# St. Peter Catholic Church

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# FEBRUARY 23, 2020

# 7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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#### **MASSES:**

Daily Mass: Mon thru Fri 9:00 am

Saturday Vigil Masses:

4pm Sugarloaf Firehouse

Ministry Center 5:30 pm

Sunday Morning Masses

8:30 am & 11:00 am

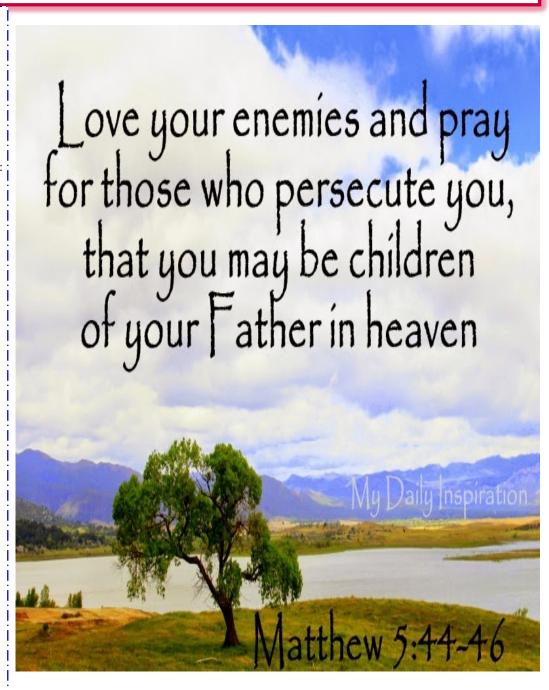
**HOLY DAYS**: Vigil Mass 6 pm

Holy Day Mass 9 am

### **CONFESSIONS:**

Saturday: 4:45 pm to 5:15 pm in the Ministry Center (or by appointment)

BAPTISMS, FUNERALS and WEDDINGS (by appointment)



# 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, February 22, 2020

4:00PM Sugarloaf: S.I. Sick Members of St. Peter Parish 5:30pm S.I. Jim Burn's Birthday by Mom & Dad

### Sunday, February 23, 2020

8:30 AM S.I. Laura Snyder (Birthday) & +Ron Mills by
Pauline & John Snyder

11:00 AM Living & Deceased Members of the Mescal Family
by Margaret & Jim Burns

### Monday, February 24, 2020

9:00 AM +Hilda Doody by Rchard DiBonavenetura

### Tuesday, February 25, 2020

9:00 AM S.I. President Donald Trump by Richard DiBonaventura

### Ash Wednesday, February 26, 2020

9:00 AM S.I. Burns & Mescal Families by
Margaret & Jim Burns

6:00PM +Jim Rydzewski by Connie Hauk

### Thursday, February 27, 2020

9:00 AM +Frank & Rita DiBonaventura by Richard DiBonaventura

#### Friday, February 28, 2020

9:00 AM S.I. Jim Oettle by John & Pauline Snyder

### Saturday, February 29, 2020

4:00 PM +the Sister of Diane Chronowski by Joyce Warren 5:30PM +Cora Labalena by Margaret & Jim Burns

### **Sunday, March 1, 2020**

8:30 AM S.I. Nita & Tito Bigelow (for Good Health) by Michael Hall

11:00 AM +Anderew Bulla by Rosalinda Hally

## This Week In Our Parish

### Monday, February 24, 2020

Mass at 9:00am

Food Bank open 9:30-noon

Tuesday, February 25

Mass at 9am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

until 11am

Food Bank Open 9:30-noon

### Ash Wednesday, February 26

Masses at 9:00am and 6pm—Ministry Center Food Bank open 9:30-noon

### Thursday, February 27

Mass at 9:00am

choir practice 6:30pm

Friday, February 28

Mass at 9:00am

Centering Prayer 4pm

### Saturday, February 29

9am-1pm Day of Reflection (Sign-up required)
4pm Mass Sugarloaf Firehouse
5:30pm Vigil Mass In Pavilion

