



Saint Peter the Apostle

Catholic Parish & School

SEPTEMBER 26, 2021
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
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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.

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 SEPTEMBER 26, 2021



INTENTION

REQUESTED BY

SUNDAY	Jane Letke.....	Andrew & Clare Zeigler
	Mary Anne M. Aliotta.....	The Nave Family
	Nancy Embrey.....	St. Peter the Apostle School Faculty & Staff
MONDAY	Theresa Graziano.....	Terry Santiago
TUESDAY	Anna Nguyen.....	Loving Family
WEDNESDAY	St. Peter the Apostle Family and Friends	
THURSDAY	Jane Letke.....	Michael & Helen Marie Fleming
FRIDAY	John Dang.....	Loving Family
SATURDAY	Mary Anne Aliotta.....	Mary Kennedy
	Julie Blair.....	Michael & Antoinette Ryan
	Special Intention (Jean Gore's 90th birthday).....	Her Loving Family
	David McNulty.....	Marceline & Peter Preston



MISSION **SECOND COLLECTION** APPEAL this weekend is for the Mission

Cooperative Appeal. Responding to this appeal contributes to the missionary endeavors of our brothers and sisters assisting in the spreading of the Gospel to all nations. This is an opportunity for all of us to participate in an essential dimension or our Christian vocation-the call to evangelize.



Would you like to become Catholic or know anyone who does? If so, we invite you to join the R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian

Initiation for Adults) class which begins THIS SUNDAY, September 26th. Classes will be held every Sunday in the parish center room #1 from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. If you are interested in learning more, please contact Phillip Paradise at 803-221-2105 or philparadise@gmail.com.

Religious Education CCD

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/ CCD HAS BEGUN

Any students in grades K-8 who do not attend a Catholic school should be attending CCD.

Kindergarten & 1st grade CCD meet on Sunday during the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Your family will attend the Mass and the children will be called up before the first reading and led to the youth center. They will return to the church by Communion. We will practice social distancing and safety protocols.

Grades 2-8 meet on Wednesdays from 6:30-7:30 p.m. in the youth center and parish center. Fees are \$30 per child. Please fill out a pink registration form for your student.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3RD IS RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY



sponsored by the Diocese of Savannah and Knights of Columbus Council 631

will be held on Sunday, October 3rd from 2:30 - 3:30 p.m. in Daffin Park. All are invited to join in silent prayer and witness proclaiming the sacredness of all human life. Social distancing and masks are required.

OCTOBER RESPECT LIFE MONTH POSTER CONTEST The 2021 theme is "St. Joseph and the Holy Family". Create a poster of how your family lives like St. Joseph and the Holy Family. Entry categories: Grades 5/6 and Grades 7/8. For complete details and entry form, please visit: www.diosav.org/rlposter

What's Happening?

CCD 4-6 year olds and grades K and 1 meet on Sunday mornings during the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Grades 2-8 meet on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. The first Wednesday of every month is Family Night (October 6th) and students in grades K-8 and their families are asked to attend at 6:30 p.m. in the church.

PARISH COUNCIL will meet on Tuesday, September 28th 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.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP meets on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. in the youth center and will continue through November 4th. Contact Diane Farthing at dgfarthing@aol.com or 770-309-2019.

FOREVER YOUNG The October 8th meeting will be at the "Mighty Eighth" with a guided tour and lunch. Cost is \$22. Wheelchairs are available. Meet at the museum at 10:45 a.m. (tour begins at 11:00 a.m.), 175 Bourne Ave, Pooler, GA (Carpooling is suggested). **RESERVATIONS REQUIRED FOR ALL MEETINGS!** Reservation forms are in the narthex. Bring your completed Health Screening form and a mask. Lunch at 1pm.

CATHOLIC SCRIPTURE STUDY is resuming on Sundays beginning ~~September 26th~~ **(Start date is now October 10th)** from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. in the parish office conference room. This year's study will be on the First Book of Samuel, in which we learn about the prophet Samuel and see the beginnings of the kingdom of Israel under Saul and David. Questions or to register if you didn't sign up at the Ministry Fair, contact Tom Madison at tmad1204@yahoo.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S BOOK STUDY will not meet again until October 13th. For more information, please call Cathy Scanlon at 663-7173.

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



**American Red Cross
BLOOD DRIVE**

Give Blood • Give Life

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #10579 DENNIS C. CONLON MEMORIAL BLOOD DRIVE

When: Monday, October 4, 2021

Time: 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Where: St. Peter the Apostle Parish Center
Sign-up is open...go to redcrossblood.org to find our council and select your desired time to give. Any questions, contact Kirby Willis at kirbywillis@bellsouth.net or 897-5728.



Back again!
Coffee and **DONUTS**

**Sunday, October 3rd
after all Masses**

Don't miss this fun event!



Gift Gathering Oyster Roast

Join us for an evening of outdoor food and fun in preparation for our 2022 auction. We invite you to bring a new gift (valued at \$25 or more) to be used in the auction.

