



Saint Peter the Apostle

Catholic Parish & School

February 18, 2018
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.



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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.

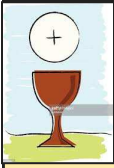


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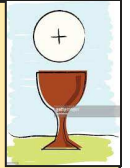
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A **FORMED** Parish



MASS INTENTIONS



FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 18, 2018

	<u>INTENTION</u>	<u>REQUESTED BY</u>
SUNDAY	Mike Hazard.....	Karen Pratt
	Celestino Pestana	Liz Pestana
	Mary Yen Nguyen.....	Her Loving Family
	Eddie Ramsey	Jeff & JoAnn Smith
MONDAY	Jim Stettler	His Loving Family
TUESDAY	St. Peter the Apostle Family & Friends	
WEDNESDAY	Edwin Ramsey	Gloria Stettler
THURSDAY	In Thanksgiving	SPA 8th Grade Class
FRIDAY	In Thanksgiving	Irene Nave
SATURDAY	Joseph Kham Hoang	Moon & Dan Nguyen
	Frances Connor.....	Linda & Bob Connor



PARENT MEETING for parents of children preparing for First Penance and First Holy Communion will be held

next Sunday, February 18th at 10:00 a.m. in the Daily Chapel. At this brief meeting we will cover helpful information for these important Sacraments.

Important dates coming up:

First Penance - Tuesday, February 27th at 6:30 p.m.

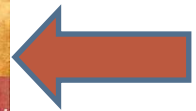
First Communion Retreat - Saturday, April 14th from 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon in the multi-purpose room.

First Communion Mandatory Practice - Thursday, May 10th from 4:00 - 5:15 p.m.

First Communion - Saturday, May 12th at 9:30 a.m.

There will be a cake reception immediately following First Communion for all family and friends in the parish center.

THE FISH FRY IS BACK THIS FRIDAY! Come out and Support Our Knights!



The Knights of Columbus is a Catholic, fraternal organization focused on charity, Catholic education, and supporting our local parishes. If you are interested in learning more or joining our Islands Council 10579, please contact T.C. Madison at tcmadison3@gmail.com or 912-777-9373.

INFORMATIVE LENTEN PRESENTATION BY MONSIGNOR COSTIGAN will be held on Wednesday, February 28th from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. in the church. This is open to all adults who are seeking a deeper understanding of what a meaningful time Lent can be in our spiritual journey. This presentation will be based on our Lenten program, Living the Eucharist.

LIFETEEN/YOUTH MASS Everyone is invited to join us THIS Sunday at 5:00 p.m. for Mass with liturgy and music geared towards the Youth and the Young at Heart sponsored by LIFETEEN and St. Peter the Apostle Parish. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.



Because of the severity of the flu outbreak, we are suspending the use of the common cup during Mass until further notice.



LENT



PARISH LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE will be held on Tuesday, March 20th 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.

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

LENTEN REGULATIONS 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.

K OF C FISH FRYS The Islands Council Knights of Columbus will hold their annual Lenten Fish Frys at St. Peter the Apostle parish center on Friday, February 23rd AND March 23rd 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.

PREPARING TO WELCOME OUR R.C.I.A. CANDIDATES THIS Sunday, February 18th, our R.C.I.A. candidates will be presented to Bishop Hartmayer at the *Rite of Election* at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist. At that time, they reaffirm their intention to join the Church in the presence of the bishop. Next, the three Scrutinies are celebrated on the Third, Fourth and Fifth Sundays of Lent. The Scrutinies are rites of conversion and repentance and the prayers of intercession are intended to deliver the candidates from sin, protect them from temptation and invite them closer to Christ. The First Scrutiny is March 3rd at 5:30 Mass, the Second Scrutiny is March 11th at 9:00 a.m. Mass and the Third Scrutiny is March 18th at the 11:15 a.m. Mass. At the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday night, the candidates are welcomed to the Lord's Table as full disciples of Christ. We invite everyone to come and witness this beautiful evening as we anticipate Christ's resurrection.



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! *It is easier than ever for you to enjoy your subscription to FORMED! Just download the **Free FORMED app** and start enjoying great video and audio wherever you go. Learn more at app.formed.org.*

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PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

February 11, 2018:	\$17,957.70
February 4, 2018:	\$20,814.95
January School Support:	\$ 4,004.00
January 28, 2018:	\$16,632.50
January 21, 2018:	\$16,100.72
Weekly Goal:	\$18,370.00
2017/18 Fiscal YTD:	\$564,064.49
2017/18 Fiscal YTD +/-	-\$ 42,139.51

(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.

