

Saint Peter the Apostle

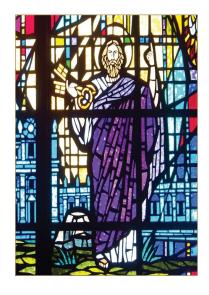
May 7, 2023 **5th Sunday** of Easter Readings on page 871

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 6:30 p.m. Daily Mass: Monday - Friday at 7:30 a.m.

Reconciliation Saturday: 4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Parish Office Hours



Baptisms If you wish to have flowers

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.

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Flowers

parish office.

on the altar for a specific

weekend, please call the

Mew 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.





MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 7, 2023



	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
SUNDAY	St. Peter the Apostle Family and Friends	
	In Thanksgiving	Linda & Jim Wilharm
	Grace Porsch	Joyce Cullen
MONDAY	Anna Nguyen	Loving Family
	Special Intention	John Salamankas
TUESDAY	Nancy Embry	Loving Family at SPA
	Charles & Anna Haley Family	Loving Family
	Bart Eason	Eileen Tillman
WEDNESDAY	Fred & Celeste Betz	Margaret Betz
THURDAY	Fr. Richard Canty	
FRIDAY	John Dang	Loving Family
SATURDAY	Carmela Pollio	



THE DENNIS C. CONLON MEMORIAL BLOOD DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus Islands Council #10579 will hold their Blood Drive on **Wednesday, May 10th** from 2:00 - 7:00 p.m. in the parish

center.

Only 3% of Americans give blood in support of a demand that is constant. Nationwide, someone needs a unit of blood every 2 to 3 seconds and most of us will need blood in our lifetime. You can make a huge difference! Please go to redcrossblood.org to schedule your appointment. You can find our drive by searching for the date. Contact David Wood with any questions at dstwood@gmail.com.



Altar servers scheduled for May 13th & 14th:

5:30 p.m. Eden Stanley, Noah Horne

7:30 a.m.: Bridget Ryan

9:00 a.m.: Hayden Hux, Caroline & Tommy

Madison

11:15 a.m.: Edie & Joey Fobes, Sam Turgeon, Dylan Wells



Students in St. Peter the Apostle School and PREP class will receive their First Holy Communion on Saturday, May 13th at 9:30 a.m. All family and friends are invited to attend this special event.





One of our long-time parishioners, Julia Strickland is in need of a kidney donor. If you or someone you know are able to help, please call

912-313-0619.



R.C.I.A. Would you like to become Catholic or might? If so, we invite you to join the 2023 R.C.I.A. class which will begin in September. For more information, please contact Phillip Paradise at 803-221-2105 or philparadise@gmail.com.

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.

<u>SATURDAY ROSARY</u> 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.

WOMEN'S BOOK STUDY meets on Wednesday at 1:45 p.m. in the youth center. Call or text Cathy Scanlon at 912-663-7173 for info.

<u>SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD MEETING</u> will be held on Wednesday, May 10th at 6:30 p.m. in the parish center room #1. All members are asked to attend this last meeting of the school year.

<u>PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM</u> Any students in grades K-8 who do not attend a Catholic School should be attending our Religious Education Program. The program is over for this year and will begin again in September. Contact Paula Hubert for information at phubert@spacsav.net or 912-879-5156.

PLANNING FOR DEATH 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 and teach medical care at the end of life? Fr. Kavanaugh will present a *Planning for Death Seminar* on Wednesday, May 31st (please note the change in date) at 6:30 p.m. and discuss these and other matters. If you are not planning to die, you need not attend...



"Under the Sea (See)" Vacation Bible School is open to kids age 4 (who have completed 4 year old Pre-K) up to 6th grade. The cost is \$40 per child.

