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# OCTOBER 23, 2022 30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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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



# **"YOU SHALL BE MY WITNESSES"** "PARA QUE SEAN MIS TESTIGOS"

#### THE SOCIETY FOR THE PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH | A PONTIFICAL MISSION SOCIETY

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#### ONE SUNDAY FOR THE WHOLE WORLD

On this World Mission Sunday, Pope Francis reminds us of our baptismal call to be Christ's Church on mission in the world. Today we respond to that call, through our prayers and personal sacrifices for our brothers and sisters in the missions.

#### **UN DOMINGO PARA EL MUNDO ENTERO**

En este Domingo Mundial de las Misiones, el Papa Francisco no recuerda de nuestro llamado bautismal a ser testigos de Cristo en misión en el mundo. Hoy respondemos a ese llamado, a través de nuestras oraciones y sacrificios personales por nuestros hermanos y hermanas en las Misiones.

OCTOBER 23, 2022 PRAY AND GIVE GENEROUSLY | ORAR Y DAR GENEROSAMENTE

# 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, October 22, 2022

5:30pm: +Anita Ciesluk by Richard DiBonaventura
Sunday, October 23, 2022
8:30am: + Victoria Brisson Crouthamel by Jenifer Kearney
+ 11:00am: +Barbara Dickenson by Carol Schulz

Monday, October 24, 2022 9:00am: S.I. Lynda Haring by the Centering Prayer Group

Tuesday, October 25, 2022 9:00am: S.I. Living & Deceased Members of the Gamuza Family by Margaret Burns

Wednesday, October 26, 2022 9:00am: +Theresa Santor by Rita Orzel

Thursday, October 27, 2022 9:00am: +Barbara Dickenson by Carol Schulz

Friday, October 28, 2022

9:00am Communion Service
S.I. Friends and Benefactors of St. Peter Parish
Saturday, October 29, 2022
5:30pm: +Roger & Betty Lederer by the Beale Family
Sunday, October 30, 2022

8:30am: +Mrs. Louella Jean Paul by Nancy & Chuck McCrosson 11:00am: +Mrs Louella Jean Paul

by Charles & Susan Smith

Monday, October 31, 2022

9:00am Mass

6:00pm Vigil Mass for the Holy Day

**Tuesday, November 1 All Saints Day** 9:00am Mass (Holy Day of Obligation)

Pope Francis' Monthly Intention for October 2022: A Church Open to Everyone:

"We pray for the Church; ever faithful to, and courageous in preaching the Gospel, may the Church be a community of solidarity, fraternity and welcome, always living in an atmosphere of synodality.

# This week in our parish:

# Pumpkin Patch open every day 10am-Dusk

Monday, October 24, 2022 9:00am Mass

Tuesday, October 25 2022 9:00am Mass

Wednesday, October 26, 2022 9:00am Mass Food Bank open 9:30-11:30am

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Centering Prayer 4:00-5:30 in Church

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Sunday October 30, 2022

Pumpkin Patch 9:30-Dusk

CCD Classes 9:45-10:45 am –Ministry Center

8:30am Mass , 11:00 Mass

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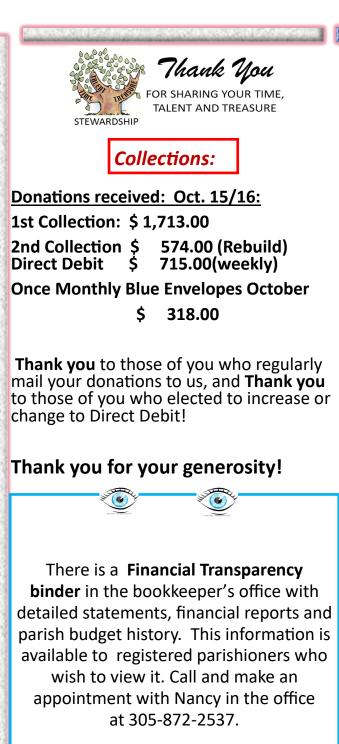
We now have a Christian Book Exchange!!



TAKE A BOOK

Browse the books <u>on</u> the table in the back of church. Take a book and keep it as long as you need. Return the book to the table. <u>GIVE A BOOK</u>

Donate a <u>Christian</u> book to the exchange by putting it into the basket <u>under</u> the table. We would like to review it before putting it on the table. Thank you for your generosity.



#### St. Peter Catholic Church Website

St. Peter Church website at <a href="http://www.stpeterbpk.org">http://www.stpeterbpk.org</a>

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 Rebuilding 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, 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, Br. Bud Luks, Dolores Gibson, Sarah Peteck, John Spencer, Cornelia Meyers, Colleen Burns, Ted Kruzel, Larry Dorry, Fr. Darin Roberts, Katie Rocha, 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, Terry Seymour, Roxanne Brown, Terri Roman, Brenda Haskins' mother.

<u>Today is World Mission Sunday</u>. We celebrate this day by remembering our baptismal call to bring the Gospel to all! The collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith supports the work and witness of the mission church as it provides for priests, religious and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities. **Thank you for your generosity!** 

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.

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.

# **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.

# Hurricane Ian Relief:

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Miami is seeking your support to provide essential resources and immediate relief efforts to Florida's west coast after Hurricane Ian. They are now accepting financial donations through www.ccadm.org. 100% of your donation will be used for Hurricane Ian relief efforts.

If you prefer, you may make your donation at our St. Peter office during business hours (9:30am-3:30pm Mon.-Fri.) or put it in the collection at Mass— check or cash only. Please make checks payable to St. Peter Church and put Hurricane Ian on the memo line. The deadline to submit donations to the office is October 30. These monies will be given directly to Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Venice, Florida.

Thank you for your generosity!

