



The Parish of St. Peter Quincy, IL

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 5, 2018

~Mass Intentions~

August 6-12, 2018

- 6. **Monday 8:00 a.m.**
Frank Amberg
- 7. **Tuesday 8:00 a.m.**
Albert Angerer
- 8. **Wednesday 8:30am**
Jim Gibson
- 9. **Thursday 8:00 a.m.**
Farris Viar
- 10. **Friday 8:00 a.m.**
Pat Ellerbrock
- 11. **Saturday 8:00 a.m.**
Merle L. Ticken
- 11. **Saturday 5:00 p.m.**
Dorothy & Wayne
Messick
- 12. **Sunday 8:00 a.m.**
Our Parish Family
- 12. **Sunday 9:30 a.m.**
Dr. Robert Murphy
- 12. **Sunday 11:00 a.m.**
Dr. Donald Dowler

— 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,

Well, there is good news and bad news in our celebration this weekend. The good news is the fact that the hot and humid month of July is now history. The bad news is that with the month of August, we anticipate the opening of another school year. This could be good news for parents who are awaiting another year of learning for their young people, but for me, it is bad news in the sense that vacation is coming to an end. The summer months do slow things down and I have really enjoyed the slow pace these past few months. In fact, I hate to see them come to a close. But with all good things they come to an end as we look forward to another school year.

Our gospel reading for our Mass this weekend is from St. John's gospel and it is Jesus proclaiming that He is the bread of life. The understanding is that Jesus, not the Torah, not the Law, is the bread that satisfies all the hungers of humanity. Jesus then boldly states, "I am the living bread; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst." What a remarkable statement—what a bold proclamation. Jesus stating that He is the bread of life. So often you and I try to substitute "things" that might satisfy our hungers and thirsts. But in this gospel, Jesus helps us understand that if we really want to find satisfaction for our hungers and thirsts in life, we have nothing else to turn toward except Him. May each of us grow in our appreciation of this mystery and may all of us receive Him often in our Eucharistic celebrations.

Just to let you know I will be having a heart procedure this Tuesday, August 7th, at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis. Not to alarm anyone, but I have been plagued over the years with a ailment called AFIB. I have had a number of cardio-versions where they shock the heart back in rhythm. Unfortunately they have not been lasting. So this time they will be performing what is called an Ablation. I just ask you to keep me in your prayers. If all goes well as planned, I will be returning to Quincy on Wednesday. Thank you in advance.

As we look ahead, St. Peter Church and School is hosting the annual retreat/conference for the teachers and administrators for our Catholic schools here in Quincy. This will be held on Tuesday, August 14th, from 8:30 and concluding with Mass at 3:30. We are privileged to have Dr. Michael Boyle from Loyola University in Chicago as our facilitator for the day. Dr. Boyle will be helping us understand what it means to be a Catholic School, what this mission means to any parish with a Catholic school, and ways that we identify ourselves as a Catholic school. I am excited at his presence for this day long retreat as it will help us clarify things in our parish and schools, and assist us ever more in working together. Besides the four Catholic schools, Quincy Notre Dame will also be included. Furthermore, there will be a special meeting for all the Advisory Boards of all of our Catholic schools here in Quincy on Monday, August 13th. I am really looking forward to these meetings as Dr. Boyle has assisted me in my understanding of being a pastor of a Catholic parish with a Catholic school in our pastor gatherings in Mt. Sterling.

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Next Meeting

TBA

Meet in the Martha Jane Room

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



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
Dr. Arthur Greenbank
sing praises with the Angels in Heaven forever.

Baptisms
 Lincoln Oliver Howe, son of Aaron Howe & Bobbie Taute, Thomas Davis Menz, son of Austin & Allison (Stupavsky) Menz, and Jude Benedict O'Neill, son of Timothy & Julia (Liesen) O'Neill were made children of God through the reception of the sacrament of Baptism on Sunday, July 29, 2018.

Area Events
Wednesday, Aug. 15: St. Thomas Ice Cream Social, 4:30-7:00pm; St. Thomas Hall, Camp Point. Homemade ice cream, maid rites, chips & homemade desserts. Free will offering.

Come Join Us In Welcoming Fr. Aaron
 This Sunday, August 5th, After 8:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Mass For Coffee & Donuts In the Cafeteria

Social Concerns Collection
 Social Concerns will be collecting school supplies this weekend, August 4-5 for the 1st Sunday collection for the Ladies of Charity. Containers are located in the Narthex. Thank you in advance!

Baptism Class - Monday, August 6th
 St. Peter will offer its next baptism class at 7:00 p.m. on Mon., August 6th in the Parish Office. Expectant parents welcome. Call the Parish Office for reservations at 222-3155.

