



The Parish of St. Peter Quincy, IL

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time, November 4, 2018

~Mass Intentions~

November 5-11, 2018

- 5. **Monday 8:00 a.m.**
August Schultz
- 6. **Tuesday 8:00 a.m.**
Bob Siebers
- 7. **Wednesday 8:30am**
Ken Heinze
- 8. **Thursday 8:00 a.m.**
D.J. Venvertloh
- 9. **Friday 8:00 a.m.**
Bill Brahler
- 10. **Saturday 8:00 a.m.**
Carol Chandler
- 10. **Saturday 5:00 p.m.**
Luke Mayfield
- 11. **Sunday 8:00 a.m.**
Gary Myers
- 11. **Sunday 9:30 a.m.**
Our Parish Family
- 11. **Sunday 11:00 a.m.**
Lisa Real

— 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,

This weekend we celebrate our first weekend in the month of November. It is also the weekend that we “fall back” in terms of setting our clocks. If you did not turn your clocks back, you might be quite early for the Mass that you will be attending. But that would be okay as we all could use extra time before the Lord in prayer. This weekend the Church celebrates the 31st Sunday in Ordinary time. When we hit the thirties in ordinary time, we realize that this liturgical calendar will be coming to an end as we begin another liturgical year on Sunday, December 2nd, with the First Sunday of Advent.

Our gospel for today has a scribe asking Jesus “which is the first of all the commandments?” Often times we in life want to prioritize and so it is not out of line for us to include such a question in our lives. And Jesus answers by citing the Shema, “Hear, O Israel! The Lord our God is God alone! You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.” If this is the number one commandment, then we need to make sure that this is front and center in our lives. One of the best ways we reflect this commandment is through our attitude of stewardship. Do we recognize that God is the source of everything that we have and of everything we do? If we believe that, then this should be reflected in the areas of time, talents, and treasures offered in return to this God who is central to our lives.

This weekend we have our second session in our stewardship renewal. Last weekend, Mary Christensen introduced this renewal to us and the packets that we received in the mail. This weekend, Andrew and Laura Mays will be giving a Lay Witness Talk on what stewardship means to them and how it affected their lives. Then the final weekend, November 10-11th, I will be preaching at all of our Masses on the attitude of stewardship that is fundamental to our faith life. As you think of your stewardship this year, I ask that you take your packet to prayer. Please ask God to help you complete the forms, recognizing what God has done for you this past year, and then respond with generous hearts. But I do want to make sure that each parish family does fill out a form. That is a sign to me and the parish of your belonging to us. I especially want to make sure that families with students in our grade school fill out these forms as they are the first indicators that you belong to this parish and are practicing your faith. Only through this type of effort are we able to provide financial assistance to our students who attend our school.

This weekend we will also be celebrating our Mass of remembrance for all deceased parishioners who died this past year. This Mass will be at 9:30 a.m. During this month of November, the Church invites us to remember all the dead in our prayers. I also ask you to remember our deceased through your donation to our Catholic Cemeteries collection. You do have envelopes for this collection in your packet of envelopes. For those who give on line, just place a donation in a marked envelope and deposit it in the collection. Your generosity is appreciated.

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Next Meeting

Hungry?

formerly known as "Pack the Pantry"
November 4th : 6:30pm—8:00pm
Meet in the Martha Jane Room

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



Saints Alive!

Let Me See Your Halo
November 11 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
Ralph Mast
sing praises with the Angels in Heaven forever.

Baptism

Aiden Edward Tait, son of **Robert & Emily (Peters) Tait**, was made a child of God through the reception of the sacrament of Baptism on Sunday, October 28, 2018.

Area Events

Sunday, November 4: St. Joseph Holy Name Trap Shoot, starting at Noon, 1435 E. 1500th St, Quincy, IL. Trap shooting and card playing. Prizes, bacon & turkey. Soup, sandwiches, drinks.
Tuesday, November 6: WCU's Soup Day, 11:00am-1:00pm, WCU Hall at 516 Maine. Chili, chicken noodle and ham & bean soup, a sandwich, dessert & beverage. All you can eat for \$6.

Social Concerns Collection

Social Concerns is collecting soup and crackers this weekend, November 3-4 for the 1st Sunday collection for the Ladies of Charity. Containers are located in the Narthex. Thank you!

