

Saint Peter the Apostle Catholic Parish & School

APRIL 28, 2024

5th Sunday of Easter

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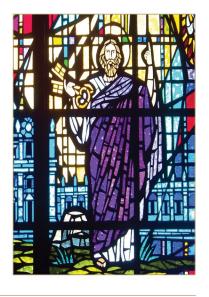
## Mass Schedule

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.



## Howers

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.

## 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.

#### **PASTOR**

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SARAH SEWELL





## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 28, 2024



	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
SUNDAY	Polly Malehorn	Miskiewicz Family
	Lola Patches	Holly Rolfes
	Christopher Banks	
MONDAY	Anna Chuc Nguyen	Loving Family
TUESDAY	Gion Bastixita Nghia	Bich-Chuong Dang Nguyen
WEDNESDAY	Mary Ty, Vincent Tinh Nguyen	Bich-Chuong Dang
THURDAY	John Thang Dang	Loving Family
FRIDAY	Jean Rochester	
SATURDAY	Mary Jue	Bil & Connie Baran
	Bobby Wrenn	Loving Family



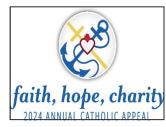
**SECOND COLLECTION** this weekend will be for Catholic Home Missions. Home

mission dioceses are those in the United States, its territories, and former territories that cannot provide basic pastoral services without outside help. Those services include Mass, the sacraments, religious education, and ministry training for priests, deacons, religious sisters, and laypeople. Nearly 40% of diocese in the U.S. are considered home missions. Please give generously to this appeal.



Students in St. Peter the Apostle School and PREP class will receive their First Holy Communion on Saturday, May 11th at 9:30 a.m. First Communicants are to arrive at 8:30 a.m. for the

individual pictures and the group picture which will be done by a professional photographer. All family and friends are invited to attend this special event.



The Annual Catholic Appeal: Faith, Hope, Charity Just a reminder! If you haven't faith, hope, charity yet made your pledge to 2024 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 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. We are almost there!

#### **American Red Cross**

Give blood. Help save lives.



#### **Blood Drive Knights of Columbus - Islands** Council St. Peter the Apostle

Parish Center 7020 Concord Road Savannah, GA 31410

Wednesday, May 8, 2024 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

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







<u>PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (PREP)</u> The Sunday School program will end for the year on April 28th. Please contact Paula Hubert at phubert@spacsav.net or 912-897-5156 for more information.

<u>LIFETEEN</u> is for students in grades 8-12. They meet for Life Night on Sundays at 5:00 p.m. and Wednesday night Bible Study is held from 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. in the youth center.

<u>WOMEN'S BOOK STUDY</u> will meet in the youth center this Wednesday, April 17th from 1:45 - 3:00 p.m.. For information, contact Cathy Scanlon at 912-663-7173.

<u>SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD MEETING</u> will be held on Wednesday, May 8th at 6:30 p.m. in the parish center room #1. All members are asked to attend.

FIRST FRIDAY HOLY AND FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY & MASS Please join us for the Holy Hour on May 3rd which is held in the church from 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Come and spend some time in quiet prayer and reflection in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. On May 4th, the rosary will be recited at 8:00 a.m. followed by Mass at 8:30 a.m. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

<u>R.C.I.A.</u> 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 or 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.



# Confirmation Corner

## CONFIRMATION DATE OCTOBER 9, 2024

We are so excited to take this journey with your family and want this to be a memorable occasion for your child.

BOOT CAMP DATES: *Mandatory* Confirmation Boot Camp is **five** Sunday evening sessions from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. where enthusiastic leaders will meet with the Confirmation Candidates in small groups with the objective of **renewing their knowledge and igniting their excitement for Confirmation!** Candidates will be served a meal, have small group discussions, and play games. **Tentative dates: August 11th, 18th, 25th, September 8th, and 15th.** More information to follow.

Service Hour Opportunities - Students will need a total of twenty service hours. All volunteering should be for a non-profit organization. Possible opportunities include SPA Vacation Bible School (July 8th - 12th) where students can help with planning and set up as well as serve as counselors during the week. Another chance to volunteer is to provide/deliver a meal for Family Promise. We will host this organization the last two weeks in July. Contact Paula Hubert at phubert@spacsav.net or 912-897-5156.

#### PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

April 21, 2024: \$15,179.00 April 14, 2024: \$17,872.00 April 7, 2024: \$18,505.50

March 31, 2024
Easter Sunday: \$29,362.00
Priests' Retirement: \$6,280.00
2023/2024 Weekly Goal: \$20,258.00
2023/2024 Fiscal YTD: \$869,884.50
2023/2024 Fiscal YTD +/-: +\$ 27,629.50
2022/2023 Fiscal YTD: \$797,412.00

(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.





