# St. Peter Catholic Church

31300 Overseas Hwy Big Pine Key, Fl 33043



305-872-2537 Office: 9am-3pm Mon.-Fri. www.stpeterbpk.org

## **11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**JUNE 13, 2021** 

#### PARISH STAFF:

Parochial Administrator :

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Vincent Padron

MASSES:

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

Daily Masses: 9am Mon-Fri.

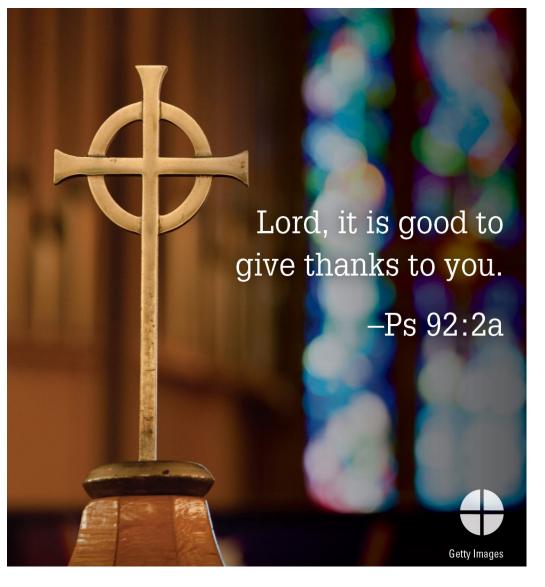
HOLY DAYS: Vigil Mass 6 pm Holy Day Mass 9 am

#### **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.



Saturday, June 12, 2021
5:30pm +Karl Hernas by Mike Coppola
S.I. Fr. Darin Robert (50th Anniversary of his ordinations) by Mike Coppola)

Sunday, June 13, 2021 8:30am: +Magdalena Jachym by Kacper and Tomas Jachym

11:00am: +Kristin Herbst by Nikki Logan

Monday, June 14, 2021 9:00am +Beverly Mosher by Maria Simms

Tuesday, June 15, 2021 9:00am +Julia Long by Amy Peper

Wednesday, June 16, 2021 9:00am Funeral Mass for +Gracie Morgan

Thursday , June 17, 20219:00am+Hilda Doody by Mike Coppola+Rob French by Mike Coppola

Friday, June 18, 2021 9:00am Communion Service — Benefactors and Friends of St. Peter Parish

Saturday, June 19, 2021 5:30pm: All those enrolled in the Father's Day Novena

Sunday, June 20, 2021 8:30am: All those enrolled in the Father's Day Novena

**11:00am:** All those enrolled in the Father's Day Novena

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

### <u>Prayer for the Rebuilding</u> 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



#### *Collections for the Weekend:*

Donations received this past week:

1st Collection: \$2,510.00 2nd Collection \$ 553.00 (Church in Central and Eastern Europe)

Blue Building Fund Envelopes \$350.00

Rebuild \$ 140.00

Direct Debit: \$ 580.00

**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!



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 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:

HE HARD HARDS

We ask your prayers for Parishioners and friends: Guenther Glatt, Rachel Miles, Bill Carver, Lani Dugger, John Mescal, John Snyder, Javier Herrera, Ann Fisher, Katherine Fasano, Frank Fasano, 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 , Sarah Peteck and John Spencer.

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 Birthday blessings



















Fr. Jets blesses Mary Ryder, Marathon High School graduate and presented her with a college scholarship from St. Peter's. Mary has been a CCD student and active altar server (before the Covid lockdown). She is the daughter of Leslie and Jeff Ryder.



