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MARCH 3, 2019

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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MASSES:

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

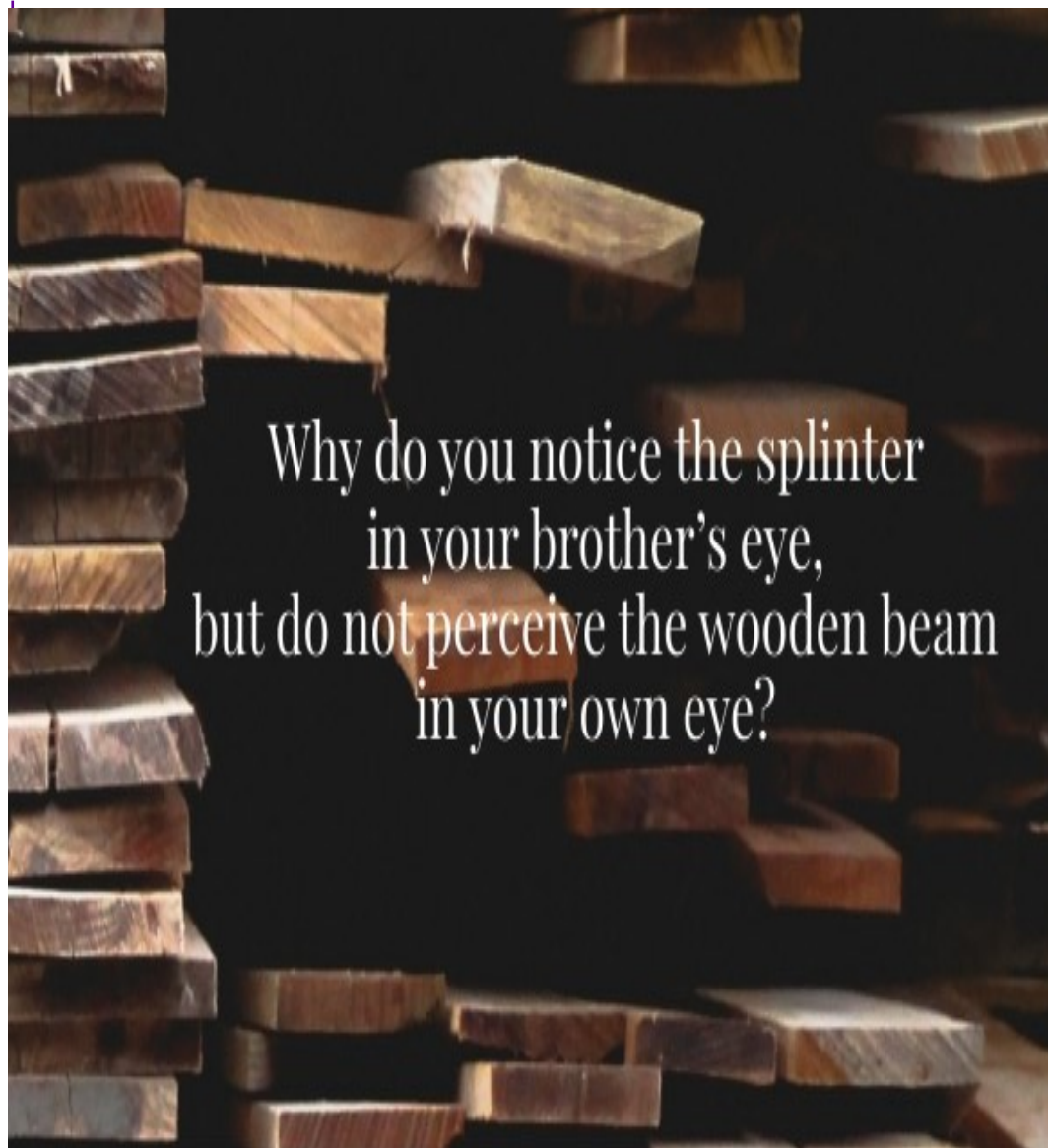
HOLY DAYS: Vigil Mass 6 pm

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)





Day of Reflection

Saturday, March 16

9:00-1:00 in Ministry Center

Theme: Lift Me Up

*We will start the day with a Mass at 9:00
followed by:*

Talks

Small Group Discussion

Creative Activities

Prayers

Using the song written especially for St. Peters by the noted spiritual composer Gregory Norbet, it will be a fun day of sharing and growth.

