

St. Peter the Fisherman Catholic Church

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305-872-2537

Office: 9:30am-3:30pm Mon.-Fri.

www.stpeterbpk.org

MAY 29, 2022

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

PARISH STAFF:

Pastor:

Rev. Fr. Jesus "Jets" Medina

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MASSES:

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:30pm
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 Church (or by appointment)

BAPTISMS, FUNERALS and

WEDDINGS Please call the office for
an appointment with Fr. Jets.

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



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 is,
YOU are Invited, Welcomed, Accepted, Loved and
Respected here at St. Peter Catholic Church.*



Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 28, 2022

5:30pm Vigil: +Jack Loudon Sr. by Jack Loudon

Sunday, May 29, 2022

8:30am: +Edward Baugh

by Cathy Baugh & Michele White

11:00am: Sl. Graduating Students and their parents

Monday, May 30, 2022

9:00am: Communion Service

S.I. Friends & Benefactors of St. Peter Parish

Tuesday, May 31, 2022

9:00am: Communion Service

S.I. Friends & Benefactors of St. Peter Church

Wednesday, June 1, 2022

9:00am: Communion Service

S.I. Friends & Benefactors of St. Peter Church

Thursday, June 2, 2022

9:00am: Communion Service

S.I. Friends & Benefactors of St. Peter Church

Friday, June 3, 2022

9:00am: Communion Service

S.I. Friends & Benefactors of St. Peter Parish

Saturday, June 4, 2022

5:30pm:

Sunday, June 5, 2022 Pentecost

8:30am: +Nicolas Warque by Maria Reinstein

11:00am: +Mirko Gras by Joanne & Sal Barone

This week in our parish:

Monday, May 30, 2022 Memorial Day

Communion Service 9:00am

Office closed for the Holiday

Tuesday, May 31, 2022

Communion Service 9:00am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

9:30-10:30am in Church

Wednesday, June 1, 2022

Communion Service 9:00am

Food Bank open 9:30-11:30am

Thursday, June 2, 2022

Communion Service 9:00am

Friday, June 3, 2022

Communion Service 9:00am

Centering Prayer 4:00-5:30 in Church

Saturday, June 4, 2022

5:30pm Vigil Mass

Sunday June 5, 2022 Pentecost

8:30am Mass

11:00am Baccalaureate Mass

**Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament is held after daily Mass on
Tuesdays until May 31 from
9:30-10:30 in the church**

**Adoration
of the
Blessed Sacrament**





Thank You
FOR SHARING YOUR TIME,
TALENT AND TREASURE

Collections:

Donations received:

May 21/22:

1st collection: \$2,856.00

2nd Collection: \$1,031.00 (Rebuild)

Weekly Direct Debit: \$695.00

**Once monthly Direct Debit for May:
\$3,025.00**

Direct Debit Rebuild for May: \$605.00

Thank you to those of you who regularly mail your donations to us, and **Thank you** to those of you who elected to increase or 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.

St. Peter Catholic Church Website

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's!

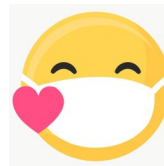
You can also donate to our Rebuild Fund on the website now!

Pray For Those Who Are Sick:

We ask your prayers for Parishioners and friends:
Guenther Glatt, Rachel Miles, Bill Carver, Lani Dugger, John Mescal, John Snyder, Javier Herrera, Ann Fisher, 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 Lance Hill, Randy Reinhart, Patrick Mescal, Mickey McEnaney, Fr. Peter Scott, Maria Wirshing, Ruth Fidler, Kaylee Mescal, Nita Bigelow, Olga Nunez, Chad Barnick, Br. Bud Luks, Dolores Gibson, Sarah Peteck, John Spencer, Cornelia Meyers, Colleen Burns, Ted Kruzel, Larry Dorry, Fr. Darin Roberts, Katie Rocha, Pat DiBonaventura, Bonita Boski, Jim Thompson, Eliseo Pombo, Carmella Russo, Nathaniel Burgess, Penny Holum, Scott Bush, Sean Piniero, Larry Johnson, Lynda Haring, Elaine & Stewart Caplin. Deacon Bill Rich.

