



# The Parish of St. Peter Quincy, IL

*Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 8, 2018*

## ~Mass Intentions~

*July 9-15, 2018*

- 9. Monday 8:00 a.m.  
Albert Angerer
- 10. Tuesday 8:00 a.m.  
Christine Wieser
- 11. Wednesday 8:30am  
Bob Siebers
- 12. Thursday 8:00 a.m.  
Zakery Haubrich
- 13. Friday 8:00 a.m.  
Pat Ellerbrock
- 14. Saturday 8:00 a.m.  
John Johnson
- 14. Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Our Parish Family
- 15. Sunday 8:00 a.m.  
Joan McGee
- 15. Sunday 9:30 a.m.  
All The Poor Souls
- 15. Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
Luke Mayfield

## — Mass Schedule —

- Monday-Saturday  
8:00 a.m.
- Wednesday 8:30 a.m.
- Saturday 5:00 p.m.
- Sunday 8:00 a.m.,  
9:30 a.m., & 11:00 a.m.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 7:30-7:50 am  
or 3:30-4:30 pm,  
or by appointment.

### Dear Parishioners,

In the cycle of Ordinary Time, the Church this weekend celebrates the 14th Sunday in this liturgical calendar. This weekend, we want to welcome to our parish Fr. Aaron Kuhn, who is coming to serve our parish as our new parochial vicar. I am asking our parishioners to introduce themselves to him, and make him feel at home with us. After all, one of the pillars of stewardship is hospitality and no better way to show this than to help Fr. Kuhn feel a part of our parish life. As many of you know, he is from Mendon but has some very strong connections to Quincy, attending school at St. John's, graduating from Quincy Notre Dame, and then graduating from Quincy University. As you can see, he has been and is now truly a part of the Quincy experience. Welcome, Fr. Aaron to our parish!

As I was thinking about a homily for this weekend, our second reading from Paul's letter to the Corinthians really stuck with me. Here we have Paul, one of the foundation stones of our Church, admitting freely and honestly that he was dealing with a tremendous flaw in his life. We don't know whether that was some physical ailment, a spiritual temptation, or some other serious malady in his life. All Paul shares in that this was "a thorn in his flesh given to him, an angel of Satan, to beat him, to keep him from being too elated." This thorn in the flesh so bothered him that he tells us "three times I begged the Lord about this, that it might leave me, but He said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.'" As I said this reading has much to say to all of us, and to me personally, Each of us has our own thorns in the flesh that keep us from being too elated in ourselves, perhaps humbling us on the way. Yes, it would be easier for the Lord to remove any of these thorns, but He tell us as He told Paul, "My grace is sufficient." And so we grin and bear these thorns. It is a reminder to us all that these thorns, though reflecting weakness in our human nature, nevertheless are the things that can make us strong. These are difficult words—but they help us remember that God's grace is sufficient and in our weakness and in our thorns, we find that we need God and He makes us strong.

As a preparation, we recently received notice from the Bishop that as a result of the synod held this past year, that the proper order of Sacraments will be restored in our diocese. This means that the celebration of Baptism will be followed with the celebration of Confirmation, followed then by Eucharist. I also presume that Reconciliation will be before Eucharist. So this will mean a total shift in our preparation for the Sacraments. So what is mandated is that from the Spring of 2019 on, second grade children will not be making their First Holy Communion. Beginning in the Fall of 2019, or the spring of 2020, parishes will begin to include third-graders with eighth graders in all celebrations of Confirmation. Third graders at this time will receive their First Eucharist. This practice will continue each year until all children from 4th-7th grade will have received the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist. As I said, this will be quite a transition for the parishes of our diocese. More explanation will follow as we try our best to follow this mandate.

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### Next Meeting

TBA

Meet in the Martha Jane Room

All 7th, 8th, & 9th graders  
& their friends welcome!



Let Me See  
Your Halo

### Saints Alive!

Let Me See Your Halo  
Date TBA at 6:00—7:30pm  
in the Gym

A youth group for 4th, 5th, & 6th grade Parishioners and guests! Have fun with your friends while you learn more about the Saints and your Catholic Faith. Come enjoy these fun evenings in the St. Peter Gym 6:00-7:30 p.m. Wear your Saints Alive Shirt or pick one up that night!

