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# May 3, 2015 Fifth Sunday of Easter

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

### 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. Couples must attend a Pre Cana class.

### **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 MAY 3, 2015



### **INTENTION**

### **REQUESTED BY**

SUNDAY	Danny McCutchen	Chris & Maureen Thompson
10 Sector Bar		
		Dennis Counihan & Family
MONDAY		
TUESDAY	Ed Mangiero	
WEDNESDAY		Sheila & Ron Winders
THURSDAY	In Thanksgiving	Linda & Jim Wilharm
FRIDAY		
SATURDAY	Constance Degenhart	

# \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* \* The Annual Mother/Daughter ✻ Breakfast, sponsored by the ✻ Women's Council and the Parish, will \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* be held THIS Sunday, May 3rd immediately following the 9:00 a.m.

Mass in the Parish Center. The speaker will be Jules Rabeler from the Savannah Bee Company. All mothers, grandmothers, stepmothers, aunts and special friends are invited. There is NO CHARGE!

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## **FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR**

this weekend are in Celebration of the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Joe & Nancy Hasbrouck. Congratulations!





# FIRST COMMUNION **PRACTICE** will be held THIS Thursday, May 7th from 4:00 - 5:15 p.m. in the church. THE SACRAMENT OF FIRST **COMMUNION** will be

administered here at St. Peter the Apostle on Saturday, May 9th at 9:30 a.m. Family and friends are cordially invited to share in this special day. Group and individual pictures will be taken at 8:30 a.m. so candidates should arrive early. Picture order forms will be given out at the practice.



# **NEW PARISH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY**

It's been six years since our last pictorial directory was done, so it's time for a new one! Please be a part of our new family directory—we need YOU to make our new family album complete! Let's put names with faces. We have chosen to partner with Lifetouch for professional photography that will connect our members and tell our story. Each family will receive a

complimentary 8x10 portrait and directory for participating. Dates for photography are May 12th-16th, May 22nd & 23rd, and June 5th & 6th. You may sign up for a photography time this weekend after Masses and also on our website. Please note that online sign ups will be locked out on the weekends that we are taking live appointments after Masses.



# Eucharistic ST. PETER THE APOSTLE **ADORATION CHAPEL** What is a holy hour? A holy hour is spending time with

God. Just as communication in marriage means listening, so the

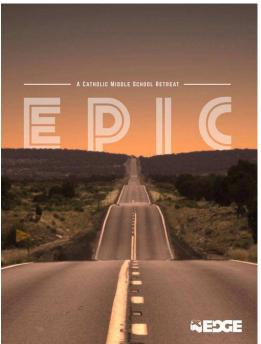
holy hour means listening; only in this case it means listening to God. Just as you must spend time with our spouse just pursuing the personal relationship of husband and wife, so you must spend time with God. The holy hour places one in the presence of God to do just that. Come and spend an hour with Jesus. Saint Peter the Apostle Adoration Chapel Hours are Monday 8:00 a.m. - Wednesday 11:00 p.m.



**SPECIAL INCENTIVE!** 

We are happy to watch our enrollment steadily grow at St. Peter the Apostle School. For the 2015-2016 school

year, we are focusing on growing the upcoming first and fourth grades. If you have a child entering these grades, we have some financial incentives for enrollment. Please call Fr. Paul Cabrita. S.M. or Mrs. Clare Zeigler in the Parish Office at 897-5156.



# YOUTH GROUP NEWS

Edge will begin their Epic Retreat on May 3rd from 5:00 -7:00 p.m. and it will continue with a lock-in on May 9th from 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 a.m., and then again on May 17th from 5:00-7:00 p.m.

STEUBENVILLE RETREAT will be held July 10-12 at the Gwinnett Center in Duluth, GA. At a Steubenville Conference, teens will learn what it takes to be great in this life. Teens will come to experience a relationship with Christ that can radically transform everything in their life. The goal is for teens to open their hearts to Jesus Christ who desires their lives to be fulfilling, exciting, and joyful! It is open to all current 8th - 12th graders and is presented by LifeTeen. Registration is \$100 and is due by May 1st. Registration packets are available in the Youth Center or by emailing youthminister@spacav.net.