Due to space limitation, it will be limited to 36 participants. Sign up in the back of the pavilion. No coffee or lunch will be served.

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 2, 2019

4:00 PM Sugarloaf: S.I. Sick members of the Sugarloaf
Mission Family
5:30 PM +Diane E. Wolden by her friends from
Fisherman's Hospital

Sunday, March 3, 2019

8:30 AM +Henry & Gus Fretz by Joan Fretz
11:00 AM +Adam Mulchrone by John & Kathleen Clay

Monday, March 4, 2019

9:00 AM +Louis Huard, Jr, (Birthday)
by John & Pauline Snyder

Tuesday, March 5, 2019

9:00 AM S.I. Lucy Feucht by her friends at St. Peter's

Wednesday, (Ash Wednesday) March 6, 2019

9:00 AM +Anne mescal and Deceased members of her
family by Margaret and Jim Burns
6:00PM +Harold & Verona Ebel by Connie

Thursday, March 7, 2019

9:00 AM +Oettle Family by Jim Oettle

Friday, March 8, 2019

9:00 AM +Deceased members of our St. Peter Family

Saturday, March 9, 2019

4:00 PM +Deceased members of Sugarloaf Mission Family
5:30 PM +Adam Mulchrone by Megan Clay

Sunday, March 10, 2019

8:30 AM +Anne Mescal and deceased members of her
family by Margaret and Jim Burns



This Week In Our Parish

Monday, March 4, 2019

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

Tuesday, March 5

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

Wednesday, March 6 (Ash Wednesday)

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

Thursday, March 7

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

Friday, March 8

Mass at 9:00 am

Saturday, March 9

4:00pm Vigil Mass at Sugarloaf Firehouse
5:30pm Vigil Mass at St. Peter Pavilion

Sunday, March 10

Masses at 8:30 & 11:00 am
CCD 9:30-10:45

Daily Mass Readings

**Monday, March 4: Sirach 17:20-24;
Mark 10:17-27**

**Tuesday, March 5: Sirach 35:1-12
Mark 10:28-31**

**Wednesday, March 6: Joel 2: 12-18;
2 Corinthians 5:20—6:2; Matthew 6:1-6. 16-18**

**Thursday, March 7: Deuteronomy 30:15-20
Luke 9: 22-25**

**Friday, March 8: Isaiah; 58:1-9a;
Matthew 9:14-15**



Thank you to all who have generously given to this year's ABCD:

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God bless you abundantly!

(This information was sent to us by the Archdiocese on February 27. If you have made a donation since then, your name will appear on the list next week. If you feel there has been an error—please call the office at 305-872-2537.)

Our 2019 ABCD Goal: \$16,000.00



The Holy season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, March 6th. Both Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of abstinence from meat for all who are 14 years and older. They are also days of fast (one full meal and 2 small meals, with nothing eaten between meals for adults from 18 to 59 years of age. All Fridays of lent are days of abstinence from meat for those 14 years and older.

Lent runs from Ash Wednesday until the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday. The Easter Triduum is celebrated from Holy Thursday evening until evening prayer on Easter Sunday. Alleluia is not said or sung from the beginning of Lent until the Easter Vigil.



Thank you to William Scheidell for once again making hundreds of Lenten crosses for us!

Please take one on Ash Wednesday and wear it during Lent as a reminder of the three buzzwords for Lent: Prayer, Fasting and Almsgiving.

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Lent starts this week with Ash Wednesday.



This Lent our #ShareJesus series will have four exciting parts to it:

1. We will start by focusing on the what and the why of the things we do as Catholics.
2. Each Thursday instead of a pre-recorded video, we will do a **live video** where you can join in the conversation.
3. We will go through the **Stations of Cross** as Lent continues.
4. Finally, we will examine the **seven last words of Christ**, featuring the Sisters of Life.

This series is about you growing in your relationship with Christ but also helping you share your faith with others. Make your Lent amazing.

Sign up at Lentseries.com



Very important Knights of Columbus meeting this Monday, March 4 at 7pm in the Ministry Center.
All Knights are asked to make a special effort to attend.



Than you for your donations of cash, canned goods and gift cards on last Sunday's Loaves and Fishes Weekend!

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



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!



**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.**

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.

Thank you for your help!



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.



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.



