

MARCH 5, 2017
First Sunday of Lent

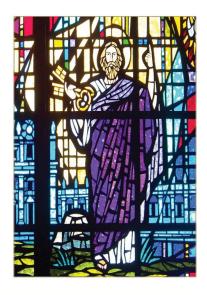
Mass Schedule

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.



Howers

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



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.

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.

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 5, 2017



INTENTION

REQUESTED BY

SUNDAY	Daniel Deloach	Andrew & Clare Zeigler
	Joe Koncul	Katy Robinson
	Daniel Deloach	Sheila Lowe
MONDAY	Joe Koncul	Andrew & Clare Zeigler
TUESDAY	Hank Groover	Marianne Heimes
WEDNESDAY	John Bunn.	Joe & Suzie Douglas
THURSDAY	Therese Maassen	Sue & John Deifer
FRIDAY	St. Peter the Apostle Family & Friends	
SATURDAY	Agnes Landy	Eileen & Pat Connor
	John Mesaros	His Loving Family



Please pray for our R.C.I.A. candidates who will be presented to Bishop Hartmayer this Sunday at the

Cathedral of St. John the Baptist for the Rite of Election. At this time, they reaffirm their intention to join the Church in the presence of the bishop.

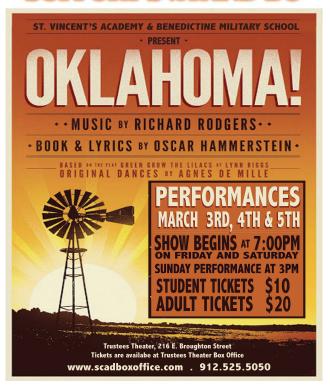


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BAPTISM CLASS Any parent wishing to have their child baptized here at St. Peter the Apostle must first attend a Baptism class which we offer once a quarter. The next class will be held on Wednesday, March

15th at 6:30 p.m. in the parish office. Please call to register at 897-5156.

SUPPORT SVA AND BC



2017 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

You should have receive a letter and a pledge card from Bishop Hartmayer by now. Please prayerfully consider your gift this year. We want to show our support of the diocesan family by exceeding our goal this year. Our parish goal is \$91,857 and we ask everyone to participate according to your ability. There are extra pledge cards in the narthex if you need one.







<u>LENTEN SERVICES</u> On the Fridays of Lent, we have Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m. <u>LENTEN REGULATIONS</u> Catholics who are over the age of 18 and under the age of 60 are required to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, which means that they can eat only one complete meal and two smaller meals during the day, with no food in between. Catholics who are over the age of 14 are required to refrain from eating any meat, or any food made with meat, on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays during Lent.

<u>K OF C FISH FRY</u> The Islands Council Knights of Columbus will hold their second Lenten Fish Fry at St. Peter the Apostle parish center on Friday, March 24th from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. Come and join us for a delicious meal and community fellowship. All proceeds go to the K of C Islands Council charities.



<u>SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR 4-6 YEAR OLDS</u> takes place during the 9:00 a.m. Mass. The children come to Mass with their family and then before the readings they receive a special blessing from the celebrant and leave the sanctuary with their Sunday School teachers. Children are to be picked up at the youth center after Mass. If you have any questions about the program, call Lisa Fogarty at 897-5156 or email lfogarty@spacsav.net.

<u>CATHOLIC SCRIPTURE STUDY</u> will meet for the last time this Sunday from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. in the parish center room #2. Please contact Tom Madison for more information at tmad1204@yahoo.com or 897-1034.

<u>R.C.I.A. CLASS</u> are held on Mondays from 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. in the parish center room #1. There will be no class on March 13th.

<u>THE MEN OF ST. JOSEPH</u> meet every Wednesday at 6:30 a.m. in the parish office conference room for prayer and discussion of Sunday's gospel. All men of the parish are welcome.

WOMEN'S CATHOLIC BOOK STUDY meets on Wednesdays from

1:45 - 3:00 p.m. in the parish center room #2. The book being discussed is "Bad Girls of the Bible". If interested, please call Cathy Scanlon at 897-6664 or Irene Nave at 667-9099.

<u>CCD</u> Any students in grades K-12 who do not attend Catholic school should be attending CCD classes which are held on Wednesdays in the school from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. High school CCD meets in the youth center and we encourage all high school students to attend. **There will be no classes on March 15th - Happy Spring Break!** For more information about CCD, call Paula Hubert at 897-5156 or email phubert@spacsav.net.

SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD MEETING will be held this Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. in the parish center room #1. All members are asked to attend.

ADULT CHOIR PRACTICE Please consider being a part of our Music Ministry and join the Adult Choir who sing at the 11:15 a.m. Mass each week. No musical training is necessary! Any questions, please call Mary Zumer at 660-5118. Practice is held every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the church.

FOREVER YOUNG'S ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATION/LUNCHEON is Friday, March 10th in the parish center. *Admission is by ticket only—no walk-ins please!*. Tickets are \$10 each which includes a traditional Irish lunch, live entertainment, prizes and fun and are available in the parish office.

