Saint Peter Apostle Catholic Parish & School

APRIL 30, 2017 Third 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.



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 APRIL 30, 2017

INTENTION

REQUESTED BY

SUNDAY	Marilyn Williams	Marianne Heimes
	Marilyn Williams	
	Pia Beidler	
MONDAY	Laura White Hipp	John & Leigh Ebberwein
TUESDAY	Margaret Groover	Carolyn & Bubba Groover
WEDNESDAY	Special Intention	Lori Hrabie
THURSDAY	Estelle Carter (birthday)	
FRIDAY	Delores "Sissy" Dobbertin	Marianne Heimes
SATURDAY	Laura Hipp	Andrew & Clare Zeigler

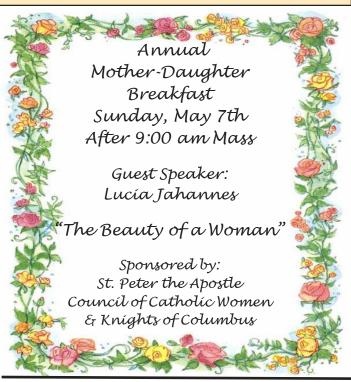


SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend at all Masses, there will be a Second Collection for the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Right now, over 40 percent of dioceses in

the U.S. are considered home missions because they are unable to fund essential pastoral work needed in their communities. Your support of this appeal helps ease the struggle of these dioceses. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

HOLY Congratulations to Elena Concas, Halle Riley and Maci Riley, who received the Sacrament of First COMMUNION Holy Communion for the first time on April 22nd. May they continue to grow in their faith and deepen their love for God



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PRACTICE will take place on Thursday, May 11th from 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. All students must attend this mandatory practice FIRST HOLY COMMUNION will be held on Saturday, May 13th at 9:30 a.m. All family and friends are cordially invited to attend this special event.







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.* <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.

Mark Your Calendars

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.

<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 will not meet again until June. Watch the bulletin for details.

KOF C MEETING will be held this Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. in the parish center.

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.

HOLY HOUR OF PRAYER will take place this Friday from 8:00 - 9:00 a.m. in the church. Everyone is invited to come and spend some time in quiet prayer and reflection in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

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.



ISLANDS COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY Please join the K of C and their families on

Saturday, May 6th at 8:00 a.m. in the church to pray the rosary for world peace and restoring the sanctity of marriage. **BUYING A NEW LAPTOP?** Consider donating your old laptop to the SPA Robotics program. We are in need of laptops to keep up with the increasing demand of the robotics program at our school, especially as the older ones begin to fail and cause technical difficulties with programming. Your donations are completely tax deductible, so please consider helping out the Robo Rams. Contact Alice Wood at adbwood@aol.com or call the church or school office if you would like to help. Thank you.

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...

We are a **FORMED** Parish



Go to formed.org to find Catholic movies, books, audios, and more! It's "Netflix for Catholics" provided to you free of charge by St. Peter the Apostle Parish!

Parish Code: VXR23M

THERE IS STILL TIME....

If you missed the chance to contribute to the GYMNASIUM FUND-A-NEED that took place at the Spring Fling, you still may do so.



Our gym is in need of new flooring, bleachers, air conditioning, lights, and a sound system.

Improving our gym will transform it to a multi-purpose facility that will benefit our school and students for years to come.

Please contact Mr. Joe Thomas at 897-5224 or jthomas@spasav.net for details.





K OF C 5TH SUNDAY ROSARY The Islands Council Knights of Columbus invite everyone to join them this Sunday, April 30th for the 5th Sunday Rosary which will be recited

immediately following the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

REMINDER... 2017 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

As of April 13th, we have reached **36%** of our parish goal of \$91,857 pledged from **20%** 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. Any amount is appreciated!

FOREVER YOUNG The 2016/17 season is coming to an end and there are just 2 more meetings: May12th -11:30 a.m. in the parish center for Bingo, prizes & pizza. May 26th: 11:30 a.m. at Wilmington Island Club. Reservations required. Lunch includes entrée from prepared menu, drink & dessert. Cost is \$20 all inclusive.

FOREVER YOUNG IS NOW ON FACEBOOK! It's new! Sign up today for access to their picture gallery, meeting information and much more!

CARNIVAL FOR A CURE St. Vincent's Academy is hosting a fund-raider on May 7th from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. here at St. Peter the Apostle for one of our own, Betty Barsic. She is trying to win Student of the Year for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. There will be food, games, and lots of other family fun! Everyone is invited to come out and show your support for Betty.

VOCATIONS SUMMER CAMPS 2017

Call to Holiness summer camp for girls and **Vocatio Dei** summer camp for boys provide a great opportunity to learn more about listening to God and seeking His will in your daily life. They will help you answer the questions that burn deep within: What does God want from me? How do I grow closer to Jesus and not lose my freedom? How do I prepare myself now for the decisions I will make in the future? These camps are packed with fun activities, inspiring talks and testimonies, Mass, Adoration, and a chance to interact daily with sisters, priests and seminarians. All rising 7th grade - 12th grade teens are invited. Visit diosav.org/vocations for registration and more information.



SPA 2017 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL will be held July 10th-14th. VBS is for students 3 years old through the 4th grade. Your child

will be in the grade he/she will have just completed. Cost is \$25 per child. We are in the planning stages and could use some volunteers! We need students who have completed 7th grade and adults (who will need a VIRTUS class). Please contact Paula Hubert at phubert@spacsav.net if interested in helping.