Or, you can simply make a \$25/person donation.

Your donation will be used to purchase new items to be placed in the auction.

Saturday, October, 23, 2021

6:30 - 10:00PM

Location: SPA Parish Center Parking Lot

Admission: \$25/Person Donation -OR- A new gift valued at \$25 or more per person

R.S.V.P. By 10/14 via Link: <https://forms.gle/La5Npma2lx7SMNCv5>

For more information, contact Chelsey Nimmer at 912-247-8057



Join The Chili Cookoff!
Bring your best chili to share and win prizes! Please bring your hot, ready to serve chili, in a crockpot with a serving ladle at 6:30 p.m.
Electrical outlets, serving bowls and spoons will be provided.



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for 2022 now!**



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GRACE Scholars is now accepting pre-registrations for the **2022 education tax credits**. You can pre-register at the GRACE website (gracescholars.org) or request a paper form at askgrace@gracescholars.org. If you have already registered for 2021, please be sure to register for 2022. “We hope the pandemic is in our rear view mirror, however, for many, the road to financial recovery continues to be a struggle. Your participation in this simple tax credit program through GRACE Scholars can help continue to make the dream of a Catholic school education possible for children with demonstrated financial need. I strongly encourage your participation.”—Hal Plummer, Archdiocese of Atlanta Superintendent of Schools. “GRACE awards provide hope for families and the church. As disciples of Christ and faithful Catholics, we help parents fulfill their promise to Christ to teach their children to know love, and serve the Lord. The body of Christ grows with each donation.”—Michelle Kroll, retired, Diocese of Savannah Superintendent of Schools. For more information, please visit the GRACE Scholars website or contact GRACE Scholars at askgrace@gracescholars.org.

PLUNGE

HIGH SCHOOL RETREAT

OCTOBER 8-9
ST. PETER THE APOSTLE,
SAVANNAH

An overnight retreat for high school students themed on baptism with games and talks.

Check in Friday 7:00pm
Dismiss Saturday 11:30am

REGISTER AT DIOREG.ORG/REGISTER

The retreat will be short but jam-packed with fun, talks, adoration, confession, mass and small group time focusing on our identity as baptized Christians.



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.

Eucharistic Adoration **Be One With Jesus**
Offered Monday 8am until Wednesday 11pm in Daily Chapel

PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

September 19, 2021:	\$22,251.00
September 12, 2021:	\$22,184.00
September 5, 2021:	\$16,173.00
August 29, 2021:	\$12,757.00
2021/2022 Weekly Goal:	\$17,981.00
2021/2022 Fiscal YTD:	\$214,515.00
2021/2022 Fiscal YTD +/-:	-\$ 2,258.00
2020/21 Fiscal Year Total:	\$185,733.76

(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.



Principal - Mrs. Wynter Kelly
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For more information or to
schedule a school tour
call 897-5224.

Director of Admissions: Helena Russell-hrussell@spasav.net
Communication Coordinator: Ana Portman-aportman@spasav.net
School Secretary: Shandra Peecksen-speecksen@spasav.net

In their Science Lab, 2nd grade learned about pollination and planting seeds!



Adhering to ProjectEngin Criteria and Constraints, 3rd grade constructed Lego Bridges in their Bridge Building Challenge #2! Another Great Week at SPA!

Bridge Building Challenge # 2

Criteria-requirements

- Bridge must cross a river that is 10 inches wide
- Boats 5 inches tall must be able to pass under the bridge

Constraints-limitations

- Build a vehicle strong bridge using only the Lego's in your tote
- Build Time: 10-15 min
- No part of the bridge can touch the river



TOGETHER we live, pray, learn and serve, **TOGETHER** we make a difference.
P.O. Box 30460 7020 Concord Road Savannah, Georgia 31410
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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.



We are once again participating in the Backpack Buddies Program which helps provide meals for children in need. We are requesting the following: juice boxes, individual milk boxes, granola bars, small cereal boxes, canned beefaroni/spaghetti/ravioli (with pop-tops), fruit cups, small jars of peanut butter, crackers, etc. All items must be individually sealed. Monetary donations are also very much appreciated. We are continually grateful for the ongoing generosity of our St. Peter the Apostle parishioners. Any questions, please text or call Cathy Scanlon at 912-663-7173.

You're not alone.

SEPTEMBER IS
SUICIDE PREVENTION MONTH

If you or someone you know needs help, please text the Crisis Text Line at 741741 or call the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 1-800-273-TALK (8255)



2021 RED MASS The Catholic Lawyers Guild will host its annual Red Mass on Friday, October 1st at noon. It will be celebrated by Bishop Stephen Parkes in St. Mary's Chapel at the Pastoral Center on Victory Drive. A reception will follow in O'Hara Hall immediately following the Mass. All are invited. For more information, contact Sandra Saseen-Smith at ssaseen@glsp.org.

WHITE ELEPHANT SALE Saturday, October 2nd from 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. in Sts. Peter & Paul Parish Hall at Nativity Church, 3113 E. Victory Drive. There will be furniture, appliances, housewares, clothes, toys, books and many more bargains.

