



# The Parish of St. Peter Quincy, IL

*Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 11, 2019*

*~Mass Intentions~  
August 12-18, 2019*

- 12. Monday 8:00 a.m.  
Herman Schneidman
- 13. Tuesday 8:00 a.m.  
Alberta Schultz
- 14. Wednesday 8:30am  
Deceased Members of  
Frier & Simms Families
- 14. Wednesday 5:30pm  
Jerry Kemner
- 15. Thursday 8:00 a.m.  
Marian Schultz
- 15. Thursday 12:10p.m.  
Paul Poore
- 15. Thursday 5:30 p.m.  
Alvera Grawe
- 16. Friday 8:00 a.m.  
All The Poor Souls in  
Purgatory
- 17. Saturday 8:00 a.m.  
Roger Cook
- 17. Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Luke Mayfield
- 18. Sunday 8:00 a.m.  
Gary Myers
- 18. Sunday 9:30 a.m.  
All The Poor Souls
- 18. Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
Our Parish Family

*— 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,**

As I announced last weekend, I wasn't able to make my annual trek to Bronners Christmas Store in Frankenmuth, Michigan. I was going to meet my brother and his wife there and together we would decide on things that we could use, need to buy, or just browse at the latest in Christmas décor. If I sound a little nutty, you can blame my dad for this Christmas spirit in August. But because of my brother's set back, we decided to cancel at this time.

"Gird your loins and light your lamps and be like servants who await their master's return from a wedding, ready to open immediately when he comes and knocks. Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival." As I read this gospel, I wondered to myself how many of us are living as if we are awaiting our master's return. I would venture to say that these types of servants are few and far between. No one ever expects our life to end. There is as I said last week that word tomorrow which seems to center us on postponing what needs to be done to another time, often realizing, if honest, that this tomorrow never comes for us. We keep pushing down the road the attempts we need to be a better person, to change some habits, and to spend more time with loved ones. Then when something bad does happen, how many of us suffer from regrets; regrets like we should have done this, or done that, wishing that we could have what I call "do-overs." So we are asked today especially in our gospel to celebrate life and love by trying to please our Lord in everything we think, say, and do. If we do that, we will never have any regrets and will always be prepared to meet the Lord when He arrives in our lives.

This Thursday, August 15th, is the Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary into heaven, a Holyday of Obligation for all Catholics. Our Mass schedule is as follows:

Wednesday, August 14th, Mass is at 5:30 p.m. and will include our Back to School Mass with students and their parents expected to be present.

Thursday, August 15th, Mass will be at 8:00 a.m., 12:10 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. at St. Peter's. There will also be a Mass for the Holyday at QND at 10:00 a.m. I ask you to take seriously this Holyday and be present to celebrate the Eucharist at one of these Masses available to you.

I am asking our parishioners when they arrive at our weekend Masses to be aware that there are people who need to use our ramps because of being in a wheelchair, walker, or using a cane. Please be aware of this when you park so that our ramp is not being blocked by vehicles. Thank you!

Just a reminder that I ask you to reserve the date of Friday, September 27th, for a very special presentation on Stewardship in the Family by Mrs. Katie Conner. This talk will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. This talk impacted my life when I heard her speak at the Stewardship Conference in Wichita and I know it will do the same for you. Let's pack the Church as you will be moved by her message and hopefully be challenged to live the message of stewardship in your families as well.

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**Next Meeting  
Water Wars!**

**Sunday, August 25, 2019  
6:30 p.m.—8:00 p.m.**

**Meet in the Martha Jane Room**

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



**Saints Alive!  
Let Me See Your Halo  
To Be Announced 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*  
**Carl Atwell**  
*sing praises with the Angels in Heaven forever.*

**Baptism**  
**Corvin Kent Bruns**, son of **Steven & Jessica (Huddleston) Bruns**, was made a child of God through the reception of the sacrament of Baptism on Sunday, August 4, 2019.