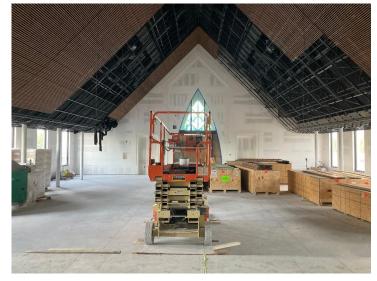
In addition to Mary Ryder, the following graduates applied for our scholarship, went through the application and interview process and were awarded Scholarships at the Baccalaureate Mass on May 30th:

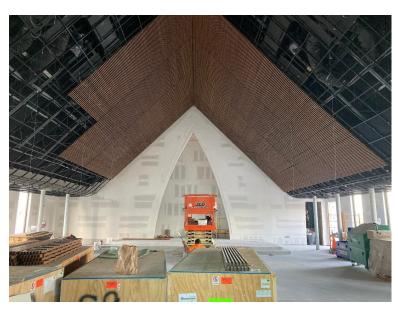
Kelly Threadgill, Paige Richard and Hannah Burke. (They were pictured in our bulletin last week.)

All of the recipients have indicated their wish to relay their gratitude and appreciation to our church family for the scholarship funds awarded.

Consider purchasing gift certificates for The Square Grouper, KiKi's Sandbar and Milagro Restaurants. A percentage of each \$25.00 gift certificate goes to our Religious Education Fund and helps finance our Religious Ed and Scholarship Programs. Gift Certificates are available in the office M-F 9:30am-3:00pm, or contact Nancy, Debbie or Connie at Mass and they will help you. (cash or check only)













### Rectory



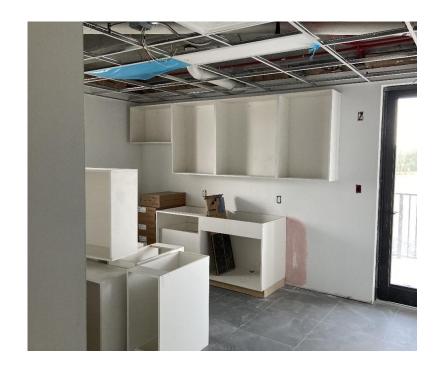






### Parish Office area





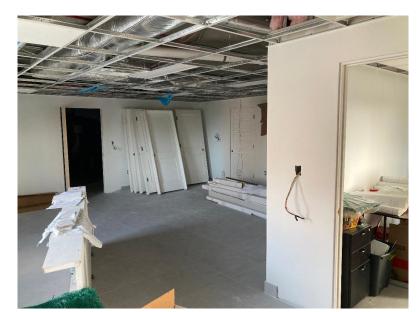




### Parish Hall, Food Bank and Kitchen

















Outgoing Grand Knight Chris Stangler vests new 3rd Degree Knight Joe Pappadakis with the official Knight's pin after handing him the official Knight's Rosary.



Council Chaplin Fr. Jets with new 3rd Degree Knights Jorge Ramos and Joe Pappadakis after giving them his super wet blessings!



Newly elected Grand Knight Mark Berenz vests new 3rd Degree Knight Jorge Ramos with the official Knight's pin after handing him the official Knight's Rosary



New Grand Knight Mark Berenz, new 3rd Degree Knight Jorge Ramos, Chaplain Fr. Jets, new 3rd Degree Knight Joe Pappadakis and outgoing Grand Knight Chris Stangler

(L-R) Knights Jorge Ramos, new Grand Knight Mark Berenz, Finance secretary Roly Crus-Taura, Recording secretary Mike Coppola, outgoing Grand Knight Chris Stangler, Knight Joe Pappadakis, Treasurer John Krieger and outgoing Treasurer and past Grand Knight Howard Bleich-a great inspiration of service and fraternity to all of us! Congratulations to all newly elected and re-elected officers of our local Knights of Columbus Council for the



### KofC Officers 2021-2022

St. Peter Church, Big Pine Key, FL Date of Election: 7 June 2021

Grand Knight Deputy Grand Knight Chancellor Financial Secretary Recorder Treasurer Advocate Warden Inside Guard Outside Guard First Trustee Second Trustee Third Trustee Chaplain \*Mark Berenz \*Kelly Stevens \*Bob Pienkowski Roly Cruz-Taura Mike Coppola \*John Krieger \*Kevin Madok Richard Klessens Mike Quirk Richard DiBonaventura \*Jim Thompson \*Tony Baglini \*Chris Stangler Fr. Jets Medina

\* newly elected in corresponding position (others were re-elected)

New 3rd Degree Knights: exemplification done on June 7, 2021 Jorge Ramos Joe Pappadakis

New Transfer Member: as of May 3, 2021 Daniel Ford - 3rd Degree



We are looking for more ushers to serve at Mass in the new Church. The Ushers Ministry will hold a seminar -workshop. Please consider serving the Lord and our parish in this wonderful and essential ministry to keep a safe and sacred worship space. Men, women and couples are welcome to serve together. Please call the office or email our Head Usher Ms. Debbie Krieger to sign up. Thank you.



