

St. Peter Catholic Church

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Office: 9am-3pm Mon.-Fri.

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MAY 30, 2021

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

PARISH STAFF:

Parochial Administrator :

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Maintenance Supervisor

Vincent Padron

MASSES:

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:30-pm
Sunday Masses 8:30 and 11:00am

Daily Masses: 9am Mon-Fri.

HOLY DAYS: Vigil Mass 6 pm
Holy Day Mass 9 am

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 4:45 pm to 5:15 pm
in the Pavilion Chapel
(or by appointment)

**BAPTISMS, FUNERALS and
WEDDINGS** (by appointment)

Contact Nancy or Connie in the
parish office

Office Hours: M-F 9:30am-3pm



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, May 29, 2021

5:30pm +Robin Mcguire by Mike Coppola

Sunday, May 30, 2021

8:30am: +Jack Loudon, Sr. by St. Peter's Choir

11:00am: S.I. Joel Gonzalez
by Tomasz & Kacper Jachym

Monday, May 31, 2021

9:00am S.I. Br. Bud Luks by St. Peter Parishioners
S.I. Jim Maun by St. Peter Parishioners

Tuesday, June 1, 2021

9:00am +Ronnie Wirshing by Mike Coppola
S.I. Roberta Vicari by Lisa & Jack Lewis

Wednesday, June 2, 2021

9:00am S.I. Patty & Angelo Russo (Anniversary)
by Fr. Jets
S.I. Hunter Babin by Lisa & Jack Lewis

Thursday, June 3, 2021

9:00am S.I. All my clients who have lost their pets..
by Marcia Seymour

Friday, June 4, 2021

9:00am Communion Service —Benefactors and
Friends of St. Peter Parish

Saturday, June 5, 2021

5:30pm: +Doug Dussault by Mike Coppola

Sunday, June 6 2021

8:30am: S.I. Nesbit Family by Marla Nesbit

11:00am: S.I. Fr. Jets by Laurita Miller
S.I. Claro Garcia by Rowena Garcia

**All in-person Ministry activities, with the
exception of Mass, have been
temporarily suspended.**

Prayer for the Rebuilding of St. Peter Church:

Heavenly Father,
We ask your blessings on all those involved in
our church rebuilding.

We ask you to guide the minds and the hands of
by planners and workers and may they know
they are doing Your work.

We ask your blessings on those who have made
the rebuilding possible through their generous
donations that their lives may be enriched.

We ask your blessings on the family of St. Peter
that we may continue to flourish through the
challenges we face as we rebuild and renew
ourselves as a true and loving community.

May we listen to Jesus' words and act on them
so that we will be like the wise man who built
his house on rock and pray the psalm..

"Only goodness and love will pursue me all the
days of my life. I will dwell in the house of the
Lord for years to come."

Amen

Norma Thompson, St. Peter Church

**If you cannot attend Mass in person and attend
on line or on tv, here is another variation of the
Spiritual Communion prayer
(often recited by Blessed Solanus Casey).**

Lord, please come to me in Spiritual Communion.
Send your body and blood gushing through my
veins. Send your love into my heart, my soul and
my mind. Lift me up to your bosom and infuse
me with your divine love. Amen



Prayer for Memorial Day



CNS/Nancy Wiechec

God of power and mercy,
you destroy war and put down earthly pride.
Banish violence from our midst and wipe away our tears,
that we may all deserve to be called your sons
and daughters.

Keep in your mercy those men and women
who have died in the cause of freedom
and bring them safely
into your kingdom of justice and peace.
We ask this though Jesus Christ our Lord.

R/. Amen

—from *Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers*



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PRAYER RESOURCE





The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

MAY 30, 2021

The Mystery of the Holy Trinity

"The Feast of the Most Holy Trinity leads us to contemplate the mystery of God who unceasingly creates, redeems and sanctifies, always with love and through love." –Pope Francis, May 27, 2018

The mystery of the Holy Trinity is the central mystery of the Christian faith and life. God reveals himself as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The doctrine of the Trinity includes three truths of faith.

