mass will be celebrated **THIS Sunday** at 4:00 p.m. The Mass will be the conclusion of the Net Ministry Confirmation Retreat, however all youth of the parish and their parents are invited to attend. We plan to have a LifeTeen Mass every month here at St. Peter the Apostle and we would love for you to join us!



IN MEMORY

There is a notebook in the narthex for you to write the names of loved ones who have passed away in the past year (November 1, 2013 until present). These names will be written on a scroll, placed on the altar, and Monsignor

Costigan and Fr. Paul will be privileged to offer the Sunday Masses in November in memory of your departed loved ones.



**St. Peter the Apostle Parish**

### **Mandatory Confirmation Retreat**

**Grades 7th and 8th**

**Sunday October 19th**

**10am -5pm**

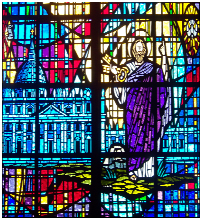
**Parents please join us for lifeTeen Mass at 4pm.**



### **ALTAR SERVER TRAINING**

The last training is this Sunday from 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.

**All servers should have attended at least 2 sessions.** Servers must be 4th grade through high school. Any questions or problems, please call Irene Nave at 667-9099.



**STEWARDSHIP** is easier than ever at St. Peter the Apostle Church with our new online giving system, WeShare. Make your one-time or recurring donation using your debit card, credit card, checking, or savings

account. **Start today by following these 3 easy steps:**

1. Visit our church website, click on Online Giving
2. Set up your account
3. Choose a payment option and customize your donation

**Please make sure to turn in your Commitment Card—either bring it to the Parish Office, mail it, or put the card in the offertory basket at Mass.**



**STEWARDSHIP IS A WAY OF LIFE**

You have not lived until you have done something for someone who can never repay you.

## 15TH ANNUAL ST. PETER THE APOSTLE GOLF TOURNAMENT AND 4TH ANNUAL TENNIS TOURNAMENT



**WHEN: Monday, November 3, 2014**

**WHERE: Golf at The Wilmington Island Club  
Tennis at The Savannah Yacht Club**



**All proceeds benefit the St. Peter the Apostle Tuition Assistance Fund**

It's time to get your teams "TOGETHER" for a great day of fun, fellowship, golf and tennis for an important cause. Golf is limited to the first 144 players to sign up and begins at 12 noon shotgun start. Cost for golf is \$100 per player which includes cart, greens fees, lunch, dinner after play (adults only) and the awards presentation. The Tennis Tournament will begin with sign-in at 9:00 a.m. Tennis is limited to the first 32 players to sign up and will be played in a Round Robin format. Entry fee is \$50 and includes court fees, lunch, drinks, fabulous door prizes and dinner at the Wilmington Island Club (adults only). The entry forms have been mailed and we urge you to return them as soon as possible, but no later than Monday, October 27th. Extra forms are in the narthex.

We also invite you to support this important fundraiser by being a Hole Sponsor (\$100), Family Sponsor (\$50) or Court Sponsor (\$100). *The money collected through these sponsorships greatly helps to ensure the success of the tournaments.*



The *Southern Cross* is the official newspaper of the Diocese of Savannah which reaches 28,000 families in Georgia. It is the most broad-reaching evangelization vehicle in our diocese. Your contribution of \$20, \$40 or more supports the distribution of the *Southern Cross* to all members of our Catholic family. If you did not contribute last weekend, please consider doing so. Our parish is assessed by the Diocese for every registered parishioner, so whatever you can give is most appreciated.

## SPAGHETTI SUPPER FOR 55 & OLDER

Please join us on Saturday, October 25th from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. in the Parish Center for a delicious meal, door prizes and music. Sign up in the narthex after all Masses this weekend.

**There is NO CHARGE for dinner.**



**MUSICIANS NEEDED for a NEW Life Teen Band!** High schoolers, young adults, young at heart - please consider lending your musical talent to the new contemporary Praise and Worship Band that we are forming. For more information or to volunteer, please contact Ron Winders at [rwinders2@yahoo.com](mailto:rwinders2@yahoo.com) or Lisa Fogarty at [lfogarty@spacsav.net](mailto:lfogarty@spacsav.net).



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Mrs. Boyles & 7th grade Science Classes visited the Skidaway Island Marine Science Museum.



