

The Parish of St. Peter Quincy, IL

Fifth Sunday of Lent, April 3, 2022

~Mass Intentions~ April 4-10, 2022

- 4. Monday 8:00 a.m. Norman Ward
- 4. Monday 6:30 p.m. John Michael Dolan
- 5. Tuesday 8:00 a.m. Norm Schmelzle
- 5. Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Barbara Kuhn
- 6. Wednesday 8:30 a.m. David Oakley Sr.
- 6. Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Anaise Haubrich
- 7. Thursday 8:00 a.m. **Dorothy Davis**
- 7. Thursday 6:30 p.m. Sharon Zehnle
- 8. Friday 8:00 a.m. Ann Anderson
- 8. Friday 6:30 p.m. Roger Frankenhoff
- 9. Saturday 8:00 a.m. Raymond & Judy Leonard
- 9. Saturday 5:00 p.m. Tony & Betty Wiewel
- 10. Sunday 8:00 a.m. Alice Wavering Kemner & T.B. Kemner
- 10. Sunday 9:30 a.m. **Our Parish Family**
- 10. Sunday 11:00 a.m. Zakery Haubrich

— Mass Schedule —

Monday-Saturday 8:00 a.m. Wednesday & Thursday 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.

Dear Parishioners,

After a long struggle with all differing kinds of weather, we have finally reached the month of April, hoping that this particular month will bring with it warmer weather, greener grass, new growth on the trees, and the sound of some beautiful songbirds in the area. As I anticipate this change, I can also imagine more pollen in the area and a lot of allergies erupting in the lives of so many of us. But at this point in time, I will take it after such a long struggle with the change of weather that we have all been experiencing the past month.

This weekend, we celebrate the 5th Sunday in our season of Lent. This is the last weekend for our scrutinies which we will be celebrating at the 9:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday morning. Because of the scrutinies, we will be using cycle A readings for this Mass. And so the Church wants the Elect to concentrate their focus on the Paschal Mystery, especially the resurrection of Jesus. We are only two weeks from Easter and so we have two readings that speak of new life. The first reading is from Ezekiel which states: "You shall know that I am the Lord, when I open your graves and have you rise from them." And then our gospel for this Mass is the beautiful story of Jesus raising Lazarus from the dead. Here we hear Jesus state the following as He confronts the tomb of His friend: "Lazarus, come out!" And with those words, Lazarus comes out of the tomb, a symbol of the resurrection. However, Lazarus will have to die again. What our Scriptures are trying to reassure us is that the new life given to us in and through our baptisms will have us rise to the joy of eternal life. And that new life begins today as we prepare the Elect for baptisms and as we prepare ourselves for the renewal of our own baptismal promises.

Those who attend the other Masses will hear a different set of readings. In the gospel proclaimed at these Masses, we hear of the crowds bringing to Jesus a woman caught in adultery. They force her to stand before them, ready to throw stones to kill her. This is when Jesus intervenes and states to those in attendance. "the person without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." After some reflection, they all seem to leave without throwing any stone. That's when we see the God made incarnate in Jesus as He looks up and says, "woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you? Neither do I condemn you. Go, and from now on do not sin any more." If we ever in life doubt whether God can forgive us of our sins, we need to remember this story. God's mercy and forgiveness is always present if and only we turn to Him seeking it. To help us celebrate that forgiveness, St. Peter Church will be hosting the city wide Penance Service this next Sunday, April 10th, at 2:00 p.m. There will be a number of priests present for individual confession. Please come and join us for this celebration. Also, there will be opportunities provided for individual confession during Holy Week. These times are the following: Thursday, April 14th: 3:00-5:00 p.m., Friday, April 15th: 11:00 a.m to Noon and 3:00-5:00 p.m.; then on Saturday, April 16th": 11:00-Noon and 3:00-5:00 p.m. Plenty of opportunity to receive the forgiveness and mercy of God and hear Jesus say to each of us, "neither do I condemn you, Go and sin nor more."