9:00 a.m. - Noon. Please join us for music with Hanna, Art, Outdoor Fun and More! Registration forms are available in the narthex and parish office.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

April 30, 2023: \$14,456.00
April 23, 2023: \$15,626.00
April 16, 2023: \$18,990.00
April 9, 2023: \$28,164.00
2022/2023 Weekly Goal: \$18,942.00
2022/2023 Fiscal YTD: \$811,788.00
2022/2023 Fiscal YTD +/-: -\$ 30,611.00
(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.



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.



Hello families and friends of St. Peter the Apostle Parish,

My name is Maggie Fogarty and I am a current student of Georgia Southern University getting a degree in psychology and planning to get a masters of Theology after graduating in the spring of 2024. I have been a member of this parish since 2009 and even graduated from St. Peters in 2016 and then attended high school at Saint Vincent's Academy and graduated in 2020. Throughout my high school years I encountered Jesus Christ in many different ways, and was able to form a real relationship with Him. That led me to become a part of the discipleship program with Focus, the president of Catholic Eagles at Georgia Southern, and be Co-Youth Minister for the parish in Statesboro. All of these

things have helped me to find my passion in life and that is to give back to my home parish and really help teens in Savannah form a relationship with Christ. The way I believe I can do this is to come home and become the Youth Minister for our parish. I am very excited to start this journey and can't wait to see how the Lord works in the teens' hearts that I will encounter. I ask that you please support me and pray for me as I start this new chapter in my life. I am praying for you all always.

Sincerely, Maggie Fogarty



All are welcome to pray the rosary on Saturday, May 13th at St. Peter the Apostle Church at 5:00 p.m. Come and pray for peace in the world. The next Fatima Rosary will be at Sacred Heart Church on June 13th.

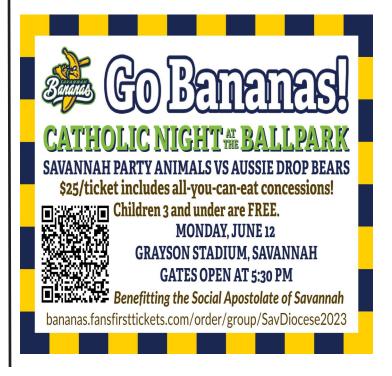
TO ALL CATHOLIC FAMILIES REQUESTING OR RECEIVING CATHOLIC TUIITON RATE AT ST. PETER THE APOSTLE SCHOOL

A family must be:

- Registered in the Parish
- * Attend Mass on all Sundays and Holy Days
- * Participate in the Sacraments of the Church
- * Go to confession at least once a year
- * Participate actively in parish events
- Contribute regularly to the parish offertory in a recognizable way, by parish envelope or check

The same requirements hold for a family requesting verification for the Catholic tuition rate at Benedictine and/or St. Vincent's Academy. If you have any questions, please contact Clare Zeigler in the parish office at czeigler@spacsav.net.







Principal - Mrs. Wynter Kelly

wkelly@spasav.net

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

Another great week at SPA!

St. Peter the Apostle hosted a youth goalball tournament today with teams from Atlanta, Savannah, South Carolina and Florida! Our own 7th grader Matthew G played on the Savannah team and is such a great athlete! Goalball is a Paralympic Sport for visually impaired athletes.







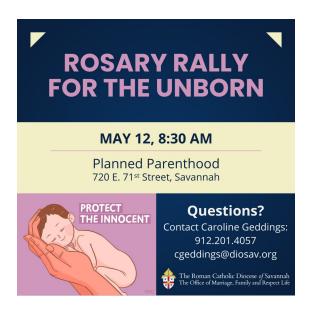


TOGETHER we live, pray, learn and serve, TOGETHER we make a difference.

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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.





WHO WANTS TO GO TO NEW YORK CITY?