**Rest in Peace**  
*May the soul of*  
**Leanne Schell**  
*sing praises with the Angels in Heaven forever.*

**Baptisms**

**Addison Ann Markey**, daughter of **Richard & Sara (Liesen) Markey**, was made a child of God through the reception of the sacrament of Baptism on Saturday, June 30, 2018. **Lucas Paul Rakers**, son of **Taylor & Lynn (Neisen) Rakers** was made a child of God through the reception of the sacrament of Baptism on Sunday, July 1, 2018.

**Area Events**

**Sunday, July 8:** St. Joseph Ice Cream Social, 4:00pm to close; St. Joseph Church, 1435 E. 1500 St., Quincy. Homemade ice cream, sandwiches, desserts, outdoor games, bingo, indoor/outdoor food.

**Emotion Belly Connection Group (Children's Grief Session)**

For kids ages 5-12 that have experienced the death of someone they love.

When: July 16-19, 10:00-11:30 a.m.  
 Where: St. Peter's Parish Office

Contact: Kathy Harman 222-3155 or Tracy Schlepphorst - edenandherhappy@yahoo.com

**Women's Cursillo #336**

Women's Cursillo #336 will be held July 12-15 at the Franciscan Retreat Center located at 1909 N. 18th Street in Quincy. Cursillo ("Cur see yo") is a three day weekend that introduces people to simple methods for nurturing and growing their relationship with Christ. It provides an experience of living in a Christian community and interaction with other Christians. Please note that non-Catholics are welcome. For more information or to receive an application please call Dwight/Barb Seeley at 217-224-5615 or go to [www.quincycursillo.com](http://www.quincycursillo.com) and "applications".

**It's Time To Sign Up for the Parish Directory Pictures!**

Appointments are filling fast for our new parish directory! Photography sessions are being scheduled for July 10-14 and July 17-21. All parishioners who have their picture taken receive a free 8x10 and a free copy of the directory. Our directory needs each of you to be successful!

You can sign up online at [appt.lifetouch.com](http://appt.lifetouch.com) or call Lyn at 217-316-4590.

**\*\*Save \$5 on your photo order by bringing a non-perishable food item of peanut butter, cereal, pasta, or a pasta sauce. Bring your item to your photo session. Items will be donated to Quincy Catholic Charities or Ladies of Charity.**

Please keep the following in your prayers:

~Kristopher Schrecke	~Elias Erd	
~John Meyer	~Sharon Zehnle	
~Dan Barry	~Jack O'Hara	
~Arlene Lansing	~Lilli Foster	
~Mike Creek	~Isabelle Meyer	
~Betty C. Wiewel	~Joan Russell	
~Kathy Schuckman	~Barbara Rowland	~Steve Hull
~Norma Johnson	~Penny Norton	~Ray Peters
~Lynn Shankland	~Linda Berry	

To have a name added to this list, please call the Parish Office at 222-3155 or email [church@cospq.org](mailto:church@cospq.org).

**CD of the Week**

Check out the assorted selection of CDs for any time of the year. They are located in the Narthex in the CD rack.

[www.lighthousecatholicmedia.org](http://www.lighthousecatholicmedia.org) promo code 104597

**Adoration Chapel Hours**

These are the available hours in the Adoration Chapel: Monday Midnight-1:00am (3,4,5), 3:00-4:00am (1,2), 11:00pm-Midnight (1,3,5), Tuesday 1:00-2:00am (alt. weeks) and 2:00-3:00am (1,2,4,5), Saturday 2:00-3:00am, Noon-1:00pm, 5:00-6:00pm (1,4) and Sunday 1:00-2:00am (6/3-10/28) and 2:00-3:00am. Please call Mary at 653-3127 or Gina at 257-9966. Chapel # is 214-0132.

**Find Peace through God's Healing Touch**

Pope Francis says, "God is always waiting for you." If you or someone you love is grieving the loss of a child or children to abortion, come and experience the healing mercy of Jesus Christ on our weekend retreat. For information about the next Rachel's Vineyard retreat contact Donna at [projectrachel@dio.org](mailto:projectrachel@dio.org), call 217-321-1161, or go to: [www.dio.org/plasm/project-rachel.html](http://www.dio.org/plasm/project-rachel.html) Scholarships are available.