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Next Meeting

CSI April 3

6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. **Drop Off & Pick Up at Cafeteria Doors**

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



Saints Alive! Let Me See Your Halo April 24, 2022 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.



Rest in Peace May the soul of Mary Ernst



sing praises with the Angels in Heaven forever.

Thursday Morning Mass Time Changed

The Thursday morning Mass time is back to 8:00am. The school will only have the school Mass on Wednesdays.

Lenten Evening Masses

We are having the 6:30 p.m. evening Masses Monday through Friday during Lent. There will also be confessions at 5:45 p.m. - 6:15 p.m. each of those days before Mass.

Educational Evenings During Lent

On Tuesdays and Thursdays during Lent, we are having videos followed by a questions & answer session on Bishop Barron's The Creed after the 6:30 p.m. evening Masses.

Social Concerns Collection

Social Concerns is collecting canned toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, body wash, liquid soap, feminine products and toilet paper this weekend. April 2-3 for the 1st Sunday collection for the Ladies of Charity. Containers will be located in the Narthex. Thank you!

Coffee & Donuts and Blood Pressures Next Sunday

Please join us this Sunday, April 3, after all Masses in the cafeteria for Coffee & Donuts and blood pressure screenings.

Fellowship Friday

Join us for Fellowship Friday after 8:00am Mass this week (4/8). Come for Mass, fellowship, coffee and treats!

Community Penance Service

There will be 1 more community penance service held this St. Peter - April 10th at 2:00pm

St. Veronica Guild

The St. Veronica Guild will meet Thursday, April 7 in the Lower Level of the rectory at 8:30 a.m., making prayer shawls & blankets for those who need to feel the love of Jesus in a time of need. All are welcome, please join us!

Red Beans & Rice Dinner

Join St Peter's Social Concerns Committee for our Red Beans and Beans Dinner.

Date: Sunday, April 10th

Time: 4:30 p.m.

Our speakers, Father Mike Kuse and Janet Conover, will discuss Quincy housing needs. RSVP: call or text 217-257-1376.

~Isabella Benner

~Theresa Althoff

~Bonnie Haubrich

~Norma Johnson

~Jim Steinkamp

~Jack Terford

~Steve Hull

~Mike Creek

~Ted Kemner

~Amy Seibert

~Jo Buckley

~Billy Smith

~Anonymous

Please keep the following in your prayers:

~Kristopher Schreacke ~Elias Erd ~Lilli Foster ~lan Mehaffy

~Hunter Hildebrand ~Natalie Meyer

~Rose Hockgraver ~Alden & Joyce Shipp

~Steve Sinnock

~Priscilla & Bill Morrison ~Julie Eftink

~Kathy Schuckman

~John & Barb Mever ~Ken & Barb Wolf ~Joan Wilson

~Evelyn Garrett ~JoAnn Schaefer

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

PSR Teachers & Substitutes Needed for Next Year

Let us thank all those who teach......Educating is an act of Love; it is like giving life....

Our PSR (Parish School of Religion) Group is looking for teachers and substitutes for the 2022-2023 school year. If you are interested or want more details please contact Gina Wolf. PSR Coordinator at 217-257-9966 or at g.wolf@cospq.org. Thank you for your consideration.

Adoration Chapel Help Needed

We are looking to add additional hours at the Adoration Chapel at St Peters, and we need your help. The following hours are available. Please check your schedule, think about it, pray about it, and call Mary at 217-653-3127 or Gina at 217-257-9966 to take an hour or with any guestions. Schedules are flexible so if you cannot do every week maybe you can do every other week with a friend alternating with you. Saturday-- 11 am to noon, 2 pm to 3 pm, 6 pm to 7 pm (2nd week of the month), 7 pm to 8 pm, 8 pm to 9 pm, 9 pm to 10 pm, 10 pm to 11 pm, 11 pm to midnight. Thank you for your consideration. Mary and Gina

Totus Tuus is Back!!

St. Peter and St. Francis will be sponsoring Totus Tuus (Catholic Kids Camp) this summer. It will be held at St. Peter this year. Save the date for students going into 7th - 12th grade on Sunday, July 24th - Thursday, July 28th (evenings) and students going into 1st - 6th grade on Monday, July 25th - Friday, July 29th (daytime).