STEWARDSHIP

Thank You

FOR SHARING YOUR TIME,
TALENT AND TREASURE

Collections for the Weekend:

February 23/24

Sugarloaf 1st:\$ 546.00

2nd: \$ 390.00 (Rebuild)

Big Pine 1st: \$ 4,425.00

2nd: \$ 1,171.00 (Rebuild)

Direct Debit: \$ 380.00

Thank you for your generosity!

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.

St. Peter Catholic Church Website-

Visit the St. Peter Church website at <http://www.stpeterbpc.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!**

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 and Lucy Feucht.

Those Serving Us:

Saturday, March 2: 5:30 Mass:

Lector: Mary Quirk

EME: Deacon Jack, Barbara Jackowski, Mike Quirk

Altar Server: Kacper Jachym

Sunday March 3: 8:30 Mass:

Lector: Steven Paul

EME: Sheri Jude

Altar Servers: Nick Jude, Samson Fernsel

Sunday March 3: 11:am Mass:

Lector: Cathy Hoffman

EME: Rosemary Farrell, Rosalinda Hally, Carol Schulz

Altar Servers: Hallie Chandonnet



50 / 50 Weekly Jackpot

We have another winner! # 150 was drawn for February 23/24 and won \$185.00 so the jackpot rolls back over to \$185.00.

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.

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Act of Contrition Word Search

Find all the words in the Act of Contrition that are in **bold** print.

My **God**, I am **sorry** for my sins with all my **heart**.

In **choosing** to do **wrong** and **failing** to do **good**,

I have **sinned** against you whom I should **love** above all things.

I firmly **intend**, with your **help**, to do **penance**, to sin no more,

and to **avoid** whatever **leads** me to sin.

Our Savior **Jesus** Christ suffered and **died** for us.

In His name, my God, have **mercy**. **Amen**.



CCD Page

Important dates to mark on your calendar:

Sunday, March 10: Safe Touch

Sunday during CCD class—please let your child's teacher know if you want to opt out.

Sunday, March 17: No CCD,
Spring Break

Sunday, March 24: No CCD,
Spring Break; Altar Server
Training 9:30am

Sunday, March 31: Student
confessions during CCD class.

Sunday, April 7: First Reconciliation
for First Communion Students during
CCD class, and for any students
unable to participate on March 31.

**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.



Altar Server Training

Calling all future altar servers!

Come and learn about a fun and prayerful way
to serve God, Father Jets and the 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 will be Sunday March 24 at 9:30am.

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



St. Peter Lenten and Holy Week Calendar

ASH WEDNESDAY, March 6: Masses at 9am and 6pm

Lenten Stations of the Cross: 12 noon in the Pavilion

Wednesdays, March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 10

Religious Studies Series: Western Religions, Fridays 7-8:30 pm

Parish Ministry Center with Brother Bud, March 15, 22, 29, April 1

Day of Reflection: Saturday, March 16, Parish Ministry Center— 9am-1pm

By the Adult Faith Formation Ministry—please sign up ahead of time

K of C Dollars for Scholars Hot Dog & Burger Cookout

Starting March 31—after Sat. 5:30pm Mass and Sun. 11am Mass

Parish Lenten PENANCE SERVICE: 7pm in the Pavilion

PALM SUNDAY Masses: April 13:

Saturday vigil 4pm—Sugarloaf Mass; 5:30 Vigil Mass— Pavilion

Sunday, April 14, 8:30 & 11:00am Masses—Pavilion

HOLY THURSDAY Mass: April 18 6pm

Celebration of The Lord's Supper and Washing of the Apostles Feet

Good Friday Divine Mercy Chaplet Novena : April 19, 12 noon

followed by silence until 3pm

GOOD FRIDAY Liturgy: April 19, 3pm

A celebration of The Passion of the Lord, Adoration of the Cross,
Solemn Reposition and Adoration of the Holy Eucharist

Holy Saturday Divine Mercy Chaplet Novena: April 20, 9am

Ministry Center Chapel

EASTER VIGIL MASS: 8pm, Pavilion—(takes the place of the 5:30pm Vigil Mass)

EASTER SUNDAY, April 21:

8:30 & 11am Masses in the Pavilion

Easter Egg Hunt after 11am Mass

Easter Sunday, April 21: Divine Mercy Chaplet Novena

April 21 10:30am

Mon. April 22-Fri. April 26 Chaplet follows 9am daily Mass

Saturday Chaplet at 9am closing with a special breakfast.



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