

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.



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

July 23, 2017

Sixteenth Sunday

in Ordinary Time

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 JULY 23, 2017 🔀

### **INTENTION**

### **REQUESTED BY**

SUNDAY	Carol Barkow	John & Teri Humphries
	Special Intention	Andrew & Clare Zeigler
	Frances Wermuth	Lori & Richie Hrabie
MONDAY	St. Peter the Apostle Family and Friends	
TUESDAY	Mary Ellen Hampton	Cathy & Bob Scanlon
WEDNESDAY	Pete Soles	Cathy & Bob Scanlon
THURSDAY	Albert D. Lufburrow	Patricia & Horace Leysath
	Dawn Wooten	Maggie & Rick Smith
FRIDAY	Audrey Wolfe (5th anniversary)	Her Loving Family
SATURDAY	Mary Ellen Hampton	Andrew & Clare Zeigler

#### **SUMMER SERIES 2017** WEDNESDAYS AT 6:30 P.M. **CATHOLIC BASICS: As Catholics,** how do we understand.... The Blessed Virgin Mary July 26

Catholic Social Teaching Ecumenism &

August 2

August 9 Interreligious Relations Fr. Kavanaugh will offer presentations on these basic topics of our faith. Plan now to attend - and invite a non-Catholic friend to come along.



Once again we will be collecting school supplies for children in need in our area. There will be a donation box in the narthex for the next few weeks. Any items you are able to donate will be greatly appreciated. Any questions, please call Cathy Scanlon at 897-6664

# PLEASE SAY 'YES' TO GRACE



**GRACE** Scholars is accepting pre-registration for 2018 tax credits and we need *your help again!* 

Here's how pre-registration works When you preregister, you authorize GRACE Scholars to submit your tax credit application to the Georgia Department of Revenue (DOR) online portal. GRACE will input the applications on January 1, 2018—the first date that the DOR will accept 2018 applications.

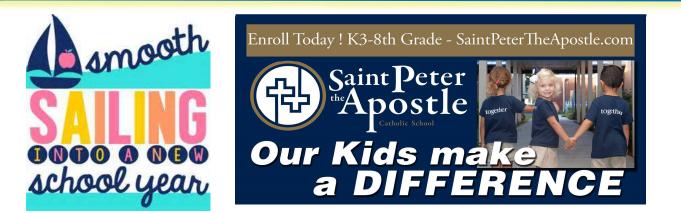
What happens next? After you pre-register, you will receive an email from GRACE Scholars confirming the receipt of your information. After GRACE enters your tax credit application on January 1, the DOR will have 30 days to issue a letter of approval. You can make your contribution during a 60-day period starting the date of the approval letter. After the 60-day period expires, your tax credit will be void, and no extensions are possible. *Say yes* to helping deserving students enjoy the blessings of

a Catholic education.

Say yes to Archbishop Gregory and Bishop Hartmayer's key initiative for making Catholic education more available, affordable and accessible.

Say yes to a moment of personal empowerment and give witness to religious freedom by redirecting your taxes to a cause you cherish.

Your contributions to GRACE Scholars are making a difference in the lives of very deserving students. Please pre-register NOW for your 2018 tax credit! Go to gracescholars.org for more information.



The 2016/2017 school year at St. Peter the Apostle School just sailed on by and we are all on board preparing for the new 2017/2018 school year which begins on August 14th! We hope all of our students, faculty and staff are enjoying their summer break! There are *very limited* openings for the 2017/2018 school year in some grades and several grades are completely full with a waiting list. Please call the school office at 897-5224 or the parish office at 897-5156 for further information or to register. Come and see why....*Our Kids make a Difference!* 

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ISLANDS COUNCIL FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY Saturday, August 5th is the first Saturday of the month. Please join the Knights of Columbus Islands Council and their families to pray the rosary to Our Lady, the Mother of God, and for World Peace.

PUBLIC INFORMATION OPEN HOUSE

The Chatham County Dept. of Engineering will hold a Public Information Open House concerning the Concord Road Storm Drainage Improvements Project (the ditch in front of our school and parish) on August 1st at St. Peter the Apostle Parish Center from 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. The purpose is to provide the public with an opportunity to view drawings of the proposed SPLOST project and comments or suggestions are welcome. The Open House will be informal with project representatives available to address questions and concerns. Written comments will be accepted at the meeting or may be submitted until September 1, 2017 to: Chatham County Dept. of Engineering Attn: Bill Nicholson P.O. Box 8161 Savannah, GA 31412

The refinishing of the floors in the parish center has been postponed until a later date. Stay tuned!





**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 every Wednesday at 1:45 p.m. in the parish center. They will be discussing the book "Pope Francis, a Living Legend" by James Campbell. We invite and encourage all women to join us for wonderful discussions on this book and various aspects of our faith. If you have any questions or would like further information, please call Irene Nave at 667-9099 or Cathy Scanlon at 897-6664.

**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.

# MASS TIMES FOR TRAVELING CATHOLICS

Information is available on the web for times and locations of Masses at Catholic churches around the world at www.masstimes.org.



## HOLY HOUR OF GREAT MERCY

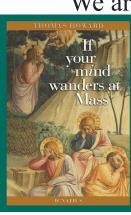
You are invited to join with CCW members in praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet for the Sick and Dying on Tuesdays between 3:00 and 4:00 p.m. in the Adoration Chapel in the church. Our Lord said to St. Faustina, "At the hour of their death, I defend as my own glory every soul that will pray this chaplet; or when others say it for a dying person, the indulgence is the same." (Diary of St. Faustina) The message of Divine Mercy: Trust in Mercy and Be Merciful!