Coffee & Donuts and Fair Trade Sales This Sunday

Please join us this Sunday, November 4, after all masses in the cafeteria for Coffee & Donuts, blood pressure screenings, and Fair Trade sale.

Boy Scout Wreath Sales

St Peter Troop 5 Boy Scouts will be selling Christmas Wreath and sprays following the Masses the weekend of November 3 & 4. You can also call 217-641-0412. We appreciate your support.



EMHC Training

Will we be holding a training for anyone interested in becoming an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion on Saturday, November 10th, at 10:00am in the church. If you are interested, please contact Gina at 214-0182 or g.bergman@cospq.org.

Holy Hour For Vocations

A Holy Hour for Vocations will be held Thursday evening, November 8 at St. Peter Church, Quincy. Confessions will be available from 5:00-6:15pm, Adoration will begin at 6:30pm, Benediction will be at 7:30pm. Please plan to join us to pray for vocations during National Vocation Awareness Week.

Please keep the following in your prayers:

- ~Kristopher Schrecke
- ~John Meyer
- ~Dan Barry
- ~Sharon Zehnle
- ~Arlene Lansing
- ~Isabelle Meyer
- ~Kathy Schuckman
- ~Norma Johnson
- ~Lynn Shankland
- ~Mary Lou Morrow
- ~Jane Clark

- ~Elias Erd
- ~Ian Mehaffy
- ~Jack O'Hara
- ~Paul Meyer
- ~Lilli Foster
- ~Betty C. Wiewel
- ~Barbara Rowland
- ~Penny Norton
- ~Lorna Shade
- ~Betty Klingele
- ~Charles Rakers



- ~Mike Creek
- ~Joan Russell
- ~Steve Hull
- ~Ray Peters

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

Encounter Christ First - Then Set the World on Fire
 by Curtis Martin



Martin shares how a personal encounter with Jesus is the key to following him with fidelity, gratitude, and joy. With humor and relatable examples, he also shows how experiencing Christ before evangelizing others is the biblical model witnessed by the Apostles, and one that is certain to bear fruit in the life of any believer.

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Adoration Chapel Hours

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

Sunday Childcare

Did you know that St. Peter's Parish offers Sunday Childcare during the 9:30 a.m. Mass? It is available for all children attending mass between the ages of 1 and 5. Children will play with toys and eat a small snack. Please have an adult drop off and pick up your child from the Maria Goretti Room off of the cafeteria.

We require 2 adults to be present every weekend so one can remain with the children while the other takes them for bathroom breaks!! If you bring your children to childcare, please consider signing up to help - even a few Sundays a year is appreciated! The more we work together to help, the more we can enjoy this service that is so important to our parish community. To volunteer please contact Julie at jmett@hotmail.com.

Volunteering in Sunday Childcare counts towards both school service hours as well as Confirmation!

Next Sunday is Commitment Sunday

Today we will hear from a parishioner who will share what stewardship has meant in his or her life. Reflect on how you are involved at St. Peter ... Do you serve in parish ministries? Do you come to parish-wide events? Are you taking steps to improve your spiritual life and further study our Catholic Faith? The Commitment Card you received in the mail offers suggestions for how you can take a step forward in all these areas. Don't forget to bring your Commitment Card to Mass November 10/11.

Saint Katharina Kasper Local Canonization

St. Vincent's is holding a local canonization proclamation of Blessed Katharina Kasper on Thursday, November 8th, at 9:00 a.m. at 1440 N. 10th. Prayer service at 9:00 a.m., public proclamation, re-dedication of 134 year old St. Vincent statue. There will be a brief discussion of the importance of St. Katharina's mission, her ties in Quincy and how St. Vincent's still carries on her mission today.

Going Someplace Warmer for the Winter?

If you are going someplace warmer for the winter, please call the parish office at 222-3155 to give us the dates you will be gone. We get charged for any returned newsletters, contribution envelopes, or mailings.

Pictorial Directory Update

For those who had their picture taken for the pictorial directory, it is still in the works. We will let you know when it is done.

The School of St. Peter



Week of November 4, 2018

A Message from Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh

"St. Peter School provides a quality education built on Catholic values and teachings."



6th GRADE BOOK SNAPS

Students created a book talk by learning how to create a "Book Snap". A Book Snap allowed them to digitally display, on their iPads, various elements in a novel they had read. Students presented their creations to the class!