First, the Trinity is One. We do not speak of three gods but of one God. Each of the Persons is fully God. They are a unity of Persons in one divine nature.

Second, the Divine Persons are distinct from each other. Father, Son, and Spirit are not three appearances or modes of God, but three identifiable persons, each fully God in a way distinct from the others.

Third, the Divine Persons are in relation to each other. The distinction of each is understood only in reference to the others. The Father cannot be the Father without the Son, nor can the Son be the Son without the Father. The Holy Spirit is related to the Father and the Son who both send him forth.

All Christians are baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. The Trinity illumines all the other mysteries of faith.

The Feast of the Visitation of Mary

Monday, May 31, 2021

This feast commemorates the three-month visit of Mary with her elderly cousin Elizabeth during Mary's pregnancy with Jesus and Elizabeth's with John the Baptist. The story appears in the first chapter of Luke's Gospel. It recounts Elizabeth's Spirit-filled greeting, acknowledging Mary as "the mother of my Lord," and Mary's beautiful response, the Magnificat, which begins, "My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord." Introduced by the Franciscans in 1263, the feast became universal in the 16th century.



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BULLETIN

Next week's second collection is for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe:



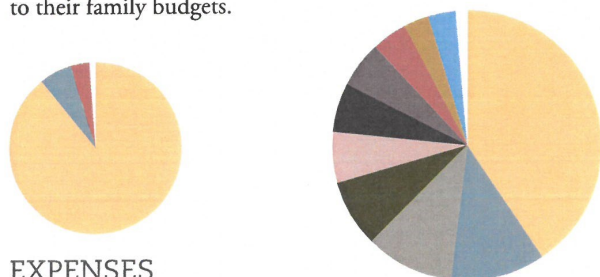
SUPPORT THE CHURCH
IN CENTRAL AND
EASTERN EUROPE

RESTORE THE CHURCH BUILD THE FUTURE

Many countries transitioning from the former communist regimes in Eastern Europe continue to be stricken by poverty. In Albania, a country that experienced a particularly harsh form of communism, many young women facing extreme poverty succumb to misleading promises of marriage or work opportunities, drop out of school, and travel abroad. Separated from their families, they often find themselves in the difficult circumstances of domestic violence or even forced prostitution. The Catholic Church of Albania, which is being restored after the fall of communism, is at the forefront of helping young women overcome these risks through tuition support, the arts, faith activities, and culinary workshops that prepare them for work that allows them to support themselves and to contribute to their family budgets.

With support from the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe, the Laura Vicuña Center and the Rogationist Fathers' high school has provided education, skills training, and brighter futures to 13 young women from the town of Tale. When you participate in the collection, you help to make education and life opportunities a reality for at-risk youth, such as the young women in Tale, and you provide a witness of the faith to a recovering region.

More information about the collection and the projects it supports can be found at www.usccb.org/lcee.



EXPENSES

Grants and Donations	89.2%
Program Costs	6.1%
Promotions and Fundraising Expenses	3.6%
Administrative Expenses	1.1%
Total Expenses	\$7,609,151

2019 DISTRIBUTION OF GRANTS

Total Number of Grants Approved: 339

Total Amount Approved: \$6,842,287

PROGRAM AREA	GRANTS	AMOUNT	PERCENT
Construction	96	\$2,787,059	40.73%
Social Aid	49	\$775,722	11.33%
Operational Support	39	\$728,697	10.65%
Scholarships	60	\$545,585	7.97%
Evangelization	31	\$416,358	6.09%
Education	11	\$394,760	5.77%
Seminary Support	18	\$378,605	5.53%
Equipment/ Accommodation Purchase	11	\$294,760	4.31%
Other	5	\$215,208	3.15%
Vehicle Purchase	13	\$211,743	3.09%
Multimedia	6	\$93,790	1.37%



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Newly Registered
parishioners:
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Doria Pereira

Pentecost Sunday blessings





Thank You

FOR SHARING YOUR TIME,
TALENT AND TREASURE

Collections for the Weekend:

Donations received this past week:

1st Collection: \$2,662.00

2nd Collection \$ 731.00 (Rebuild)

Direct Debit: \$ 580.00

Monthly Direct Debit: \$2,645.00

Thank you to those of you who mailed your weekly donations to us, and **Thank you** to those of you who elected to change to Direct Debit!

