

St. Peter the Fisherman Catholic Church

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

www.stpeterbpk.org

JULY 24, 2022

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PARISH STAFF:

Pastor:

Rev. Fr. Jesus "Jets" Medina

Property Manager/Bookkeeper:

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nancy@stpeterbpk.org

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MASSES:

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

Daily Masses: 9am Mon-Fri.

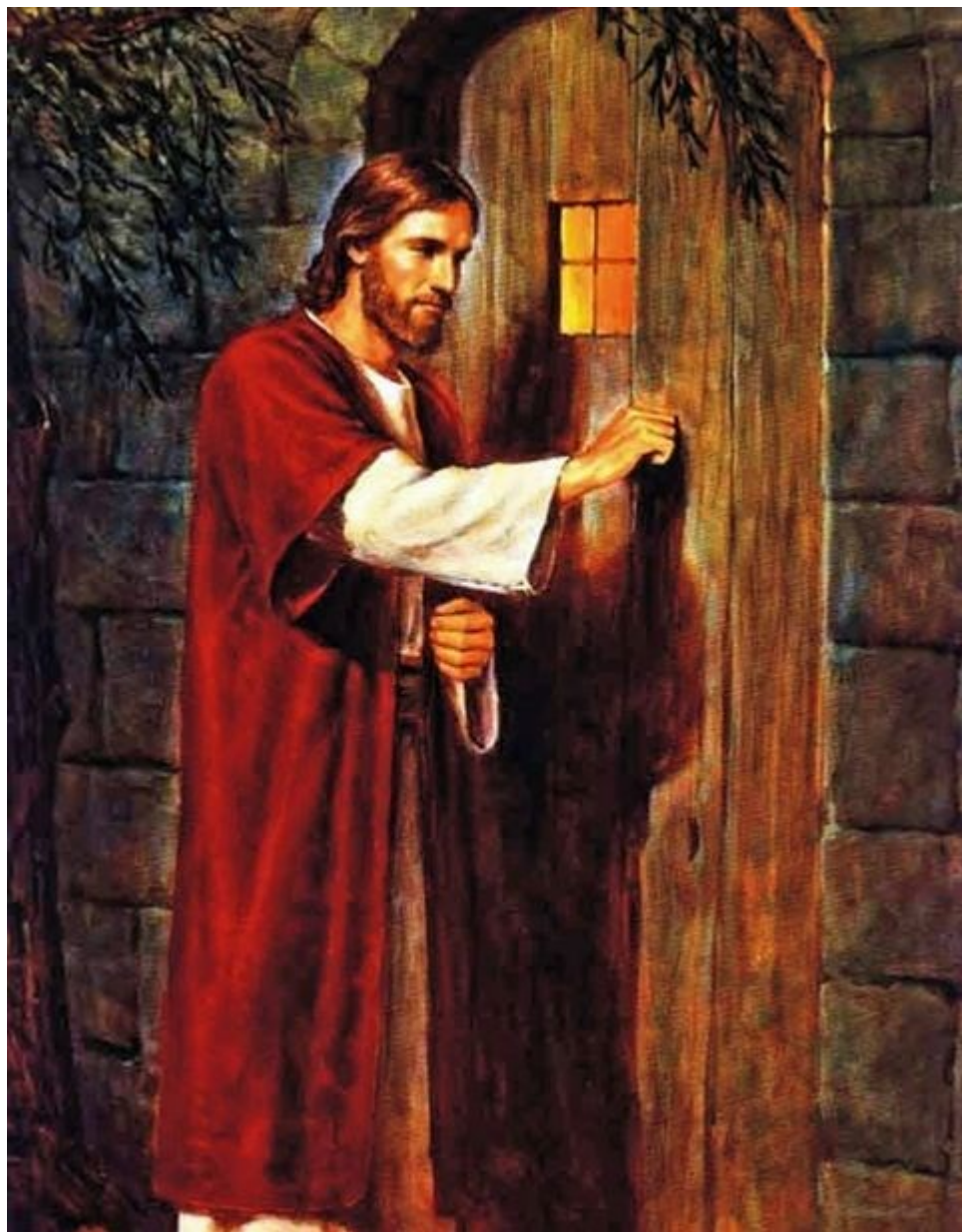
HOLY DAYS: Vigil Mass 6 pm
Holy Day Mass 9 am

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, July 23, 2022

5:30pm: +Jim Burns by Cindy & Jack Campbell
All Grandparents and Elderly in our Parish Family

Sunday, July 24, 2022

8:30am: +Peggy Cassidy
by Nancy & Chuck McCrosson
All Grandparents and Elderly in our Parish Family
11:00am: S.I. David & Karen Muther by Fr. Jets
All Grandparents and Elderly on our Parish Family