#### 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 always 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!



# St. Peter Community Food Bank

#### Wednesdays from 9:30am-11:30am

An update on your Food Bank Activity:

Normally summer is a slow time for us, but we are maintaining our winter number of clients. We continue to help 60-70 people each week. We find our needs now include personal care items—-laundry detergent, shampoo, hand soap, body wash, bug spray, etc. The Dollar Stores are a great resource for these items affordable and in smaller sizes. Other needed items are canned goods e.g. tuna & chicken, Vienna sausage, hearty soups, canned meats—Chef Boyardee products, (flip top cans appreciated), canned vegetables, boxed milk, 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 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. Amen.

# FARMERS MARKET



# EVERY FRIDAY ST. PETER CHURCH

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**{305}872-2537 For vendor info call Nancy** WWW.STPETERBPK.ORG





HELP US SPREAD THE WORD!



<u>Vendor Spot Pricing</u>: 10x10 Off-Season \$30.00 per spot. 10x10 Thanksgiving-Easter \$40.00 per spot. (More than one spot may be purchased) You can support the Youth Group Pumpkin Patch in ways other than buying a pumpkin:

If you have Halloween Decorations in good shape you could donate...

We need cases of water.....

We would appreciate any cash donations envelopes are in the back of the church.

# BIG PINE KEY

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WE'RE BACK!!! October 1st – October 31<sup>st</sup>

Monday to Saturday 10am – Dusk Sundays 9:30 – Dusk The Pumpkin Patch needs Baked Goods to sell . Please drop off your baked donations at the Patch Saturday or Sunday mornings. Thank You!!

Proceeds to benefit St. Peter's Youth Group

Can you volunteer to Patch Sit or read to children? The sign up sheet is in the back of the church or call Sheila at 305-340-7902.

# October is Respect Life Month:

# Prayer for Life and the Dignity of the Human Person

God of all life,

Help us to appreciate the great gift that is human life formed in your image, a reflection of your holiness.

Help us to recognize you in all whom you have created: children not yet born, families affected by poverty and war, people of different abilities, people from other lands, and all who are victims of hatred and racism.

Help us to bear witness to the dignity of all whom you have created, regardless of stage of life, or wealth,

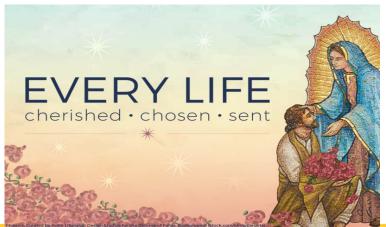
or ability,

or color, or creed,

for every person is fully equal in your loving eyes.

Share with us your holy knowledge that we are all your children, each bestowed with inherent dignity.

May your justice reign forever! Amen.



#### Calling all Past, Present & Future Altar Servers!!

We want to re-establish our Altar Server Ministry. Parents, please speak with your children to see if they might be interested in serving on the altar. It is such a rewarding experience to celebrate the Mass firsthand! We are looking for those who have received First Communion and are at least in the 3rd grade, but there is no maximum age limit. Parents, you are welcome to participate with your son or daughter, if you like. Please contact the parish office.



Have you remembered the good works of the Church in your will ? A bequest of part of



your estate or for a stated amount of \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, will ensure that the works of the parish will continue after your death. Email us today at <u>spauno-</u> <u>el@theadom.org</u>.

"Every one of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple" Luke 14:33.

Jesus asks us to give up our possessions to be His disciples, a counter-cultural statement in today's society. Is He truly asking us to give up everything? On our continuing journey to make Christian stewardship our way of life, do we let go of possessions that have mastered us, or are we still mastered by them? Perhaps instead, He is trying to help us see that everything we think we own is really a gift from God. Good stewards know that, and strive to use those gifts accountably.

# We look forward to our first Children's Mass of the year, next Sunday, October 30 at 11am

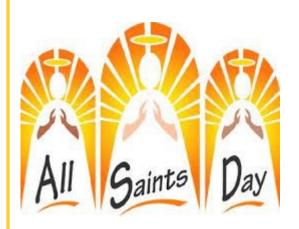
The children will participate in the reading of the prayers of the Faithful. All Religious Education families are encouraged to attend. The children are also learning about the Saints in heaven in their Religious Education classes this week as we prepare to celebrate All Saints Day on Tuesday, November 1st.



Religious Education Classes on Sundays: 9:45-10:45am in the Ministry Center.

# God has graciously provided the teachers for our program. Thanks be to God!

For more information: Rosalinda Hally 305-942-9975 rosalinda@stpeterbpk.org



# November 1 is All Saints Day— A Holy Day of Obligation

The Vigil Mass will be October 31 at 6pm

You are welcome to come to Mass in your Halloween costumes!

The Holy Day Mass will be at 9:00am Tuesday, November 1

#### November 2 is All Souls Day

Our All Souls Novena will be from November 2-November 10. If you would like to enroll loved ones in our Novena, please fill out one of the envelopes available in the back of the church and return it by November 1 to the office or in the weekend collection. The envelopes will remain on the altar through November 10th.



#### 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 <u>helpdesk@virtus.org</u> 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: <u>Ellen@stpeterbpk.org</u>

# **Calling for More Ushers**

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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



The photos for special Blessings for Birthdays, Anniversaries and Special Occasions will no longer be in the printed bulletin—-you may access them on Facebook, the on-line bulletin and our website.

We have \$25.00 Gift Certificates for:



## <u>KiKi's Sandbar</u>



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<u>Square Grouper</u> <u>Bar & Grill</u>

<u>Milagro</u> <u>Restaurant & Bar</u>

#### Milagro has relocated

from Big Pine Key to Key West at 1401 Simonton St.

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.

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

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#### **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.

#### **CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING WORKS!**

- 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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**Our Lady** of Guadalupe, Pray for Us. The Hally Family