Thank you for your generosity!



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 2020 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:

We ask your prayers for Parishioners and friends:

Guenther Glatt, Rachel Miles, Bill Carver, Lani Dugger, John Mescal, Ismael Lopez, John Snyder, Javier Herrera, Ann Fisher, Katherine Fasano, Frank Fasano, James Archambeault, Pat and Connie Medina, Belle Medina-Ricasio, Beth Rodman, Bill Van Ryn, Flo Boyle, Mary and William Scheidell, Mike Graham, Tiffany Howard, Jim Oettle, Kate Menser Hughey, Marilyn Nichols, Mark Stump, Pat McCullah, Lance Hill, Randy Reinhart, Patrick Mescal, Mickey McEnaney, Fr. Peter Scott, Maria Wirshing, Diane Neault, Ruth Fidler, Kaylee Mescal, Nita Bigelow, Tom Vreeland, Jim Burns, Olga Nunez, Chad Barnick, Br. Bud Luks, Tonya Marbry, Dolores Gibson and Sarah Peteck.

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.

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

Check this out!! Have you ever wondered why the person next to you never puts anything into the collection basket? Could be that person has signed up for Direct Debit and his or her donation comes directly from his or her checking account—they don't have to mess with envelopes or checks or cash. If that sounds good to you, call Nancy in the office at 305-872-2537 and she can get you started.



50 / 50 Weekly Jackpot

The 50/50 has been suspended until we are in our new church. Your Direct Debit 50/50 account will not be charged, and please do not turn in your \$5 50/50 envelopes until we resume. Thank you!

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.



June 20th is Father's Day. Our 9 day Father's Day Novena will run from Saturday June 19th through Sunday, June 27th. Novena envelopes are at the exits. Please fill out and return before June 17th.

The envelopes will then be on the altar for every Mass from June 19-27th.



The Knights of Columbus will meet on Monday, June 7 at 7pm in the Pavilion.

Prayer for Protection **From Hurricanes**



God our Father,
Creator and Lord of the universe,
You have set the earth on its foundation
and all the elements of nature
obey your command.
We humbly beseech You
to keep us safe from all dangers
and calm the storms
that threaten us.
May we be secure
in your loving protection
and serve you always
with grateful hearts.
We ask this through
Our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son
Who lives and reigns with You
and the Holy Spirit
One God forever and ever.

Amen



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Household Size	Annual Household Gross Income Cap
1	\$48,300
2	\$65,325
3	\$82,350
4	\$99,375
5	\$116,400
6	\$133,425

ADDITIONAL INCOME GUIDELINES AVAILABLE AT SUFS.ORG

Send your child to a Catholic School with the
help of a step-up scholarship!

June 1 deadline to apply....

PETITION

Save Hyde. Save lives.

Taxpayer dollars should NOT pay for abortion.

The majority of Americans agree with this - both Democrats and Republicans.

For 45 years, the Hyde amendment and similar laws have protected taxpayers from being forced to pay for elective abortion.

The Hyde amendment has been signed into law every year since 1976, whether the Congress and the White House were led by Republicans or Democrats.

The Hyde Amendment has saved nearly 2.5 million babies and mothers in difficult circumstances from the tragedy of abortion.

An overwhelming majority of Americans, including low-income women and women of color who are most impacted by it, support the Hyde Amendment and laws that prevent government-funded abortion.

We urge you, in the strongest possible terms, to ensure that the Hyde Amendment and all similar life-saving appropriations riders remain in place during the 117th Congress and beyond.

Do not force Americans to subsidize the taking of innocent life. Oppose any bill, including any appropriations bill, that expands taxpayer funding of abortion.