Monday, July 25, 2022

9:00am: +Jerry Bauer by Richard DiBonaventura

Tuesday, July 26, 2022

9:00am: Mr. & Mrs. Harold Ebel
by Richard DiBonaventura

Wednesday, July 27, 2022

9:00am: +Jimmy Lynch by Margaret Burns

Thursday, July 28, 2022

9:00am: S.I. Robin Austin (Birthday)
by John & Pauline Snyder

Friday, July 29, 2022

9:00am: Communion Service
Friends & Benefactors of St. Peter Church

Saturday, July 30, 2022

5:30pm In Thanksgiving: the Warque, Reinstein
Tabada, Novak, Caranco & Kunin Families

Sunday, July 31, 2022

8:30am: +Eileen Walters by Ariceli Mohn
11:00am: +Roel Davila by Rosalinda Hally

This week in our parish:

Monday, July 25, 2022

9:00am Mass

Tuesday, July 26, 2022

9:00am Mass

Wednesday, July 27, 2022

9:00am Mass

Food Bank open 9:30-11:30am

Thursday, July 28, 2022

9:00am Mass

Friday, July 29, 2022

9:00am Communion Service

Centering Prayer 4:00-5:30 in Church

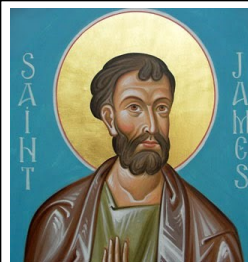
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5:30pm Vigil Mass

Sunday July 31, 2022

8:30am Mass

11:00am Mass



St. James, the Apostle, July 25

St. James the Greater was one of the first apostles called by Jesus. At the time, James and his younger brother, John, were in a boat mending their fishing nets. They responded without

hesitation and were inseparable throughout Jesus' ministry.

The Gospels make it clear that James and John were, with Peter, the most trusted of Jesus' disciples. On certain occasions, Jesus called only Peter, James and John to accompany him. James was with Jesus at the Transfiguration, during the Agony in the Garden, and in the house of Jarius when Jesus raised Jarius' daughter to life. James was also the first apostle to shed his blood for Christ. He was martyred in A.D. 44 in Jerusalem.



Thank You
FOR SHARING YOUR TIME,
TALENT AND TREASURE

Collections:

Donations received:

July 16/17:

1st Collection: \$2,805.00

**2nd Collection: \$ 788.00
(Rebuilding Fund)**

Weekly Direct Debit: \$695.00

**Once monthly blue Building Fund
envelopes for July \$685.00**

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!



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.stpeterbpc.org>



Click on the Photos tab, or follow us on Facebook to look at the photos taken at recent events at St. Peter's!

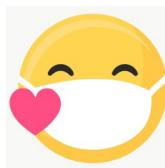
You can also donate to our Rebuild Fund on the website now!

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. Michael Courterier, Deacon Bill Rich, Fr. Paul Milanowski.

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.

We are looking for someone to trim palms and pull weeds on church property. Please help us to keep our church grounds beautiful!

Call the office
if you would like to volunteer.



July Wedding
Anniversary
Blessings



Prayer for Hurricane Season:

**Father, all the elements of
nature obey your commands.**

**Protect us, and all your people
during this season of storms
and hurricanes.**

**Calm our fears, and help us to
prepare our hearts
as well as our homes.**

**Help us to see you in all we may
encounter, and help us to
minister to each other
in your name.**

**We ask this through
Christ our Lord.**



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.

Catechists needed!

Help lead our children to Jesus!

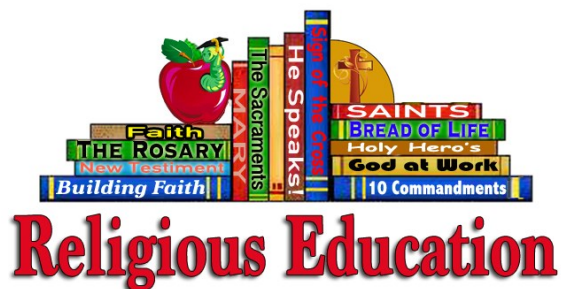


Catechists are needed for grades 4-5 and Grades 6-7

**Assistant Catechists and substitutes
also needed for the 2022-2023 Religious Education school year.**

Catechists are teachers of the Catholic Faith,
and are part of a very important ministry in the Church.

**The Religious Education Program is looking for teachers
who want to learn more about the faith
while teaching the young people of our parish
about Jesus!**



For more information:

Rosalinda Hally 305-942-9975

rosalinda@stpeterbpk.org

Is God calling you to share the Good News of Christ with others?