**QND Soccer Camp**

The Quincy Notre Dame boys' soccer team will host its annual elementary soccer camp July 23rd-26th from 6:30-8:00 PM at QND. The camp is for boys entering grades K-6. Cost is \$30. Registration forms are available on the QND website ([www.quincynotredame.org](http://www.quincynotredame.org)) or beginning at 5:45 PM on July 23rd. Bring a ball and water. For more information, call Julie Whittaker at 440-3824 or K. J. Whittaker at 440-3516.

**Advanced Physical Therapy Free Sports Physicals**

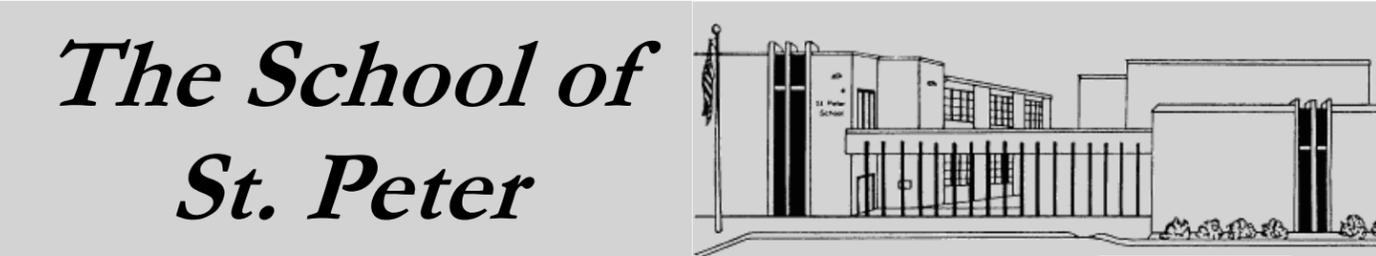
Advance Physical Therapy will be having their free sports physicals on July 17th, 2018 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm. The physicals are for all CYO, QND, QHS and any other school sport physical. The only athletes not included are 6th and 9th graders due to requirements with immunization. The physicals are free, but an appointment must be made by calling 217-222-9300. The physicals are located at 927 Broadway Suite 100 Advance location (Blessing Physician service building).

**Free High School Sports Physicals at QMG**

When: Tuesday, July 24<sup>th</sup> - start time 6pm  
 Where: 1118 Hampshire Building  
 Cost: FREE!!! Please bring forms with you if you have them.  
 Call 222-6550 x 3282 for appointment time.

**Summer Bible Study at Blessed Sacrament**

Come join us for "Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible", being offered on Sunday evenings beginning on Sun., June 24, 6:00-7:30 pm, in the Gathering Space of Blessed Sacrament Church. In this 8-part study, Jeff Cavins helps us uncover the story woven throughout Scripture so that we can get the "big picture" of the Bible. It will help us to discover the remarkable connections between the Old and New Testaments and see how the sacraments, the Church and our entire Catholic Faith are rooted in Scripture and reveal God's unfailing love for us. Cost for the study materials is \$15. Register by Mon., June 18, by calling the Parish Office, 222-2759, Ann Gage, 257-4392, or e-mail [agage1948@yahoo.com](mailto:agage1948@yahoo.com).



*Week of July 8, 2018*  
**A Message from Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh**  
 "St. Peter School provides a quality education built on Catholic values and teachings."

**ST. PETER SCHOOL NEEDS YOUR HELP!**

On Friday, July 20th from 4:00-8:00 p.m. we will be receiving a shipment of mulch for our playground. We are in need of people to help with raking the mulch. Please consider helping by bringing your rake with you. Please contact our school advisory board president, Tim Weis, with any questions ([timweis847@gmail.com](mailto:timweis847@gmail.com)). Thank you in advance for helping with this project so that our playground is in great shape for the start of the school year.



**DID YOU KNOW??**

St. Peter School received a \$1000 grant from the Richard B. and Mary Jane Neu Family Fund through the Community Foundation. We are extremely grateful for their generosity.

**A Protecting God's Children Training session** is scheduled at Blessed Sacrament Parish. All parents are required to take this one time training. If you haven't completed this yet please take advantage of the following opportunity: **Monday, August 6** from 6-9pm The session will be held in the Leo Amen room (cafeteria) of Blessed Sacrament School, 1117 South 7th. Please call 217-222-2759 parish office to register.