Sunday, February 30

Masses at 8:30 & 11:00 am

# Those Serving Us:

### Saturday, February 22: 5:30 pm Mass:

<u>Lector</u>: Jackie Reitz Cantor: Susan Beenz

EM: Diane Bleich, Mike Quirk, Norma Thompson

Altar Servers: Hannah Burke

### Sunday February 23: 8:30 Mass:

**Lector**: Nancy McCrosson

Cantor: Lee Kiser

<u>EM</u>: Donna Lahey, Carol Schulz, Sheri Jude Altar Servers: Emilia Havlicek, Samson Fernsel

### Sunday, February 23: 11:am Mass:

Lector: CCD students

<u>Cantor:</u> Clara Harrell

<u>EM</u>: Marty Pfeifer, Rosalinda Hally, Melina Wicht <u>Altar Servers</u>: Chloe Wicht, Hallie Chandonnet

### Ash Wednesday, February 26 9am Mass:

<u>Lector:</u> Honora Shafer <u>Cantor:</u> Stephanie DiFolco

6pm Mass:

**Lector:** Steve Paul

Cantor: Lee Kiser

Altar Server:



# We have \$25.00 Gift Certificates for the "Square Grouper Bar and Grill" "Milagro Restaurant and Bar" KiKi's Sandbar





A percentage of the \$25.00 goes to our Religious Education Fund and helps finance our Religious Ed and Scholarship Programs.

Gift Certificates can be purchased in the office during office hours, M-F 9am-3pm, or after all Masses. See Donna if you are at the 4pm Saturday Sugarloaf Mass. See Connie after 5:30pm and 11am Masses. See Nancy after 8:30am Mass.



Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 9:30 am to Noon

This weekend is Loaves and Fishes weekend—please leave your cash and food donations for the Food Bank in the back of the Pavilion. Thank you for your generosity!!

Most needed items year-round are: Hearty soups, canned meats—especially 12 oz canned hams, tuna, Chef Boyardee products (flip top cans appreciated).

You can also take your donations to the Food Bank during open hours;
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday
9:30am-noon.

May God bless you abundantly for your kindness.

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### **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.



### Parking update:

**Dear Parishioners:** 

Parking is very limited and we need to make sure we make use of every available space:

- 1. Each cement curb is **ONE** parking space. Please center your car on the cement curb so you only take up one space.
- 2. Please do not park on the grass on the south side of the temporary lot as this area is need for the Flight for Life helicopter.
- 3. Be mindful and considerate when a parking attendant is trying to instruct you on where to park.
- 4. Our situation at the 8:30 Mass is most critical and it will get worse once we start construction. If you have an option, please attend another Mass and please carpool at this mass whenever you can.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION



You can have an everlasting influence on the lives of families in our parish. Please contact your attorney and instruct him or her to include a bequest for our parish in your will. Contact Nancy in the office at 305-872-2537 or the Office of planned Giving at 305-762-1112 to learn more.

"But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you...."

(Matthew 5:44)

Love your enemies is easier said than done, no doubt. But, remember, the foundation of stewardship is prayer. When we are in close communication with God, it opens our hearts and it turns our attention away from "me" and moves it towards God and others. Prayer for others, even "our enemies," softens our hearts and their hearts as well..





Steubenville, FL

July 17-19

"Restore US"

St. Peter Youth are now invited to register for Steubenville, FL in Orlando. This is open to all teens entering 9th grade in the fall through 12th grade.

Please contact Barbara Jackowski for more information at 305-304-8191



### Altar Servers Needed

Calling all interested children/teens who may be interested in becoming an Altar Server:

Why should you become an altar server?

