



Saint Peter the Apostle

Catholic Parish & School

MARCH 24, 2024 Palm Sunday

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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.



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 MARCH 24, 2024

	<u>INTENTION</u>	<u>REQUESTED BY</u>
SUNDAY	MaryAnn Butler	Fran & David McCarthy
	Dale Galley.....	Loving Family
	Michael Conner.....	Francis Condrick
MONDAY	Bill Miltiades.....	June Dang
TUESDAY	Anna Chuc Nguyen	Loving Family
	Mark Cote.....	James & Marilyn Farley
WEDNESDAY	John Thang Dang	Loving Family
THURSDAY	NO MASSES-Holy Thursday	
FRIDAY	NO MASSES-Good Friday	
SATURDAY	Casey Thompson.....	Hardman Family



March 26th - Chrism Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral Basilica of St. John the Baptist at 11:00 a.m. At this liturgy the Holy oils used in the celebration of the Sacraments are blessed by Bishop Parkes. All are invited to attend.

March 28th - 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.

March 29th - 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.**

March 30th - 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. We pray for them as they continue on their faith journey. All are welcome to attend.

Please note: there will be NO 5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass that evening.

March 31st - 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**. 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 contributions 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.

March 31st through April 7th - The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be recited every day at 3:00 p.m. We pray for mercy in our own lives and others too. We pray to remind ourselves that we must rely on God and recognize our weaknesses and replace our anxieties with abounding trust in God. We must live out the words "Jesus, I trust in You."

Upcoming EVENTS

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. (There will be NO PREP classes on April 3rd) 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 (no classes on March 24th, 31st or April 7th) Please contact Paula Hubert at phubert@spacsav.net or 912-897-5156 for more information.

LIFETEEN is for students in grades 8-12 . Join us Sunday in the youth center from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. for Life Night. Wednesday night Bible Study is held from 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. in the youth center.

HOLY HOUR OF PRAYER will be on Friday, April 5th from 8:00 - 9:00 a.m. in the church. All are invited to join in an hour of silent prayer and reflection in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY AND MASS The rosary will be recited on Saturday, April 6th at 8:00 a.m. followed by Mass at 8:30 a.m. All are welcome.

R.C.I.A. Would you like to become Catholic or might? If so, we invite you to join next year's R.C.I.A. class. For more information, 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 will not meet again until April 10th. For information, contact Cathy Scanlon at 912-663-7173.

"WALKING THROUGH GRIEF" is a 9 week support program to cope with grief and loss. They meet on Thursday evenings at 6:30 p.m. in the youth center. For more information contact Diane Farthing at dgfarthing@aol.com or 770-309-2109 or Sheila Lowe at miloga89@gmail.com or 912-656-9109.



St Peters Basilica



Rome & Foam

Fellowship – Dinner – Learning

April 21st - 6:00 pm

Snug Irish Pub

Speakers: Gerrard & Minna MacLeod

Dr. and Mrs. MacLeod will speak on a ministry which they have developed, Savanda, Inc., which supports projects primarily focused on pre-natal care at Uganda Martyrs' Ibanda Hospital in Uganda, Africa.

No signup required - simply show up



Confirmation will be held on October 9, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

March 17, 2024:	\$14,509.00
March 10, 2024:	\$18,267.00
March 3, 2024:	\$21,005.00
February School Support:	\$ 5,064.00
February 25, 2024:	\$15,179.00
2023/2024 Weekly Goal:	\$20,258.00
2023/2024 Fiscal YTD:	\$767,807.50
2023/2024 Fiscal YTD +/-:	+\$ 26,842.50
2022/2023 Fiscal YTD:	\$698,952.00
(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.

Save the Date!

LIVE

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Auction 2024

April 20th

Parish Center



SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES are available for this year's auction:

"Special Guest" - \$3,000 - 2 available; "Weekend Update" - \$1500 - 18 available; "Belushi" - \$1000; "Aykroyd" - \$500; "Church Lady" - \$250; Gift In Kind Donations. All sponsorship opportunities are outlined in the flyers available in the narthex of the church, in the school office and also the parish office. Please pick up a flyer and consider this donation request. Contact Sarah Sewell at 912-484-1154 or

sarahsewell124@gmail.com.

Event website will be available soon at SNLSPA.givesmart.com

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.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Jesus is waiting for you!

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



FORMED

Free Catholic: Videos Movies eBooks MP3s

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.

The Annual Catholic Appeal: Faith, Hope, Charity Just a reminder! If you haven't yet made your pledge to the Annual Catholic Appeal, please consider doing it this week. As good stewards, each of us has a responsibility to share our great gifts that come from God. Please be generous in your sharing and help us reach our parish target of \$82,127.



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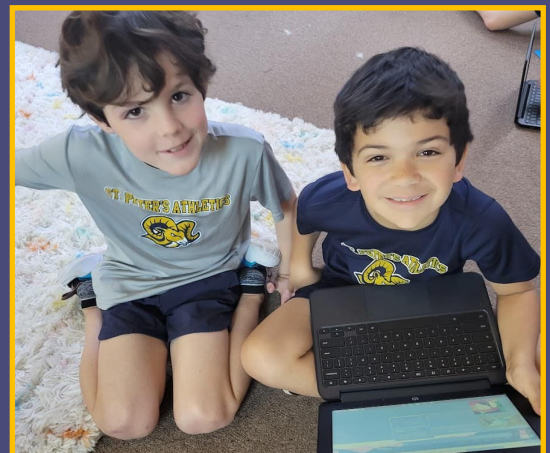


Director of Admissions: Helena Russell-hrussell@spasav.net
Communication Coordinator: Ana Portman-aportman@spasav.net
School Secretary: Shandra Peecksen-speecksen@spasav.net

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

Another Great Week at SPA!