**ST. PETER SCHOOL CAFETERIA OPENING**

St. Peter School is currently looking for a part time cafeteria helper/monitor. Hours take place during the school year Monday-Friday from 10:00-1:00. If interested contact Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh by emailing your resume to [c.venvertloh@cospq.org](mailto:c.venvertloh@cospq.org) or mailing to 2500 Maine St., Quincy, IL, 62301.

**ST. PETER SCHOOL READING RECOVERY POSITION**

St. Peter School is looking to fill a Reading Recovery position. Applicants must be certified/trained in Reading Recovery. If interested send resumes to [c.venvertloh@cospq.org](mailto:c.venvertloh@cospq.org) or mail to 2500 Maine St., Quincy, IL 62301.

**ST. FRANCIS SCHOOL TEACHER OPENINGS:**

For the 2018-2019 school year, St. Francis Solanus is seeking applicants for two available positions; a 6-8<sup>th</sup> grade English teacher and a 3<sup>rd</sup> grade elementary teacher. Applicants must have current Illinois certification. Resumes and inquiries may be sent to Lori Shepard, Principal, St. Francis Solanus School, 1720 College Avenue, Quincy, IL 62301 or [lshepard@stfrancissolanus.com](mailto:lshepard@stfrancissolanus.com).

**ST. PETER PATRIOTS QUINCY, IL**



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**SCHOOL OFFICE SUMMER HOURS**

Wed., July 11: 9 a.m.-1 p.m.  
 Wed., July 18: 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Did you know that you can order St. Peter School apparel online? Our Spirit Day shirts and sweat-shirts with the Spirit Day logo will only be available through this sight so please be sure to place your order for the upcoming school year. Students will be able to wear the polo shirts as part of the dress code. You will find that the logo is one that is embroidered on the shirts, hats, etc. We encourage both parents and students to place orders if you are able so that you can wear your shirt with pride. Place your order by going to your following site: <https://store.landmarxwear.com/sites/patriots> **ORDERS are DUE no later than August 5th.** Orders are scheduled to be picked up from the gym on Aug. 16. **Times will be determined.**

**School of St. Peter**  
**2500 Maine Street**  
**Quincy, IL 62301**  
**Phone: 217-223-1120**  
 Website: [www.stpeterschool.com](http://www.stpeterschool.com)  
 Email: [c.venvertloh@cospq.org](mailto:c.venvertloh@cospq.org)

**Mark Your Calendar**

**Mon. July 9:**

**Tues. July 10:** Novena 8:30 a.m., Church  
Ladies Cursillo 7:30 p.m., Fr. Bauer Prayer Room  
Lifetouch Parish Directory Pictures, Cafeteria

**Wed. July 11:** Ladies Cursillo 7:00 p.m., Fr. Bauer Prayer Room  
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**Thurs. July 12:**  
Lifetouch Parish Directory Pictures, Cafeteria

**Fri. July 13:**  
Lifetouch Parish Directory Pictures, Cafeteria

**Sat. July 14:** Rosary 7:30 a.m., Church  
Lifetouch Parish Directory Pictures, Cafeteria

**Sun. July 15:**

—*Mass Servers*—

**Weekday Masses, July 9-14:**  
8:00 a.m. Chandler Cain, Sydney Entrup

**Saturday Mass, July 14:**  
5:00 p.m. Jack Brenner, Blake Bunch

**Sunday Masses, July 15:**  
8:00 a.m. Payton Mock, Madelyn & Eva Dickerman  
9:30 a.m. Chandler Cain, Mia Robnett  
11:00 a.m. Monteyne Family

—*Daily Mass Ministry Schedule*—

**July 9-14:**  
**Lector:** Mary Brahler  
**EMHC:**  
John Ley, Kathy Harman

**Fr. Leo's column continued**

Fr. Delix Michel, pastor of our sister parishes in Haiti, will be arriving this week for a brief visit. Its always nice to have him with us as he gives us an accounting of our funds that are being used for his parishes. May each of us continue to support our brothers and sisters who are most in need.