- 1. You don't have to sit with your parents.
- 2. You get to wear cool white robes.
- 3. Little kids are in awe of you.
- 4. It leads to a deeper friendship with Jesus.
- 5. They let you play with fire and light candles.
- 6. They trust you to know when to ring the bells.
- 7. Carrying the cross builds upper body strength.
- 8. It may count as community service hours by your school.

For more information, call the office or contact Barbara Jackowski at 305-304-8191.



# A Huge Success for St. Peter's

# two weekend-after Masses



## **MEMORIABILIA**

Thank you to the dedicated Salvage Volunteer Team for pulling these items for repurpose & Fundraising Committee Members who prepared for and worked this successful event.

We are proud to announce this two week event after Masses made

\$6,170.00

Thank you to all who supported this success!

Just a little info on 3 Peterites who you've asked about, the artists who gave of their time and talents in preparing many of the transformed items.

When asked about themselves...

- Karis Kruzel: Karis has enjoyed doodling since the first grade. Karis always wanted to be an art teacher, but went to nursing school instead and is now a retired cardiac intensive care nurse from Michigan. She has truly enjoyed creating and painting our wooden fish. She believes that each fish has its own personality. The wooden fish were pieces from the buildings, survivors of Hurricane Irma. She has truly enjoyed painting these fish! A seasonal parishioner for 15 yrs.
- Mike Kruzel: Artist of the Metal Art Fish-{Was up for Bid & Auctioned}. This is his third stainless steel fish art donation. He began freehand drawing fish, that he would then cut out using a handheld plasma cutter. This is a one of a kind custom cut piece of art. This metal was completely submerged in Hurricane Irma storm surge, it survived... and was made into this hogfish, to help support St. Peter Church. A seasonal parishioner for 15 yrs.
- Chris Stangler: Retired Chief Warrant Officer in United States Coat Guard. I spent twelve years out of my twenty years on active duty in the Florida Keys. I have lived here on/off since March of 1993. I enjoy wood working and painting. I enjoy the Keys community and the great weather. The Stangler Family is involved and a very active part of the St. Peter Family. Chris is a member of the Knights of Columbus, an Usher and Mass Parking Assist Ministry.



# Best Lent Ever—-Rediscover the Saints—Dynamic Catholic

# **Stations of the Cross**

Fridays in Lent at 3pm
Starting March 6th
In the Pavilion



Dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27 and April 3

A different version of the Stations is prayed each week with music and silent meditation.

Please come and bring a friend - all are welcome.



# Collections for the Weekend:

### Sugarloaf Mass February 15:

1st: \$ 255.00

2nd: \$ 93.00 (Rebuild)

### **Big Pine February 16:**

1st: \$5,041.00

2nd: \$2,157.00 (Rebuild)

Direct Debit: \$ 320.00 (weekly)
Once Monthly Blue Building Fund

**Envelopes \$555.00** 

Thank you for your generosity!





There is a 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.

Thank you for your help!

### **Pray For Those Who Are Sick**

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We ask your prayers for Parishioners and friends:
Roger Lederer, Guenther Glatt, Rachel Miles, Mary Doris
Scheidell, Doug Krout, Bill Carver, William Kin Koerber, Lani
Dugger, John Mescal, Ismael Lopez, John Snyder, Javier
Herrera, Ann Fisher, Katherine Fasano, James Archambeault,
Pat and Connie Medina, Belle Medina-Ricasio, Beth Rodman,
Bill Van Ryn, Flo Boyle, Judy Mescal, Jerry Bauer, William
Scheidell, Mike Graham, Ellen Age, Mason Skiver,
Tiffany Howard & Jorge Ramos.

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.

We are so pleased to welcome families to our Masses and other services. One of the many things we hope to teach our children is how to conduct themselves during Mass. Children are expected to



quietly remain with their parent or guardian throughout the Mass. If the child gets restless or disruptive, as all children will, the adult should quietly remove the child until they are able to return quietly to their seat. Thank you for your cooperation!

Address Change: We have closed our Post Office box. Our only mailing address now is: 31300 Overseas Highway, Big Pine Key, FL 33043.