### St. Peter the Apostle School Upcoming Events

**Sunday, October 19, 2014**  
 -Confirmation Retreat 10am-5pm  
 -EDGE & Lifeteen Mass 4:00  
 -Altar Server Training

**Monday, October 20, 2014**  
 -Red Ribbon Week Begins

**Tuesday, October 21, 2014**  
 -2nd & 3rd grade fieldtrip to Skidaway Island

**Wednesday, October 22, 2014**  
 -8th grade girls visit SVA  
 -8th grade boys visit BC  
 -Rocky Times Mtg. 3:00  
 -Yearbook Mtg. 3:15  
 -Rosary Club 3:00

**Thursday, October 23, 2014**  
 Youth Choir Practice

**Friday, October 24, 2014**  
 -Parent/Student/Teacher Conferences  
 -Halloween Hike - Oatland Island

**Saturday, October 25, 2014**  
 -Halloween Hike - Oatland Island  
 -4th Annual "Team Suzanne" Halloween Party

**Sunday, October 26, 2014**  
 -EDGE Halloween Social



**ABOVE: #1-** Kindergarteners learn about Christopher Columbus, the Niña, Pinta, and Santa Maria in honor of Columbus Day! **#2-** Fifth grade student Reese W. presents his "Explorer Report" about Leif Erikson. **BELOW:** Second grade students George & Graham congratulate Parker on the beautiful Rosary he made in class.



**TOGETHER** we live, pray, learn and serve.

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Saint Peter the Apostle School exists to provide a quality Catholic education based on Gospel values and the teachings of the Catholic Church. Following the traditions of the Sisters of Mercy, the school educates through a strong academic program and instills in its students a spirit of mercy, justice, and loving concern.

## **LOOK AT WHAT'S HAPPENING** **AT ST. PETER THE APOSTLE PARISH**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR 4-6 YEAR OLDS** takes place during the 9:00 a.m. Mass. The children come to Mass with their family and then before the readings will be taken to the Youth Center by their teachers for age appropriate lessons. Children are to be picked up at the Youth Center after Mass is over.

**EDGE** will meet this Sunday in the Youth Center from 5:15 - 6:30 p.m. and **LIFETEEN** will meet from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

**R.C.I.A.** is held on Mondays in the Parish Center room #1 at 5:45 p.m. Anyone who would like to become Catholic or learn more about the Catholic faith is invited to attend. Dinner is provided each week. Contact Lisa Fogarty for more information.

**MONDAY NIGHT ADULT BIBLE STUDY** is held in the Parish Center room #2 from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. For information contact Richard DeBorde at 596-4928 or Richard@deborde.com.

**THE MEN OF ST. JOSEPH** meet every Wednesday at 6:30 a.m. in the Parish Center room #2 for prayer and discussion of Sunday's gospel. All men of the parish are welcome.

**THE ROSARY** is recited every weekday morning at 7:00 a.m. and also every Wednesday at 3:15 and 6:30 p.m. in the Daily Chapel. Everyone is welcome.

**WOMEN'S SCRIPTURE STUDY** meets each Wednesday from 1:45 - 3:00 p.m. in room #2 of the Parish Center. All women of the parish are invited to attend. Questions, please contact Cathy Scanlon at 897-6664 or Irene Nave at 667-9099.

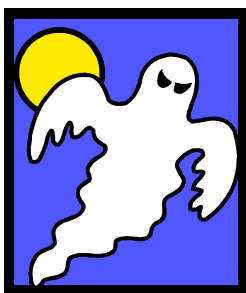
**CCD** classes are held in the school on Wednesdays from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. All those students in grades K-high school who do not attend a Catholic school should be attending CCD. For more information, contact Paula Hubert at phubert@spacsav.net.

**FOREVER YOUNG** will have a Halloween Party this Friday. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes. Please bring a covered dish to share. A look ahead—On Sunday, December 7th, Forever Young will go to the Savannah Theater to see the Christmas show at 3:00 p.m. Please call Janet Hubbs at 898-0806 to reserve a ticket.

**CATHOLIC SCRIPTURE STUDY** will begin a new year of study on Sunday, October 26th. They will take an in depth look at St. Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians. The meetings are Sundays at 10:00 a.m. in the Parish Center room #2. Please register after Masses on Sept. 28th so materials can be ordered. Contact Tom Madison at 897-1034 or tmad1204@yahoo.com.

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** will be held next Wednesday, October 28th at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center room #1.

**BAPTISM CLASS** for parents planning an upcoming baptism will be held on Thursday, November 6 in the parish office. Please call 897-5156 to R.S.V.P.



### **TEAM SUZANNE HALLOWEEN PARTY**

It's time to shake your bones again on Saturday, October 25th from 8:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. at the Knights of Columbus, 3 W. Liberty St. Tickets are \$20 with a cash bar and Costume Contest.

Come out and help us raise money for the Suzanne Fogarty Education Fund. Suzanne considered this the "Teacher's Scholarship". The teachers from St.

Peter the Apostle and Blessed Sacrament schools nominate the students who exemplify what Suzanne admired most in her own students: a love and appreciation of learning. There will be a contest to see which school has the most parents in attendance.