#### ALTAR SERVERS FOR MAY 4TH & 5TH

5:30 p.m.: Conner Schnabel, Diego Vigil-

Calderon

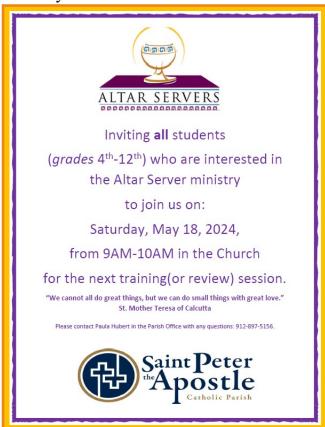
7:30 a.m.: Sam Turgeon

9:00 a.m.: Ivy Cetti, Liz Ann Berrigan,

Isabel Connelly, Connor Corey

11:15 a.m.: Luke Babbitt, Ava Cutrer, Roz

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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

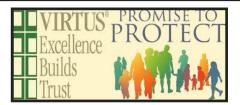
content available for children also. It's easy to do: 1. Go to formed.org 2. Click SIGN UP. 3. Click I BELONG TO A PARISH 4. Find our parish by zip code. 5. After you click on our parish you will be asked to enter your email. Once you enter it and you are signed up! There is also an app for your phone which can be downloaded for free.

## 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.



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.



FATIMA ROSARY will be prayed at St. Peter the Apostle Church on Monday, May 13th at 5:30 p.m. All are welcome to join us in prayer to Our Blessed Mother! We pray for the conversion of sinners and peace in the world



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

## **Another Great Week at SPA!**

That's a wrap! Thank you to all our volunteers, attendees, donors, auction committee, and HSA for making the 2024 SNL Annual Auction a huge success.

Special thanks to Big Bon for the fantastic food and JD Music Group for an awesome show.





















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.

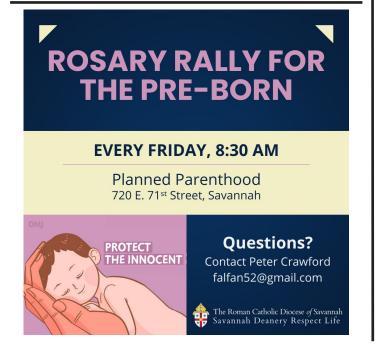


We will be starting a new rotation of our Dinner Club in the upcoming weeks.

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.

## **SPA Vacation Bible School**









MEMORIAL CROSSES HONORING DECEASED VETERANS The Catholic War Veterans of Savannah will again be placing Memorial Crosses in the

Catholic Cemetery on May 22nd and remain in place through Memorial Day. Mass will be celebrated at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 23rd at the cemetery. Contact Greg Howard at 912-667-8878 or greghoward@gmail.com no later than May 6th to order a cross to honor a deceased veteran. Interment at the Catholic Cemetery is not required. There is a one-time fee of \$30 for initial supplies. The crosses will continue to be maintained and placed in the cemetery each year thereafter.

**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 +++

Tom Sidebotham (husband of Patty Sidebotham), Brenda Courtenay Stewart (cousin of Sr. Susan Harms & sister-in-law of Patti Stewart), Johnny Collins (husband of AnneMarie Collins)

<u>AT HOME SICK</u>: Jean Nixon, Jennifer Narke, Fr. Dan Firmin, Nancy Stevens, Joyce Cullen, Mike Phillips, Kathleen Warenzak, Noreen Mangiero, Kirby Willis, Jimmy Grayson

#### **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, Amanda Mizelle Fanning

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	Upcoming Events						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
April 28  LAST Sunday School for 4-6 year olds during 9am Mass	April 29 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am  ALPHA 6:30-8:30 pm parish center	April 30 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am	May 1 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office  Women's Book Study 1:45-3pm youth center  Lifeteen Bible Study 5-6pm youth center  K of C 6:30 pm parish center	May 2 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am	May 3 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am  Holy Hour 8-9am in church	May 4 Rosary 5pm  Rosary 8am followed by Mass at 8:30 am  ALPHA Retreat	
	Eucharistic A	doration 8am Mon	day-11pm Wednesd	ay			
May 5  Coffee & Donuts after all Masses	May 6 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am ALPHA 6:30-8:30 pm parish center	May 7 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am	May 8 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office  Women's Book Study 1:45-3pm youth center Lifeteen Bible Study 5-6pm youth center  School Advisory Board 6:30 pm parish center rm#1	May 9 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am	May 10 Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am  School Mass 8:30 am	May 11 Rosary 5pm  First Communion 9:30 am	
	Eucharistic Ado	ration 8am Monda	y-11pm Wednesday				