**Holly Day Mass Times**  
 Our Holy Day Mass times are as follows:  
 Wednesday, 8/14, 5:30 p.m.  
 Thursday, 8/15, 8:00 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 5:30 p.m.  
 Signup for EMHCs and Ushers are in the Narthex.

**Interested in Cub Scouts?**  
 Attention all families interested in Cub Scouts! Our informational meeting to sign up for Cub Scouts will be on August 21, 2019 at 6:30pm in the St. Peter's gym. This meeting is for new and returning families. If your son is in Kindergarten through 4th grade and is interested in camping, hiking, learning camp-fire safety, teamwork, and just having fun - this is the organization for you. Please come to this important meeting. Any questions please contact Chris Gill at cgill@culver.edu for more information.

**Back to School Prayer Walk**  
 Join us Sunday, August 11 at 7:00pm, as we walk through our school and cover it in prayer for the new year. All teachers, staff, parents, and parishioners welcome! Meet outside the school office.

**CYO Registrations for Karate & Fall Volleyball**  
 Quincy CYO registration is open for Karate and fall volleyball. Karate will offer multiple 8 week sessions on Wed. and Fri. nights. \$40 for once a week/ \$60 for twice a week. Fall volleyball registration runs through August 26. Games will begin the week of Sept. 9. \$55 before registration deadline, \$65 after. For more information visit cyoquincy.com.

**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 1 p.m.. Thank you so much!

Please keep the following in your prayers:

~Kristopher Schreacke	~Elias Erd	
~Lilli Foster	~Ian Mehaffy	
~Roger Sohn	~Stephanie McMullen	
~Sharon Zehnle	~Paul Meyer	
~Richard Lauer	~Steve Sinnock	~Ray Peters
~Betty C. Wiewel	~Mike & Pat Creek	~Mike Barton
~Kathy Schuckman	~Arlene Lansing	~Steve Hull
~Norma Johnson	~Penny Norton	~John Meyer
~Mary Lou Morrow	~Lynn Shankland	
~Charles Rakers	~Darin McCleary	~Avery Cowick

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**  
 WHAT'S SO GREAT ABOUT BEING CATHOLIC? By Jason Evert  
 Evert shows us the beauty and the treasures of the Catholic Faith, as revealed through the Saints and Sacraments. Jason has spoken about the Faith to more than one million people around the world and is the author of more than a dozen books.  
 www.lighthousecatholicmedia.org promo code 104597

**Area Events**  
**Wednesday, August 21:** St. Thomas Ice Cream Social, 4:00-7:00pm Mass; St. Thomas Hall, Camp Point. Homemade ice cream, maid rites, homemade desserts. Free will offering. Handicap accessible.  
**Sunday, August 25:** St. Joseph Summer Celebration, 11:00-4:00pm; St. Joseph Catholic Church, Canton, MO. Pork roast dinner with all the sides served 11-2, Trivia contest 2-4. A \$1000 cash raffle, gift basket auction, kid games. For more information contact Nan Wood at 660-341-6814.

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

**PSR for New Students**  
 New parents of PSR ... please take one of the envelopes on the table in the Narthex to get all the information you need to get started. Our new PSR season begins on Wednesday, September 4th. Any questions, call Mary Talken at 224-2896.

**St. Peter Protecting God's Children Classes**  
 The following Protecting God's Children sessions have been scheduled in the Martha Jane room. Please call the parish office at 222-3155 to sign up.  
 Tuesday, August 27th, 9:00 a.m.  
 Thursday, August 29th, 6:30 p.m.

**Tolton Movie Screening**  
 Venerable Augustus Tolton Movie Screening on Sunday, August 11, at St. Rose of Lima Parish Hall, 715 Chestnut, Quincy IL. Chris Foley, Producer of the Tolton Movie Across, will talk about the movie and show the first 30 minutes of his movie. Reg Ankrom, Quincy historian, will give a 25 minute slide show on Fr. Tolton. Show times are 9:30 am (following 8:00 am Mass), 12:45 pm (following 10:30 am Mass), 3:00 pm, 7:00 pm. Admission is Free!