Coffee & Donuts Coordinator(s)
 We are looking for a coffee & donuts coordinator(s). Coffee & donuts is the first Sunday of each month September through May. Please call the parish office at 222-3155 if interested.

Catholic Athletes for Christ Fall Sports Kickoff Mass
 Catholic Athletes for Christ will be having its annual Fall Sports Kickoff Mass August 19th the 11:00am Mass at St. Francis Church.

Haiti Sister Parish Corner
 Father Michel has sent several videos to us showing the work that has been accomplished in Haiti as a result of our sister parish relationship. Next weekend, August 11-12 before each Mass we will show a compilation of those videos on the screens in the front of the church. Please come a few minutes early to view what your stewardship has achieved in a very short period of time. Thank you.

Please keep the following in your prayers:

~Kristopher Schreacke	~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.

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 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), 2:00-3:00am (1,2,4,5), Wednesday 1:00-2:00am (1,3), Saturday 2:00-3:00am, 5:00-6:00pm (1,4), Sunday 1:00-2:00am (6/3-10/28), 2:00-3:00am and 10:00-11:00am. Please call Mary at 653-3127 or Gina at 257-9966. Chapel # is 214-0132.

St. Peter Singers Looking For New Members!
 Are you interested in participating in a music ministry, but can't commit to a weekly practice? The St. Peter Singers might be what you're looking for! This ensemble provides music for the 11 am mass each Sunday and occasional holy days and special masses. The group practices occasionally and is open to anyone in high school and beyond. The group is looking for musicians as well as singers. Please contact Matt Bergman at 217-430-1015 or mattbergman77@gmail for more information.

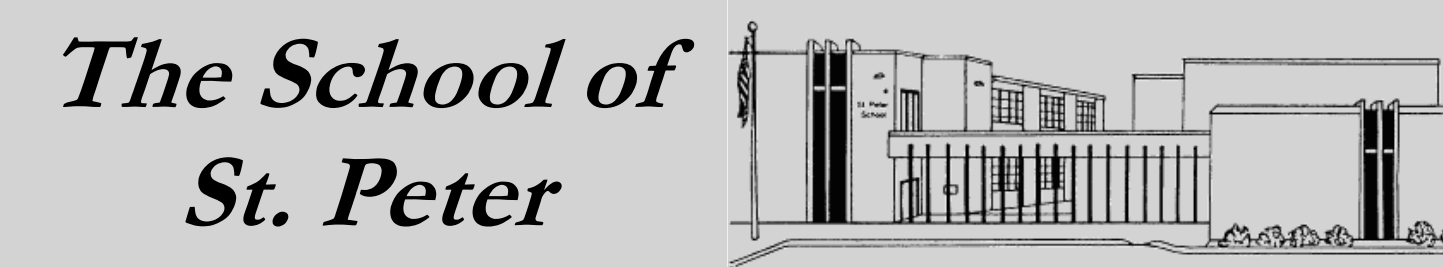
"Bake for Birthright"
 Birthright will once again have a booth at the K of C Barbeque on August 9-12. St. Peter Church is assigned Friday, August 10th. Each parish is asked to donate baked items OR batches of cookies, etc. These can be brought to the K of C grounds on Friday, August 10th or arrangements can be made with your parish for a pick up time. For questions or to set up a pick up time please call Patty at (217) 440-8388.

In conjunction with the Bake Sale, Birthright will hold a raffle, for those who bake for the bake sale, for a handmade "Quilt" and a "Dining Out" Package. If you bring your baked item to the K of C grounds you can fill out your own raffle ticket. If you have your items picked up please put your name, parish and phone number secured to your baked item and they will make sure that your name is entered.

Birthright office is located at 428 N 6th, Suite 101. In a non-judgmental atmosphere, Birthright assists women and girls who are struggling with unexpected or unwanted pregnancies see their babies through to birth and beyond. Birthright operates solely on donations and is staffed 100% by volunteers. Any questions contact Birthright President Patty Adam at (217) 440-8388.

Protecting God's Children Classes
 The following Protecting God's Children sessions have been scheduled at Blessed Sacrament Parish, Quincy:
 Monday, August 27th, 6:00-9:00 pm
 Monday, September 24th, 6:00-9:00 pm
 Monday, October 22nd, 6:00-9:00 pm
 All sessions will be held in the Leo Amen Room (cafeteria) of Blessed Sacrament School, 1117 South 7th. Access to the school is via the alley (South) side entrance. Please call 222-2759 (parish office) to register for any of these sessions.