Come and support OUR school and the fund that supports your children and their education.

When a parliamentary or social majority decrees that it is legal, at least under certain conditions, to kill unborn human life, is it not really making a tyrannical decision with regard to the weakest and most defenseless of human beings. -Pope John Paul, II

***Support your Parish Right to Life Ministry***

**CATHEDRAL  
HERITAGE GALA &  
BENEFIT CONCERT**  
will take place on Friday,  
November 21st. For more  
information visit  
savannahcathedral.org or  
call 429-7612.



### **PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

October 12, 2014:	\$12,119.00
October 5, 2014:	\$15,343.50
September 28, 2014:	\$13,310.63
September 21, 2014:	\$15,572.00
Weekly Goal:	\$18,370.00
Fiscal YTD:	\$190,381.13
Fiscal YTD +/-:	-\$ 48,368.87

(Fiscal year runs from July 1 to June 30)

***Thank you for your most generous gifts to the Stewardship of Treasure. The offertory is the primary means of support for the parish and provides programs and services to our parishioners and community.***



**Be an Earl Bird! You can NOW pre-register for your 2015 tax credit! For 2015, GRACE introduces a single combined form in online and paper versions. *State form TPI and the GRACE contribution form have been consolidated into one form.*** You can send either version of the form to GRACE now, and no payment is due until March 2015 at the earliest. GRACE will begin applying for donors' tax credits on January 1, 2015 on a first-come, first-served basis. Learn more about the contribution process at [gracescholars.org](http://gracescholars.org). Please consider donating to the GRACE Scholars and help send a child to St. Peter the Apostle School who otherwise could not afford it. Since the program began in 2008, St. Peter the Apostle School has had 28 GRACE Scholar recipients, 16 currently enrolled, and over \$400,000 has been donated by parishioners and friends of St. Peter the Apostle School.



***Come and spend an hour with Jesus!*** Adoration

Chapel hours: Monday 8:00 a.m.—Wednesday 11:00 p.m. To sign up for an hour, or to check the schedule, please visit the St. Peter the Apostle website. The chapel is listed under "Parish Ministries". For questions contact Leigh Ebberwein at 308-2602 or email [ebbwein@aol.com](mailto:ebbwein@aol.com).



**ANNUAL BLESSING OF THE GRAVES** will take

place at the Catholic Cemetery on Wheaton St. on Sunday, November 2nd at 3:00 p.m.

Those from the Savannah area parishes who died during the past year will be remembered during the ceremony. Participants will gather at the Priests' Lot in the Magnolia section. All are welcome to attend and take this opportunity to remember deceased priests, family members and friends.

**DAY OF DISCERNMENT** for single Catholic women age 18-35 who might be considering a call to religious life will be held at Blessed Sacrament Parish Center on Saturday, October 25th from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Come and learn how to discern God's call and join other women in this day of reflection, meet Sisters, hear their vocation stories and ask questions. For information or to R.S.V.P. contact Sr. Donna Loeper, SSJ at [donnaeloper@comcast.net](mailto:donnaeloper@comcast.net) or 484-7860.

**READINGS FOR NEXT WEEKEND  
October 26, 2014**

**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

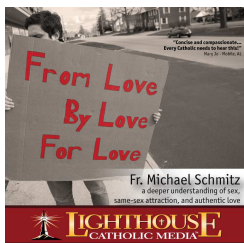
First Reading: Exodus 22:20-26  
Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10  
Gospel: Matthew 22:34-40

**BAPTISM CLASS** will be held on Thursday, November 6th at 7:00 p.m. in the parish office conference room. Any family who is planning an upcoming baptism here at St. Peter the Apostle parish must attend a Baptism Class. Please call the parish office at 897-5156 to R.S.V.P.

**RACHEL'S VINEYARD POST ABORTION HEALING RETREAT** will be held October 31st-November 2nd near

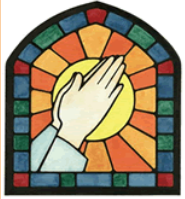
Augusta. If you have feelings of grief, anxiety, guilt, depression, emotional or spiritual problems due to a past abortion, know that you are not alone. This confidential weekend retreat facilitates spiritual, psychological and emotional healing for women, men and family members struggling with the pain of abortion. Exercises based on scripture are designed to help participants experience God's mercy and compassion, to reconcile with God, their child, and themselves. Contact [mhibbs@diosav.org](mailto:mhibbs@diosav.org) or 201-4059 or visit [rachelsvineyard.org](http://rachelsvineyard.org).