Ms. Benedict's 2nd grade has been working hard on their Habitat project.
Look at their finished products!



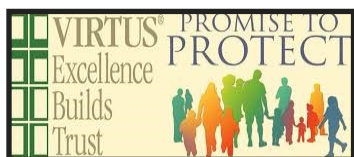
TOGETHER we live, pray, learn and serve, **TOGETHER** we make a difference.
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Saint Peter the Apostle School provides a quality Catholic education based on Gospel values and the teachings of the Catholic Church. Following the traditions of the Sisters of Mercy, the school educates through a strong academic program and instills in its students a spirit of mercy, justice, and loving concern.

Dinner Club

We will be starting a new rotation of our Dinner Club in the upcoming weeks.

Please watch the bulletin for details on signing up for our next gathering. If you have any questions concerning the Dinner Club, please call or text Cathy Scanlon at 912-667-7173.



Bishop Parkes has recently approved revisions to two documents for Safe Environments:

1. Ministerial Code of Conduct
2. Policy on the Sexual Abuse of Minors

Every active volunteer and employee must read and acknowledge **both** documents. To complete this task:

1. Log into your account at virtus.org
2. Go to the box marked "Required Documents." If it is pink, you have documents to sign
3. Right-click both document titles (Ministerial Code of Conduct **and** Sex Abuse Policy) and for each one, select "open link in new tab."
4. Read each document, scroll down, and apply your electronic signature.
5. Return to your Home tab to see if any other outstanding compliance items are required. To see the most up-to-date information after signing the documents, you may need to refresh the page by clicking the circular arrow at the top, near the URL.

A Virtus Training will be held here at St. Peter the Apostle on Sunday, April 14th from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. Please register online at virtus.org.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT Post-Abortion Healing Weekend

April 5-7, 2024
Near Augusta, GA

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



All calls and inquiries are strictly confidential.

ALTAR SERVERS FOR MARCH 30TH & 31ST

5:30 p.m.: Sam Turgeon, Caroline & Tommy Madison

7:30 a.m.: Eden Stanley

9:00 a.m.: Connor Corey, Hayden Hux, Ben & Luke Moye

11:15 a.m.: Luke Samaddar, Luke Babbitt, Isabel Connelly

The parish office will be closed on
Good Friday and Easter Monday.
Happy Easter to all!



SPA Vacation Bible School

For children aged 4 years to
rising 6th graders
Cost: \$50/child
(\$100 max/family)



July 8th - July 12th
9:00 a.m. - noon
Registration begins in May

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 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, Kirby Willis

NURSING HOMES, ASSISTED LIVING & REHAB FACILITIES:



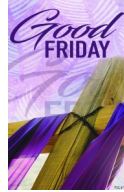


Summer Breeze - Joan Demcsak, Beth Hill, Eleanor Cerbone, Barbara Galluk, Lou DiBenedetto, Dennis Graney, Maryann Burke, John & Margo Lang, Patricia Lowenthal, Denise Szyper, Carolyn Groover **Buckingham South** - Carol Walsh, Tricia Christensen, Peter & Marceline Preston **Sunabella** - Kathy Wrenn **Azalealand** - Evelyn Edminster, Joe Harty **Harmony at Savannah** - Gayle Selcow **Tara** - Annie Vause **Pruitt** - Joe Robertson

OUT OF TOWN SICK: Anna O'Brien, Sarah Moak (daughter of Susan Parsley), Joseph Rehal (nephew of Francesca Rehal), 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), Cynthia Browning, Gary Browning, Amanda Mizelle Fanning



St. Peter the Apostle Parish Upcoming Events



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>March 24</i></p> 	<p><i>March 25</i> Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>March 26</i> Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p style="color: magenta;">ALPHA 6-8 parish center</p>	<p><i>March 27</i> Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p style="color: blue;">Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office</p> <p style="color: magenta;">Lifeteen Bible Study 5-6pm youth center</p> <p style="color: purple;">PREP grades 2-8 6:30 pm</p>	<p><i>March 28</i> NO 7:30 am Mass</p>  <p style="color: magenta;">Mass of the Last Supper 7pm</p> <p style="color: blue;">Grief Support Group 6:30 pm youth center</p>	<p><i>March 29</i> NO 7:30 am Mass Parish office closed</p>  <p style="color: red;">Stations of the Cross 3pm</p> <p style="color: blue;">Liturgical Service 7pm</p>	<p><i>March 30</i></p>  <p style="color: red; font-weight: bold;">Anticipated Mass of the Resurrection 8:30 p.m.</p>
Eucharistic Adoration 8am Monday-11pm Wednesday						
<p><i>March 31</i></p>  <p style="color: purple; font-weight: bold;">Masses: 7:30 am, 9am, 11:15 am</p>	<p><i>April 1</i> Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p style="color: magenta; font-weight: bold;">Parish office closed</p> <p style="color: magenta; font-weight: bold;">SPA School Spring Break</p>	<p><i>April 2</i> Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>April 3</i> Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p style="color: blue;">Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office</p> <p style="color: magenta;">Lifeteen Bible Study 5-6pm youth center</p> <p style="color: purple;">NO PREP</p> <p style="color: red;">K of C 6:30 pm parish center</p>	<p><i>April 4</i> Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p style="color: magenta; font-weight: bold;">ALPHA 6-8 parish center</p> <p style="color: blue;">LAST Grief Support Group 6:30 pm youth center</p>	<p><i>April 5</i> Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p style="color: red; font-weight: bold;">Holy Hour 8-9am</p>	<p><i>April 6</i> Rosary 5pm</p> <p style="color: red; font-weight: bold;">Rosary 8am Mass 8:30 am</p>
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