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@stpeterbpk.org.

Come and join a wonderful group of singers!

### St. Peter Community Food Bank

#### Wednesdays from 8:00am-10:00am only

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: <u>canned</u> goods: tuna & chicken, Vienna sausage, Hearty soups, canned meats—Chef Boyardee products (flip top cans appreciated), canned vegetables & fruit.

St. Peter Catholic Church is a 501(c)(3) corporation

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



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.

Starting this weekend, we are mask optional for those who are fully vaccinated—however we will still observe social distancing in the pavilion.

### Prayer for Protection From Hurricanes

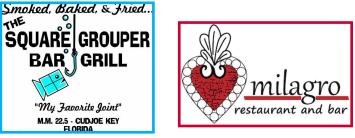


God our Father, Creator and Lord of the universe, You have set the earth on its foundation and all the elements of nature obey your command. We humbly beseech You to keep us safe from all dangers and calm the storms that threaten us. May we be secure in your loving protection and serve you always with 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



#### We have \$25.00 Gift Certificates for the <u>KiKi's Sandbar</u>





### Square Grouper

Milagro

<u>RE: Milagro:</u> has relocated from Big Pine Key to Key West at 1401 Simonton St. You can use your gift certificates in their KW location .

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. (cash or check only)

#### St. Peter Catholic Church Website

Visit the St. Peter Church website at <u>http://www.stpeterbpk.org</u>



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!



Did you know that you could contribute appreciated property, like securities or real estate to your parish? You receive a charitable deduction for the full market value while paying no capital gains tax on the transfer 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.



"It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to your name O Most High." (Psalm 92:2)

As good stewards we most profoundly respond in gratitude to God by living and growing as a community who is responsible and accountable for the many gifts we have been given.



## **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 <u>Hyde amendment</u> and similar laws have protected taxpayers from being forced to pay for elective abortion.

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

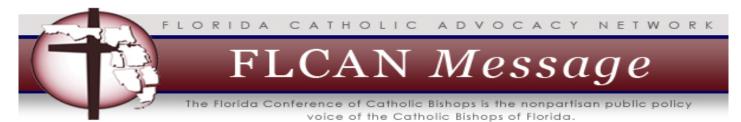
The <u>Hyde Amendment</u> has saved nearly 2.5 million babies and mothers in difficult circumstances from the tragedy of abortion.

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



#### THANK YOU FOR TAKING ACTION! Governor DeSantis Vetoes Public Funding of Abortifacients

On June 2, 2021, Governor DeSantis approved a record \$100 billion budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021. Before signing the budget, the governor used his line-item veto authority to cut \$1.5 billion from the spending plan approved by the legislature.

We are happy to report that included in his line-item vetoes was a new \$2 million recurring appropriation for family planning providers, such as Planned Parenthood, to promote and provide Hormonal Long-acting Reversible Contraception (HLARC). HLARCs alter the uterine lining and create an inhospitable womb for implantation of newly-conceived life.

We are grateful for you and the thousands of Floridians who joined us in urging the governor to veto the HLARC appropriation, and we thank Governor DeSantis for listening and taking action!



## South Dade Pregnancy Help Center

Services Free & Confidential

- Pregnancy tests
- Limited ultrasound exams
- Pregnancy and post- partum counseling
- Information and referrals
- Earn While You Learn classes (EWYL): Women learn about fetal development and how to take care of their babies. During class they earn points which can be spent in the boutique.
- 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 <u>respectlifemiami.org.</u>

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

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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.* 

{<u>The 50/50 Drawing</u>: 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 20<sup>th</sup> 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