To Sign the petition, go to usccb.org



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- Information and referrals
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- Project Joseph: Men learn about fetal development, finances, infant CPR, and how to be a supportive husband/partner, while earning points to spend in the boutique.
- Material Assistance and Boutique (diapers, formula, baby clothing, strollers, car seats, etc)

305.273.8507 to schedule appointment

For more information and ways to participate and volunteer in the respect life ministry in our parish, please contact Maria Sims at 305-394-7857 or the parish office, Please review the information in more detail at the website respectlifemiami.org.

Your parish contact for all things related to the Virtus (Protecting God's Children and Vulnerable Adults) program is Ellen Age: Ellen@stpeterbpk.org



Do you enjoy singing or playing an instrument? Would you consider sharing your God-given talents with the St. Peter's worship community?

Please consider signing up today by sending an email to jack@stpeterbpbk.org.

Come and join a wonderful group of singers!

St. Peter Community Food Bank

Wednesdays from 8:00am-11:00am only

Beginning June 6, food bank hours will be 8am to 10am on Wednesdays due to the warmer weather.



The weather is warmer now—we need to keep our food cooler (our clients & volunteers too). Food is being distributed from the temporary, portable tent in the parking lot.

Dear Peterites: THANK YOU for your generosity and continued support! Because of your good deeds we were able to continue to help many clients with food during difficult times.

We pray the Lord blesses your giving hearts abundantly.

Gratefully: the Food Bank Volunteer Staff

Most needed items are: canned goods: tuna & chicken, Vienna sausage, Hearty soups, canned meats—Chef Boyardee products (flip top cans appreciated), canned vegetables & fruit.

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Your Parish contact person for all things related to the Food Bank is Director, Bob Pienkowski: bob@stpeterbpbk.org

Participate in Winn-Dixie's Giving Tag Program

which runs all year long. All you have to do is purchase the Community Bag for @2.50 at any Winn-Dixie and follow the instructions on the attached Giving Tag to direct a \$1 donation to the **St. Peter Community Food Bank**. To learn more about this program, please visit seg.bags4mycause.com.



Rectory



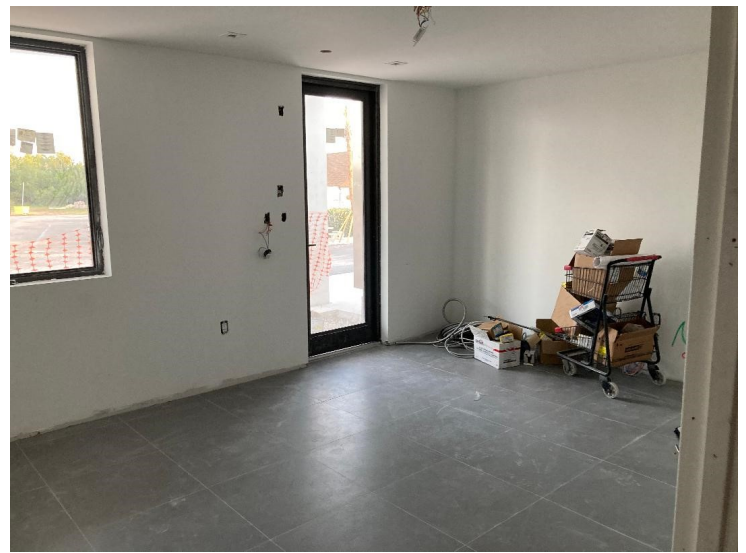


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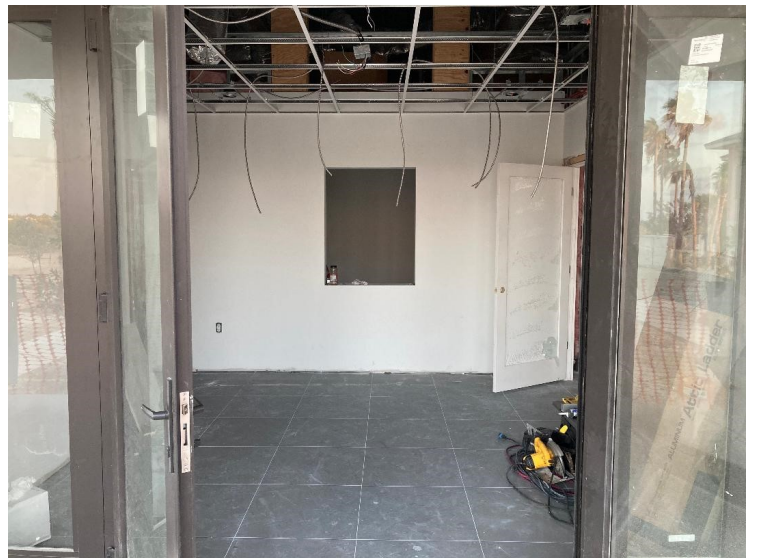