St. Peter the Apostle Council of Catholic Women (CCW) are asking for your help in collecting much needed items for the Social Apostolate through February 28th: diapers in sizes 4 and 5, baby wipes, pasta and sauce, peanut butter, JELLY (big request), canned meats such as tuna, salmon, chicken, spam, Vienna sausage & ham. Place your donations in the box in the narthex.



EDGE BOARD GAMES OLYMPIC SOCIAL NIGHT

While our athletes are competing in Pyeongchang, let's have a little friendly competition ourselves at EDGE **NEXT Sunday, February 25th** from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. (Note the change in date - NOT this Sunday after Lifeteen Mass).



SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR 4 TO 6 YEAR OLDS is held during the 9:00 a.m. Mass. The children come to Mass with the family and then before the readings they receive a blessing from the celebrant and leave the sanctuary with their Sunday School teachers. They go to the youth center for a Lectionary based lesson. Parents pick up their children directly from the youth center after Mass.

CATHOLIC SCRIPTURE STUDY will meet this Sunday at 10:00 a.m. in the parish center room #2.

LIFETEEN will NOT meet after the Lifeteen Mass this weekend. Next Sunday, Lifeteen will meet in the youth center from 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. for Life Night - Love:Love as a Self-Gift, Definition of Love.

ADORATION & CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY is held on Tuesdays at 3:00 p.m. in the Adoration Chapel. All are welcome.

CCW this Tuesday at 6:15 p.m. the St. Peter CCW will meet in the multi-purpose room. Fr. Kavanaugh will speak on "Preparing for Death". All women of the parish are invited to attend. Contact Mary Mills at 912-247-3737 for more information.

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 in the parish center room #2 from 1:45 - 3:00 p.m.

CCD CLASSES Any student in grades K-12 who does not attend a Catholic school should be attending CCD. Classes are held on Wednesday evenings in the school from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. High School CCD meets in the youth center. For information, please contact Paula Hubert at phubert@spacsav.net or 897-5156.

THE ADULT CHOIR NEEDS YOUR VOICE! Choir practice is held on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. in the church. For information, contact Mary Zumer at 660-5118.

FOREVER YOUNG will meet this Friday in the parish center at 11:30 a.m. We are going to the movies! Please bring a sandwich. Drinks, snacks and popcorn will be provided.

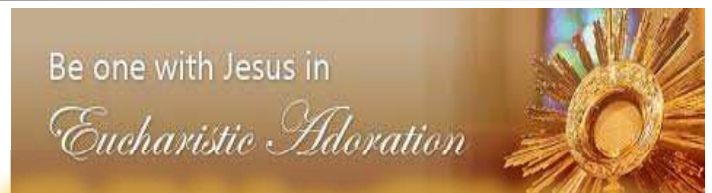
MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS is held every Thursday following morning Mass in the church. All welcome.

THE ROSARY is recited every weekday at 7:00 a.m., Wednesdays at 3:15 p.m. (when school is in session), 6:30 p.m. in the Daily Chapel and 5:00 p.m. on Saturdays in the Adoration Chapel.

APPLY NOW FOR GRACE SCHOLARS

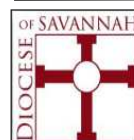
The GRACE (Georgia Residents Assisting Children's Education) Scholars, Inc. offers families the opportunity to attend St. Peter the Apostle School, a faith based, academically strong, and community based Catholic school in the State of Georgia. The GRACE Scholars website will review and answer any questions on how to apply for a scholarship. It is offered to families who demonstrate financial need who have students entering Pre-K 3 & 4, Kindergarten or first grade, and to public school students wishing to transfer to our school from second grade and above. Explore and learn more about this opportunity to receive financial aid for your child/children to attend St. Peter the Apostle School! Applications and information on how to apply are available in the school office included with the registration packet. You may also go to the GRACE Scholars website at www.gracescholars.org for more information or call or email Clare Zeigler in the parish office at 897-5156 or czeigler@spacsav.net.

The deadline to apply for GRACE Scholars for the 2018/2019 school year is March 1, 2018.



Offered Monday 8 a.m. until Wednesday 11 p.m.

in the Adoration Chapel



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2018 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

The Bishop's Annual Appeal (BAA) will commence the weekend of February 24th & 25th. It is time for us to do what we can to support not only our Diocese but the programs and ministries that benefit our parish and our Catholic community. The BAA supports our Catholic Schools and the education of our future priests and deacons. The BAA supports ministries that change lives for the better. We are blessed with much; let us be a blessing to others. Our parish target is \$91,797 and we can meet this goal if, after thoughtful consideration and prayer, everyone participates according to their ability.



