



Saint Peter the Apostle

Catholic Parish & School

MARCH 19, 2017
Third 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.



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Flowers

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.



*All are
Welcome*

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A **FORMED** Parish

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 19, 2017



	<u>INTENTION</u>	<u>REQUESTED BY</u>
SUNDAY	Michael Counihan.....	Cathy & Bob Scanlon
	John Bunn	Anne Marie & Breck Whiddon
	Celestino Jardein Pastrana.....	Liz Mariana Pestrano
	John Rabusin	Pam Rabusin
	Special Intention.....	Suzie & Joe Douglas
MONDAY	Theresa McClellan Richards (7th anniversary).....	Anne Marie & Breck Whiddon
TUESDAY	Michael Counihan, Jr.	Mike & Linda Wise
WEDNESDAY	Claire Avello.....	Korey Burns Family
THURSDAY	Mary "Mae" C. Faison	Humane Society for Greater Savannah
FRIDAY	St. Peter the Apostle Family & Friends	
SATURDAY	Agnes Landy	Lois Landy



Please join us THIS SUNDAY for the **LIFTEEN MASS** at 5:00 p.m. All parishioners and friends are welcome to attend this Mass with music and liturgy geared toward the youth and the young at heart.

Don't miss the LAST K of C Lenten Fish Fry!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ISLAND COUNCIL 10579

LENTEN FISH FRY
FRIDAY FISH FRY

Fun for the **ENTIRE FAMILY!** \$10* ADULTS \$5* CHILDREN

The Fish Fry has become a tradition for all of Wilmington Island and the Savannah area.

Dine In or Take Out
FISH, GRITS, COLESLAW, HUSH PUPPIES, GREEN BEANS & BEVERAGE

ST. PETER THE APOSTLE PARISH CENTER 7020 CONCORD RD. WILMINGTON ISLAND

March 3RD & 24TH 5PM TO 8PM

*All profits donated to various charities that the Knights of Columbus support.



R.C.I.A. SCRUTINIES

The second scrutiny will be Sunday, March 26th at the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please pray for the elect as they prepare to enter the church on Holy Saturday.

PLEASE SUPPORT FAMILY PROMISE

On Wednesday March 29th, Chipotle Mexican Grill at 1801 E. Victory Dr. (next to Whole Foods) will donate half of the revenue taken in between 5:00 AND 9:00 p.m. to *Family Promise of Greater Savannah*. Family Promise, formerly Interfaith Hospitality Network, houses homeless families in area Churches and helps these families get back on their feet. St Peters has been involved with this program for the past 9 years, housing homeless families in our parish center three weeks each year. 2017 marks the 20th year Family Promise has operated in the Savannah area and in that time 93% of the families that have completed the Family Promise program have remained in stable housing. Treat your family to a Mexican dinner on Wednesday, March 29th and help this worthy cause.

2017 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of March 9th, we have 11% of our parish goal of \$91,857 pledged from 7% of our parishioners. Our support of diocesan agencies and ministries is one way that we respond to God for all we have received. Please send in your pledge card as soon as possible and help the parish meet our goal.



Lent



LENTEN SERVICES On the Fridays of Lent, we have Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m.

LENTEN REGULATIONS 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.

LENTEN PARISH PENANCE SERVICE will take place **THIS Thursday, March 23rd** at 7:00 p.m. There will be a number of priests available to hear confessions that evening. Please make every effort to attend and prepare yourself spiritually for Easter.



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 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.

EDGE & LIFETEEN The next LifeNight will be March 26th. Edge will meet from 5:00 - 6:15 p.m. and LifeTeen will meet from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

R.C.I.A. CLASS will be held this Monday from 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. in the parish center room #1.

MONDAY NIGHT ADULT BIBLE STUDY "THE BIBLE AND THE SACRAMENTS" is held on Mondays at 6:00 p.m. in the parish center room #2. This is an 11 lesson video series. Online based, this can be viewed at no cost for home preparation. Please contact Richard DeBorde by texting 596-4928 or Richard@deborde.com for details.

CCW will meet this Tuesday at 6:15 p.m. in the parish center room #1.

THE MEN OF ST. JOSEPH 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, call Cathy Scanlon at 897-6664 or Irene Nave at 667-9099.