Quest Picnic/Reunion
 Anyone who has been on a QUEST retreat before, there will be a QUEST Picnic/Reunion on Saturday, August 11th from 3:00-5:00pm at Reservoir Park in Quincy. Join us for games and snacks! For more information contact Caroline Wiewel at 217-430-6086.



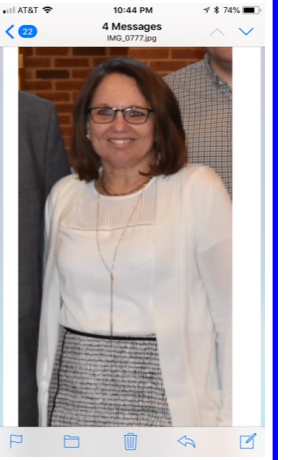
Week of August 5, 2018
A Message from Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh
 "St. Peter School provides a quality education built on Catholic values and teachings."

WELCOME TWO NEW STAFF MEMBERS TO ST. PETER SCHOOL



Cheri Moran will be on staff this year as a paraeducator/teacher aide at St. Peter. She recently retired after 31 years as a case-worker for the Illinois Dept. of Human Service. She is a graduate of QND and Quincy University. She and her husband Nick have two children who are both graduates of St. Peter School and QND. Trent and his wife, Brittney, live in Springfield, IL and Allie lives in Auburn, AL. She and Nick enjoy sports, tailgating, travel, and their family and friends. We are excited to have her as part of our school family.

Lisa Goughnour will also be on staff this year as a paraeducator/teacher aide. She has been married to her husband Richard for 44 years and they are parishioners of St. Peter parish. They have a married son Kevin who lives in Olathe, KS with two grandchildren. Lisa and Richard also have a married daughter Jessica, living in Chicago, and they are expecting their first child this fall. Lisa has taught 38 years both at private and public schools including 16 years at St. Peter. She retired in 2015 but has continued to sub and work in education. She feels that teaching is something that challenges and enriches her life. She is looking forward to working as a teacher aide at St. Peter. We are so excited to have her as part of our school family as well.



Important dates for St. Peter School Families:
Thursday, Aug. 16th: 4:00-6:00 p.m.
 - **Scholastic School Supply Pick Up:** If you ordered school supplies at the close of last school year please plan on picking up your school supplies from the St. Peter School Gym
 - **Pick up Spirit Day shirts and St. Peter apparel** if you placed an order.
 - **Kindergarten Parent Orientation meeting** 6:00 p.m. - held in your child's homeroom.
Monday, Aug. 20th: 6:30-7:30 p.m.
 - **Preschool Parent Orientation Night-** Parents of 3 year olds meet in the cafeteria; Parents of 4 yr olds meet in their classroom.

ST. PETER SCHOOL CAFETERIA OPENING
 St. Peter School is looking for a part time cafeteria helper/monitor. Hours take place during the school year Mon.-Fri. from 10-1. If interested contact Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh by emailing your resume to c.venvertloh@cospq.org or mailing to 2500 Maine St., Quincy, IL, 62301.

ST. PETER PATRIOTS QUINCY, IL

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.

SCHOOL OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Tuesday, August 7: 9:00-2:00
 Wed., August 8: 9:00-2:00

KICK OFF THE SCHOOL YEAR MASS!
 Be sure to mark your calendar for Tuesday, August 21st for our **Kick Off to the school year Mass** which will begin at 5:30 p.m. Following Mass, parents and students are invited to briefly meet the teachers, visit the classrooms, drop off school supplies, etc. We look forward to seeing everyone there.

School of St. Peter
2500 Maine Street
Quincy, IL 62301
Phone: 217-223-1120
Website: www.stpeterschool.com
Email: c.venvertloh@cospq.org

Mark Your Calendar

Mon. Aug. 6:
 Tues. Aug. 7: Novena 8:30 a.m., Church
 Wed. Aug. 8: Ladies Cursillo 7:00 p.m., Fr. Bauer Prayer Room
 Thur. Aug. 9:
 Fri. Aug. 10:
 Sat. Aug. 11: Rosary 7:30 a.m., Church
 Sun. Aug. 12: Daycare 9:30 a.m., Maria Goretti Room

—*Mass Servers*—

Weekday Masses, Aug. 6-11:
 8:00 a.m. Hana & Heidi Knuffman

Saturday Mass, Aug. 11:
 5:00 p.m. Ryan Fetter, Evan Krohn

Sunday Masses, Aug. 12:
 8:00 a.m. Olivia & Alyssa Ley
 9:30 a.m. Ben Brown, Taylor Genenbacher
 11:00 a.m. Lizzie Strieker, Ryan Bergman

—*Daily Mass Ministry Schedule*—

August 6-12:
 Lector: Beth Young
 EMHC:
 Angela Lepper, Ruth Koch

Fr. Leo's column continued

Our next Holyday of Obligation is Wednesday, August 15th, with the Solemnity of the Assumption. It is the Solemnity that celebrates Mary's assumption into heaven, body and soul. What she was gifted is the same gift toward which all of us live and yearn. Our Mass schedule for this celebration is as follows:

Tuesday, August 14th: Vigil Mass at 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday, August 15th: Masses at 8:30 a.m., 12:10 p.m. and 5:30 pm.

