



Saint Peter the Apostle

Catholic Parish & School

JANUARY 14, 2024
**2nd 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 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.



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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.



*All are
Welcome*

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A **FORMED** Parish



MASS INTENTIONS



FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 14, 2024

INTENTION

REQUESTED BY

SUNDAY

Rebecca Salamankas John Salamankas
 Jayne Ducey Tom & Jane Madison
 Dale Galley..... Loving Family
 St. Peter the Apostle Family and Friends

MONDAY

Mike Morett..... Susie & Joe Douglas

TUESDAY

Anna Chuc Nguyen Loving Family

WEDNESDAY

Jennie Tarver Mike & Cecilia Morett

THURDAY

Theresa Black..... Brenda Boddiford

FRIDAY

John Thang Dang Loving Family

SATURDAY

Charlotte McCarthy..... Ross & Lisa Daniel

Special Intention Stella Hardman



BAPTISM CLASS Anyone who is planning an upcoming Baptism at St. Peter the Apostle Church are asked to first attend a Baptism Class. The next class is scheduled for Tuesday, January 16th at 6:30 p.m. in the parish office conference room. Please call the parish office at 912-897-5156 to register.

ATTENTION FIRST COMMUNION PARENTS

We are so excited for your family as your child prepares for First Communion. We wanted to reach out with some dates and reminders:

Parent Meeting-Sunday, January 14th after the 9am Mass in the Church. Meeting will be brief and children are welcome.

First Communion Mandatory Retreat-Saturday, February 3, 2024. Families please join us in the church at 8:30AM* for Mass. We are excited that we can start this day of fellowship with Mass.

Immediately following the Mass, we will have a parent/child breakfast in the Parish Center. After breakfast, parents will leave and return for pick-up at 12noon.

First Penance-Monday, February 12, 2024 at 6:30pm in the church. Children will with their families and after the children receive Penance the rest of the family is encouraged to avail themselves of the Sacrament.

First Communion-Saturday, May 11, 2024, -First Communion at 9:30AM. Schedule for the day will be: Children will arrive at 8:30AM (we will have a professional photographer here for individual and group photos). The group photo will be at 9am. The First Communion Mass will begin at 9:30am.

Friday, January 19th
 SPA Parish Center
 Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Parish Bunco Night

Refreshments included
 \$100 cash prize for winner

\$15 for one, \$20 for two
 \$10 for children (MUST BE OVER 10 years old to attend)

GOLD *and* SILVER
 JUBILEE

Anniversary Mass
 25th or 50th wedding anniversaries in 2024
 February 10, 2024, 10 am
 Savannah Cathedral

RSVP by January 25: 912.201.4068
 diosav.org/gold-and-silver

WHAT'S HAPPENING

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

LIFETEEN is for students in grades 8-12. Lifeteen will meet on Sunday for Life night from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. in the youth center. Wednesday night Bible Study will resume on January 10th.

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

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 meets on Wednesdays at 1:45 p.m. in the youth center. All ladies of the parish are welcome. For information, contact Cathy Scanlon at 912-663-7173.

CCW will meet on January 16th at 6:30 p.m. in the parish center. All ladies of the parish are welcome.

K of C Second Sunday Breakfast

January 14th after 7:30 AND 9:00 a.m. Masses



The parish office and school will be closed on Monday, January 15th in observance of Martin Luther King Day.

FEAST OF THE CHAIR OF ST. PETER

On *Friday, February 23rd*, we will celebrate our parish patronal feast with a semi-potluck dinner in the parish center. Everyone is invited to attend. This year we will be recognizing and thanking **ALL** those who volunteer in any way in our parish - as liturgical ministers or school volunteers, as money counters or cooks for Family Promise or RCIA meals, as room mothers or altar linen washers. If you are a volunteer in our parish, we want to thank you.

Because this celebration is a Friday in LENT, our meal must be meatless. We will provide some meatless main dishes and we ask you to bring appetizers, salads, desserts and whatever you care to drink. We will start at 6:30 p.m. with Stations of the Cross in the church, then move to the parish center for the feast. As you arrive you can drop your food off in the parish center, then come to church to join in the prayer. We would like to get a head count so we will have sign up sheets in the church beginning next weekend. **Save the date and come enjoy an evening of prayer and fellowship!**

"Walking Through Grief"

A support program to cope with grief & loss



St. Peter the Apostle
Catholic Church Youth Center
Thursdays at 6:30 PM

The 9 week program begins
Thursday, February 8

For more information or to sign up to participate contact:

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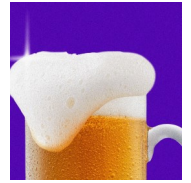
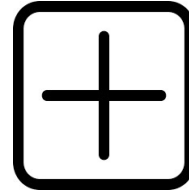
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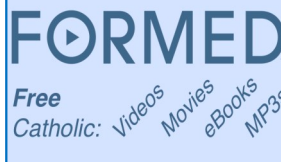
There will be a second collection at all Masses this weekend for Black and Indian Missions. The funds are distributed as grants to dioceses throughout the United States, supporting and strengthening evangelization programs which otherwise would cease. Please give generously to this appeal.

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 grade is held on Sundays. 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 or 912-897-5156 for more information. Please Note: Sunday School will resume on January 7th and Wednesday night PREP classes will resume on January 10th.



ROME & FOAM Everyone is invited to join us at the Snug Pub on Sunday, January 28th at 6:00 p.m. Fr. Barnabas will be speaking on personal prayer. It promises to be a great evening of fellowship, learning and good food.



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.

