



Saint Peter the Apostle

Catholic Parish & School

SEPTEMBER 24, 2023
25th Sunday
In Ordinary Time
Readings on page 932

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

Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.



PASTOR

FR. MICHAEL J. KAVANAUGH
frkavanaugh@spacsav.net

PAROCHIAL VICAR

FR. LUIS FONSECA
frfonseca@spacsav.net

DEACON

KEVIN KNIGHT
kknight@spacsav.net

PARISH STAFF

LINDA WILHARM
lwilharm@spacsav.net

CLARE ZEIGLER
czeigler@spacsav.net

HEATHER FERRELL
Account Manager
hferrell@spacsav.net

PAULA HUBERT
Director of Parish
Religious Education
phubert@spacsav.net

MAGGIE FOGARTY
Youth Minister
mfogarty@spacsav.net

MUSIC MINISTRY

DAVID DANG
Music Director

MARGARET DELORME
Organist

PARISH COUNCIL PRESIDENT

PHILLIP PARADISE
philparadise@gmail.com

SCHOOL BOARD PRESIDENT

BEN MOYE
ben_moye@yahoo.com

FINANCIAL COUNCIL CHAIR

SARAH SEWELL

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.



7020 CONCORD ROAD ♦ P.O. BOX 30859 ♦ SAVANNAH, GA 31410

912-897-5156 ♦ 912-897-7924 (FAX)

info@spacsav.net ♦ www.SaintPetertheApostle.com

A **FORMED** Parish

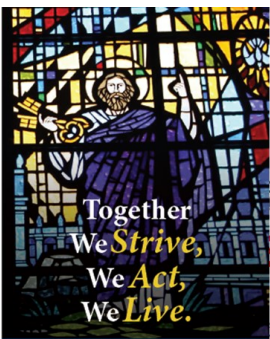


MASS INTENTIONS



FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 24, 2023

	<u>INTENTION</u>	<u>REQUESTED BY</u>
SUNDAY	Mazie Kowalchuk.....	Paula & John Hubert
	Special Intention.....	Marcantel Family
	Pat Leysath	Teri & John Humphries
	Special Intention.....	St. Peter the Apostle School Faculty & Staff
MONDAY	Corky Fleming.....	Fran & Dave McCarthy
	John Thang Dang	Loving Family
TUESDAY	Joann Marie Spadaro	Joe & Claudia Piccoli
	Special Intention.....	The Hrabie Family
WEDNESDAY	Charles & Anna Haley Family	Loving Family
	Special Intention.....	Anonymous
THURDAY	Fr. John Fitzpatrick	Fr. Michael J. Kavanaugh
FRIDAY	Bill Mattingly.....	Holly Rolfes
	Anna Chuc Nguyen.....	Loving Family
SATURDAY	Thomas Cullen.....	Family
	Doyle Kelly.....	Bo Kelly
	Marion Humphrey.....	Bo Kelly



“Together We Strive, We Act, We Live” Program

Thank you for celebrating Commitment Sunday with us last weekend. Your commitment to our parish through our “Together We Strive, We Act, We Live” Program will continue to

bring life to our community. Our goal is 100% participation! Please return your Commitment Card at Mass or mail to the parish office. Thank you for your generosity and support of St. Peter the Apostle Church!

Give blood. Help save lives.



Dennis Conlon Memorial
Blood Drive
Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Islands Council
St. Peter the Apostle Church

Parish Center
7020 Concord Road
Savannah, GA 31410

Wednesday, September 27, 2023
2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Please visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: KC10579 to schedule an appointment.



Scan to be directed to RedCrossBlood.org

Race to give this September and get a coupon for free haircut by email, thanks to Sport Clips Haircuts! Plus chance to win a trip for two and VIP NASCAR experience to the 2024 NASCAR Cup Series & Xfinity Races at Darlington Raceway. Terms: rcblood.org/win



Scan to schedule an appointment



SECOND MISSION 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.



Congratulations to Tucker and Grayson Booth who received the Eucharist for the first time on July 30, 2023.



Thank you to the entire parish for all the support for our Confirmation Candidates! Pray for our Candidates and families as we get closer to our October 16th Confirmation date. A special thanks to Mrs. Lisa Daniel,

Ms. Chara Hatchett, the Boot Camp volunteer leaders, CCW, Knights of Columbus, St. Peter the Apostle School, Parish Office Staff, Fr. Kavanaugh, Fr. Luis Fonseca and Deacon Kevin Knight.
Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And you will renew the face of the earth.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (PREP) Children in Kindergarten through 8th grade who do not attend a Catholic School should be attending PREP classes. Grades 2-8 meet on Wednesdays from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. in the parish center and youth center. Sunday School for Kindergarten and 1st graders begins this Sunday. They attend the 9:00 a.m. Mass with their families and are taken to the youth center by their teachers before the readings. They will be returned to the church at Communion. Please contact Paula Hubert at phubert@spacsav.net/912-897-5156 to register or for more information.