Lastly we are finalizing everything for our 8th annual St. Peter's Parish Picnic. I ask you to reserve the date of Saturday, August 25th, and hopefully be present for this annual endeavor. If not, then please keep the success of this picnic in your thoughts and prayers.

Our Back to School Help Fair is coming to a conclusion. Please make sure you bring your items to the narthex this weekend, August 4-5th. Then if you have the time, we are looking for volunteers to help sort these items on Monday, Aug. 6th, in the cafeteria starting at 8:30 a.m. Thank you for all of your efforts. This is our gift to the community.

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE: An older couple were on the Ohio Turnpike, stuck behind a car going under the speed limit in the passing lane. The car, which sported an Indiana Hoosier basketball bumper sticker on the back, refused to move over.

Exasperated, the husband finally shouted out in sarcasm, "Hoosier idiot."
 To which his wife turned to him and said quietly, "You are, dear."

Marg. Leo J. Eulow

WEEKLY COLLECTION		
	<u>July 29</u>	<u>Total to Date</u>
Loose Collections	\$891.29	\$4,510.81
Weekly Envelopes	\$22,054.80	\$112,858.53
Annual School Fund	\$8,568.00	\$46,294.00
Holy Days		\$100.00
Totals	\$31,514.09	\$163,763.34
Total Budget Goal	\$32,000.00	\$160,000.00
Difference	(\$485.91)	\$3,763.34

Diocesan Collections

Haiti: \$179
 Peter's Pence: \$10
 Catholic Charities: \$210

Haiti Sister Parish Collections

Collected: \$9,512
 As of 7/29/2018

Amt. Assessed	2017	\$139,489.00
Paid		\$ 68,026.79
		Amt Due: \$ 71,462.21

291 Parishioners have contributed as of 5/23/18



Parish in Action



BACK TO SCHOOL HELP FAIR



It's that time of year already....
 time to get ready to head back to school

The city-wide Back to School Fair will be held Saturday, August 11, 2018 from 8-11AM
 At the First Baptist Church on 8th and Elm

One way St. Peter's can help our community get ready for the 2018-2019 school year
 is buy purchasing sock and underwear.

Please return your items at Mass this weekend, Sunday, Aug 4-5, boxes are locating in the Narthex.

Help is needed to sort these items which will take place
 Monday, August 6 starting at 8:30 in the Cafeteria.

Help is also needed the day of the Fair, Saturday, August 11. If you are able to help please contact:

Kathy Harman
 Church of St. Peter, 2600 Maine Street, Quincy, IL. 62301
 217-222-3155
 E-mail address k.harman@cospq.org

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



Saturday, August 25th, from 5:00pm—12:00am
 Main Raffle, 50/50, Silent Auction & Basket Raffle

Live Entertainment: Lick Creek
 Food, Drinks, Snack, Games for All ages
Volunteer Signup will be after Masses the weekend of
 August 11th & 12th

- We will need help with set up:
- ♦ All day on Friday, August 24th starting at 9:00am
 - ♦ Carpenters with tools, electricians, trucks & trailers to move supplies, etc.
 - ♦ Contact a chairman if you are able to assist.

On Saturday, August 25th, we have up to 2 hour shifts available
 (although some vary) starting at 4:00pm—midnight)

Areas you can volunteer include:

Area	Contact Person	Phone	Email
Food	James and Kari Weisenberger	242-1608	service@selbyimplement.com
Snacks	Chris and Cathy Gill	228-3278	cahasens@hotmail.com
Raffle > Main Raffle & 50/50	Scott and Liz Lowenberg	653-8807	lizlowenberg@hotmail.com
Silent Auction	Randy Martin	653-3538	randymartin1213@gmail.com
Basket Raffle	Karen Wolf	430-2199	kswolf3@comcast.net
Adult Games	Amanda Martin	779-8256	amanda_howe@hotmail.com
Kid Games	Lydia Miller	242-0725	lmiller@dotfoods.com