

St. Peter the Fisherman Catholic Church

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Big Pine Key, FL 33043



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

www.stpeterbpk.org

OCTOBER 30, 2022

31ST 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.

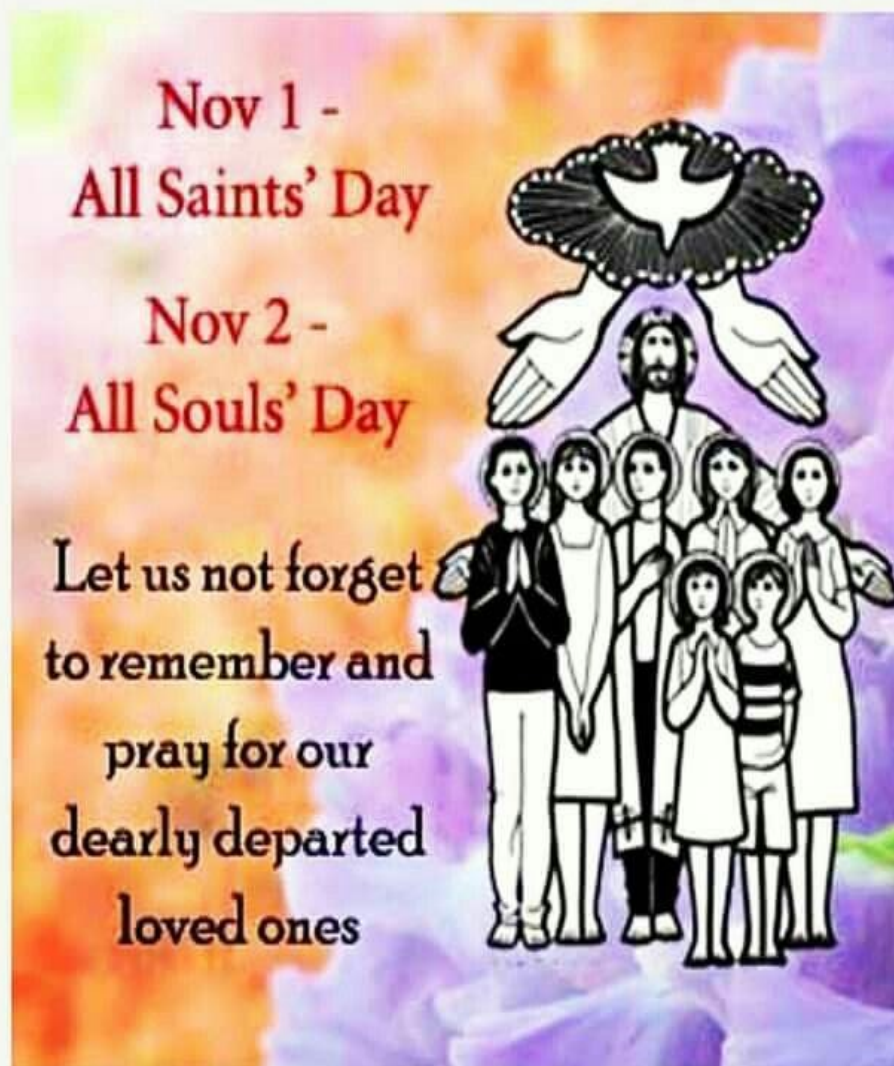
HOLY DAYS: Vigil Mass 6 pm
Holy Day Mass 9 am

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



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 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: S.I. Jerry Oettle by Jim Oettle

6:00pm Vigil Mass for the Holy Day

Tuesday, November 1, 2022 All Saints Day (Holy Day)

9:00am: S.I. Birthdays Sammie & Will Summerlin by
John & Pauline Snyder

S.I. Barbara Piccirillo by John & Pauline Snyder

Wednesday, November 2, 2022

9:00am: All those enrolled in the All Souls Novena

Thursday, November 3, 2022

9:00am: All those enrolled in the All Souls Novena

Friday, November 4, 2022

9:00am Communion Service or Mass
All those enrolled in the All Souls Novena

Saturday, November 5, 2022

5:30pm: All those enrolled in the All Souls Novena

Sunday, November 6, 2022

8:30am: All those enrolled in the All Souls Novena

11:00am: All those enrolled in the All Souls Novena

Pope Francis' Monthly Intention for November 2022: Children who Suffer:

"We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection."

This week in our parish:

Monday, October 31, 2022

9:00am Mass

Last Day for the Pumpkin Patch

6pm Vigil Mass for the Holy Day

Tuesday, November 1, 2022 All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation)

9:00am Mass

Wednesday, November 2, 2022 All Souls Day 9 day All Souls Day Novena begins

9:00am Mass

Food Bank open 9:30-11:30am

Thursday, November 3, 2022

9:00am Mass

Friday, November 4, 2022

9:00am Mass

Centering Prayer 4:00-5:30 in Church

Saturday, November 5, 2022

5:30pm Vigil Mass

Sunday November 6, 2022

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

8:30am Mass , 11:00am Mass

We now have a Christian Book Exchange!!



TAKE A BOOK

Browse the books on the table in the back of church. Take a book and keep it as long as you need. Return the book to the table.

GIVE A BOOK

Donate a Christian book to the exchange by putting it into the basket under the table. We would like to review it before putting it on the table.

Thank you for your generosity.



Thank You

FOR SHARING YOUR TIME,
TALENT AND TREASURE

Collections:

Donations received: Oct. 22/23:

1st Collection: \$ 2,649.00

2nd Collection \$ 638.00 (Mission Sun.)