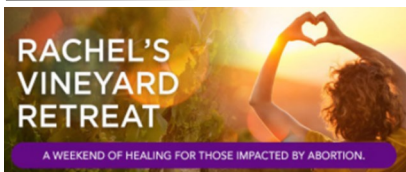
Best-selling author and international speaker Immaculée Ilibagiza will share her horrific experience during the Rwandan holocaust at St. James on Saturday, October 9th at 7:00 p.m. Immaculée will share how the powerful prayer of the Rosary strengthened her relationship with God, who graced her with the power to forgive. For more information or to reserve childcare contact sremilyvincent@stjamesav.com by October 6th.

HelpOurMarriage.org
RETRouvaille
A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Retrouvaille is a program to help couples heal and renew their hurting marriages. The next weekend retreat is October 8-10 in Augusta. To register go to bit.ly/RetrouvailleAugusta. For information call 706-829-6901 or rtv.quinn@gmail.com.



ROSARY COAST TO COAST - Catholics across the country will join in prayer simultaneously for healing and unity in our country and for the defense of the sanctity of all life from conception to natural death. It will be held on October 10th at Blessed Sacrament at 4:00 p.m.



RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT
A WEEKEND OF HEALING FOR THOSE IMPACTED BY ABORTION.
For any woman, man, family member, or friend who is struggling with the emotional, spiritual and psychological pain after an abortion. The retreat offers a beautiful opportunity to find healing, hope and forgiveness. For additional information, call 912-306-0406, email stephaniemay135@gmail.com or visit www.rachelsvineyard.org. All calls and inquires are strictly confidential.

PROMISE To Protect  **Pledge To HEAL**

VIRTUS CLASSES WILL STILL CONTINUE 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.

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+++



Mike Foster (husband of Jane Foster)
Patty Neagle (sister of Frank Neagle)
Bennett Persons (nephew of Heather Hegg)
John Burke

+++ Pray for Our Loved Ones +++

AT HOME SICK: Mike & Nancy Sievers, Jean Nixon, Lily Stuckey, Mary Hollis, Ann Kearney, Taylor McIntosh Oyao, Victoria Burns, Karen Kitchell, Rebecca Salamankas, Bob Braver, Emily Pigman

NURSING HOMES & ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES: **Summer Breeze** - Joan Valoze, Jean Phillips, Joan Demcsak, Marion Harkleroad, Beth Hill, Evelyn Edminster, Eleanor Cerbone, Frank Mathews, Peter & Marceline Preston, Bubba & Carolyn Groover, Barbara Galluk, Therese Leonard **Buckingham South** - Brother Robert Sokolowski, Peter Hogan, Carol Walsh, Tricia Christensen **Encompass Rehab**- Kathy Dutko **Morningside** - Richard Kankiewicz **Harmony at Savannah** - Vincent Ferraro, Sr. **Riverview** - Mary Kelley, Soundra Ray **Azalealand** - Annie Vause

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), 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, Don & Carol Gray, Carol Cillande (sister-in-law of Lucille Rabusin), Steven Holmes (son of Nancy Tech), Florence Reynolds, Frank Graziano, Jr. (brother of Terri Santiago), Fr. Dan O'Connell, Kathy Dutko



St. Peter the Apostle Parish Upcoming Events



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>September 26</i></p> <p>4-6 year old Sunday School and CCD grades K-1 during 9am Mass</p> <p>RCIA 10-11 am parish center rm#1</p>	<p><i>September 27</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>September 28</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Parish Council 6:30 pm parish center rm#1</p>	<p><i>September 29</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office</p> <p>CCD grades 2-8 6:30 pm</p> <p>Watch Wednesday Wisdom on FB</p>	<p><i>September 30</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Grief Support Group 6:30 pm youth center</p>	<p><i>October 1</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Holy Hour 8-9am</p>	<p><i>October 2</i></p> <p>Rosary 5:00 pm</p> <p>First Saturday Rosary 8am Mass 8:30 am</p>
Eucharistic Adoration 8am Monday-11pm Wednesday						
<p><i>October 3</i></p> <p>Coffee & Donuts after all Masses</p> <p>4-6 year old Sunday School and CCD grades K-1 during 9am Mass</p> <p>RCIA 10-11 am parish center rm#1</p>	<p><i>October 4</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>K of C Blood Drive 1-6pm parish center</p>	<p><i>October 5</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>October 6</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office</p> <p>CCD FAMILY NIGHT 6:30 PM IN CHURCH</p> <p>Watch Wednesday Wisdom on FB</p>	<p><i>October 7</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Grief Support Group 6:30 pm youth center</p>	<p><i>October 8</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Forever Young trip to The Mighty Eighth</p> <p>High School Retreat begins 7pm until</p>	<p><i>October 9</i></p> <p>Rosary 5:00 pm</p> <p>High School Retreat ends 11:30 am</p>
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