In the coming weeks, I will share the Top 10 reasons why you should be a Catechist.

10. We are all called to continue to grow in our own faith, and the best way to learn is to teach. When you instruct others, your own understanding increases. If your own faith education ended years ago, the resources and materials you are exposed to as a catechist will surely refresh and expand your own knowledge.

9. Catechists tell the truth. In today's chaotic world, people are searching for what is real and what isn't. Catechists are like the little boy who told the emperor he wasn't wearing any clothes. Catechists speak the truth about God, faith and morals. The world needs the message of the gospel and the way to true happiness; as a Catechist, you offer a hungry world that sustenance.

8. Sharing the faith is an honor. It's estimated that fewer than 1% of Catholics are catechists. If you've been approached to be a catechist, or if you feel the call, you are being asked to do something special for God, for the Church, and for your fellow Catholics.

7. Your own faith will come alive. By acting on what you believe, you become a participant in building up God's kingdom. After all, Jesus told us not to put our light under a bushel basket, and that means not hiding it behind a missalette either. As a catechist, you will discover that prayer, liturgy, and your own relationship with God will become more vibrant and meaningful.

6. You will become an active part of the most active part of your parish. One criticism of Catholic churches is that they don't offer as much "fellowship" as some others. When you join the catechists in your parish, you enter a community that will support you on your faith journey, pray for and with you, and encourage you in your Catholic way of life.

Source: OSV/Woodeene Koenig-Bricker

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Virtus: (Protecting God's Children and Vulnerable Adults)

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

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

We have \$25.00 Gift Certificates for:



Kiki's Sandbar



Square Grouper Bar & Grill



Milagro Restaurant & Bar

Milagro 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)

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

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.**

PRAYER FOR GRANDPARENTS

Lord Jesus,
you were born of the Virgin Mary,
the daughter of Saints Joachim and Anne.
Look with love on grandparents the world over.
Protect them! They are a source of enrichment
for families, for the Church and for all of society.
Support them! As they grow older,
may they continue to be for their families
strong pillars of Gospel faith,
guardians of noble domestic ideals,
living treasures of sound religious traditions.
Make them teachers of wisdom and courage,
that they may pass on to future generations the fruits
of their mature human and spiritual experience.

Lord Jesus,
help families and society
to value the presence and role of grandparents.
May they never be ignored or excluded,
but always encounter respect and love.
Help them to live serenely and to feel welcomed
in all the years of life which you give them.
Mary, Mother of all the living,
keep grandparents constantly in your care,
accompany them on their earthly pilgrimage,
and by your prayers, grant that all families
may one day be reunited in our heavenly homeland,
where you await all humanity
for the great embrace of life without end. Amen!



World Day
for Grandparents
and the Elderly
2022

24th JULY
2022

This Sunday, July 24th, the 2nd World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly will be celebrated throughout the universal Church. The theme chosen by Pope Francis for the occasion is **“In old age they will still bear fruit.”** (Psalm 92:15) and intends to emphasize how grandparents and the elderly are a value and a gift both for society and for parish communities.

This Sunday, plan to bring your grandparents, if they live here, and elderly friends to church, and Father Jets will give them a special blessing.

Also, please write the names of grandparents and the elderly who you would like to be remembered next weekend in the Blue Book of Intentions at the entrance to the church.

The logo created is meant to resemble a hug—grandparents and the elderly represented by dark blue for depth, confidence and tranquility. The green represents youth, clarity and freshness.



St. Peter Community Food Bank

Wednesdays from 9:30am—11:30am

Most needed items are canned goods e.g. tuna & chicken, Vienna sausage, hearty soups, canned meats—Chef Boyardee products, (flip top cans appreciated), canned vegetables and 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,
Mary Quirk: azquirk@gmail.com

305-849-1879

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

Calling for More Ushers

We are looking for more ushers to serve at Mass. Training will be provided. 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.





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:

Full size business card spot. A digital business ad displayed on the Parishes Online – www.stpeterbpk.org with a direct link to your website.

An annual price of \$600.00 per calendar year.

Not a “Business Owner”? As a parishioner, support this vital church fundraiser, become a **“Friend of St. Peter Church,”** buy an annual full size business card square displaying your family name.

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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- You have a captive audience - your church Community
- 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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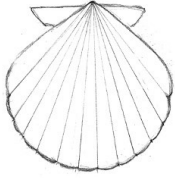
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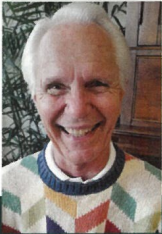
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