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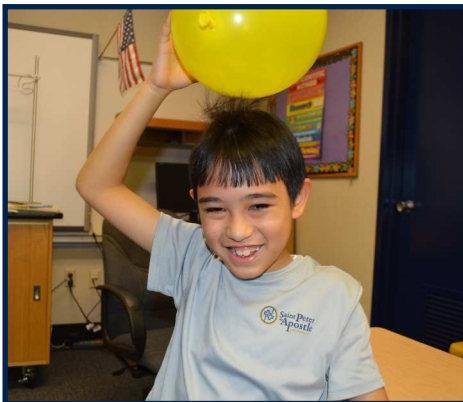
Curriculum Coordinator - Helena Russell - hrussell@spasav.net
 Secretary - Laura Anneken - lanneken@spasav.net
 Communication Coordinator - Ana Portman - aportman@spasav.net

Principal - Mr. Joe Thomas
 jthomas@spasav.net



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

Third graders, guided by 8th grade students, Val and Chris, made electroscopes and measured static electricity. It was a “hair-raising” experience!



St. Peter the Apostle School Events Calendar

Monday, February 19, 2018
 -Snow Make-up Day

Tuesday, February 20, 2018
 -Weekly Rosary: grade 2-8
 -Read Live 3:00pm

Wednesday, February 21, 2018
 -Ash Wednesday Mass 8:30am
 -Rosary Club 3:00pm
 -Equestrian Club
 -Rocky Times Mtg. 3:00pm
 -Read Live 3:00pm

Thursday, February 22, 2018
 -Yearbook Meeting 3:15pm
 -Read Live 3:00pm

Friday, February 23, 2018
 -Stations of the Cross 2:15
 -Robotics Club 3:00pm
 - Knights of Columbus Fish Fry
 and 8th grade Bake Sale

Kindergartener, Za, brought a picture of his father for “Show and Tell.” Za said his dad fought for freedom and justice!



2nd and 3rd grade students represent SPA at the Georgia Day Parade.



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.

DISCOVER THE INNER PATH: A GATHERING OF WOMEN will be held on Saturday, February 24th from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. at the Villa Marie Center, 6 Dolan Drive. Come visit with Mary of Magdala and Mary of Nazareth as we listen to them share their experience of the Passion and Resurrection of Jesus, while inviting us to relate the Easter Journey to our lives. Bring a mug for coffee/tea and a bag lunch. Beverages and snacks provided. Cost is \$20. Seating is limited, so please pre-register by February 21st. For information, contact Sr. Donna Loeper, SSJ, at 484-7860 or donnaloeper@comcast.net.

PHYSICIANS AND HEALTH CARE WORKERS The Catholic Medical Association will host a guest speaker on February 24th at the Pastoral Center on February 24th at 6:30 p.m. Dr. Kathleen Raviele will be speaking on the history of the Catholic Medical Association. Dinner will be provided. Health care workers and supporters are welcome to attend this talk and meeting to discuss formation of a CMA guild in Savannah. For more information, contact Richard Rowe at rarowe@mac.com

LOW COUNTRY CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY Join the group as they participate in the diocesan wide program "Living the Eucharist". They meet on Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. at Savannah Coffee Roasters where they will learn to better understand the Eucharist and how to more actively participate in Mass. Questions? Contact the LCC on Facebook at Low Country Catholics (Savannah Catholic Young Adults) or email at yamsavannah@gmail.com.

CAMP VILLA MARIE is accepting applications for all positions for summer 2018. If you are energetic, creative and enjoy working with children, consider applying for a camp position. Must be at least 16 years old, SPR and First Aid certified prior to beginning of camp. Visit https://diosav.org/human_resources-jobs for an application. Please submit by March 15th.

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/childdiyouthprotection.

ST. VINCENT'S ACADEMY & BENEDICTINE MILITARY SCHOOL PRESENT

SINGIN' IN THE RAIN

Screenplay by Betty Comden and Adolph Green
Songs by Maxie Herb Brown and Arthur Freed

Based on the classic Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer film,
by special arrangement with Warner Bros. Theatre Ventures, Inc.
(Original Music Copyrighted by Decca Ltd. and Twentieth Century Fox)

MARCH 2ND-4TH
7PM FRI & SAT
3PM SUNDAY MATINEE

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Rachel's Vineyard

Healing the trauma of abortion, one weekend at a time

RACHEL'S VINEYARD POST ABORTION HEALING RETREAT will be held April 20-22 near Augusta, GA. For any person, mother, father, family member, or friend, who is struggling with the emotional, spiritual and psychological pain after an abortion there is a special ministry just for you. A Rachel's Vineyard Weekend Retreat offers an opportunity to find healing, hope and forgiveness. Come and experience the mercy and compassion of God through this healing ministry. For additional information contact Stephanie May at 306-0406, stephmay@bellsouth.net, or visit the website at www.rachelsvineyard.org. All calls and inquiries are strictly confidential. Come and be restored.

