



Saint Peter the Apostle

Catholic Parish & School

March 21, 2021
5th Sunday of Lent
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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.
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.



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.



*All are
Welcome*

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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A **FORMED** Parish



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 21, 2021



<u>INTENTION</u>	<u>REQUESTED BY</u>
SUNDAY	
Margaret Hatch	Tom & Jane Madison
Butch Lowenthal	Andrew & Clare Zeigler & Family
Thomas A. Peca	The Hopkins Family
Brad Stone	Andrew & Clare Zeigler & Family
MONDAY	
John Thang Dang	Loving Family
TUESDAY	
Special Intention	John Salamankus
WEDNESDAY	
Mary Buck	Renee & Mike Teeple
THURSDAY	
Ann Crowder	Renee & Mike Teeple
FRIDAY	
John Thang Dang	Loving Family
Mark Cote	James & Marilyn Farley
SATURDAY	
Butch Lowenthal	Kathy & Ed Dutko



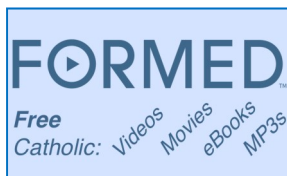
IMPORTANT DATES FOR R.C.I.A. CATECHUMENS, CANDIDATES AND SPONSORS

Sunday, March 21st - 3rd Scrutiny
11:15 a.m. Mass.

Monday, March 29th - Rehearsal for Easter Vigil at
6:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 3rd - Easter Vigil at 8:30 p.m.

Join us for the Youth Mass Sunday, March 21st at 5pm



FORMED - It's "Netflix for Catholics" provided to you free of charge by St. Peter the Apostle Parish. Catholic movies, books, audios and more are available. There is content available for children also. It's easy to do: 1. Go to formed.org 2. Click SIGN UP. 3. Click I BELONG TO A PARISH 4. Find our parish by zip code. 5. After you click on our parish you will be asked to enter your email. Once you enter it and you are signed up! There is also an app for your phone which can be downloaded for free.



LENTEN SERVICES On the Fridays of Lent, we offer Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m. There will also be Stations of the Cross at 1:50 p.m. on March 26th.

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 meat, or any food made with meat, on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays during Lent.



**Eucharistic Adoration Be One
With Jesus**

**Offered Monday 8am
until Wednesday 11pm
in Daily Chapel**



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

March 30th - Chrism Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral Basilica of St. John the Baptist at 11:00 a.m. Because of the pandemic, this Mass is **not open to the public this year.**

April 1st - Holy Thursday Mass will be celebrated at 7:00 p.m. to commemorate Our Lord's Last Supper, followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 11:00 p.m. **There is NO 7:30 a.m. Mass that morning.**

April 2nd - Good Friday There will be Stations of the Cross at 3:00 p.m. At 7:00 p.m. there will be a Liturgical Service, Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion. The Pontifical Good Friday collection is for the Holy Land. **There is NO 7:30 a.m. Mass that morning.**

April 3rd - Holy Saturday Anticipated Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated at 8:30 p.m. We will welcome our R.C.I.A. candidates into the Catholic faith at this Mass. All are welcome to attend. **Please note: there will be NO First Saturday Mass that morning and NO 5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass that evening.**

April 4th - Easter Sunday Masses will be celebrated at the usual times: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., and 11:15 a.m. The Second Collection will be for the Priests' Retirement Fund.

Please note that masks and social distancing will be required at all Holy Week services.



EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINES FOR PALM SUNDAY AND EASTER SUNDAY

Any information, including Mass Intentions for these upcoming bulletins are due in to Clare Zeigler in the parish office by noon on the following dates:

March 28th: due Monday, March 22nd
April 4th: due Wednesday, March 24th



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL (ACA) is

underway and 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.

Our parish target is \$89,031 and we hope with everyone's financial support, we will be able to reach that goal.



Priests' Retirement Fund

Each year on Easter Sunday, a special collection is taken up to benefit the Retirement Fund for the priests of the Diocese of Savannah. This collection provides a very important contribution to the pension fund for our diocesan priests. When a diocesan priest retires, he must provide for himself primarily through the pension he receives from the Diocese of Savannah and Social Security insurance. The number of priests retiring will increase in the next ten to fifteen years. Your contribution to this important collection will help our retired priests take care of themselves in their later years. We thank you for your generosity and gratitude for the service of the priests of the diocese.



VIRTUS CLASSES ON ZOOM This training is required for all who provide either paid or volunteer ministry in our diocese who in the course of their ministry come into contact with minors. To register for VIRTUS training, go to www.diosav.org and look for instructions under the "How Do I ..." drop down menu. There is a short video which explains how to register on VIRTUS. Once you register, the registrant is given class choices. For questions or more information, contact Joan Altmeyer at jbaltmeyer@diosav.org or 201-4074.