**Protecting God's Children Classes at Blessed Sacrament**  
 The following Protecting God's Children sessions have been scheduled at Blessed Sacrament Parish, Quincy:  
 Monday, August 26th, 6:00-9:00 pm  
 Monday, September 30th, 6:00-9:00 pm  
 All sessions will be held in the Leo Amen Room (cafeteria) at 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.

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

# The School of St. Peter



*Week of August 11, 2019*  
**A Message from Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh**  
*"St. Peter School provides a quality education built on Catholic values and teachings."*

**MRS. VENVERTLOH & MRS. REICHERT VISITED THE RON CLARK ACADEMY**  
**THANKS to THE TRACY FAMILY FOUNDATION**



Each week, educators from around the world visit the Ron Clark Academy in Atlanta, Georgia to witness the dynamic and innovative teaching methods at the academy. Through classroom observations and workshops, participants in the training program learn ways to increase student engagement, ensure academic rigor, and create a climate and culture that leads to success. Mrs. Reichert and I were honored to visit the school for 2 days in July. This experience will allow us to share many positive and rewarding ideas with our staff that will help impact our students in a positive way. We are extremely blessed to have been able to attend such a great learning experience. We cannot thank the Tracy Family Foundation enough for financing such an amazing trip!

**HIRING FOR DAYCARE**  
 St. Peter School is seeking adult applicants for our morning and afternoon daycare program. Please contact directors Mrs. Loretta Goehl or Mrs. Sheri Shelton by emailing your resume to daycare@cospq.org or sending it to St. Peter School, 2500 Maine, Quincy, IL 62301.

**MENU**  
**Thursday:** No Lunch - Early Dismissal.  
**Friday:** Cold cereal, milk, hard boiled egg, banana, funnel cake, veggie juice.

**Office Hours**  
*Open Aug. 14 from 9:00-2:00*

**Summer Vacation** is quickly coming to an end. Please be sure to keep the following dates in mind as our school year will begin in just a few weeks.

**Aug. 14:** Kick off the School Mass at 5:30 p.m. followed by a short visit to your child's classroom to meet the teacher and to drop off school supplies.

**Aug. 15:** First day of School for part of K and all of 1-8 grade with 11:30 dismissal—only morning bus service.

**Aug. 16:** 1st-8th & only 2nd half of Kindergarten attend. Kindergarten dismissed at 11:30 and all other students dismissed at 2:25 with full bus service.

**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. August 12:**

**Tues. August 13:** Novena 8:30 a.m., Church  
Ladies Cursillo 7:30 p.m., Fr. Bauer Rm

**Wed. August 14:** Senior Group Meeting 9:00 a.m.,  
Martha Jane Room  
School Opening Mass 5:30 p.m., Church  
Ladies Cursillo 7:00 p.m., Fr. Bauer Rm

**Thurs. August 15:** Holy Day Masses 8:00, 12:10, 5:30pm

**Fri. August 16:**

**Sat. August 17:** Rosary 7:30 a.m., Church

**Sun. August 18:** Daycare 9:30 a.m., Maria Goretti Room

—*Mass Servers*—

**Weekday Masses, August 12-17:**  
8:00 a.m. Konnor Craven, Sydney Entrup

**Saturday Mass, August 17:**  
5:00 p.m. Mettemeyer Family

**Sunday Masses, August 18:**  
8:00 a.m. Eva Davis, Logan Gustison  
9:30 a.m. Nicholas & Jacob Gass  
11:00 a.m. Rohan Dighe, Campbell George

—*Daily Mass Ministry Schedule*—

**August 12-17:**  
Lector: Beth Young  
EMHC:  
Angela Lepper, Ruth Koch

**Fr. Leo's column continued**

Just a reminder that Saturday, August 24th, is the annual St. Peter Church picnic. Because of the picnic, there will be no 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday. Instead, this Mass will be celebrated at 4:00 p.m. to accommodate the festivities. Once again, on **Saturday, August 24th, the Saturday evening Mass will be at 4:00 p.m. and not 5:00 p.m.** After this Mass, we are hoping that you stay for a food selection, all kinds of beverages to quench your thirst, and so many differing activities from listening to music, trying your luck at some games, and our differing raffles. The picnic will end by Midnight and I want to personally invite you to attend. As you can see, we are in need of volunteers throughout the picnic, from setting things up on Friday, August 23rd, to working differing areas, and to assist with the tear down on Sunday, August 25th. Once again this is a parish picnic, and we need all of your support to keep it that way.