LIFETEEN for students in grades 8-12 will meet in the youth center this Sunday from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. They also meet on Wednesdays from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. for Bible Study.

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 began on September 18th. For more information, please contact Phillip Paradise at philparadise@gmail.com/803-221-2105.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING will be held on Tuesday, September 26th at 6:30 p.m. in the parish center room #1. All members are asked to attend.

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 BOOK STUDY will meet this Wednesday at 1:45 p.m. in the youth center. All ladies of the parish are welcome! Please contact Cathy Scanlon for more information at 912-667-7173.

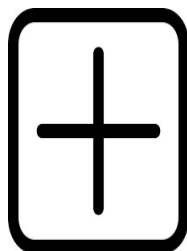
"WALKING THROUGH GRIEF" is a support program to cope with grief and loss. The group meets on Thursday evenings at 6:30 p.m. in the youth center. For information contact Diane Farthing at dgarthing@aol.com/770-309-2019 or Sheila Lowe at miloga89@gmail.com/912-656-9109.

HOLY HOUR Everyone is invited to come on Friday, October 6th and spend an hour devoted to prayer in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY AND MASS all are welcome to come on Saturday, October 7th at 8:00 a.m. to pray the rosary followed by the celebration of Mass at 8:30 a.m.

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

CATHOLIC SCRIPTURE STUDY will begin on October 8th. This year's discussion will be on the Book of the Prophet Isaiah. Any level of knowledge is welcomed. They will meet in the parish office on Sundays from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. For information contact Tom Madison at tmad1204@yahoo.com.



"ROME AND FOAM" IS RETURNING It will be held at the Snug Pub (behind Cancun and Molly's) on September 24th at 6:00 p.m. Caroline Ebberwein Geddings, Managing Director of Evangelization and Discipleship for the Diocese of Savannah will be the speaker that evening. This is an opportunity to gather with fellow parishioners here on Wilmington Island. Sessions will be held on selected Sunday evenings and will include a speaker who will speak on topics pertinent to our church today. All adults are welcome.

wkelly@spasav.net'. There are also icons of a globe and a stack of books."/>

St. Peter the Apostle
Catholic School is looking for
some helping hands!

We have a Full-time
**Teacher
Aide**
position available.

Contact Wynter Kelly
at wkelly@spasav.net

We are also in need of
substitutes. Please let us
know if you are interested
in subbing.



GRACE Scholars is now accepting pre-registrations for the 2024 education tax credits. You can pre-register at the GRACE website gracescholars.org and click on "For Donors" or you may request a paper form by emailing askgrace@gracescholars.org.

There were a few changes in 2023:

- Single/head of household tax credit limit - lesser of tax liability or \$2,500. An increase from \$1,000.
- Married filing jointly tax credit limit - lesser of tax liability or \$5,000. An increase from \$2,500.
- Pass through entity (S corp, partnership or LLC) tax credit limit - lesser of tax liability or \$25,000. An increase from \$10,000.
- 2024 state tax credit cap is \$120 million.

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. For more information, please visit the GRACE Scholars website or contact GRACE Scholars at askgrace@gracescholars.org.



Fall Shrimp Fry
Friday, October 13th
4:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

\$15

Please pre-order at
<http://www.kofc10579.com/>



DON'T MISS OUT!



BAPTISM CLASS Any parent who is planning to have a child baptized here at St. Peter the Apostle Church must

first attend a Baptism Class. The next class will be held on Tuesday, October 3rd at 6:30 p.m. in the parish office conference room. Please call the parish office at 912-897-5156 if you would like to attend.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Jesus is waiting for you!

Offered Monday 8am through Wednesday 11pm in the Daily Chapel



PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

September 17, 2023:	\$16,537.00
September 10, 2023:	\$14,192.00
September 3, 2023:	\$20,647.00
August 27, 2023:	\$14,869.00
2023/2024 Weekly Goal:	\$20,258.00
2023/2024 Fiscal YTD:	\$200,895.68
2023/2024 Fiscal YTD +/-:	-\$ 42,202.32
2022/2023 Fiscal YTD:	\$199,298.00

(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.



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!

Third grade used mirrors and flashlights to learn about reflection and refraction in science lab.



TOGETHER we live, pray, learn and serve, **TOGETHER** we make a difference.
P.O. Box 30460 7020 Concord Road Savannah, Georgia 31410
school@spasav.net p. 912.897.5224 f. 912.897.0801

Saint Peter the Apostle School provides 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.



