



The Parish of St. Peter Quincy, IL

~Mass Intentions~ Aug. 30-Sept. 5, 2021

- 30. Monday 8:00 a.m.
Alfonso Delgado
- 31. Tuesday 8:00 a.m.
Mass of Thanksgiving
- 1. Wednesday 8:30 a.m.
Jim Musolino
- 2. Thursday 8:30 a.m.
Thomas J. & Marjorie Bergman
- 3. Friday 8:00 a.m.
All The Poor Souls
- 4. Saturday 8:00 a.m.
Tom Ernst
- 4. Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Bob & Eileene Anderson
- 5. Sunday 8:00 a.m.
Paul Meyer
- 5. Sunday 9:30 a.m.
Don Christ
- 5. 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 a.m.
3:30-4:30 p.m.

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 29, 2021

Dear Parishioners,

We gather together on this last weekend in our month of August. This Saturday of this weekend is something to which we have been looking forward to. For this Saturday is our ANNUAL ST. PETER PARISH PICNIC. On behalf of our parish family, I welcome all of our visitors, guests, and families to this annual event. This particular event was always designed to be a time to get together as a parish family, a “fun time” for all of us. Throughout the year, we pray together as family and now this particular day we gather to work and play together, hoping to bring us all a little more together as a parish. Even though this day was meant to get us together to have fun, yet it also has been a very successful fund-raiser for the parish. So I want to say thank you for all of our parishioners who continue to support our efforts through their sponsorship, or through their purchase of raffle tickets, or through their donation of their time, talents and treasures. It takes an entire parish to bring this one day the success that it usually is. I also recognize that this day would not happen without the prayers of so many of our parishioners and so I want to thank God for your prayerful support. May each of us enjoy this evening and make sure we do our best to help people feel at home with us.

Even though we did not have a parish picnic last year because of COVID, nevertheless our chairpersons for this picnic have been working very hard to make this year a success. I want to acknowledge and thank our general co-chairs for this event: Randy and Amanda Martin, James and Kari Weisenberger, Teresa and Brian Baker, and Jeremy and Sarah Stegeman. These people have been working behind the scene coordinating, preparing, and planning this event. Without their efforts, this picnic would not be a success and so I thank each of them on behalf of the parish. I also want to thank each of the people who chair the individual stands and their workers, from the raffles, the children’s games and rides, the food stand, the cooks, the beverage stands, the silent auctions, the many people who set up and tear down, as well as any others who have given of themselves to make this day such a success. May God bless all of our efforts in sharing the spirit of this parish with so many others. I am so proud of all of you and thank God for each of you.

Just to make sure you know our Mass next Saturday will return to its normal time, namely 5:00 p.m. Plus our Confessional schedule will also return to its normal time, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

As we celebrate the last weekend of August, I want to remind you that we will begin our new RCIA process on Tuesday, September 14th. This process is for anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic Church and who also might be interested in joining us. The classes will be in the Martha Jane Room near the school cafeteria from 7:00-8:30 p.m. each Tuesday. We have an excellent team who are interested in sharing their own faith and understanding with anyone who will be attending. I challenge each of you to be a modern day evangelist, one who encourages others to “come and see” and find the treasures of our Catholic Church. Sometimes all it takes is a person who might invite and attend with someone they have invited. As Andrew invited Peter, so I challenge each of you like Andrew to say to someone, “come and see.”

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Next Meeting
Mini Golf
September 12th
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Drop Off & Pick Up at
Upper Moorman Park

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



Saints Alive!
Let Me See Your Halo
September 26, 2021
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 6:30-8:00 p.m. Wear your Saints Alive Shirt! Please check Facebook for updates.

Baptism
Riley Jude Terwelp, son of **Jonathan & Alexandra (Smith) Terwelp**, was made a child of God through the reception of the sacrament of Baptism on Sunday, August 22, 2021.

Thursday Morning Mass Time Changes This Week
 Starting this week on Thursday, August 26th, the Mass time for Thursday mornings will change to 8:30 a.m. due to school Masses being twice a week.

Social Concerns 5th Sunday Collection
 August 28 & 29 is the Fifth Sunday collection for the Social Concerns Committee. Please consider making a donation to help support our community. Thank you for your generosity!

Social Concerns Collection
 Social Concerns will be collecting canned chicken, tuna, mac & cheese, peanut butter, jelly & canned fruit next weekend, September 4-5 for the 1st Sunday collection for the Ladies of Charity. Containers will be located in the Narthex. Thank you in advance!

