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March 24, 2019 Third Sunday of Lent

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MASSSES:

Daily Mass: Mon thru Fri 9:00 am

Saturday Vigil Masses:

Sugarloaf Firehouse 4:00 pm

St. Peter Pavilion 5:30 pm

Sunday Morning Masses

8:30 am & 11:00 am

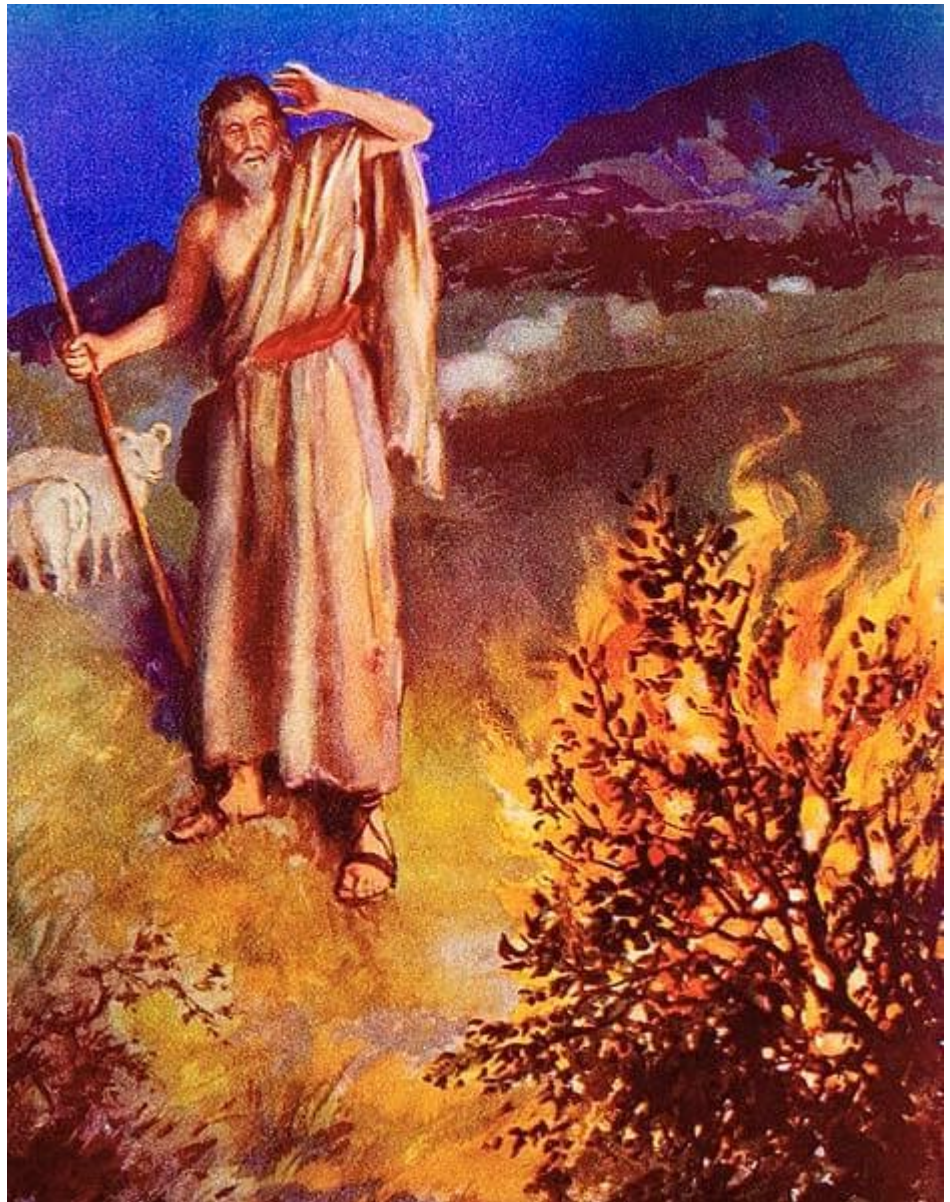
HOLY DAYS: Vigil Mass 6 pm

Holy Day Mass 9 am

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 4:55 pm to 5:15 pm
at the Pavilion Sacristy
(or by appointment)

BAPTISMS, FUNERALS and WEDDINGS (by appointment)





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This information was sent to us by the Archdiocese on March 22. You can still donate to the 2019 ABCD until Feb. 2020. To donate online, go to www.isupportabcd.com. And remember whatever overage we have with our \$16,000 goal will be returned to us and put into Rebuilding Fund.