Our CCW had an opportunity to meet with seminarian, Nate Swann, after the morning Mass on Wed, April 12. The ladies have been sending cards with greetings and prayer wishes these past few months.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

April 23, 2017:	\$15,261.00				
April 16, 2017:	\$24,631.00				
Priests' Retirement Fund:	\$ 7,589.00				
Good Friday:	\$ 1,094.00				
April 9, 2017:	\$22,957.00				
April 2, 2017:	\$18,112.00				
Weekly Goal:	\$18,370.00				
2016/17 Fiscal YTD:	\$700,756.37				
2016/17 Fiscal YTD +/-	-\$46,983.63				
(Fiscal year runs from July 1 to June 30)					
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For more information, to shadow for a day, or to schedule a tour, call 897-5224.





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



WALKING ROSARY The Blessed Mother understands we all suffer a shortage of time and lots of distractions in our lives. We are allowed and encouraged to take

prayer into every facet of our lives, now we can become fit and pray at the same time. Complete the Rosary in about 15 minutes, straight forward, focused and exact. The first Walking Rosary will be held on Saturday, May 13th at 10:00 a.m. It will be held each month on different days and times. which will be announced in the bulletin.



ISLANDS COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BLOOD DRIVE

will take place on Thursday, May 25th from 1:00 - 6:00 p.m. Please try **SAVE LIFE** to donate, as each pint can save a life. You may pre-register for a time slot

by going to redcross.org, click on "Give Blood" and then "Find a Blood Drive". Just look for the K of C blood drive on May 25th and pick your time to donate. Walk-ins are always welcome also.



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

HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS will take place at Blessed Sacrament on Sunday, May 7th at 4:00 p.m. May 7th is the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. We ask the Lord of the Harvest to send us many good and holy priests, deacons and religious to serve the people of god and the Life of the Church

WITH PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING TO ALMIGHTY GOD, THE DIOCESE OF SAVANNAH CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO ATTEND THE **ORDINATION OF** Christopher Ray Hassel AND Patrick William May TO THE SACRED ORDER OF DEACONS THROUGH THE IMPOSTION OF HANDS AND THE INVOCATION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT BY

The Most Reverend Gregory J. Hartmayer, O.F.M. Conv. Bishop of Savannah

> Saturday, the Twenty-Seventh of May Two thousand and Seventeen At Ten O'clock in the Morning

Cathedral of Saint John the Baptist 222 East Harris Street-Savannah, Georgia

Reception to follow

Everyone is cordially invited and encouraged to join this celebration as these two men continue on their journey toward ordination as priests.

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+++



Harold Young (father of John Young), Brenda Smothers (cousin of Linda Wilharm), Shawna Marie Thrailkill, Laura Bennett (mother of Julius Bennett), Stephen E. Demcsak (father of Mary Jo Demcsak)

+++ Pray for Our Loved Ones +++

<u>AT HOME SICK</u>: Mike Sievers, Jay Maney, Patsy Chan, Ted Migchelbrink, Linda Migchelbrink, Julia Dyer Strickland, Gilbert McMahon, Susan Doyle, Mary Ann King, Jean Nixon, Bubba Groover, Fran O'Neal, Dale Galley, Don Gray, Dennis Sanders <u>NURSING HOMES & ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES</u>: Summer Breeze - Patricia Gunderson, Margaret Murray, Mary Kelley, Joe DeVita, Al Remler, Mary McBride Abercorn Rehab - Charlie Parker Habersham House - Rosemary Sanders Spanish Oaks- Rose Carter, Johnette Kennedy, Tina Sanders Pruitt Health: Herbert Wells Buckingham South - Brother Robert Sokolowski Thunderbolt Rehab: Ellen Snedeker, Patty Hennessey

<u>OUT OF TOWN SICK</u>: Barbara Miller (cousin of Carol Mesaros), Chris Gilmore (nephew of Hugh Gilmore), James Deere (cousin of Rose Larkin), 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), Myra Young (mother 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, 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 and 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, Rachel Elliott (grand-daughter of Mary Boniface), Beverly Gleason (sister of Joy Povec), Brandon Agramonte, Reno Mancini (friend of the Povec's)

	St. Peter the Apostle Parish and School Upcoming Events					
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
April 30 Sunday School of 4-6 year olds during 9am Mass K of C 5th Sunday Rosary after 9am Mass	May 1 Rosary 7am Adult Bible Study 6pm parish center rm#2	<i>May 2</i> Rosary 7am	May 3 Rosary 7am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office Rosary 6:30 pm DC K of C Meeting 6:30 pm parish center Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm	<i>May 4</i> Rosary 7am Fine Arts Night 6-8 pm parish center	May 5 Rosary 7am Holy Hour of Prayer 8-9am SPA School Field Day 12:30 pm dismissal	<i>May 6</i> K of C First Saturday Rosary 8am
Eucharistic Adoration 8am Monday-11		lay-11pm Wednesday				
May 7 Coffee & Donuts after all Masses Sunday School of 4-6 year olds during 9am Mass Mother/Daughter Breakfast after 9am Mass - parish center Planning for Death Seminar 5pm	May 8 Rosary 7am Adult Bible Study 6pm parish center rm#2	<i>May 9</i> Rosary 7am Men's Club 6:30 pm parish center rm#1	May 10 Rosary 7am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office Rosary 6:30 pm DC School Advisory Board 6:30 pm parish center rm#1 Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm	<i>May 11</i> Rosary 7am First Communion Practice 4-5:30 pm	May 12 Rosary 7am Forever Young 11:30 am parish center rm#1	<i>May 13</i> First Communion 9:30 am Walking Rosary 10 am
	Eucharistic Ad	oration 8am Mono	lay-11pm Wednesday			