Additional Once Monthly Blue Envelopes

\$ 270.00

Direct Debit \$ 715.00(weekly)

Direct Debit \$2,570.00 (monthly)

**Direct Debit \$ 585.00 (Rebuild
monthly)**

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.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 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, Greg Oarsley, the Paans family and the Pontecrovo family.

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!



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

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!

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.

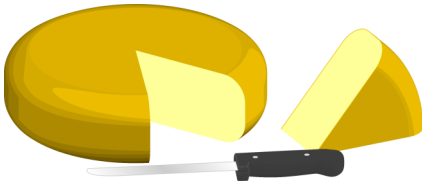
Calm our fears, and help us to prepare our hearts as well as our homes.

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

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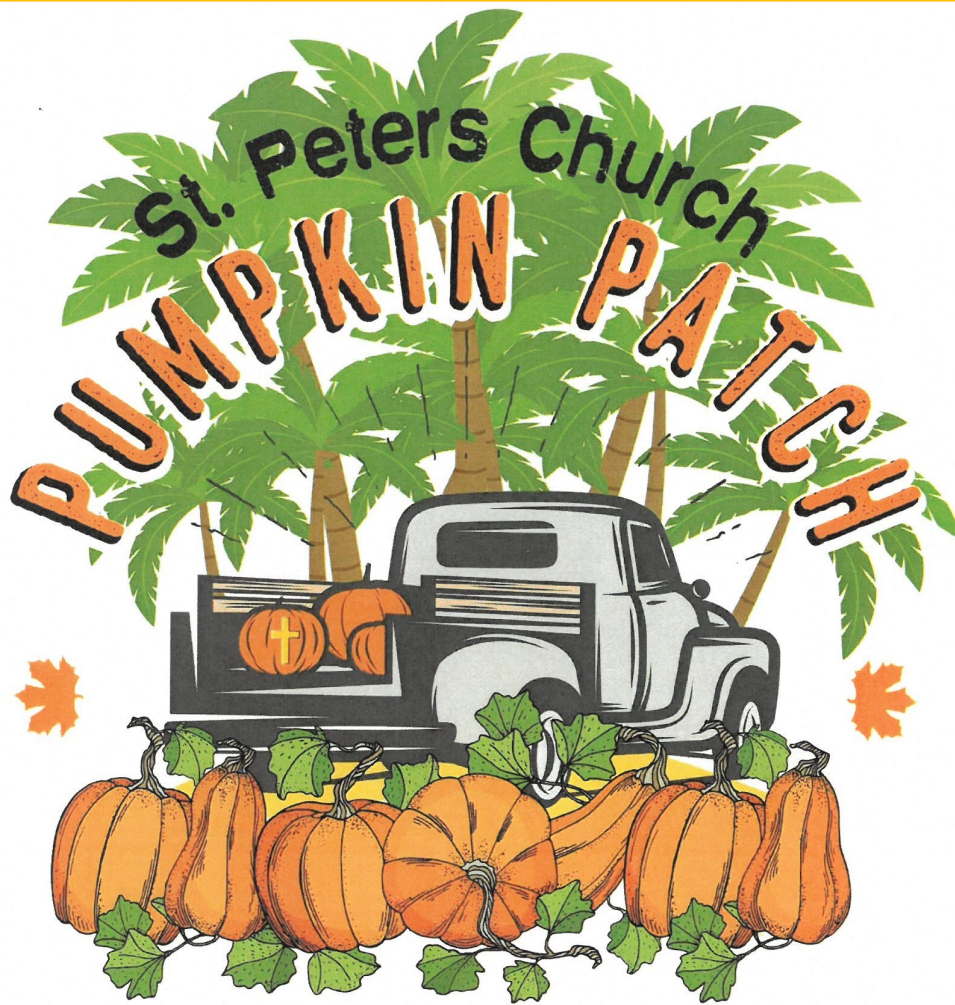


Vendor Spot Pricing:

10x10 Off-Season \$30.00 per spot.

10x10 Thanksgiving-Easter \$40.00 per spot.

(More than one spot may be purchased)



BIG PINE KEY

WE'RE BACK!!!

October 1st – October 31st

Monday to Saturday 10am – Dusk

Sundays 9:30 – Dusk

Proceeds to benefit St. Peter's Youth Group

**Thank you to all who helped unload pumpkins, who purchased pumpkins, helped patch sit, read to children, paint pumpkins , provide baked goods for sale, or helped in any other way.
Thank you, thank you, thank you!!**

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 spauno-el@theadom.org.



“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,
this Sunday, October 30 at 11am**

Mass will be followed by a lunch for the children and their families provided by the Knights of Columbus.

CCD students have been learning about the Saints in all classes. In 4th grade, we talked about St. Therese of Lisieux, "The Little Flower" and St. Francis of Assisi. We also introduced the students to a 15 year old boy who will soon become a saint. His name is Blessed Carlos Acutis.

The 4th grade discussed conscience, and the Golden Rule which tells us to treat others the way we want to be treated.

In Ms. Rowena and Ms. Colleens's class, students learned about the Canonization Process the Church follows to declare a person a saint.

Students were also introduced to Lectio Divina.

We are so grateful for all our Catechists, teachers, and substitute teachers!



Religious Education

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

For more information:

Rosalinda Hally 305-942-9975

rosalinda@stpeterbpbk.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. Peter's, 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

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:



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Milagro Restaurant & Bar

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



Milagro has relocated from Big Pine Key to Key West at 1401 Simon-ton 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.



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?

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

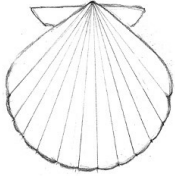


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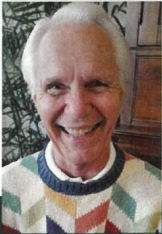
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