CCD *This Wednesday, March 22nd, there will be a FAMILY CCD class in the church. We will meet at 6:30 p.m. for Stations of the Cross.* 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. For more information, call Paula Hubert at 897-5156 or email phubert@spacsav.net.

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 will meet this Friday at 11:30 a.m. in the parish center room #1. Local author and parishioner, Marianne Heimes will be sharing the history of our area. Those members whose last names begin with A to L should bring a covered dish to share for lunch. Please contact Teri Humphries at 614-648-1443 for more information.

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.



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 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.



Adoration is being held in the Daily Chapel during Lent. The hours are Monday at 8:00 a.m. until Wednesday at 11:00 p.m.

FUNDRAISER FOR OUR SCHOOL!

2017 SPRING FLING

SAINT PETER THE APOSTLE SCHOOL
AUCTION, RAFFLE, DINNER, DJ MUSIC
Saturday, April 8
6:30PM - Parish Center
THE "AFTER-PARTY" IS STARTING EARLY WITH "PAY TO PLAY KARAOKE" KEEP WATCHING FOR DETAILS!

Plan to attend this FUN evening that will raise money for our students and celebrate all the good things happening at Saint Peter the Apostle School! Tickets can be purchased on the school website.

www.school.saintpetertheapostle.com

Saint Peter the Apostle
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Please consider being a Sponsor for our Spring Fling! Being a sponsor will give your business exposure to our SPA community and support our students! There are different levels of sponsorship from \$250 to \$2500 and all include event tickets and/or reserved tables, recognition on St. Peter's website and social media, business logo in the auction program and MORE! Please contact Jennifer Clanton at jennclanton@aol.com with your business information by March 20th. Through your generous support, we can continue to fund academic and extra-curricular programs, improve our infrastructure and grounds, and achieve our long-term goals for growth.

Time to buy your raffle tickets and events tickets! Available after Masses, in the parish office, and online.



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

March 12, 2017:	\$17,523.50
March 5, 2017:	\$18,079.55
February 26, 2017:	\$13,199.00
February 19, 2017:	\$16,706.00
Weekly Goal:	\$18,370.00
2016/17 Fiscal YTD:	\$635,333.52
2016/17 Fiscal YTD +/-	-\$49,774.48

(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.

Parish Picnic

SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR PARISH PICNIC!! Sunday, May 21st is the date of the St. Peter the Apostle Parish Picnic. It will be held after the 11:15 a.m. Mass. We will have fun and games, food and drink, and have the afternoon to enjoy the company of our parish family. Save the date and plan on attending a fun-filled afternoon.

We are a **FORMED** Parish

An Augustine Institute Production

Opening The Word
3rd Sunday of Lent

A Messiah for All People

PARISH CODE: VXR23M



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

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ABOVE: Congratulations to Catherine and Reagan who did a wonderful job presenting their speeches to the Southside Optimists!!! They spoke about What the World Gains From Optimism. **BELOW & RIGHT:** SPA students celebrate St. Patrick's Day at the Tybee Parade and the Greening of the Fountain.



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.



PRAYER AND ACTION HIGH SCHOOL MISSION EXPERIENCE The Diocese of Savannah will be hosting our 3rd year of Prayer and Action mission

program. This program reaches out to various local communities, providing for those most in need, with the laboring hands and the open hearts of high school students and their adult leaders. All incoming 9th graders to outgoing 12th graders are encouraged to attend. Don't miss out on another fun and faith filled summer with Prayer and Action. 2017 dates are June 18th - 23rd and June 25th - 30th. The cost is \$100. For more information and to register: diosav.org/ooyam-prayerandaction.



Don't Miss the

DEADLINE!



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.



COMING IN MAY

Each year our parish provides substantial support of the school in

the form of direct subsidy and tuition assistance to some families. Many people *together*, through weekly contributions and through contributions specifically for tuition assistance, make this possible. **Last fiscal year the parish support for the school was \$144,000.**

Beginning in May a new envelope labeled SCHOOL SUPPORT will appear in your monthly packet on the first weekend of the month. I would ask and encourage everyone in the parish to make a monthly contribution to ensure that we can continue to support our school, one of the prime ministries and responsibilities of our parish.