Working with Road Scholar, Fr. Kavanaugh would enjoy leading a trip to New York City, a place he has visited many times. Especially if you've never been, this is their "SIGNATURE NEW YORK CITY TOUR." The tour is 6 days, 5 nights, with 11 meals included. Visits to:

The Empire State Building
The Statue of Liberty & Ellis Island
Times Square, Little Italy, St. Patrick's Cathedral
The Metropolitan Museum of Art
A Walk across the Brooklyn Bridge
"Free Time" is included if you want to do some

"Free Time" is included if you want to do some exploring on your own, which Father highly recommends!

Date: October 22nd-27th

Cost: Between \$1,900 and \$2,200 plus your airfare. Contact: Fr. Kavanaugh at frkavanaugh@spacsav.net See https://www.roadscholar.org/find-an-adventure/8861/Signature-City-New-York.

STEUBENVILLE/ATL-2023



Registration is OPEN! Calling all high school youth, rising 9th graders to graduating seniors (for the 2023-2024 school year). JOIN US for SteubieATL-2023, July 7th-9th. This event sells

out fast every year so REGISTER TODAY! You don't want to miss out! Contact Maggie Fogarty to reserve your spot at maggieofogarty@comcast.net or call the parish office at 912-897-5156.





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+++

Rita DeLorme (mother of Marie Degenhardt)



+++ Pray for Our Loved Ones +++

HOSPITALS: St. Joseph: Carole Foran **Memorial**: Steve Anderson

AT HOME SICK: Jean Nixon, Mary Hollis, Karen Kitchell, Rebecca Salamankas, Emily Pigman, Diane Horton, Jennifer Narke, Fr. Dan Firmin, Nancy Stevens, Joyce Cullen, Julia Strickland, Noreen Mangiero, Mike Phillips, Kathleen Warenzak

NURSING HOMES, ASSISTED LIVING & REHAB FACILITIES:

Summer Breeze - Joan Demcsak, Beth Hill, Eleanor Cerbone, Peter Preston, Carolyn Groover, Barbara Galluk, Betty Carbo, Lou DiBenedetto, Dr. Sam & Katherine Roybal, Dennis Graney, Dr. James & Maryann Burke, John & Margo Lang, Tom Madison, Sr., Jayne Ducey, Patricia Lowenthal, Charlotte McCarthy Buckingham South - Carol Walsh, Tricia Christensen Sunabella - Kathy Wrenn Azalealand - Evelyn Edminster Morningside - Richard Kankiewicz Harmony at Savannah - Vincent Ferraro, Sr., Marian Harkleroad Riverview - Soundra Ray Tara - Annie Vause Encompass - Marceline Preston **OUT OF TOWN SICK**: Anna O'Brien, 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), Joy Povec, Paul Grabon (grandson of Helen Grabon), Linda Campbell, Don Gray, Carol Cillande (sister-in-law of Lucille Rabusin), Florence Reynolds, Frank Graziano, Jr. (brother of Terri Santiago), Fr. Dan O'Connell, Mick McCombs, Bernie Beier, Mary Pawlowski, Bert Grant (friend of the Dobson family), Charlene Glorieux (sister-in-law of Eloise Glorieux), Stephen DeHaven (nephew of Clare Zeigler), Matthew Whitaker (nephew of Paula Hubert), Claire Bunger Gunn

May	St. Peter the Apostle Parish Upcoming Events					
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
May 7	May 8 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am	May 9 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am	May 10 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office Women's Book Study 1:45 pm youth center School Advisory Board Meeting 6:30 p.m. Parish center rm#1	May 11 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am	May 12 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am	May 13 Rosary 5pm First Communion 9:30 am
	Eucharistic Ado	ration 8am Monda	y-11pm Wednesday			
May 14 K of C Breakfast after 7:30 and 9am Masses May Crowning at 9am Mass	May 15 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am	May 16 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am	May 17 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am office Women's Book Study 1:45 pm youth center	May 18 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am 8th grade Graduation 6pm	May 19 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am	May 20 Rosary 5pm
HAPPY Mothers DAY	Eucharistic Ado	ration 8am Monda	y-11pm Wednesday			