FYI: the KC barbeque is going on this weekend. I encourage you to go out to the Knights of Columbus and enjoy the food, carnival, and fellowship with the many Knights who support us in so many ways.

**ON THE LIGHTER SIDE:** One evening three girl friends went to a nightclub, only to find the place packed with young people. At 40, they all felt rather old, but before they could make a dignified exit, a tall, handsome man approached them.

They thought to themselves, "perhaps they were being hasty in leaving."

Then with a big smile, the young man extended his hand to one of the women and said, "Hello, remember me? You were my third grade teacher."

*Mrs. Lisa J. Eulow*



WEEKLY COLLECTION		
	Aug. 4	Total to Date
Loose Collections	\$1,100.60	\$6,138.71
Weekly Envelopes	\$23,681.89	\$145,276.09
Annual School Fund	\$11,066.00	\$49,616.00
Holy Days		\$10.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$35,848.49</b>	<b>\$201,040.80</b>
Total Budget Goal	\$32,000.00	\$192,000.00
Difference	\$3,848.49	\$9,040.80

**Diocesan Collections**

Catholic Charities: \$370

**Haiti Sister Parish Collections**

Collected: \$6,504  
As of 8/04/2019

# Parish in Action

**Save the Date for the Annual St. Peter Parish Picnic**

Saturday, August 24th, 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 10th & 11th  
We will need help with set up:

- All day on Friday, August 23rd 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 24th, 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	Tony & Lauren Santora	506-1660	laurensantora5@gmail.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
Teen Games	Lydia Miller	242-0725	lmiller@dotfoods.com
Kid Games	Gen Moore	577-4477	my4moores@yahoo.com

**Ladies Bible Study**

Ladies, please join us on Tuesday mornings from 9-10:45 in the Martha Jane Room for our next Bible study. We will explore the book of Romans for eight weeks beginning September 17. Child care is available upon request. Please contact Jennifer Dyer (2jdyers@gmail.com or 217.440.9766) to reserve your spot no later than August 12.

**St. Peter Seniors!**

Are you retired, widowed, family out of town, or just looking for some fellowship with others in your age group? The Stewardship Committee is gathering ideas for some activities or interest groups and your ideas and help are needed. Some thoughts include day bus trips, dinner and movie night, carry ins, and support groups or whatever else might be suggested. An initial meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 14, after Mass at 9:15am, downstairs in the Martha Jane room. Coffee and rolls will be served. If you would be interested but cannot attend the meeting, you may email Judy Nelson, geojud104@comcast.net; or call 224-0702 and share your thoughts.

**CELEBRATE THE START OF ANOTHER SCHOOL YEAR!**

**WHO:** Anyone who likes to celebrate anything!      **WHAT:** The QCES Foundation's Back-to-School "FUN"raiser Cocktail Party  
**WHEN:** Friday, August 16th, 2019, from 5-7 p.m.      **WHERE:** Quincy Country Club  
**WHY:** Because you deserve to celebrate the start of another school year!

**EVENT DETAILS:** Tickets are \$25 per person in advance & \$30 per person at the door. Appetizers, beer, wine and soft drinks are included in the ticket price. Tickets can be purchased at the Gene Grawe Fund office, online at [quincycatholicschools.org](http://quincycatholicschools.org), or by contacting the event Co-Chairs, Michelle (653-6511) or Susie (257-1238). Proceeds will help support the QCES Foundation's Tuition-Assistance Fund!