Thank you. *Fr. Kavanaugh*

ST. BENEDICT THE MOOR 1ST ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT will be held on Friday, April 7th at Crosswinds Golf Club. Please consider being a sponsor to help make their event a success. Contact Sharon Carson or W. Jay White at 224-3801 or wjaywhite@gmail.com.

PLANNING FOR DEATH SEMINAR Do you have a Will? Do you have Advanced Directives for Medical Care? Have you planned your funeral? Have you already paid for your funeral? What does the Church expect about medical care at the end of life? Fr. Kavanaugh will present a **Planning for Death Seminar** on Sunday, May 7th at 5:00 p.m. and discuss these and other matters. If you are planning not to die, you need not attend...

LENTEN PRAYER SERVICE OF CONSOLATION The Diocese of Savannah invites all victims of abuse, their families, friends and the community to gather for a Lenten Prayer Service of Consolation at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 29th at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist. Bishop Gregory J. Hartmayer, OFM Conc. will preside over the service, which will end at 8:30 p.m.



Our Council of Catholic Women would like to thank all parishioners who so generously donated diapers and wipes for the Social Apostolate. Sr. Julie is most appreciative of our help to stock the shelves with these very needed items!

Next week, our parish will take up the Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC). Funds from this collection help provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and Christ's love and respect to all people here at home and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the CRSC and **help Jesus in disguise**. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.



American Red Cross
Together, we can save a life

BLOOD DRIVE Our Knights of Columbus will hold their annual **Red Cross Blood Drive** on Thursday, May 25th from 1:00 - 6:00 p.m. in the parish center. The Red Cross will not accept a donation from anyone who has

donated blood within 52 days of May 25th. If you plan on donating blood after April 3rd, you will not be eligible to donate at our drive. Please try to donate, as each pint can save a life. More information will follow.

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.



+++Pray for the Recently Deceased+++

Claude "Buddy" Horton (brother of Harold Horton),
 Dick Mahany, Erin Ellgass,
 Eric Wilharm (nephew of Linda Wilharm)



+++ Pray for the Sick +++

AT HOME SICK: 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, Marilyn Williams **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), Kyle 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), 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. Peter the Apostle Parish and School Upcoming Events



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>March 19</i></p> <p>Sunday School of 4-6 year olds during 9am Mass</p> <p>Lifeteen Mass 5pm</p>	<p><i>March 20</i> Rosary 7am</p> <p>RCIA 5:30-7 PC Rm#1</p> <p>Adult Bible Study 6pm parish center rm#2</p>	<p><i>March 21</i> Rosary 7am</p> <p>CCW 6:15 pm parish center rm#1</p>	<p><i>March 22</i> Rosary 7am</p> <p>Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office Women's Catholic Book Study 1:45-3pm FAMILY CCD 6:30 pm in the church-Stations of the Cross Rosary 6:30 pm DC Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm</p>	<p><i>March 23</i> Rosary 7am</p> <p>Lenten Parish Penance Service 7pm</p>	<p><i>March 24</i> Rosary 7am NO SCHOOL Parent/Teacher Conferences Forever Young 11:30 am parish center rm#1 K of C Fish Fry 5-8pm Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm</p>	<p><i>March 25</i></p> <p>Eucharistic Minister Refresher/ Training 9am</p>
<p><i>March 26</i></p> <p>Sunday School of 4-6 year olds during 9am Mass</p> <p>Edge 5-5:16 pm Lifeteen 6:30-8pm</p>	<p><i>March 27</i> Rosary 7am</p> <p>RCIA 5:30-7 PC Rm#1</p> <p>Adult Bible Study 6pm parish center rm#2</p>	<p><i>March 28</i> Rosary 7am</p>	<p><i>March 29</i> Rosary 7am</p> <p>Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office Women's Catholic Book Study 1:45-3pm CCD 6:30 Rosary 6:30 pm DC Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm</p>	<p><i>March 30</i> Rosary 7am</p>	<p><i>March 31</i> Rosary 7am</p> <p>Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm</p>	<p><i>April 1</i></p> <p>Knights of Columbus First Saturday Rosary 8am in church</p>