Everyone is invited to visit the Catholic Pastoral Center at 2170 E. Victory Drive to view the display of Miracles of the Eucharist in Bishop O'Hara Hall from 9:00 a.m. until noon on January 15-17.



**YOU MAY APPLY FOR GRACE SCHOLARS
NOW THROUGH MARCH 1, 2024**

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 and an application, 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 2024/2025 school year is March 1, 2024.



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!

The Feast of the Epiphany was celebrated on Sunday, January 7th with each St. Peter's family receiving an Epiphany Home Blessing kit to bless their home. We remember the hospitality of the Holy Family to the Wise Men and asking for protection and blessings on the home and all who enter.



The Eucharistic Procession at our school takes place on the first Monday of each month to provide our school community with an opportunity for adoration.



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



Altar Servers for January 20th & 21st:
 5:30 p.m.: Conner Schnabel, Diego Vigil-Calderon
 7:30 a.m.: Connor Corey
 9:00 a.m.: Ivy Cetti, LizAnn Berrigan, Ben & Luke Moye
 11:15 a.m.: Luke Babbitt, Dylan, Emily & Skyler Woelber
 5:00 p.m.: Isabel Connelly, Kinsley Harnan, Hayden Hux

PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Solemnity of Mary	
January 1, 2024:	\$ 1,931.00
December 31, 2023:	\$34,500.00
Christmas:	\$46,093.00
December 24, 2023:	\$ 8,400.00
December 17, 2023:	\$24,175.00
2023/2024 Weekly Goal:	\$20,258.00
2023/2024 Fiscal YTD:	\$581,966.82
2023/2024 Fiscal YTD +/-:	+\$ 34,998.82
2022/2023 Fiscal YTD:	\$510,113.00
(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. The January 7th offertory will be in next week's bulletin.

JOB OPENING The Catholic Pastoral Center has an opening for a Data Base Specialist in Stewardship and Development. This is a full-time, benefit eligible position. A minimum of 3 years experience performing data entry is required along with experience with creating queries and reports. More information about this position and other opportunities are available at diosav.org/humanresources. If interested, send resume to jagreen@diosav.org.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Jesus is waiting for you!

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



The St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee is currently seeking all children ages 8-18 to participate in the **Flags of Ireland Unit for the 2024 St. Patrick's Day Parade** and other activities. Space is limited so to reserve your spot, or if you have any questions, please contact Jake Roberts at 912-659-3146 or flag_unit@savannahsaintpatricksdays.com.

CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE
Esto Vir! Be a Man!
 Speakers:
 Deacon Larry Oney
 Fr. Brett Brannen

MASS, TALKS, LUNCH, ADORATION AND MORE!
 \$50/PERSON BEFORE JAN. 12, 2024

JANUARY 27, 2024 | 9 AM TO 4:30 PM
ST. JAMES CHURCH - SAVANNAH, GA
 REGISTER HERE:
WWW.STJAMESSAV.COM/MENS-CONFERENCE/

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+++
 Casey Thompson (nephew of Shirley Ryan, Judy Griffin,
 Larry Thompson & Eloise Glorieux)
 Vonny Farrell



+++ Pray for Our Loved Ones +++

AT HOME SICK: Jean Nixon, Emily Pigman, Jennifer Narke, Fr. Dan Firmin, Nancy Stevens, Joyce Cullen, Julia Strickland, Mike Phillips, Kathleen Warezak, Noreen Mangiero

NURSING HOMES, ASSISTED LIVING & REHAB FACILITIES:

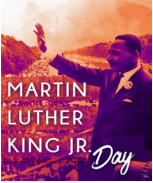
Summer Breeze - Joan Demcsak, Beth Hill, Eleanor Cerbone, Barbara Galluk, Lou DiBenedetto, Dennis Graney, Dr. James & Maryann Burke, John & Margo Lang, Patricia Lowenthal, Denise Szyper, Carolyn Groover **Buckingham South** - Carol Walsh, Tricia Christensen, Peter & Marceline Preston **Sunabella** - Kathy Wrenn **Azalealand** - Evelyn Edminster **Harmony at Savannah** - Gayle Selcow **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 & Carol 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), Archie Bunger



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



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>January 14</i></p> <p>K of C Breakfast after 7:30 AND 9:00 am Masses</p> <p>Sunday School 4-6 year olds during 9am Mass</p> <p>Catholic Scripture Study 10am parish office</p> <p>Life Night 5-7pm</p>	<p><i>January 15</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>  <p>School and parish office closed</p> <p>Eucharistic Adoration 8am Monday-11pm Wednesday</p>	<p><i>January 16</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Baptism Class 6:30 pm parish office conference room</p>	<p><i>January 17</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office</p> <p>Lifeteen Bible Study 5-6pm youth center PREP grades 2-8 6:30 pm</p>	<p><i>January 18</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>January 19</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>CCW Parish Bunco Night 6:30 pm Parish Center</p>	<p><i>January 20</i></p> <p>Rosary 5pm</p>
<p><i>January 21</i></p> <p>Sunday School 4-6 year olds during 9am Mass</p> <p>Catholic Scripture Study 10am parish office</p> <p>Youth Mass 5pm Lifeteen Mass at 5pm-Meet until 7pm</p>	<p><i>January 22</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Eucharistic Adoration 8am Monday-11pm Wednesday</p>	<p><i>January 23</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p>Parish Council 6:30 pm parish center room#1</p>	<p><i>January 24</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 5-6pm youth center PREP grades 2-8 6:30 pm</p>	<p><i>January 25</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>January 26</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>January 27</i></p> <p>Rosary 5pm</p>