### 50 / 50 Weekly Jackpot

In the drawing for February 15/16 a Direct Debit winner was pulled and won \$332.50! So the new jackpot is \$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. Please one play per week—multiple envelopes do not increase your chance of winning.

<u>THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFT!</u> With a grateful heart, thank you to those who generously made a commitment to the 2020 Archbishop's Charities and Development Drive (ABCD). We re truly grateful for the love and support of our parish community to help serve our Church above and beyond what happens here at St. Peters.





ARCHBISHOP'S CHARITIES & DEVELOPMENT DRIVE

If you have ave not made a gift to our **2020 ABCD** yet, **we need your help** to reach our parish goal of \$38,639.00. So far pledges and donations collected amount to \$28,190.00. That means we are still **\$10,449.00** short from our goal. **Please make your pledge or donation now** before end of February 2020. You may do this online at <a href="https://www.isupportABCD.org">www.isupportABCD.org</a>. Make sure you indicate our parish name: **St. Peter Church**. If you need assistance please call **Nancy or Connie at 305-872-2537**. If you wish to write a check please make it to **ABCD/St. Peter** and bring it to church or mail it to us (no cash please).

Fr. Jets Medina
Michelle Alexandre
Barbara Barzen
Maryann Becich
Sara Bielich-Wilcox
Mary Bennett Smith

Beverly Blass

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Jim & Cathy Bouquet
Christian Brisson
Larry Bullock

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**Sue Cummins** 

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Donna & Darrell Dye

Larry Elfers
Donald Ellis
Rosemary Farrell
Frances Frederick

Stephen & Cathy Golder

Rosalinda Hally Neil & Lynda Haring Robert & Clara Harrell

Connie Hauk William Jones Pat Kersey

Patrick Kennedy

Richard & Tabitha Klessens

Deb & John Kreiger

Bill Kruppa

**Robert Lancaster** 

Vicente & Nancy Lopez

Sheila Madden

Jan & Bruce Maxwell

Louis Martin

Chuck & Nancy McCrosson

Bill & Laurita Miller Ralph Montanaro Arlene Murray

Donald & MaryAnn Nelson

James Nichols

Stephen & Isabel Paul Mike & Mary Quirk Jorge Ramos

Larry & Jackie Reitz

**Barrie Ricketts** 

Antonio Rodriguez

Peter & Amy Rosasco

Charlotte & Bill Rudy

Bob & Rose Sangrey

William & Mary Scheidell Tom & Diane Schoonbeck

Carol Schulz

Honora & Howard Shaffer

Richard & Barbara Shenk

George Sherko Maria & Jerry Sims

Michael Skinner

Mary Bennett Smith

Tamara Snider Lurana Snow Anthony Sporer

John & Pauine Snyder

Leonora Stullken

Jim & Norma Thompson

Joseph Trimbur

### **Construction Update:**

As we wait for the clock to tick down on our required waiting periods with the County and the State, our general contractor, Florida LeMark is busy lining up our sub-contractors

and "staging" our site for the earliest possible start.

We expect to see construction office trailers, machinery and possibly some supplies begin to arrive the middle of next week.

Please stay diligent while on site and obey signs and our great volunteer parking assistants. Thank You!

### **CCD classes for Pre-K through** Confirmation are ongoing.

We are privileged to be called to participate in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.



Our bodies are the temples of the Holy Spirit. In Baptism, we were cleansed with water of Original Sin and the Sanctifying Force of God began to flow through us for the first time.

**In Confirmation**, we receive the Gifts of the Holy Spirit and through Anointing, we are strengthened to live Christ-like lives exhibiting the Fruits of the Spirit in our daily interactions with others.

In the Sacrament of the Eucharist, we are united with Jesus Christ as He enters our body and we go forth from the Mass to bring Jesus into our daily life, in our families, our schools, our workplace.