**ABUSE HOTLINE NUMBER:** To report sexual abuse of a minor by a Diocese of Savannah employee or volunteer, call the abuse hotline number at 888-357-5330 or the Office for the Protection of Children and Young People, 201-4073/4. To read diocesan policy on sexual abuse of minors, go to the diocesan site at [www.diosav.org/chilyouthprotection](http://www.diosav.org/chilyouthprotection).



The parish recently purchased CD's from Lighthouse Catholic Media which will help you become refreshed and enlightened about the Catholic faith and how it relates to your everyday life. Check them out - they are in the narthex! We will feature one every week in the bulletin: #18 is "From Love, By Love, For Love" by Fr. Michael Schmitz.

Father Michael Schmitz tackles some of the most difficult topics in the Church today. With compassion, clarity, and humor, he shows that the Church's teachings on contraception and same-sex attraction are rooted in the yearnings for authentic love that is shared by all, who are made in the image and likeness of God.



**+++PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED+++**

Joan Shoemaker Aliffi, Sr. Amelia Ann Pastrano (sister of Kathy Wrenn), Betty Brown (sister of Bobby Wrenn), Jim Wilms (husband of Elena Berutti & father of Juliette Wilms), Susan Fitzgerald Parker (sister of Colleen Henry), Frankie Hodges (aunt of Andrew & David Zeigler)

**+++ PRAY FOR THE SICK +++**

**HOSPITALS:** St. Joseph - Eleanor Wood **AT HOME SICK:** Lucy DiPietro, Janice Johnson, Mary Curry, Harris Orsini, Ann Carter, Mike Sievers, Joe Lancaster, Eleanor Ciucevich, Ralph Wigger, Joe Johnson, Amanda Mizelle Fanning, Mickey Hohnerlein, Connor Pijuan, Marion Harkelroad, Sr., Jay Maney, Maria Buckhaults, Patsy Chan, Richard Garcia, Loreta Forbes Felix, Hugh Arnold, Lynn Lynch, Kay Grayson

**NURSING HOMES & ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES:** **Summer Breeze** - Elizabeth Overstreet, Frances McBride, Sebastian Orsini, Patricia Gunderson, Ruby Deaton, Mary Handiboe Powers, Margaret Murray **Savannah Square** - Rose Carter, Elvera Bakstran, Josephine Murphy **Spanish Oaks** - Ed Hayden, Mac Powers **Kindred Transitional Care** - Charlie Parker, **Rivers Edge** - Joan Sullivan **Buckingham South** - Estelle Carter

**OUT OF TOWN SICK:** Barbara Miller (cousin of Carol Mesaros), Chris Gilmore (nephew of Hugh Gilmore), James Deere (cousin of Rose Larkin), Karen Simon-Poland (sister of Monica Dodd), Ellie DeLucia (granddaughter of Carmella DeLucia), Mary Gould (mother of Deborah Gould), John Pyrtle (friend of the Willis family), Brian Conley (nephew of Betsy O'Neil), Jimmy Zupfer, Joe Harty (brother of Veva Shuman), Anna O'Brien, Raymond O'Brien, Eugene Landry, Mike May (brother-in-law of Candy Sobataka), Devon Bushey (nephew of Peter Preston), Harold & Myra Young (parents of John Young), Dawn Stevens (friend of Mike & Joy Povec), Bob Robinson (brother of Kathleen Ansley), Kyley Cornwell (friend of Helen Counihan), Abby Pruitt, William Welsh (friend of Francesca Rehal), Clara Russo (sister-in-law of Sarah & Tim Fogarty), Jake Morgan (son of Dave & Kim Morgan), Branden Agramonte (nephew of Ana Portman)



**St. Peter the Apostle Parish and School  
Upcoming Events**



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>October 19</i></p> <p>Sunday School 4-6 year olds 9am Mass</p> <p>Net Ministry Confirmation Retreat 10am-5pm LifeTeen Mass 4pm</p> <p>Edge 5:00-6:15 LifeTeen 6:30-8pm</p>	<p><i>October 20</i> Rosary 7am</p> <p>RCIA 5:45 pm Parish Center rm#1</p> <p>Adult Bible Study 7pm Parish Center rm#2</p>	<p><i>October 21</i> Rosary 7am</p>	<p><i>October 22</i> Rosary 7am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am PC rm#2 Women's Scripture Study 1:45-3pm Parish Center rm#2 CCD 6:30 pm Rosary 6:30 p.m. Adult choir practice 7:30 pm</p>	<p><i>October 23</i> Rosary 7 am</p>	<p><i>October 24</i> Rosary 7am</p> <p>SPA School Conference Day Forever Young Halloween Party 11:30 am Parish Center rm#1</p>	<p><i>October 25</i> Spaghetti Supper for 55 &amp; older 6:30—8pm Parish Center Team Suzanne Halloween Party—K of C 3 W. Liberty</p>
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