Soup and a Smile

The Soup and a Smile ministry has been busy delivering soup to over 200 parishioners, staff members, and the children at Chaddock. If you know a parishioner who has had surgery, lost a loved one, is homebound, or has had a new baby, please contact Kathy Schwartz 217-779-2824 or Carol Rolves 217-257-5851. We don't want to miss anyone who could benefit from some yummy soup and a smile! If you would like to support this ministry, donations can be made through the church office.

A Christian Perspective on Death

Join us on April 5th at the Quincy Brewing Co to hear Jared Haugh, Funeral Director of Duke & Haugh Funeral Home, as he offers a Christian perspective on death and explains the theological significance of the Mass of Christian burial. This is a fitting topic as we approach Good Friday. Doors open at 6 Pm and Jared will begin at 6:45 PM. Let us know you are coming by RSVPing on the Facebook Event Page "April Theology on Tap."

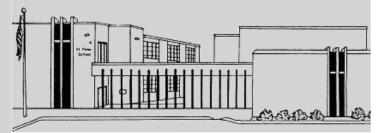
QND Pancake & Sausage Breakfast

The Annual OND Pancake and Sausage Breakfast will be Sunday, April 10th, from 8:30am-12:30pm in the OND cafeteria. The cost is \$9.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children. (Children under 5 eat free). All proceeds benefit the Catholic Heart Workcamp trip this summer.

Reporting Allegations of Child Sexual Abuse

To report allegations of sexual abuse of a minor by clergy or other church personnel -- even if it is in the past -- individuals are encouraged to call the Diocese's Child Abuse Reporting and Investigation number at (217) 321-1155. Individuals may also contact Illinois Department of Children and Family Services Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.25.ABUSE.

The School of St. Peter



Week of April 3, 2022

A Message from Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh

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

Rube Goldberg STEM Fair











Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth Grade students learned about the cartoonist, Rube Goldberg. He became popular for his cartoons that depicted complicated gadgets performing simple tasks in indirect, "not so simple ways." The students were challenged to create a similar machine that performs a simple task in a complicated, unnecessary way. Visitors came to view the projects.

Two Part Time Para Educator-Teacher Aide Openings at St. Peter School

Would you like to work in a supportive, caring, environment with great students and teachers? St. Peter School has two openings for a Para Educator/Teacher Aide for kindergarten or the 2022-2023 School year. Duties include assisting teachers and students throughout the school day with various tasks. If interested send your resume along with 2-3 letters of recommendation to Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh at 2500 Maine Street, Quincy, IL 62301 or c.venvertloh@cospq.org.

Daycare Coordinator Position Open For 2022-2023 School Year

Hours of work take place from 2:15-5:45 Monday-Friday. Duties include: providing a safe and enjoyable environment for students & day care staff, supervising daycare staff & assigning tasks, printing out weekly attendance, working with kitchen manager to provide snacks, billing families for daycare use, familiarizing oneself with students and parent, having computer skills, maintaining a clean environment, cleaning & sanitizing work area & providing activities for 50-70 students in grades Preschool 4's-8th. If you are interested send a resume along with two or more references to Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh at 2500 Maine Street, Quincy, IL 62301.

MENU

Monday: Corn dog, baked chips, corn, fruit.

Tuesday: Grilled chicken sandwich, tri-tator, green beans, fruit.

Wednesday: Sausage pizza, spinach/romaine salad, yogurt, fruit.

Thursday: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes/gravy, fresh veggies, fruit.

Friday: Toasted cheese ravioli, peas, fruit, jello.

WHAT IS HAPPENING THIS WEEK?

Vision & Hearing Testing all week

Monday, Apr. 4:

Tuesday, Apr. 5:

Wednesday, Apr. 6: 8:30 a.m. Children's Mass for ALL grades.

Thursday, Apr. 7: 8th gr. Retreat.