Coffee & Donuts
 Because of the holiday, coffee & donuts will be help on Sunday, September 12th.

St. Peter Chorale Resumes September 1
 The St. Peter Chorale will resume rehearsals on Wednesday, September 1 at 6:30pm in the choir room. We are always looking for singers with some experience (high school choir, piano or instrumental experience works!) who read music and like to have fun while serving in a vital and life-giving parish ministry. Please contact Monica Scholz for more information – m.scholz@cospq.org or 217-214-0131 (office).

Dear PSR Students and Parents
 We are looking forward to another year at PSR and glad that you will be joining us. Opening Mass for PSR will be Sept 7 at 630 pm in the church. After mass your children will be visiting with their teachers and being showed their classrooms in the school for about 15 minutes. During that time, I asked that you remain in the church as I will be having a parent meeting to give you information, a student handbook, a PSR calendar with dates for the school year and answering questions. First day of class will be Sept 15 from 615 to 730 PM.
 If you have any questions before or anytime during the school year, please reach out to child's teacher or myself.
 Blessings, Gina Wolf

Please keep the following in your prayers:

~Kristopher Schreacke	~Elias Erd		
~Lilli Foster	~Ian Mehaffy		
~John Meyer	~Isabella Benner		
~Natalie Meyer	~Lucy Miller		
~Rose Hockgraver	~Bonnie Haubrich		
~Sharon Zehnle	~Alden Shipp		~Al Mitten
~Steve Sinnock	~Mike Creek		~Steve Hull
~Theresa Althoff	~Ted Kemner		~Dorothy Davis
~Kathy Schuckman	~Jack Terford		~Amy Seibert
~Howard & Jo Buckley	~Norma Johnson		~Julia Maas
~Jim Steinkamp	~Anonymous		
~Virginia Berhorst	~Florence M. Smith		~Bryce Shank
~Michelle Houston	~Valerie Orbal	~Larry Phillips	
~Cal Noelke	~Joe Sanders	~Avery Cowick	
~Donna Berhorst	~Gavin Springsteen	~Lucille Lippa	

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

Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Study
 Topic: Divine Mercy; In the Second Greatest Story Ever Told By Father Michael Gaitley
 When: Every Tuesday starting September 14th – November 23rd, Time: 8:30 am–9:00 am - social, study will start at 9:00 am and end by 10:30 am
 If interested in joining this study, please contact Gina Bergman at 217-430-6080 or g.bergman@cospq.org by August 30th so we can order materials.
 Please contact Gina by August 30th if you need childcare. Please include the number of children and their ages.

Childcare Volunteer Needed for Our Tuesday Morning Bible Study
 We are looking for anyone interested in babysitting children of our Ladies Bible Study participants. This will take place on Tuesday mornings from 9:00 am – 10:30 am from Sept. 14–Nov. 23. We have had homeschool students (16+) and grandmas volunteer in the past. Please contact Gina Bergman at 217-430-6080 or g.bergman@cospq.org.

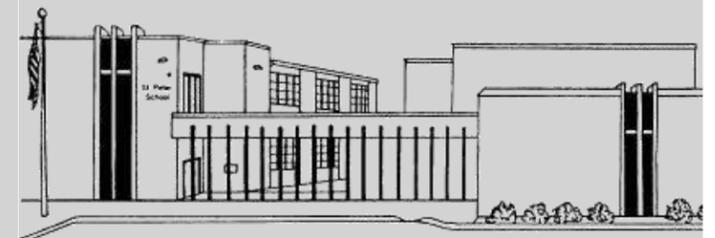
Adoration Chapel Update
 As you may have heard we are opening the Adoration Chapel at St. Peters for 1 - 24-hour period once a week. We know that this may be a slow start, but we have many open hours to fill. We would rather start with a few hours than wait to get all the hours filled before we start. We ask for your patience with this process.
 We will be adding hours as we can, so please be aware of email and phone calls. We will be asking for a response from you to confirm hour and date.
 At this time there are no walk ins. Please be respectful of the Adorers who have scheduled time in the Chapel. As you know the church is open during the day and some into the evening. It is a great place to pray also.
 If you would like to be an Adorer, please contact Mary at 217-653-3127 or Gina at 217-257-9966.