Upcoming Events:

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R.C.I.A. Classes are almost over for this year, but if you would like more information about becoming part of our Faith Community, contact Sr. Terentia Hynes at 897-5156.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: CCD The first Wednesday of each month is Family Night. We meet in the church at 6:30 p.m. in a safe, social distanced fashion. **Option #1:** Along with Family Night, digital learning at home with an easy to follow program that is grade appropriate. This program is based on the weekly Gospel but also integrates Doctrine and prayer.

Option #2: Along with Family Night, there are safely distanced, in-person classes. Because we have limited space, this is held on two different days depending on grade level.

Sunday mornings: K & 1st will meet during the 9:00 a.m. Mass. They will leave Mass before the readings and return by the end of Mass. Grades 4,5, & 6 will meet Sundays from 10:15-11:00 a.m. in the Youth Center with safety procedures in place. This will allow families to attend either the 9:00 or 11:15 a.m. Mass. **There will be NO CLASSES on Sunday, March 28th.**

Wednesday nights: Grades 2,3,7 & 8 will meet from 6:30-7:30 p.m. in the Youth Center. For questions or more information, please contact Paula Hubert at phubert@spacsav.net.

There be NO CLASSES on Wednesday, March 31st.

PARISH COUNCIL will meet on Tuesday, March 23rd at 6:30 p.m. in the parish center room #1.

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.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S BOOK STUDY meet in the parish center room #1 on Wednesdays from 1:45 - 2:45 p.m. For more information, call Cathy Scanlon at 897-6664. All ladies of the parish are welcome.

SATURDAY ROSARY You are invited to join a recitation of the rosary at 5:00 p.m. each Saturday (except for April 3rd) in prayer for an end to the pandemic and for peace in our world.

GET TO KNOW THE CANDIDATES FOR PARISH COUNCIL

D.J. HEATON: My wife, Shawn and our family have been members of St. Peter's for two years. I am an active member of the Knights of Columbus. Professionally, I am a self-employed property maintenance provider and home remodeler. I'm running for parish council because I want to be involved in the important decisions of the church we love very much.

PHILLIP PARADISE: My wife, Mary Tyler and I joined St. Peter's in 2019 after completing the RCIA program. In the years since, I have assisted with the RCIA program and became active in the Knights of Columbus. I am an attorney for a government agency and Mary Tyler teaches at Blessed Sacrament. Our daughter, Barbara, will begin school at St. Peter's in the fall, and I think the perspective of a young family with a child in the school would be a beneficial point of view for the parish council.

JOE STEFFAN: I am a cradle Catholic and active in several organizations, including the Catholic Lawyers Guild, The Knights of Columbus, Ancient Order of Hibernians and Democrats for Life. I have made two trips to Lourdes with the Order of Malta. I am an attorney by profession and the father of two children, 15 year old Amelie and 11 year old Liam. I am new to St. Peter's and would like to become more involved with the parish.



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Catholic School

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



Another great day at SPA!



‘Twas a lovely day for our Annual St. Patrick’s Day Bike Parade, the finest in the land! The Pre-K 3 & 4’s and Kindergarten students paraded around our beautiful campus, surrounded by family, friends and the whole student body cheering them on! Congratulations to the winner of our “Lucky Together” Raffle, Gayle V.! Thanks to all who participated! Erin Go Bragh!



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.

**PARISH STEWARDSHIP
OF TREASURE**

March 14, 2021:	\$16,562.00
March 7, 2021:	\$13,271.43
February School Support:	\$ 3,699.00
February 28, 2021:	\$19,135.50
February 21, 2021:	\$15,298.00
2020/21 Weekly Goal:	\$17,981.00
2020/21 Fiscal YTD:	\$629,973.89
2020/21 Fiscal YTD+/-	-\$ 35,322.11
2019/20 Fiscal YTD:	\$628,008.38

(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, support, and services to our parishioners, school, and community.



The Feast of St. Joseph this year has greater significance in the church as Pope Francis has designated this the year of St. Joseph. From December 8, 2020 to December 8, 2021, the church asks that we turn our hearts to St. Joseph. In his Apostolic Letter entitled *Patris corde* (With a Father's Heart), Pope Francis describes St. Joseph as "a beloved father, a tender and loving father, an obedient father, an accepting father; a father who is creatively courageous, a working father, a father in the shadows." Since 2010, the Men of St. Joseph have existed in our parish to model the life of St. Joseph as men who place our families in the hands of the Father with St. Joseph as our model. We want the parish to know that your families are in our prayers as we strive to live lives modeled after St. Joseph.

If you are interested in joining the Men of St. Joseph, they meet in the parish office each Wednesday morning from 6:30 - 7:30 a.m., then attend the 7:30 a.m. daily mass. They will be in the narthex after all masses March 20th & 21st to answer any questions.



SAVE THE DATE...THE DENNIS C. CONLON MEMORIAL BLOOD DRIVE sponsored by the Knights of Columbus 10579 is scheduled for Monday, May 3, 2021 from 1:00 - 6:00 p.m. at the parish center. The need for blood continues to be great and the pandemic continues to stress the donation process. Please sign up online at redcrossblood.org under K of C 10579. Any questions, please contact Kirby Willis at 897-5728 or kirbywillis@bellsouth.net.



ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE COMMITTEE 50/50 RAFFLE Please help support the **2022 St. Patrick's Day Parade** by purchasing a ticket for the 50/50 Raffle. Only 200 tickets will be sold at \$100 each.

Consider splitting a ticket with someone. Call or text Mike Bolton at 507-9460 to get your ticket. The drawing will be held when all 200 tickets are sold. Thanks for supporting the best parade in the land and Erin Go Bragh!

INTERCOLLEGIATE RETREAT 2021

Let us rejoice for Christ is Risen! All college students and college-aged young adults are invited to attend our annual intercollegiate retreat where students from across South Georgia come together to pray and worship our Lord. This year we will walk with the two disciples from the Road to Emmaus and relate their journey towards Christ with ours, especially during these turbulent times.

WHEN: April 9-11, 2021

WHERE: Camp Grace, Roberta, Georgia

COST: \$75 now-March 27th/ \$90 March 28-April 4

Go to diosav.org/campus-ministry/intercollegiate-retreat for more information or to sign up.

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+++

June McFadden (mother of Maureen McFadden),
Steve Carlisle



+++ Pray for Our Loved Ones +++

HOSPITAL: Mary Futch, Gloria Ann Fortson, Joe Robertson

AT HOME SICK: Mike & Nancy Sievers, Jean Nixon, Mike Foster, Lily Stuckey, Mary Hollis, Ryan Plumbley, Joey Allen, Ann Kearney, Patsy Corcoran, Pam McCarthy, Taylor McIntosh Oyao, Victoria Burns, Dale Galley, Karen Kitchell, Caroline Sasser, Rebecca Salamankas

NURSING HOMES & ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES: **Summer Breeze** - Mary Kelley, Joan Valoze, Jean Phillips, John Annunziata, Joan Demcsak, Marion Harkleroad, Beth Hill, Evelyn Edminster, Eleanor Cerbone, Frank Mathews, Peter & Marceline Preston, Bubba & Carolyn Groover **Buckingham South** - Brother Robert Sokolowski, Peter Hogan, Carol Walsh **Encompass Rehab** - Betty Carbo **Morningside** - Richard Kankiewicz **Harmony at Savannah** - Vincent Ferraro, Sr. **Savannah Square** - Richard & Cecilia DeBorde

OUT OF TOWN SICK: Anna O'Brien, Erin Fountain (grand-daughter of Peggy Fountain), Sarah Moak (daughter of Susan Parsley), Harvey Boxer (cousin of Page & Ginny Haberlin), Bourke Cannon (son of Bobby & Connie Cannon), Joseph Rehal (nephew of Francesca Rehal), Joe Lancaster (brother of Cate Tierney Fahey), Amy Doyle (granddaughter of Margaret Moser), Joy Povec, Paul Grabon (grandson of Helen Grabon), Linda Campbell, Carol & Don Gray, Carol Cillande (sister-in-law of Lucille Rabusin)



St. Peter the Apostle Parish Upcoming Events



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>March 21 CCD K & 1st grades during 9am Mass CCD 4,5 & 6 grades 10:15 -11:05 youth center RCIA 10-11 am parish center rm#1</p> <p>3rd Sunday Mass 11:15 AM R.C.I.A.</p> <p>Youth Mass 5pm</p>	<p>March 22 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p>March 23 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Parish Council Meeting 6:30 pm</p>	<p>March 24 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office</p> <p>CCD 2,3,7 & 8th grades 6:30-7:30 pm youth center</p>	<p>March 25 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p>March 26 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>School Stations of the Cross 1:50 pm</p> <p>Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm</p>	<p>March 27 Rosary 5:00 pm</p>
<p>March 28</p> <p>NO CCD</p> <p>RCIA 10-11 am parish center rm#1</p> <p>3rd Sunday Palm Sunday</p>	<p>March 29 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>RCIA practice for Holy Saturday 6pm</p>	<p>March 30 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>CHRISM MASS</p> <p>11am at Cathedral (NOT OPEN TO THE PUBLIC)</p>	<p>March 31 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office</p> <p>Women's Book Study 1:45-2:45 pm parish center</p> <p>NO CCD</p>	<p>April 1 NO 7:30 am Mass</p> <p>Holy Thursday</p> <p>Mass of the Last Supper 7pm</p>	<p>April 2 NO 7:30 am Mass</p> <p>GOOD FRIDAY</p> <p>Stations of the Cross 3:00 pm Veneration of the Cross 7pm</p>	<p>April 3</p> <p>Holy Saturday</p> <p>Anticipated Mass of the Resurrection 8:30 pm</p>
<p>HOLY WEEK</p> <p>Eucharistic Adoration 8am Monday-11pm Wednesday</p>						