What do you do when others are practicing a bus evacuation drill?

Why, of course, play "duck, duck, goose," with your classroom buddies!



Why are there new lines on the parking lot?

They are part of a new safety drop off procedure we have in place to keep our children, visitors and parents safe in the morning.

JOB OPENING IN DAYCARE

St. Peter School is hiring for the After School Daycare program. Interested applicants should contact Mrs. Judy Domme at 217-242-1910. Resumes can be mailed to St. Peter School, 2500 Maine, Quincy, IL 62301 or emailed to c.venvertloh@cospq.org.

ST. FRANCIS SCHOOL OPENINGS:

St. Francis School has positions open: We have an open position for a part-time Kindergarten Aide as well as a part-time Librarian. Interested applicants should have a Para Educator License. Applications may be sent on line to Lori Shepard at St. Francis Solanus (lshpard@stfrancissolanus.com) or mailed to St. Francis Solanus School, 1720 College Avenue, Quincy, IL 62301.



MENU

- Monday:** Hamburger on bun, curly fries, California veggies, fruit.
- Tuesday:** BBQ chicken nachos, cowboy corn, fruit slushie.
- Wednesday:** Chicken noodle soup, 1/2 grilled cheese sandwich, carrots/celery stix & dip, fruit.
- Thursday:** 1/2 day - No Lunch.
- Friday:** No School.

This Week

Parent Teacher Conferences take place Mon-Thurs. at scheduled times.

Mon. Nov. 5: Report Cards sent home.

Tues. Nov. 6: Picture Retakes.

Wed. Nov. 7: 8:30 Children's Mass - 5th grade leading; After School Cooking Class & Art Class take place; 2:25 dismissal;

Thurs. Nov. 8: 1/2 day of school with full bus service; 11:30 dismissal; No p.m. daycare; Conferences in the afternoon & evening.

Fri. Nov. 9: NO SCHOOL

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

Mark Your Calendar

Mon. Nov. 5: Chess Club 6:30 p.m., Maria Goretti Room

Tues. Nov. 6: Novena 8:30 a.m., Church
Ladies Bible Study 9:00 a.m., Martha Jane Room
RCIA 7:00 p.m., Martha Jane Room

Wed. Nov. 7: PSR 6:15 p.m., School
Ladies Cursillo 7:00 p.m., Fr. Bauer Prayer Room

Thur. Nov. 8: St. Veronica's Guild 8:30 a.m., Lower Level
Conf. Room
Cribbage 1:00 p.m., Martha Jane Room

Fri. Nov. 9: Holy Hour of Vocations, Confessions 5:00 p.m.,
Adoration 6:30 p.m., Benediction 7:30 p.m.

Sat. Nov. 10: Rosary 7:30 a.m., Church
EMHC Training 10:00 a.m., Church

Sun. Nov. 11: Daycare 9:30 a.m., Maria Goretti Room
Liturgy of the Word 9:30 a.m. Mass, Martha Jane Room

—*Mass Servers*—

Weekday Masses, November 5-10:
8:00 a.m. Konnor Craven, Audrey Fuqua

Saturday Mass, November 10:
5:00 p.m. Blake Bunch, Ryan Fetter

Sunday Masses, November 11:
8:00 a.m. Payton Mock, Mark Gnuse
9:30 a.m. Lucas Ludwig, Ben McDonald
11:00 a.m. Monteyne Family

—*Daily Mass Ministry Schedule*—

November 5-10:
Lector: Rich Lavery
EMHC:
Mary Brahler, Mike Lavery

Fr. Leo's column continued

Since I'm on the Cemetery Board, I am very aware of the financial situation at our cemeteries. There are many things that arise that we cannot do because our funds are limited. Expenses, as you know, are always increasing as we are dealing with machinery that needs to be replaced, trees that need to be taken down, and roads that need to be repaired. Because of our limitations of funds, we try to prioritize. This is why our two collections a year from the parishes help us offset some of these expenses. So again, please be generous as we try our best to make sure that all of our cemeteries are places of honor and dignity.

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE: A church goer wrote a letter to the editor of a newspaper and complained that it made no sense to go to Church every Sunday. "I've gone for 30 years now," he wrote, "and in that time I have heard something like 3,000 sermons. But for the life of me, I can't remember a single one of them. So, I think I'm wasting my time and the pastors wasting theirs by giving sermons at all."