Executive Director of QCES Foundation and Director of Marketing & Development for QCES
 The Quincy Catholic Elementary Schools Foundation is looking to hire a director. This person will oversee marketing and development for the four Quincy Catholic elementary schools. If interested, please send a resume and cover letter to Elizabeth Brown, Foundation Board President (QCESFoundationPresident@gmail.com). (different email)

Greeters September 2021

Date	Time	
9/4/21	5:00	Tom Frese
9/5/21	8:00	Sara Bradfield
9/5/21	9:30	Ron & Rose Ann Huber
9/5/21	11:00	Andrew & Laura Mays
9/11/21	5:00	Joe & Lindsay Holtschlag
9/12/21	8:00	Warren & Veronica Brush
9/12/21	9:30	Bob & Jil Johnson
9/12/21	11:00	Bryce & Jessica Beaston
9/18/21	5:00	Jerry & Gingie Holzgrafe
9/19/21	8:00	Dave & Rose Marie Busen
9/19/21	9:30	Eric & Kyla Kasparie
9/19/21	11:00	Chris & Kelli Bockius
9/25/21	5:00	Betty Klingele
9/26/21	8:00	Mary Christensen
9/26/21	9:30	David & Dana Ludwig
9/26/21	11:00	Dan & Heather Bradfield

The School of St. Peter



Week of August 29, 2021

A Message from Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh

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

CURRICULUM NIGHT AT ST. PETER SCHOOL FOR GRADES 1-8 – Aug. 31st

Curriculum Night is scheduled for Tuesday, Aug. 31st. This is an opportunity for teachers to explain what a typical school day is for your children, and share with you goals and expectations for the school year. This will hopefully answer any questions concerning our curriculum that you may have about your child's classroom/grade level. Parents will be able to visit our new STEM lab from 5:30-7:00. **Curriculum Night is for parents only** – Please do not bring your children as our teachers want your complete attention and we do not have childcare available for this night.

The schedule is as follows:

- Session 1 – 5:30-6:00 pm Grades 1-6 (held in classrooms)
- Session 2 – 6:15-6:45 pm Grades 1-6 (held in classrooms)
- Session 3 – 7:00-7:45 pm Grades 7/8 only (held in cafeteria)
- 8th grade** - Parent's Washington, DC meeting 7:45 pm in the cafeteria following the curriculum meeting.

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS NEEDED



St. Peter School is in need of substitute teachers. If you are interested in subbing, please contact Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh or Mrs. Chris Reichert at 217-223-1120. (Requirements to sub include having either a bachelor's or an associate's degree, completing fingerprinting, a background check and Protecting God's Children training.)

SPIRIT DAY RECIPIENT FOR 2021-2022

We have chosen our sister parish in Haiti, Lady of Assumption Parish, as our Spirit Day recipient this year. The proceeds collected from each Spirit Day will go towards purchasing food for them. Spirit Days will take place on the following dates: Sept. 3, Oct. 1, Nov. 12, Dec. 3, Jan.7, Feb. 4, Mar. 4, Apr 1 and May 6th.

On Spirit Days the students may wear their Spirit Day shirts and appropriate out of dress code bottoms if they bring in 25 cents or more. Proceeds will be sent to our sister parish in Haiti, Lady of Assumption Parish, to purchase food for its parishioners.

TWO TEACHER AIDE (Para Educator) OPENINGS

St. Peter School is accepting applications for a 1st grade para educator and a middle school aide (grades 3-6) for the 2021-2022 school year (Approximately 25 hours/week.) Applicants should have experience in working with young children. Responsibilities include working one on one with children, assisting the classroom teacher with instruction and supervision. Qualified applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and references to Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh, St. Peter School, 2500 Maine Street, Quincy, IL 62301.

MENU

Monday: Meat loaf/gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple tidbits, dinner roll.

Tuesday: Chicken/cheese bites, veggie boats/dip, blueberry cup, wheat thin crackers.

Wednesday: Corn dog, French fries, California veggies, mandarin oranges, cookie.

Thursday: Brown bag lunch, turkey/cheese wrap, chips, cookie, juice, apple slices.

Friday: French toast sticks, sausage patty, hard boiled egg, pineapple tidbits, razzly juice.

WHAT IS HAPPENING THIS WEEK?

Sat. Aug. 28: St. Peter Picnic—students who sign in at the raffle booth will receive an out of dress code day on Sept. 14.

Mon, Aug. 30:

Tues. Aug. 31: Curriculum Night beginning at 5:30 (see information to the left)

Wed. Sept. 1: 8:30 Children's Mass—K, 3, 5, 6 attend.

Thurs. Sept. 2: 8:30 Children's Mass—1,2,4,7,& 8 attend.