ATTENTION ALTAR SERVERS Please check Flocknotes and sign up for serving at upcoming Masses. **Altar Servers for September 30th and**

October 1st:

5:30 p.m.- Conner Schnabel

7:30 a.m.- Kinsley Harnan, Rosalyn Nunnally

9:00 a.m.- Noah Horne, Connor Corey

11:15 a.m.- open

TO ALL CATHOLIC FAMILIES REQUESTING OR RECEIVING CATHOLIC TUITION 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.

The Frassati Sacred Social Society Presents

St. Jerome's Day Geocaching
September 30th

Young adults, 18 to 39, are invited to join us for Holy Mass at 4:30 pm at Sacred Heart. Immediately following, we will geocache around Downtown Savannah. Remember to bring a charged cellphone. Find us on Group Me, Instagram, and Facebook

LIFE CHAIN
Silent prayer and witness proclaiming the sacredness of all human life

OCTOBER 1, 2023
Sunday | 2:30-3:30PM
Daffin Park along Victory Drive
Signs will be provided
Sponsored by the Diocese of Savannah Office of Fellowship and Life

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT
October 20-22, 2023 | Near Augusta, GA

Do you or someone you know have emotional, spiritual or psychological pain due to a past abortion? If so, there is a ministry just for you. At a Rachel's Vineyard Ministry retreat you can find help, hope, and healing through their post-abortion weekends.

For more information:
912-306-0406 | rachelsvineyard.org
stephaniemay135@gmail.com

Complete confidentiality will be honored at all times. Take the risk and find the peace and healing you have been searching for.



There is a **Rosary Rally for the Pre-Born** every Friday at 8:30 a.m. at Planned Parenthood, 720 E. 71st St. For more information, contact Peter Crawford at falfan52@gmail.com.

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+++
 Gene Dodd (husband of Monica Simon Dodd and brother of Barry Dodd), Wesley Overstreet



+++ Pray for Our Loved Ones +++

HOSPITALS: Candler - Kandace Lewis

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

NURSING HOMES, ASSISTED LIVING & REHAB FACILITIES:

Summer Breeze - Joan Demcsak, Beth Hill, Eleanor Cerbone, Carolyn Groover, Barbara Galluk, Lou DiBenedetto, Dennis Graney, Dr. James & Maryann Burke, John & Margo Lang, Patricia Lowenthal
Buckingham South - Carol Walsh, Tricia Christensen, Peter & Marceline Preston **Sunabella** - Kathy Wrenn **Azalealand** - Evelyn Edminster **Morningside** - Richard Kankiewicz **Harmony at Savannah** - Vincent Ferraro, Sr., Marian Harkleroad **Riverview** - Soundra Ray **Tara** - Annie Vause
The Oaks - Diane Green **Pruitt** - Joe Robertson

OUT OF TOWN SICK: Anna O'Brien, Sarah Moak (daughter of Susan Parsley), Harvey Boxer (cousin of Ginny Haberlin), Joseph Rehal (nephew of Francesca Rehal), 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)



**St. Peter the Apostle Parish
 Upcoming Events**



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>September 24</i></p> <p>Sunday School for K-1st grade during 9am Mass</p> <p>Life Night 5-7pm youth center</p> <p>Rome & Foam 6pm at Snug Pub</p>	<p><i>September 25</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>September 26</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Parish Council 6:30 pm parish center rm#1</p>	<p><i>September 27</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office</p> <p>Red Cross Blood Drive</p> <p>Women's Book Study 1:45 pm youth center</p> <p>Lifeteen Bible Study 6-7pm youth center</p> <p>PREP grades 2-8 6:30 pm</p>	<p><i>September 28</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Grief Ministry 6:30 pm youth center</p>	<p><i>September 29</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>September 30</i></p> <p>Rosary 5pm</p>
Eucharistic Adoration 8am Monday-11pm Wednesday						
<p><i>October 1</i></p> <p>Sunday School for K-1st grade during 9am Mass</p> <p>Life Night 5-7pm youth center</p>	<p><i>October 2</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>October 3</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>October 4</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office</p> <p>Women's Book Study 1:45 pm youth center</p> <p>Lifeteen Bible Study 6-7pm youth center</p> <p>PREP grades 2-8 6:30 pm</p> <p>K of C parish center 6:30 pm</p>	<p><i>October 5</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Grief Ministry 6:30 pm youth center</p>	<p><i>October 6</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Holy Hour 8-9am</p>	<p><i>October 7</i></p> <p>Rosary 5pm</p> <p>Rosary 8am Mass 8:30 am</p>
Eucharistic Adoration 8am Monday-11pm Wednesday						