This started a controversy in the "Letters to the Editor" column, much to the delight of the editor. It went on for weeks until someone wrote this clincher, "I've been married for 30 years now. In that time my wife had cooked some 32,000 meal. But for the life of me, I cannot recall the entire menu for a single one of those meals. But I do know this. They all nourished me and gave me the strength I needed to do my work. If my wife had not given me these meals, I would be physically dead today. Likewise, if I had not gone to Church for nourishment, I would be spiritually dead today!"

Magr. Leo J. Eulow

WEEKLY COLLECTION		
	Oct. 28	Total to Date
Loose Collections	\$1,109.81	\$16,602.39
Weekly Envelopes	\$19,657.30	\$418,981.13
Annual School Fund	\$20,270.00	\$157,716.00
Holy Days	\$101.00	\$3,357.50
Totals	\$41,138.11	\$596,657.02
Total Budget Goal	\$32,000.00	\$576,000.00
Difference	\$9,138.11	\$20,657.02

Diocesan Collections

Haiti: \$1,512
World Mission: \$77
Cemetery: \$10

Haiti Sister Parish Collections

Collected: \$28,072.14
As of 10/28/2018

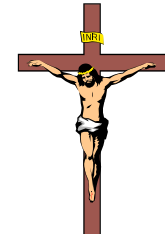
Amt. Assessed	2017	\$139,489.00
Paid		\$ 68,026.79
		Amt Due: \$ 71,462.21

291 Parishioners have contributed as of 5/23/18

Parish in Action

Remembering Those That Have Passed

<p>Nov. 2017 through Oct. 2018: Evelyn Matticks Frances Musolino Jeff Burgess Gene Churchwell George Kroeger Tina Whitaker Albert Angerer Sam Rinella Mike Domme Marty Peters Mildred Spring Eileene Anderson Dan Cook Bud Johnson Harold Coleman Betty Waterman Joan Lierle Mary McNeil Terri Holtschlag Marge McClain John McCarthy Leanne Schell Douglas Frese Millie Hillebrenner Arthur Greenbank Loren Tournear Jim Bohan Betty Ann Robinson Nan Grawe Ralph Mast</p>	<p>Other Remembered Deceased Loved Ones: Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Allison Bart & Pearl Bartolotti Jerry & Helen Belker Mr & Mrs Henry Bentrop Mr & Mrs Richard Bentrop Wayne Bergman Anton & Jennie Bergtolio John Bertoglio Bill & Verna Blersch Helen Rose Brink Mr & Mrs Henry Carper Daniel E. Cook Jack Cress Walt & Dorothy Cress Raymond & Viola Deters Gerald & Catherine Fitzgerald Sister Mary Franklin Walter & Leona Franklin Mr & Mrs Virgil Funke Mr John Funke Kathleen Haagland Edward Haley Pete Harman Mr & Mrs Ace Harter Laura Henke Charles Henry Elizabeth Henry Abbie & William Holzgrafe Rita Hopkins Milton Hughes</p>	<p>Mr Jay Humphrey Mr Jeff Humphrey Besie Jandl Edward Jandl Bob & Marianne Kroner Angela C. Ley Frank A. Ley Joseph & Angela M. Ley Michael J. Maas Luke A. Mayfield George & Virginia McCoy Auris & Joan McGee Dorothy & Wayne Messick Michael Pasley Harry Pratt Lee Pratt David Radel Eddie & Lilah Ruth Radel Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Raleigh Francis & Mary Ray Joyce Ray Lawrence & Evelyn Reis Babe & Opal Schralla Chuck & Pat Schralla George & Florence Schuering Margaret & Lawrence Schullian Rome & Agnes Vonderheide Virginia, Allen & Don Weinberg Arthur & Freda Westhaus</p>
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Young Adult Group at St. Peter
(Single, Married, Male, Female, 18-40ish!)

Our Young Adult Group is forming and we would love to have you join us at our next meeting! We will be laying out a schedule for upcoming events in 2019 and coming up with a name for our group! Bring a friend and join us for snacks on Tuesday, November 13th at 6:30 PM in the Maria Goretti Room (in the church basement). Text Elise Suter 217.440.5300 or Emily Kite 217.779.5009 with any questions! Join our Facebook group to stay up-to-date on the latest Young Adult news at St. Peter: www.facebook.com/groups/stpeteryoungadultgroup/.