Fri., Sept. 3: Spirit Day

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Mark Your Calendar

Mon. August 30:
Tues. August 31: Novena 8:30 a.m., Church
Wed. September 1: Ladies Cursillo 7:00 p.m., Fr. Bauer Prayer Room
Thurs. September 2:
Fri. September 3:
Sat. September 4: Rosary 7:30 a.m., Church
Sun. September 5:

—*Mass Servers*—
Not Assigned At This Time but can Signup Online for Weekdays and Weekends

—*Daily Mass Ministry Schedule*—
Not Assigned At This Time

Fr. Leo's column continued....

Last week, I received a call from Fr. Delix Michel, the pastor of the parishes for our sister parishes in Haiti. He informed me that the earthquake did not affect his parishes but it had devastating effects upon other parts of the island. Besides this natural disaster, the people then had two hurricanes that hit the island that did affect his parishes. What they are needing is food. Our Haiti committee is organizing people to begin creating rice bags to be sent to Haiti. As a parish we will support this effort which should be around \$1200. If anyone might be interested in helping our Haiti committee, please contact Marilena Frier. This project will benefit those who are really hurting and need the healing touch of Jesus through our love and support for them. I also ask that you pray for each of them. I am convinced that prayer is perhaps the only thing that keeps people going with the crosses and struggles that they encounter.

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE: An old cowboy walks into a barbershop for a shave and a haircut. He tells the barber he can't get his whiskers off because his cheeks are wrinkled from age. The barber gets a little wooden ball from a cup on the shelf and tell the old cowboy to put it inside his cheek to spread out the skin. When finished, the old cowboy tells the barber that was the cleanest shave he'd had in years, but wanted to know what would have happened if he had accidentally swallowed that little ball.

The barber replied, "Just bring it back in a couple of days like everyone else does."

Magy. Leo J. Eulow



WEEKLY COLLECTION		
	August 22	Total to Date
Loose Collections	\$777.70	\$6,491.53
Regular Collections	\$21,435.84	\$213,543.54
Annual School Fund	\$2,926.10	\$64,082.10
Holy Days	\$150.00	\$1,926.00
Totals	\$25,289.64	\$286,043.17
Total Budget Goal	\$32,000.00	\$256,000.00
Difference	(\$6,710.36)	\$30,043.17

Diocesan Collections
Missionary Co-op \$25.00

Haiti Sister Parish Collections
Collected \$1,365.00



Parish in Action

Haiti Sister Parish Update

Father Michel sent the letter below following a recent summer camp he was able to provide to 158 children.

Dear Members of Saint Peter Parish,

This year we had a wonderful summer camp. We had a group of 108 kids go from Wednesday, August 4th to Friday, August 6th. Another group of 50 went from Friday, August 6th to Monday, August 9th. The second group stayed in the parish for three days. They went back home August 9th, around 2:00 p.m. It was great.

Following the summer camp, we distributed the remaining items shipped through the Twinning Program. The students had a very good time.

Saint Peter is the origin of all our initiatives. I praise the Lord for that. The students enjoyed their time together, a time of learning to become better Christians and better citizens. In addition, they were able to eat very well during that time. Good break for the families at this time of food insecurity.

Thanks a million for the strong support provided under the leadership of Msgr. Leo. May our Lord bless you all! We pray for you and ask you to continue doing the same for us.

Father Michel



SEPTEMBER 2021 USHER SCHEDULE

Saturday, 5:00 p.m. Mass

Lead Usher: John Reiter **Ushers:** Rodney Becks, Chuck Scholz, Steve Sturhahn, Bob Weckbach

Sunday, 8:00 a.m. Mass

Lead Usher: Kent Schrecke **Ushers:** Ernie Bain, George McDonnell, Kurt Stuckman, Robert Welding

Sunday, 9:30 a.m. Mass

Lead Usher: Harold Ellerbrock **Ushers:** Eric Kasparie, Paul Rakers, Chris Robnett, Bill Vollrath

Sunday, 11:00 a.m. Mass

Lead Usher: John Flynn **Ushers:** Dave Cawthon, Jerry Eberhardt, Al Eilers, Kevin Meyer



MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT: FOUND Youth Group

Mission: Discover New Understandings Of Faith!

- Youth group for graders 7-9.
- Meet Sunday evenings twice a month
- Fellowship, prayer and service
- Upbeat activities tied to forming and discovering faith
- Adults needed to help organize events, chaperone, drive and provide food and drinks

Do you want to be a part of or help with this ministry?
 Contact: Gina Bergman, 217-430-6080, g.bergman@cospq.org