ATTENTION PARENTS! When we are having events in the parish center, we kindly ask you to please DO NOT let your children run across the stage, up and down the steps leading to the stage, and up and down the ramp into meeting room #2. We are very concerned that someone is going to get hurt and we want to keep all of our precious children safe from harm! Please watch your children when you are in the parish center.



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



# 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!

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> For more information or to schedule a tour call 897-5224.



The summer office hours for the school are Monday-Friday from
9 a.m. to Noon. Please feel free to drop by to register new students, have current students take their summer
Accelerated Reading (AR) tests, or anything else you may need!





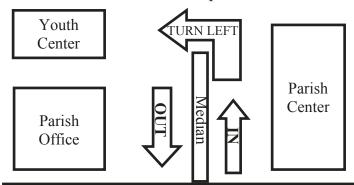
TOGETHER we live, pray, learn and serve, TOGETHER we make a difference.P.O. Box 304607020 Concord RoadSavannah, Georgia 31410school@spasav.netp. 912.897.5224f. 912.897.0801

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.

For those parishioners who use the **WeShare program for online giving** to the offertory, we thank you very much. However, due to the company charging us a fee for every transaction, we are asking you, if possible, to please change your online donation to your personal bank's bill pay system. If you have any questions, please call the parish office.

The Catholic Medical Association is holding a new member drive, reception, and presentation July 28 at St. James Catholic Church, Savannah, Ga. at 6:30 PM. Our guest speaker will be William Toffler, MD, Professor of Family Medicine at Oregon Health and Science University. Dr. Toffler will be speaking on Physician Assisted Suicide. Dr. Toffler, the national director of Physicians for Compassionate Care, is an outspoken opponent of physician assisted suicide and has testified before the US Congress on the degradation of medical care after two decades of Oregon laws permitting this practice. The reception will begin in the narthex at St. James Church July 28 at 6:30 with light refreshments. Dr. Toffler's talk will follow at 7:00. All are welcome.

**NEW SIGNS AND ARROWS IN PARISH CENTER PARKING LOT** Please take note that for safety reasons, we have made the parish center parking lot one way in, one way out, to avoid congestion during events in the parish center. You pull into the first parking lot area and then when leaving, turn left and exit in front of the parish office.



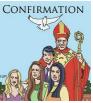
**ABUSE HOTLINE NUMBER:** To report sexual abuse of a minor by a Diocese of Savannah employee or volunteer, call the abuse hotline number at 888-357-5330 or the Office for the Protection of Children and Young People, 201-4073/4. To read diocesan policy on sexual abuse of minors, go to the diocesan site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

# PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

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	July 16, 2017:	\$13,424.00
	Church in Africa:	\$ 2,708.00
	July 9, 2017:	\$13,534.14
	July 2, 2017:	\$18,166.00
	June School Support:	\$ 3,319.00
	Peter's Pence:	\$ 4,410.50
	Weekly Goal:	\$18,370.00
	2017/18 Fiscal YTD:	\$45,125.14
	2017/18 Fiscal YTD +/-	-\$ 9,984.86

(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.

## 2017 CONFIRMATION CANDIDATE EXPECTATIONS



<u>Attendance at Mass</u> is the most important step if someone is preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation and adhering to the precepts of the

Church.

Choose a qualified sponsor - The sponsor must be baptized and confirmed and a practicing Catholic in good standing and must be at least 17 years old. Parents are not allowed to serve as a sponsor but a sibling may. If the child's godparent is still active in his or her life, they are a good choice. If the sponsor is unavailable on the day of Confirmation or practice, a proxy may stand in. Community Service - 25 hours with a nonprofit. Family Promise (July 16 - July 29) is a great chance over the summer here at SPA. **Confirmation Boot Camp** and any retreats or rehearsals held (dates TBA as soon as the Diocese issues the date for Confirmation). Boot Camp dates are Sundays in August (13th, 20th, 27th) and September 3rd from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. We found this to be a very impactful time with our Confirmation Candidates over the last couple of years. Our goal is to help you kick start your child's faith life as a young adult. Date of Confirmation is TBA by the Bishop.



# +++ 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, Fran O'Neal, Don Gray, Dennis Sanders, Mario Vidulich, Hal Horton, Carol Winders

NURSING HOMES & ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES: Summer Breeze - Patricia Gunderson, Margaret Murray, Mary Kelley, Joe DeVita, Al Remler, Mary McBride, Hazel Barker, Patty Hennessy Abercorn Rehab -Charlie Parker Habersham House - Rosemary Sanders Spanish Oaks- Johnette Kennedy Pruitt Health: Jeannette Low Buckingham South - Brother Robert Sokolowski, Herbert Wells Thunderbolt Rehab: Ellen Snedeker, Elsa Spencer, Edith Pohl, Lillian Silirie, Mary Kehoe

OUT OF TOWN SICK: 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), Ed Hubbs, Lisa Rena Fitzgerald, Bill Henry, Mike Phillips (father of Helena Russell)

	St. Peter the Apostle Parish and School Upcoming Events							
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
July 23	<i>July 24</i> Rosary 7am	<i>July 25</i> Rosary 7am	July 26 Rosary 7am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office	<i>July 27</i> Rosary 7am	<i>July 28</i> Rosary 7am	July 29		
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	Eucharistic Adoration 8am Monday-11pm Wednesday							
July 30	<i>July 31</i> Rosary 7am	<i>Aug 1</i> Rosary 7am	<i>Aug 2</i> Rosary 7am	<i>Aug 3</i> Rosary 7am	<i>Aug 4</i> Rosary 7am	Aug 5		
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