All Are Welcome

*No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church,
No matter what your current family or marital situation,
No matter what your past or present religious situation,
No matter your personal history, age, background, race etc.,
No matter what your own self-image or self esteem,
YOU are Invited, Welcomed, Accepted, Loved and Respected
here at St. Peter Catholic Church.*



Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 23, 2019

4:00 PM Sugarloaf: S.I. Members of the Sugarloaf
Mission Family who are sick
5:30 PM +Deceased members of the Oettle Family by
Jim Oettle

Sunday, March 24, 2019

8:30 AM +Barbara DeStefano by Mary & Joe Gregoria
11:00 AM +Deceased Members of the Oettle Family by
Jim Oettle

Monday, March 25, 2019 (The Annunciation of the Lord)

9:00 AM S.I. Bill Height by Kim Francis
S.I. Tina Sargent by Kim Francis

Tuesday, March 26, 2019

9:00 AM +Mr. Enrique A. Wong & Family by Rick Wong

Wednesday, March 27, 2019

9:00 AM +Tony Conte by Richard DiBonaventura

Thursday, March 28, 2019

9:00 AM +Tony Conte by Connie Hauk

Friday, March 29, 2019

9:00 AM S.I. Lucy Feucht by Connie

Saturday, March 30, 2019

4:00 PM +Deceased members of Sugarloaf Mission Family
5:30 PM +Myles Carroll by Magda Trott

Sunday, March 31, 2019

8:30 AM +Emilo, Mary and Dominic DiCola by
Anne & Larry Ruddy
11:00 AM +Harold Spratt by Mary & Joe Gregoria



This Week In Our Parish

Monday, March 25, 2019

Daily Mass 9:00 am
Food Bank 9:30 am-noon

Tuesday, March 26

Mass at 9:00am
Food Bank: 9:30-noon
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after
Mass until 10:30am

Wednesday, March 27

Mass at 9:00am and 6pm
Food Bank: 9:30 am—noon

Thursday, March 28

Mass at 9:00 am
Food Bank: 9:30am—noon
6:30pm Choir Practice

Friday, March 29

Mass at 9:00 am
3:00pm Stations of the Cross in the Pavilion
Western Religions with Br. Bud 7-8:30pm

Saturday, March 30

4:00pm Vigil Mass at Sugarloaf Firehouse
5:30pm Vigil Mass at St. Peter Pavilion
Salen's Hot Dog and Hamburger
Cookout after Mass

Sunday, March 31

Masses at 8:30 & 11:00 am
CCD 9:30-10:45
Salen's Hot Dog & Hamburger
Cookout after 11am Mass

Daily Mass Readings

**Monday, March 25: Isaiah 7:10-14; 8:10;
Hebrews 10:4-10; Luke 1:26-38**
**Tues., March 26: Daniel 3:25, 34-43;
Matthew 18:21-35**
**Wednesday, March 27: Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9;
Matthew 5: 17-19**
**Thursday, March 28: Jeremiah 7: 23-28;
Luke 11:14-23**
Fri., March 29: Hosea 14:2-10; Mark 12:28-34



Scholarship applications have been mailed out to our parish seniors. The deadline to have them returned is Monday, April 1 before 3pm. Personal interviews will be held in mid-April.

Scholarships will be awarded in early June

Scholarships are awarded on an annual basis. The funds are earmarked for tuition. Funding is limited, and unfortunately, some candidates may receive less than the amount requested or may be denied a scholarship and invited to reapply the following year.

Our college students who previously received scholarships are also invited to reapply—the same April 1 deadline applies to them.

For more information please contact Coordinator of Religious Education Sue Cherrybon at sue@stpeterbpk.org.

Starting next weekend, the **Knights of Columbus** will be holding a **Sahlen's Hotdog and Hamburger Cookout** after the 5:30pm Saturday and the 11am Sunday Masses as a fundraiser for their scholarship fund:



"Dollars for Scholars". Support our students and the Knights and enjoy the Cookout and fellowship in their new tent!



We now have \$25.00 **Gift Certificates for Education** for the **Square Grouper** available in the office.

Going out to dinner? Buy a gift certificate in advance—gift certificates aren't just for gifts any more! A percentage of the \$25.00 goes to our Religious Education Fund and helps finance CCD and scholarships.



Announcing another of
**Br. Bud's fabulous
discussions on World
Religions!**

**This time, join us for
insights into Western Religions and find
out how much East is actually in the West!**

**Discussion group will meet Fridays from
7-8:30pm on March 15, 22 and 29 and
April 5th. Sign up sheet is in
the back of the Pavilion.**

St. Peter Catholic Church Website

Visit the St. Peter Church website at <http://www.stpeterbpk.org>. Click on the Photos tab or follow us on Facebook to look at the photos taken at recent events at St. Peter

Church! **You can also donate to our Rebuild Fund on the website now!**



GRIEF SUPPORT

If you are dealing with the loss of a loved one, grief support is available. Contact Mary Quirk at 305-744-0139, or through the church office at 305-872-2537.