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

**EDGE** will begin their Epic Retreat this Sunday from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. and Lifeteen will meet from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. 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.

WOMEN'S SCRIPTURE STUDY meet 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. Contact Cathy Scanlon at 897-6664 or Irene Nave at 667-9099. **K OF C** will meet this Wednesday in the MPR at 7:00 p.m.

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

WOMEN'S DISCUSSION GROUP will meet next Tuesday, May 12th at 5:30 p.m. at the home of Carole Arpin for the end of the year Mass and dinner. All current and former members are invited to attend. Please contact Patti Stewart at 898-0736 or pattiosav@comcast.net if you would like more information.

MEN'S CLUB will meet next Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center room #1.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING will take place next Wednesday, May 13th at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center room #1.



For information, tours or to shadow at St. Peter the Apostle School, call 897-5224.

Curriculum Coordinator - Helena Russell - hrussell@spasav.net Secretary - Michelle Carbo - mcarbo@spasav.net Accountant - Tamara Harty - tharty@spacsav.net Aftercare Director - Jennifer Schwalbe - jschwalbe@spasav.net Communication Coordinator -Ana Portman-aportman@spasav.net

St. Peter the Apostle students and faculty "Dress their Decade" for Autism Awareness.





### Upcoming Events at St. Peter the Apostle School

Monday, May 4, 2015 -Computer Technology Club

Tuesday, May 5, 2015 -SPA Fine Arts Night and Talent Show 6:30 - 8:00pm in Parish Center

Wednesday, May 6, 2015 -Talent Show 1:45 in Parish Center -Newspaper Mtg. 3:00pm -Rosary Club 3:00pm -Equestrian Club -Papa John's Spirit Night

Thursday, May 7, 2015 -Out of Uniform for Relay for Life -Youth Choir Practice -First Communion Practice 4:00-5:15

Friday, May 8, 2015 -Deanery Retreat for Teachers -Student Holiday

Saturday, May 9, 2015 -First Communion 9:30am

Sunday, May 10, 2015 -Mother's Day





When the fieldtrip to see the "Little Mermaid" was cancelled due to a late arriving bus, Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grades took a trip downtown to the park and to Leopold's for ice cream.





TOGETHER we live, pray, learn and serve.P.O. Box 304607020 Concord RoadSavannah, Georgia 31410school@spasav.netp. 912.897.5224f. 912.897.0801

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.



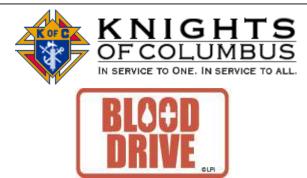
# **2015 Vacation Bible School**

Theme: SonSpark Labs Catholic VBS Date: July 6th – 10th

We are so excited about this year's VBS! Each year we try to learn something new and build on it to make the best program to serve the Parish.

There are some exciting changes this year that we know will serve your family even better! We are in the planning stages and could use volunteers! We need students who have completed grade 7 and up and adults (who will need VIRTUS). The more volunteers we have the better and bigger we can make it. Please contact Paula Hubert in the Parish Office if you would like to volunteer or donate items for the week of crafts & events.

EMAIL: phubert@spacsav.net



SAVE THE DATE! ISLANDS K OF C BLOOD DRIVE will be held on Wednesday, May 20th from 2:00 –7:00 p.m. They need 35 pints. Please consider donating that day.

May is Mental Health Awareness Month. Mental illnesses affect everyone across the country. One in five people will experience a mental illness in a year – one in seventeen - a serious mental illness. Please become aware and help spread the knowledge that with participation in evidence based treatment and services, most people can and do recover to live effective lives in the community. For more information, please review the website. NAMI National Alliance on Mental Illness <u>www.namiga.org</u>



## TAKE MOM TO BREAKFAST NEXT SUNDAY!

Council Knights of Columbus invite everyone to come over to the Parish Center next Sunday immediately following the 7:30 AND the 9:00 a.m. Masses for a delicious breakfast, which includes an omelet bar and their newest item-French toast. The cost is only \$5 for an all-inclusive breakfast. Give Mom a break and take her out for breakfast on Mother's Day!