Our body is the only body that Jesus has today to continue his work in our world and in this Parish.

This is what we learn and hope to practice through our Religious Education Program at St. Peter Church.

Thank you! Honora Shaffer, DRE 774-239-2872 or Honora@stpeterbpk.org.

### If you haven't seen the renderings or architectural drawings for our new church yet ——

they are on our website and Facebook.

Also you may check them out on the walls in the hallway of the Ministry Center.

The Ministry Center offices are open Monday-Friday 9am-3pm, and we have daily Mass in

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is every Tuesday, after 9am daily Mass until 11:00am.



Would you like to be a Prayer Partner to a **Confirmation Student?** 



If so, contact their CCD teacher,

Rowena Frank at rowenafrank@gmail.com for details.

### 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 event at St. Peter Church!

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

### St. Peter's 2020 Lenten Schedule

### Prayer + Fasting + Almsgiving

### Liturgy of the Eucharist\_

**Daily Mass:** Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m., Ministry Center Chapel

**Ash Wednesday -** February 26, 2020 Masses: 9 a.m. and 6 p.m., Ministry Center Chapel

Healing Mass with Anointing of the Sick Wednesday, March 4, 2020, 6 p.m. Pavilion Chapel (Anointing with Holy Oil by 3 Priests)

### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

**Tuesdays:** Following Daily Mass till 11:00 a.m., Ministry Center Chapel

Evening Prayer Hour (Lectio Divina) with Adoration Wednesday, March 11, 2020, 6:30 p.m., Ministry Center Chapel

Evening Prayer Hour (Vespers) with Adoration Wednesday, March 18, 2020, 6:30 p.m., Ministry Center Chapel

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

**Saturdays:** 4:45 - 5:15 p.m., Pavilion Trailer Confessional

### **Parish Reconciliation Prayer Service**

Wednesday, March 25, 2020, 6 p.m., Pavilion Chapel (Confessions with 3 Priests)

### Prayer and Reflection

Day of Reflection: The Prodigal Son by Henri Nouwen Saturday, February 29, 2020, 9 a.m.—1 p.m., Ministry Center Chapel

Lenten Mission by Fr. Ricky Manalo @ San Pablo Church Mon & Tues, March 2 and 3, 2020, 7 p.m., San Pablo Church, Marathon, FL

Stations of the Cross: Fridays @ 3 pm, March 6, 13, 20, 27, April 3, Pavilion

Centering Prayer: Fridays @ 4 pm (following the Stations of the Cross), Ministry Center Chapel



### **Fasting and Abstinence**

Ash Wednesday and
Good Friday are
obligatory days of
fasting and
abstinence for
Catholics.
In addition, Fridays
during Lent are
obligatory days
of abstinence.



The norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59.
The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Catholic Church from age 14 and up.

### **Almsgiving**

Opportunities to Give in our Parish

### **Sunday Collections**

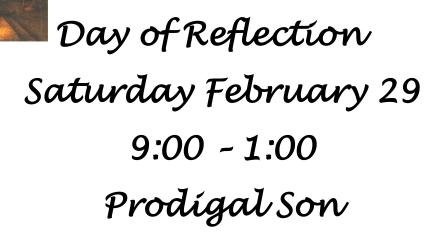
**Food Bank donations:** *Loaves and Fishes Weekends* 

St. Peter's Rebuilding Fund: Second Collection (mostly) at each Sunday Mass

**Knights of Columbus "Dollars for Scholars"** Food Truck Ministry

**ABCD** and other Fundraisers

This is a LEAP YEAR! What better way to spend this extra day in your life than with your St. Peter family.



Begin with Mass Talks Sharing in small groups Prayers Activities

Join us for a fun time and enriching experience.

You must sign up in the back of church or call the office as there is a limit of 30 participants. There will be no coffee or lunch but a protein bar break!

If you have any questions, call Norma Thompson 305-304-9507



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