Father, help me to see this holy season of Lent as a time of spiritual renewal, rather than a time of deprivation. Motivate me to reach a new level of experiencing your grace.



+++Pray for the Recently Deceased+++
 Gunnar Lindqvist (husband of Mary Lindqvist),
 Juan Daniel Alvarez Hilario (father of Essly Alvarez)



+++ Pray for Our Loved Ones +++

HOSPITALS: Memorial - Denny Herb, Sr.

AT HOME SICK: Mike Sievers, Jay Maney, Patsy Chan, Julia Dyer Strickland, Gilbert McMahon, Susan Doyle, Mary Ann King, Jean Nixon, Fran O'Neal, Hal Horton, Sandi Keller, Nancy Hasbrouck, Mike Foster, Eddie Best, Jeanette Low, Buck Tillman, Lily Stuckey, Sarah Hardcastle, Claire Barsic

NURSING HOMES & ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES: **Summer Breeze** - Patricia Gunderson, Margaret Murray, Mary Kelley, Joe DeVita, Al Remler, Mary McBride, Hazel Barker, Patty Hennessy, James Robertson, Paul Hernandez, Joan Valoze, Jean Phillips, Millie DeLucia, Virginia Smith **Habersham House** - Rosemary Sanders

Spanish Oaks- Johnette Kennedy **Buckingham South** - Brother Robert Sokolowski, Herbert Wells, Peter Hogan, Carol Walsh **Thunderbolt Rehab:** Ellen Snedeker, Elsa Spencer, Edith Pohl, Lillian Silirie, Mary Kehoe

OUT OF TOWN SICK: 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), Abby Pruitt, Leonard Ledford (brother of Connie Baran), Arra Hayden (grandmother of Melissa DeLong), Charlotte & Pete Eggink (sister & brother-in-law of John O'Neil), 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), Kandi Beckham, Sarah Moak (daughter of Susan Parsley), Moody Wharam (father of Julia Whelan), Patrick All, Rachel Elliott (grand-daughter of Mary Boniface), Brandon Agramonte, Lisa Rena Fitzgerald, Mike Phillips (father of Helena Russell), Edna Zumer (daughter-in-law of Mary Zumer), Mary Girgis (sister of Helen Workman), Camillus Gassen



St. Peter the Apostle Parish and School Upcoming Events



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>February 18 4-6 year old Sunday School during 9am Mass Catholic Scripture Study 10-11am Parish center rm#2 First Penance/First Holy Communion Parent Meeting 10am in church Lifeteen Mass 5pm</p>	<p>February 19 Rosary 7am</p>	<p>February 20 Rosary 7am</p> <p>Adoration & Chaplet of Divine Mercy 3pm in Adoration chapel</p> <p>CCW 6:30 pm parish center room #1</p>	<p>February 21 Rosary 7am</p> <p>Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office Women's Catholic Book Study 1:45-3pm parish center rm#2 Rosary 6:30 pm DC Adult choir practice 7:30 pm CCD 6:30 pm</p>	<p>February 22 Rosary 7am</p> <p>Mother of Perpetual Help devotions after morning mass</p>	<p>February 23 Rosary 7am Forever Young parish center room #1 11:30 am Stations of the Cross 6:30 p.m. K of C Fish Fry 5-8pm</p>	<p>February 24</p>
<p>February 25 4-6 year old Sunday School during 9am Mass Catholic Scripture Study 10-11am Parish center rm#2</p>	<p>February 26 Rosary 7am</p>	<p>February 27 Rosary 7am</p> <p>Adoration & Chaplet of Divine Mercy 3pm in Adoration chapel</p> <p>First Penance 6:30 pm</p>	<p>February 28 Rosary 7am</p> <p>Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office Women's Catholic Book Study 1:45-3pm parish center rm#2 Rosary 6:30 pm DC Adult choir practice 7:30 pm CCD 6:30 pm</p>	<p>March 1 Rosary 7am</p> <p>Mother of Perpetual Help devotions after morning mass</p>	<p>March 2 Rosary 7am Holy Hour of Prayer 8-9am Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm</p>	<p>March 3 K of C First Saturday Rosary 8am in church</p>
	Eucharistic Adoration 8am Monday-11pm Wednesday					
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