Two things that are very important: first, have you signed up for your pictures for the parish pictorial directory? This is very important as I rely on pictures to help my memory of who people are. Its been seven years since our last one and people have changed—either by moving or dying. So the last one is now outdated and served its purpose. Second, we need you to pick up your envelopes in the narthex for our annual parish picnic on Saturday, August 25th. Your willingness to do that indicates your commitment to this parish family. Thanks for doing both of these items.

**ON THE LIGHTER SIDE:** A man was driving to work when a truck ran a stop sign, hit his car broadside, and knocked him cold. Passersby pulled him from the wreck and gave him CPR. He began to thrash terribly and had to be tranquilized by the medics.

Later, when he was calm, they asked him why he struggled so. He said, "I remember the impact, then nothing. I woke up on a concrete slab in front of huge flashing SHELL sign...only somebody was standing in front of the S."

Church bulletins: The pastor spoke briefly, much to the delight of his audience.

*Magr. Leo J. Eulow*

WEEKLY COLLECTION											
	July 1	Total to Date									
Loose Collections	\$960.51	\$960.51									
Weekly Envelopes	\$23,345.30	\$23,345.30									
Annual School Fund	\$10,246.00	\$10,246.00									
Holy Days											
Totals	\$34,551.81	\$34,551.81									
Total Budget Goal	\$32,000.00	\$32,000.00									
Difference	\$2,551.81	\$2,551.81									
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<p>291 Parishioners have contributed as of 5/23/18</p>											

# Parish in Action

## Summer Choir, A Great Fit For All Singers!

Have you thought about joining the music ministry, but are worried about rehearsal time and scheduling? Summer Choir is made for you! Summer Choir is comprised of choristers from our St. Peter Chorale, college students home for the summer, and those who might like to try out singing in an ensemble at Mass. We sing alternating Saturdays (5:00 p.m.) and Sundays (9:30 p.m.), no rehearsal, just a warm-up 1/2 hour prior to each Mass. Bring your school age child (grade 4 and up) to sing with you! Contact Monica Scholz for the schedule and to sign up, m.scholz@cospq.org.



## Fr. Tolton Processions & Evening Prayer

Sunday, July 8, 2018: 4:00 p.m. beginning of the procession from St. Peter School, 4:30 p.m. evening prayer at the grave at St Peter's Cemetery to commemorate the 121st anniversary of Fr. Tolton's death.

The pilgrimage procession will head east on the south side of Maine and then head north along S. 33rd street. The procession will enter the cemetery between Midas and the cinema. Chairs and bottle water will be provided at the grave. Those unable to take part in the procession may meet at the cemetery at 4:30 p.m. Because of the small size of the cemetery, please do not park at the cemetery itself, but instead somewhere nearby.

## Find Peace through God's Healing Touch

Pope Francis says, "God is always waiting for you." If you or someone you love is grieving the loss of a child or children to abortion, come and experience the compassionate mercy of Jesus Christ on our weekend retreat. Rachel's Vineyard Retreats are open to anyone impacted by abortion - women, men, grandparents, siblings, and health care professionals. The next retreat is July 20-22, 2018 at the Villa Maria Retreat Center, Springfield. For more information contact Donna at projectrachel@dio.org, call 217-321-1161, or go to: [www.dio.org/plasm/project-rachel.html](http://www.dio.org/plasm/project-rachel.html) Scholarships are available.

## Ladies of Charity

Thank you to our many generous donors. Because of you, the Ladies of Charity of Quincy at 510 S. 4th is able to provide assistance—food, clothing, and household items—to hundreds of needy families each month.

## Ladies of Charity—Gifts from the Garden

Is your bountiful garden producing more than you care to eat or process this summer? If you have extra produce on hand, the Ladies of Charity will be glad to accept your donations to distribute to those in need. Please drop off your excess garden goodies to the Ladies of Charity Center at 4th and State, Quincy, on Mondays or Fridays, from 9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. Thank you so much!

**Save the Date for the 8th Annual St. Peter's Parish Picnic**

Saturday, August 25th, from 5:00pm—12:00am

**Food**      **Games**  
**Drinks**      **Snacks**

**FUN!!**      **Live Entertainment: Lick Creek**

**Please pick up your envelope in the Narthex.** Your envelope contains a letter explaining how you can contribute to making the picnic a success as well as raffle tickets. We encourage families to pick up your envelopes to save the parish money for postage.