Just a reminder! If you haven't made your pledge to the *Bishop's Annual Appeal*, please consider

doing it this week. As good stewards, each of us has a responsibility to share our great gifts that come from God. Our parish target is \$94,487 and we are confident that with everyone's participation we will be able to meet that goal. There are extra pledge cards in the narthex if you need one. As of April 23rd our parish had reached **48%** of the goal with \$45,651 being pledged from **17.16%** of registered parishioners.

*STEWARDSHIP IS A WAY OF LIFE* You can give without loving. But you cannot love without giving. -Amy Carmichael (1867-1951) Missionary to India

## PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

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April 26, 2015:	\$13,607.00
Catholic Home Missions:	\$ 2,967.00
April 19, 2015:	\$12,908.00
April 12, 2015:	\$16,699.00
Online Giving 3/17-4/8/2015:	\$ 2,985.00
April 5, 2015:	\$19,616.00
Weekly Goal:	\$18,370.00
Fiscal YTD:	\$694,436.37
Fiscal YTD +/-:	+\$ 26,099.40

(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.



**FOREVER YOUNG TROLLEY TOUR** will take place on Friday, May 15th. The cost is \$11 + the cost of your lunch. The trolley will

leave the church parking lot at 10:00 a.m. for a tour of downtown Savannah and lunch, then return back to the church. Seating is limited so please R.S.V.P. to Janet Hubbs at 898-0806.



**CATHOLIC NIGHT AT THE BALLPARK** Join your Catholic friends and neighbors at Grayson Stadium as the Sand Gnats play host to the Asheville

Tourists on May 26th. Parishioners of the Diocese of Savannah, family and friends are invited to join Bishop Gregory J. Hartmayer, OFM Conv. to watch tomorrow's major league stars in a key minor-league AA contest. The Diocese of Savannah will be recognized at the game and Bishop Hartmayer will throw out the first pitch. Ticket sales support the Social Apostolate. Purchase tickets at <u>https:// diosav.org/catholic-packpark-tickets</u>.

## **VOCATION CAMPS**

The Vocation Office is once again sponsoring vocation camps for boys and girls at the Primitive Baptist campground in Collins, GA. The camps begin with **Call to Holiness** for girls 7th - 12th grade on June 21st - 24th followed by **Vocatio Dei** for boys 7th - 12th grade on June 24th - 27th. The cost is \$50 per child (each additional child from same family is \$30). At camp the youth will have an opportunity to attend daily mass, rosary, reconciliation, liturgy of the hours, listen to excellent speakers, and of course, lots of outdoor activities. An underlying theme at camp has always been "pray hard and play hard." Online registration and payment is now open at diosav.org/vocations.



### **CAMP VILLA MARIE** runs

from June 1 until August 7 for children ages 6-12. Weekly themes and registration can be found online at diosav.org/ymc or call Maggie Grimm at 201-4048.

They need junior (ages 16-17) and senior (over 18) counselors for all ten weeks this summer. Register early to ensure you get the weeks you want.

During the month of May, the respect for Life Parish Ministry will be collecting infants clothing, diapers (up to 3 mos.) and infant formula. These items will be given to Savannah Cares to be used by woman who elected to have their babies and need assistance in caring for them. Please drop off these items in the narthex prior to all Masses during the month of May, a month devoted to Mary the Mother of God. Thank you for your generosity.



# SPA SMART CAMPS ARE COMING: JUNE 15-19 JUNE 22-26 JUNE 29-JULY 3

# WATCH THE BULLETIN FOR DETAILS

### READINGS FOR NEXT WEEKEND May 10, 2015 Sixth Sunday of Easter First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 10:25-26, 34-35,

44-48 Second Reading: 1 John 4:7-10 Gospel: John 15:9-17



**RUSSIAN CRAFT SALE** to benefit the Catholic missions in Eastern Russia will take place after all Masses on May 16th & 17th.