Friday, Apr. 8:

Job Openings for 2022-2023 School Year

2 Para Educators/Aides Day Care Coordinator (pm) Administrative Assistant

Contact Mrs. Venvertloh at c.venvertloh@cospq,org for more information.

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School of St. Peter

Mark Your Calendar

Mon. April 4: Mass 6:30 p.m., Church

Tues. April 5: Novena 8:30 a.m., Church

Ladies Bible Study 8:30 a.m., Martha Jane Room

Mass 6:30 p.m., Church

Educational Evenings 7:00 p.m., Church

RCIA 7:00 p.m., Martha Jane Room

Wed. April 6: Ladies Cursillo 1:30 p.m., Fr. Bauer Rm

PSR 6:15 p.m., School Mass 6:30 p.m., Church

Thurs. April 7: St. Veronica's Guild 8:30 a.m., LLCR

Cribbage 1:00 p.m., Martha Jane Room

Mass 6:30 p.m., Church

Educational Evenings 7:00 p.m., Church

Fri. April 8: Mass 6:30 p.m., Church

Sat. April 9: Rosary 7:30 a.m., Church

Sun. April 10: Penance Service 2:00 p.m., Church

Red Beans & Rice 4:30 p.m., Cafeteria

Fr. Leo's column continued..

As we look ahead, I do want to share with you the Triduum schedule at St. Peter Church. Please plan on celebrating with us at these times:

Mass of the Lord's Last Supper, Holy Thursday, April 14th, 7:00 p.m. After Mass we will have a vigil until 11:00 p.m. for all those who want to watch and pray with Jesus. More details next weekend.

Celebration of the Lord's Passion, Veneration of the Cross, and Holy Communion, Good Friday, April 15th, at 7:00 p.m.

Celebration of the Easter Vigil, Holy Saturday night, April 16th, at 8:00 p.m.

Masses of the Lord's Resurrection, Easter Sunday, April 17th, at 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE: A husband and wife had both died and gone to heaven. As they were walking the streets of heaven one day the husband couldn't get over how beautiful everything was—the presence of God, all the angels and choirs, and all the colors.

Finally, he turn to his wife and said, "honey, do you recall down on earth how you had us eat all the healthy food stuff? You know, no fried chicken, no gravy, no sugar?"

The wife said, "Yes." The husband replied, "Do you realize we could have been here about 10 years earlier if you wouldn't have done that."

—Mass Servers—

Not Assigned At This Time but can Signup Online for Weekdays and Weekends

—Daily Mass Ministry Schedule—
Not Assigned At This Time



WEEKLY COLLECTION

		March 27	Total to Date
/	Loose Collections	\$1,144.02	\$33,595.85
	Regular Collections	\$20,868.50	\$1,122,181.24
,	Annual School Fund	\$2,306.00	\$321,145.60
	Holy Days	\$0.00	\$50,317.07
1	Totals	\$24,318.52	\$1,527,239.76
1	Total Budget Goal	\$32,000.00	\$1,248,000.00
•	Difference	(\$7,681.48)	\$279,239.76

Diocesan Collections

Eastern Europe: \$5.00 Catholic Charities: \$25.00 Cath. Relief Services: \$819.00 Home Mission: \$20.00

Haiti Sister Parish Collections

Collected \$158.00

Parish in Action



What is CRS Rice Bowl?

CRS Rice Bowl is a Catholic Relief Services' Lenten faith-in-action program for families and faith communities. Through CRS Rice Bowl, we deepen our personal experience of Lent. We can devote our Lenten prayers, fasting and gifts to transform our relationship with God and neighbor. Please pick up your families Rice Bowl and join thousands of other Catholic communities across the United States, in this lifechanging Lenten journey.

Bowls are in the Narthex and will be collected April 23 & 24 - the weekend after Easter.

Easter Flowers			
To make a donation for Easter flowers in memory of a loved one, please fill out the envelope in your packet or, for those who do not receive envelopes, please put your donation in a plain envelope labeled "Easter Flowers" along with this form and place it in the collection by Sunday, April 10.			
Given by:			
In Memory of:			
In Memory of:			