THE ROSARY is recited every weekday at 7:00 a.m., Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. in the Daily Chapel and 5:00 p.m. on Saturdays in the Adoration Chapel.



PARISH RIGHT TO LIFE

MINISTRY asks parishioners to join in silent prayer in front of the Savannah abortion center at 120 E. 34th St. from noon - 3:00 p.m. on Thursdays until April 13th. Your presence and prayers may be what

stops abortion, even if you can only come for 30 minutes. Call Dennis Conlon for more information at 897-3098.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

February 26, 2017:	\$13,199.00
February 19, 2017:	\$16,706.00
February 12, 2017:	\$18,787.21
February 5, 2017:	\$21,639.00
Weekly Goal:	\$18,370.00
2016/17 Fiscal YTD:	\$599,730.47
2016/17 Fiscal YTD +/-	-\$48,637.53

(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.



ATTENTION EUCHARISTIC

MINISTERS Fr. Kavanaugh will offer a one hour refresher/ training session for ALL Eucharistic Ministers, veterans and newcomers, on Saturday,

March 25th at 9:00 a.m. in the Church. Please mark your calendars now and plan to attend.

ATTENTION LECTORS Fr. Kavanaugh will offer a one hour refresher/training session for ALL lectors, veterans and newcomers, on Saturday, April 1st at 9:00 a.m. in the Church. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend.



The most fulfilling commitment that you could make in 2017 is an hour with Jesus -

Make your Lenten Commitment!

The Adoration Chapel hours that are available are: Tuesday at 3:00 p.m, 4:00 p.m, 7:00 p.m and 11:00 p.m. and also Wednesday at 9:00 a.m, 3:00 p.m

and 8:00 p.m. Any questions, contact Leigh Ebberwein at ebberwein@aol.com.





11 Award-Winning Children's Movies Now on **FORMED** Saints and Heroes available now. These

movies use comedy, song, captivating illustrations, and heartwarming emotion to tell the tales of some of the great saints and epic heroes of the faith. Brought to your free of charge by St. Peter the Apostle Parish.

Parish Code: VXR23M



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For more information, to shadow for a day, or to schedule a tour, call 897-5224.



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Gabe Tvrdy Named Georgia National Geographic State Bee Semifinalist by the National Geographic Society.

Congratulations! Gabe Tvrdy has been notified by the National Geographic Society that he is one of the semifinalists eligible to compete in the 2017 Georgia National Geographic State Bee. The contest will be held Georgia College Arts & Sciences Auditorium in Milledgeville on Friday, March 31, 2017.

This is the second level of the National Geographic Bee competition, which is now in its 29th year. School Bees were held in schools with fourth- through eighth-grade students throughout the state to determine each school champion. School champions then took a qualifying test, which they submitted to the National Geographic Society. The National Geographic Society has invited up to 100 of the top-scoring students in each of the 50 states, the District of Columbia, Department of Defense Dependents Schools and U.S. territories to compete in the State Bees.





The Catherine McAuley Chapter of the
National Junior Honor Society Inducts 23 new
members at St. Peter the Apostle School!
Caitlyn B., Thomas K., Sam C., Olivia K.,
Sid D., Valerio M., Parker D., Madison N.,
Kassidy D., Chris N., Olivia D., Isabella N.,
Abi F., Sophie P., JD G., Ashley R.,
Annemarie H., Chloe S., Emily H., Gabe T.,
Natalie H., Reese W., and Sloan K.
Congratulations
to these fine young ladies and gentlemen!



TOGETHER we live, pray, learn and serve, TOGETHER we make a difference.

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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.



CATHOLIC COLLEGE STUDENTS NEEDED

Prayer and Action is looking for holy, energetic,

Jesus-loving college students to assist a team with leading this summer's high school mission program in Savannah. It will be a 4-week commitment from June 3rd - July 1st. Some travel and training will be involved and a weekly stipend is included. To find out more, go to diosav.org/oyyam-prayerandaction. Apply under the "leader" tab. For questions, please contact Leigh Ebberwein at ebberwein@aol.com.



26TH ANNUAL TARA FEIS Come enjoy Irish family-friendly activities and entertainment at **TARA FEIS**, on Saturday, March 11th from 11:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at Emmet Park on

Bay St. This year's festival features the traditional Irish band, The Outside Track. *NO ADMISSION CHARGE*. All arts, crafts, children's rides and entertainment are FREE. Food and beverage tickets are sold for \$1.00 each. *No alcohol is sold or allowed in the festival zone.*

The **Low Country Catholic Young Adult Group** is hosting a weekly group study on prayer for young adults on Tuesdays running through April 11th from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart Parish Office on Bull St.

The Low Country Catholics would like to invite all Young Adults in the Savannah area to join together for a fellowship Mass and brunch every 1st Sunday of the month, beginning on March 5th. They will be attending the 10:00 a.m. Mass at the Cathedral and get brunch afterwards at one of the many delicious restaurants nearby. They will meet 15 minutes before Mass outside the central Cathedral doors and will stick around after Mass for anyone who would like to just join for brunch.