Parish Hall, Food Bank and Kitchen





Parish Offices





The Pumpkins Are Coming, The Pumpkins Are Coming

ARE THEY? YES!!!

Thanks to the two people who have volunteered to Co-Chair the Patch, and our 2 advisors.....and about 12 other volunteers! Once the leaders meet and determine how many volunteers are needed in each of the committees, they will make an appeal for more volunteers, so you still have a chance to join in the fun.

Thanks again to all our volunteers!!

**If you are interested, and need more information,
please call the parish office at 305-872-2537**



We have \$25.00 Gift Certificates for the
KiKi's Sandbar



Square Grouper

Milagro

RE: Milagro: Milagro Restaurant in Big Pine has closed and will re-open in Key West on May 1st at 1401 Simonton St. You will be able to use your gift certificates in their KW location as of May 1, or you can return them to us for a refund or exchange.

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 through the office during office hours, M-F 9:30am-3pm, or call the office at 305-872-2537 to make other arrangements.

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!



Remembering your Church through planned giving doesn't only preserve your legacy, it helps secure the future of your Parish, and symbolizes the relationship you've cultivated with your Faith family. To include your Parish in your Estate plans, contact the Office of Planned Giving at 305-762-1112 or contact Nancy in St. Peter's office at 305-872-2537 to learn more.



"Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age."

(Matthew 28:19-20)

As a Christians, we believe that Christ is always with us, giving us strength to carry our His mission here on earth.



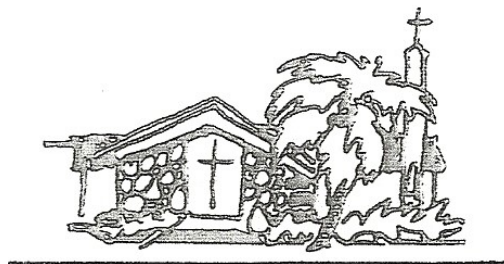
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Dear Peterites and Friends of St. Peter's,

St. Peter Catholic Church invites you to consider the option of Direct Debit, an electronic collection program to automate your regular weekly offerings, pulled directly from your checking or savings account.

Would you prefer to go paperless and take advantage of any of the following Direct Debit choices?

Here are the choices currently available to consider:

Weekly Offering: Funds pulled weekly.

Weekly 50/50: Suspended until we are in the new church.

{The 50/50 Drawing: ACH weekly debits & collecting of cash or checks have been suspended until we are in the new church.}

Monthly Choices:

Funds pulled on next Business Day after 20th of the Month.

Monthly Rebuild Offering: Funds pulled on next Business Day after 20th of the Month.

Direct Debit giving is convenient for you and provides much-needed consistency for our parish, especially during these times. There is no cost for you to participate.

If you are currently giving on a weekly basis, you will no longer need to write out 52 checks a year or prepare 52 envelopes. And if you are seasonal or when future travel opportunities resume, illness or other circumstances like what we are faced with currently, prevent you from attending Mass with us here at St Peter's, this program will allow your weekly offerings to continue uninterrupted.

To get started, simply call and speak to Nancy McCrosson in the Parish office to answer any questions you may have #305-872-2537.

We thank you for your continued support to our parish here at St. Peter and we pray all of you and your loved ones are safe and well.

God Bless You,

Nancy McCrosson



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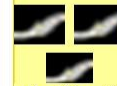
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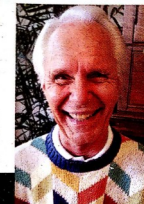
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