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.

The Archdiocese has informed us that masks are now optional inside the church and hall; and we do not need to socially distance any longer.



Grief Support

If you are dealing with the loss of a loved one, grief support is available.

Contact Mary Quirk at 305-849-1879, or through the church office at 305-872-2537.



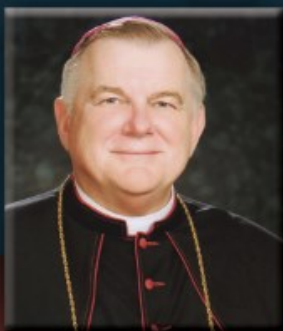
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Honoring Faith and Traditions

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MEMORIAL DAY MASS



Archbishop Thomas G. Wenski

Will celebrate the Memorial Day Mass
on Monday, May 30th, at 10:00 am
at Our Lady Queen of Heaven Cemetery
1500 S. State Road 7
North Lauderdale, FL 33068
Phone: (954) 972-1234



Auxiliary Bishop Enrique Delgado

Will celebrate the Memorial Day Mass
on Monday, May 30th, at 10:00 am
at Our Lady of Mercy Cemetery
11411 N.W. 25th Street
Miami, FL 33172
Phone: (305) 592-0521

Our Second Collection June 4-5th



ARCHDIOCESE OF MIAMI

Office of the Archbishop

June 5th, 2022

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Since the Fall of the Berlin Wall and the end of communism in Eastern Europe the Church in the United States has supported the Church in the countries of the former Soviet Bloc through our annual collection for the Church in Eastern Europe.

This collection supports many of the charitable activities of the Church in these countries in addition to helping rebuild Church infrastructure, including parish churches, pastoral centers, seminaries, as well as supporting the resurgence of religious life in these nations.

For example, in Belarus, through the Tabita program, operated by Caritas Belarus, the collection supports and assists people with disabilities with their physical, social, psychological, and spiritual needs.

However, the grave situation in Ukraine has created a world of pain and need that the Church is seeking to address both in Ukraine and in the countries, such as Poland, where many Ukrainian nationals have sought refuge.

Your support of the Collection for the Church in Eastern Europe will go a long way in helping your fellow Catholics to respond to the urgent pastoral and social needs of the Ukrainian people.

Please be generous to the collection. Thank you for your help to restore the Church and build a future of hope in Central and Eastern Europe.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Thomas G. Wenski
Archbishop of Miami

9401 Biscayne Boulevard,
Miami Shores, Florida 33138



We welcome Fr. Dan Martin, who will be filling in for Fr. Jets who will be visiting his family in the Philippines.

Fr. Dan will be here June 4-26.

Father Daniel Martin

Born in Miami to Indian immigrants, raised in Coral Springs, a graduate of St. Andrew School there and St. Thomas Aquinas High School in Fort Lauderdale.

Graduated from Fordham University with a bachelor's degree in philosophy.

Earned a pre-theology certificate from St. John Vianney College Seminary and a Master of Divinity from St. Vincent de Paul Seminary in Boynton Beach.

Ordained for the Archdiocese of Miami in May 2013; now a lecturer in philosophy at St. John Vianney College Seminary while finishing a doctoral degree at The Catholic University of America.



Thank you on behalf of the Missions for saving cancelled stamps, eyeglasses, tabs from pop top cans and rosaries—broken or whole. Donna Dye, a parishioner, Sacristan and Eucharistic Minister, will see that they get where they are most needed.

We are temporarily suspending collection of pill bottles—we will ask for them again in the future. Thank You!



MEMORIAL DAY

REMEMBER & HONOR



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.



Congratulations to our newest Lector, Louis Rosasco. Fr. Jets blesses him as his father (also a Lector) and his brother Matthew look on.



Prayer for Hurricane Season:

O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children.
The Sea of Galilee obeyed Your order and returned to its former quietude.

You are still the Master of land and sea.
We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no control;
the Gulf and the Atlantic
like provoked and angry giants,
can awake from their seeming lethargy,
overstep their conventional boundaries,
invade our land, and spread chaos and disaster .