ST. VINCENT'S ACADEMY PRESENTS THE \$300 A DAY

DRAWING This is a daily drawing for a chance to win a \$300 gift card each day for 15 days. Purchase any amount of tickets for \$20 each. Daily drawings will take

place through March 15th. You can win multiple times because all tickets remain in the drawing pot! Order tickets by going to www.svaga.net and click on support us. Choose \$300 a Day Raffle. All proceeds benefit scholarships at St. Vincent's Academy. Thank you for your support!



EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINES FOR PALM SUNDAY AND EASTER SUNDAY

Any information, including Mass Intentions, must be in the parish office no later than: *April 9th (Palm Sunday) bulletin*: deadline is noon on March 29th

April 16th (Easter Sunday) bulletin: deadline is noon on April 5th.



ARE YOU AN ACTIVE PARTICIPATING PARISHIONER?

In order to receive the Catholic rate of tuition in Catholic schools in our

diocese, a family must be registered in the parish, attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of the year, participate in the Sacraments, go to confession at least once a year and take part in the activities of the parish. You must contribute to the offertory in a recognizable way (envelope or check) as a means of verification of your attendance.

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+++

Michael Counihan (brother of Jerry, Brian and Dennis Counihan), Claire Cramer (mother of Barbara Cramer)



+++ Pray for the Sick +++

AT HOME SICK: Harris Orsini, Mike Sievers, Jay Maney, Patsy Chan, Ted Migchelbrink, Linda Migchelbrink, Julia Dyer Strickland, Gilbert McMahon, Susan Doyle, Mary Ann King, Jean Nixon, Delores Dobbertin, Bubba Groover, Fran O'Neal, Dale Galley NURSING HOMES & ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES: Summer Breeze - Patricia Gunderson, Margaret Murray, Mary Kelley, Joe DeVita, Sadie Kramer, Al Remler, Mary McBride Abercorn Rehab - Charlie Parker Habersham House -Rosemary Sanders Spanish Oaks- Rose Carter, Johnette Kennedy Pruitt Health: Herbert Wells Buckingham South -Brother Robert Sokolowski Thunderbolt Rehab: Ellen Snedeker 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), John Pyrtle (friend of the Willis family), Joe Harty (brother of Veva Shuman), Anna O'Brien, Devon Bushey (nephew of Peter Preston), Harold & Myra Young (parents of John Young), Kyley Cornwell (friend of Helen Counihan), Abby Pruitt, Leonard Ledford (brother of Connie Baran), Margaret Forrest (grandmother of John Povanda), Arra Hayden (grandmother of Melissa DeLong), Charlotte & Pete Eggink (sister & brother-in-law of John O'Neil), Peter Burns, Brandon Kennedy, Elizabeth Gabriel (niece of Cindy Kindred), Erin Fountain (grand-daughter of Peggy Fountain), Nicole O'Neil Payne (daughter of John & Betsy O'Neil), Donna Griggs (mother of Shandra Peecksen), Joe Lancaster (brother of Cate Fahey), Terri Lane and Robert Capparell (daughter & son of Ed & Janet Hubbs), Kandi Beckham, Sarah Moak (daughter of Susan Parsley), Moody Wharam (father of Julia Whelan), Theresa Gardner (sister of Mike Povec), Patrick All, Peter Burns, Rachel Elliott (grand-daughter of Mary Boniface), Beverly Gleason (sister of Joy Povec), Brandon Agramonte, Reno Mancini (friend of the Povec's), Gary Fearn (brother-in-law of Marceline Preston), Craig Preston (brother of Peter Preston)

St Deter the Anostle Parish and School

March Sunday	Monday	_	ostie Paris ming Ever		Friday	March Saturday
March 5 Coffee & Donuts after all Masses Sunday School of 4-6 year olds during 9am Mass Catholic Scripture Study 10-11am parish center rm#2	March 6 Rosary 7am RCIA 5:30-7 PC Rm#1	March 7 Rosary 7am	March 8 Rosary 7am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office Women's Catholic Book Study 1:45-3pm CCD 6:30 pm School Advisory Board 6:30 pm parish center rm#1 Rosary 6:30 pm DC Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm	March 9 Rosary 7am	March 10 Rosary 7am Forever Young St. Pat's lunch (admission by ticket only) Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm	March 11
	Eucharistic Ad	oration 8am Mon	lay-11pm Wednesday			
March 12 K of C Second Sunday Breakfast after 7:30 AND 9am Masses in parish center Sunday School of 4-6 year olds during 9am Mass	March 13 Rosary 7am RCIA 5:30-7 PC Rm#1	March 14 Rosary 7am	March 15 Rosary 7am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office Women's Catholic Book Study 1:45-3pm CCD 6:30 pm Baptism Class 6:30 pm parish office Rosary 6:30 pm DC Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm	March 16 Rosary 7am School closed- Pastor's Holiday	March 17 Rosary 7am Parish Office and School closed Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm	March 18 First Scrutiny at 5:30 pm Mass
	Eucharistic Ad	oration 8am Mon	lay-11pm Wednesday			