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Collections for the Weekend:

March 16/17

Sugarloaf 1st: \$ (no Sugarloaf Mass
2nd: \$ last week)

Big Pine 1st: \$ 4,837.00

2nd: \$ 686.00 Catholic
Relief Services

Monthly blue Building Fund

Envelopes: \$ 2,055.00

Direct Debit: \$ 355.00



There is a **Financial Transparency binder** in the bookkeeper's office with detailed statements, financial reports and parish budget history. This information is available to registered parishioners who wish to view it. Call and make an appointment with Nancy in the office at 305-872-2537.

Want to go paperless in 2019 with Direct Debit pulled from your checking account?

Let us know....

Call Nancy in the office for information.

Direct debit options are:

- ◇ Weekly
- ◇ Weekly 50/50
- ◇ Monthly
- ◇ Monthly to Rebuild Fund

Are you registered?

If you are not sure, call us in the office and we can check.

Pray For Those Who Are Sick

We ask your prayers for Parishioners and friends:

Roger Lederer, Guenther Glatt, Rachel Miles, Mary Doris Scheidell, Kim Padron, Doug Krout, Bill Carver, William Kin Koeber, Kevin Kenny, Sue Cherrybon, Don Stulken, Lani Boski, Rosemary Farrell, John Mescal, Ismael Lopez, Jorge Ramos, John Snyder, Dee Johnson, Javier Herrera, Ann Fisher, Norma Washabaugh, Katherine Fasano, Cathy Canfield, James Archambeault, Alfred Wicht, Lucy Feucht, Pat and Connie Medina

Please let us know in the office if you or someone else is homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist at home. Call the office at 305-872-2537.

Those Serving Us:

Saturday, March 23: 5:30 Mass:

Lector:

EME: Deacon Jack,

Altar Server: Kacper Jachym

Sunday March 24: 8:30 Mass:

Lector: Linda McCarthy

EME:

Altar Servers: Emilia Havlicek

Sunday March 24: 11:am Mass:

Lector: Laurita Miller

EME: Rosalinda Hally, Peter Rosasco, Carol Schulz

Altar Servers: Louis Rosasco, Matthew Rosasco



50 / 50 Weekly Jackpot

171 was drawn for March 16/17 and did not play, so the jackpot rolls over to \$435.00.

Process: Deposit your envelope in either the first or second collection at Mass if you don't use Direct Debit.

Criteria: The envelope must include \$5.00 cash or check and your name and the date on the outside as well, please—this is in addition to your regular offering.

CCD resumes Sunday March 31 at 9:30 AM in the Ministry Center.

We will have confession that day for all CCD students. It is very important that all of our children attend CCD classes and Mass but it is crucial that students in Sacramental year programs (Confirmation and First Holy Communion and First Reconciliation) attend regularly.

Important Dates:

3/31-CCD class and confession

4/7-First Reconciliation during CCD with time & opportunity for any student who did not go to confession on 3/31

For more information contact Coordinator of Religious Education Sue Cherrybon at Sue@stpeterbpk.org.



Vacation Bible School this summer will be the week of July 22!

Check the back of the Pavilion for a selection of hand-made items for sale—all proceeds to our Vacation Bible School.

Remember to save eyeglasses and cancelled stamps for the Missions—there are containers in the office for your donations—or put them in the collection. Thank you!



St. Peter Youth Group
Meeting Sunday,
April 7
5:30-7:00 pm in the
Ministry Center

Altar Server Training

Calling all future altar servers!

Come and learn about a fun and prayerful way to serve God, with Father Jets and our community. Learn how to carry the Cross, serve at the Altar and become a Leader.

Our ministry is growing—all who have received their First Communion are welcome and needed! Training is this Sunday March 24 at 9:30am.



For more information or to sign up, text or call Barbara Jackowski at 305-304-8191

**Spend some time this Lent bringing Christ's Passion into
your mind and heart.**



**Pray the
Stations of the Cross
this Friday March 29th
at 3 pm
In the Pavilion.**



St. Peter Community Food Bank

winter hours:

**Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
9:30 am to Noon**

Most needed are canned tuna, Chef Boyardee products, canned fruit, peanut butter, personal hygiene products and cash.

Please bring your donations to the Food Bank or Ministry Center.

Thank you for your continued generosity!



This week is the fourth weekend of the month — Loaves and Fishes weekend. Bring your Food Bank donations of cash, canned goods and gift cards to any Mass this weekend! Thank you!!

Because of your generosity, we are able to make life just a little bit special for the underserved in our community!

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