Roe vs. Wade enables he casual destruction of pre born babies. SUPPORT THE RESPECT FOR LIFE MINISTRY

**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/childyouthprotection.



# +++Pray for the Recently Deceased+++

Ed Mangiero (husband of Noreen Mangiero and father of Carol Mangiero & Gail Barndollar), Robert Ernest Robinson, Jr. (brother of Kathleen Ansley), John Thompson (father of Terry Thompson) +++ **Pray for the Sick** +++



<u>AT HOME SICK</u>: Lucy DiPietro, Janice Johnson, Mary Curry, Harris Orsini, Ann Carter, Mike Sievers, Joe Lancaster, Eleanor Ciucevich, Joe Johnson, Chris Fanning, Connor Pijuan, Jay Maney, Patsy Chan, Richard Garcia, Hugh Arnold, Lynn Lynch, Ted Migchelbrink, Linda Migchelbrink, Brendan Kennedy, Edward Fitzgerald, III, Julia Dyer Strickland, Mary Park, Wanda Lenk, John Delorme, Gilbert McMahon, Jared Fogarty, John Ursprung, Stephanie Herb, Tom Osteen, Diane Carver, Claire Cramer <u>NURSING HOMES & ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES</u>: Summer Breeze - Elizabeth Overstreet, Frances McBride, Sebastian Orsini, Patricia Gunderson, Ruby Deaton, Margaret Murray Spanish Oaks - Ed Hayden Savannah Square - Rose Carter, Elvera Bakstran Kindred Transitional Care - Charlie Parker Rivers Edge - Joan Sullivan Buckingham South - Estelle Carter Tara - Stella Lamas, James Kelley

<u>OUT OF TOWN SICK</u>: 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), John Pyrtle (friend of the Willis family), Brian Conley (nephew of Betsy O'Neil), 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), Kyley Cornwell (friend of Helen Counihan), Abby Pruitt, Clara Russo (sister-in-law of Sarah & Tim Fogarty), Jake Morgan (son of Dave & Kim Morgan), Branden Agramonte (nephew of Ana Portman), Mercedes Agramonte (Bebita) (grandmother of Ana Portman), Leonard Ledford (brother of Connie Baran), Margaret Forrest (grandmother of John Povanda), Mary Jane Haynes (sister of Carole Arpin), Alaina Mann (goddaughter of Cindy & Greg Kindred), Rachel Elliott (grand-daughter of Mary Boniface), Timothy Patrick Fenlon (grandson of Jim & Mary Forbes), Everett Gray, Arra Hayden (grandmother of Melissa DeLong), Joe Neagle (father of Frank Neagle)

St. Peter the Apostle Parish and School Upcoming Events								
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
<i>May 3</i> Mother/Daughter Breakfast after 9am Mass in Parish Center Edge Retreat 5-7 pm Lifeteen 7-8 pm	<i>May 4</i> Rosary 7am	<i>May 5</i> Rosary 7am	May 6 Rosary 7am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am PC rm#2 Women's Scripture Study 1:45-3pm Parish Center rm#2 K of C 7pm MPR Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm	May 7 Rosary 7am First Communion Practice 4-5:15 pm in church	May 8 Rosary 7am Deanery Retreat—NO SCHOOL	<i>May 9</i> <i>First</i> <i>Communion</i> <i>9:30 am</i> Edge Retreat/ Lock-in 7 pm - 8:30 am		
<i>May 10</i> K of C Second Sunday Breakfast after 7:30 and 9:00 a.m. Masses in Parish Center	<i>May 11</i> Rosary 7am	May 12 Rosary 7am Men's Club 6:30 pm Parish Center rm#1 Women's Discussion Group Mass/ End of Year Mtg 5:30 pm	May 13 Rosary 7am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am PC rm#2 Women's Scripture Study 1:45-3pm Parish Center rm#2 Rosary 6:30 pm School Board 6:30 pm Parish Center rm#1 Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm	<i>May 14</i> Rosary 7am	May 15 Rosary 7am School Mass 9:30 am Forever Young Trolley Tour	May 16		