During this hurricane season, we turn to You,
O loving Father. Spare us from
past tragedies whose memories are
still so vivid and whose wounds seem
to refuse to heal with passing of time.

O Virgin, Star of the Sea, Our beloved Mother,
we ask you to plead with your Son
on our behalf, so that spared from the
calamities common to the area,
and animated with a true spirit of gratitude,
we will walk in the footstep of your Divine
Son to reach the heavenly Jerusalem,
where a stormless eternity awaits us.
Amen.



Pope Francis has called on Catholics worldwide to pray the rosary every day during the month of May for peace. He made a new passionate plea to all sides “to avoid a continual military and verbal escalation” and to “embark on the way of dialogue and peace.”

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.

There are Respect Life prayer cards available in the back of the church.

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“Speak on behalf of the voiceless,
and the rights of all who are
vulnerable.”

-Proverbs 31:8

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Virtus: If seasonal parishioners who are Virtus certified with their “back home” parish are volunteering at St. Peters, they can have their Virtus accounts mirrored with both Dioceses/Churches. This also works in reverse if our full time parishioners want to volunteer in another location. If this pertains to you, email helpdesk@virtus.org or call Virtus National at 1-888-847-8879 and have your account mirrored with the Archdiocese of Miami, St. Peter Church, Big Pine Key.

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



St. Peter Community Food Bank

Wednesdays from 9:30am—11:30am

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

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Your Parish contact person for all things related to the Food Bank is Director,
Mary Quirk: azquirk@gmail.com

305-849-1879



Calling for More Ushers

We are looking for more ushers to serve at Mass. The Usher Ministry will hold trainings. 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 at 305-872-2537 to volunteer.

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 the planners and workers so that 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



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*Gift Certificates can be purchased through the office during office hours,
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other arrangements. (cash or check only)*

*Credit card purchases can be made in the Parish Office during working
hours only.*



Advertise in our Bulletin!

It is time to renew our existing Bulletin advertisers and sign-up new ones.

Dear Parishioners,

Are you interested in advertising your business and promoting your company with a trusted resource that Parish families use every day?

Your Ad will include:

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Your advertisement supports the in-parish office publication of our weekly bulletin. The bulletin is ***the most*** trusted resource that Parishioners use when they need services, targeting a responsible and responsive family market.

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- **A reliable source of referrals or word of mouth advertising**
- **Potential customers will see your business name every week, building awareness**
- **Affordable local, targeted community advertising**
- **Shows your support for your community, in turn parishioners will support you**
- **Your business seen as a trusted source by parish families**
- **Church bulletin advertising is a key component to an effective marketing strategy**
- **97% of Catholic Church bulletins taken home every single week**
- **85% of church bulletins are kept and referred to during the week keeping your name and phone number right at hand.**

If you would like to participate, now is a wonderful time to do so!
Contact Nancy McCrosson in the Parish Office M-F 9:30am-3:30pm at 305-872-2537 or email nancy@stpeterbpk.org

Thank you!



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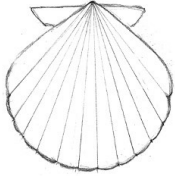
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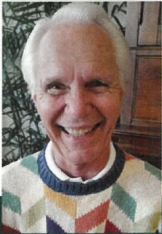
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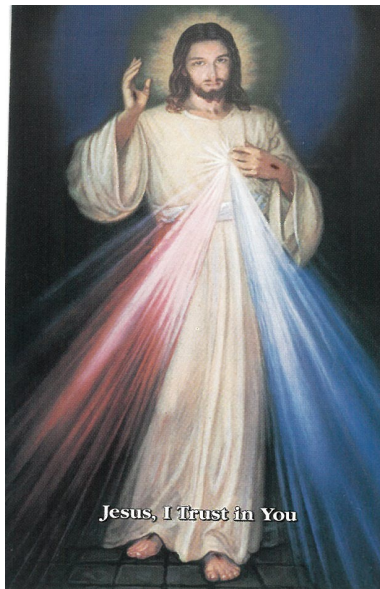
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Gary Beaton



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