



The Parish of St. Peter Quincy, IL

~Mass Intentions~

August 1-7, 2022

- 1. Monday 8:00 a.m.
Kathy Laird
- 2. Tuesday 8:00 a.m.
Margie Huck
- 3. Wednesday 8:30 a.m.
Dan Barry
- 4. Thursday 8:00 a.m.
Loren Tournear
- 5. Friday 8:00 a.m.
Mary Talken
- 6. Saturday 8:00 a.m.
George Boudreau
- 6. Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Anita Wavering
- 7. Sunday 8:00 a.m.
Dee Burnham
- 7. Sunday 9:30 a.m.
Don Adolfs
- 7. Sunday 11:00 a.m.
Our Parish Family

— 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.

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 31, 2022

Dear Parishioners,

Well the month of July has come to an end. I know this saddens me as I realize that summer vacation is coming to a close and school will be starting in just over two weeks. All the plans that I made or hoped to accomplish are now just memories of things left undone. But time goes on as we enjoy these last few weeks.

One of the realities that we all have to face is the reality of our own mortality. That means that death is inevitable. So often we are confronted with this reality in the death of someone very close to us. Needless to say, death often hits home and when it does, it becomes an experience that brings sorrow and sadness and an experience for which we dread. I can remember when my parents died, my mom first, and then my dad several years later. They were always the rock of my life and I knew that they would always be there for me. So much for the role of parents of a priest. And when they died, I realized a reality that was made present to me, that they would no longer be there as that rock. With God's grace I then began to realize that God had been that rock, although His steadfastness was made present in their lives for me. I also realized that life does go on, that I've been blessed with siblings and a parish family to be now my main support and rock. Such the experience of death would not disable me, but would help me to experience a strength that had always been present and a strength that would continue through the lives and love of family, of friends, and of my parish. Yes, death can be tragic and does change us all. But for us who have a faith and a hope, death is part of our journey and Jesus has the final say in our journey, claiming the hope of something far greater that we call life with Him. And for that life to be a reality, we hear Paul in his letter to the Colossians state: "If you were raised with Christ, seek what is above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Think of what is above, not of what is on earth." In the midst of this experience of death, our thoughts truly do turn to what is above for that is our very life and hope.

Last Saturday, July 23rd, one of our parishioners, Connie Schrage, received the "Women of Distinction Award" sponsored by the Springfield in Illinois Diocesan Council of Catholic Women. She was nominated by me as a representative from St. Peter to receive that award for her service to God, Parish, and Community. For years, Connie has been the coordinator of our RCIA process, as well as one of our ladies who has done the Church linen for years. She received this award at a Mass and Luncheon in Springfield with the Bishop presenting the awards for the women who were nominated by their pastors for the parishes throughout the diocese. Congratulations, Connie, we are proud of you! Thank you for sharing your gifts of time and talents with us.

Our Totus Tuus program recently came to an end on Friday. I hope and pray that our young people were touched by the leaders present and grew in their faith and devotion to God and the Church. We had about 150 total number of kids with about 110 in the daytime program and 40 in our evening program. I want to thank St. Francis Parish for sponsoring this summer program along with St. Peter Parish.

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Next Meeting
This Fall
To Be Determined
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
To Be Determined - This Fall
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.

Baptisms
Maelyn Anilee Harris, daughter of **Derek & Melissa (Bleich) Harris** and **Benjamin Thomas Killam**, son of **Dane & Rachel (Norton) Killam**, were made children of God through the reception of the sacrament of Baptism on Sunday, July 24, 2022.

Come Welcome Fr. Zach This Weekend!
 Please join us this weekend, July 30th & 31st, to welcome Fr. Zach to our parish. There will be a reception in the cafeteria after Saturday's 5:00pm Mass and after all 3 Masses on Sunday.

Social Concerns 5th Sunday Collection
 This weekend, July 30 & 31, 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 school supplies next weekend, August 6-7, for the 1st Sunday collection for the Ladies of Charity. Containers will be located in the Narthex. Thank you in advance!

St. Brigid Ice Cream Social
 St. Brigid Catholic Church will hold a Homemade Ice Cream Social on Saturday, August 6, 4:00-7:00pm. Menu includes: homemade ice cream, maid-rites, hot dogs, chips, homemade desserts, drink (tea/coffee). St. Brigid—Highway 104, Liberty.

August 2022 Usher Schedule
Saturday, 5:00 p.m. Mass
 Lead Usher: Sonny Laird Ushers: Rodney Becks, Martin Ohnemus, Bob Rakers, Ted Siebers
Sunday, 8:00 a.m. Mass
 Lead Usher: Gary Zanger Ushers: Zachary Kinscherf, Kurt Stuckman, Nick Terwelp, Bob Tonielli
Sunday, 9:30 a.m. Mass
 Lead Usher: Harold Ellerbrock Ushers: Steve Adair, Matt George, John Johannes, Eric Kasparie
Sunday, 11:00 a.m. Mass
 Lead Usher: Steve Koester Ushers: Tim Brenner, Mario Camacho, Stephen Gramke, Kevin Schuckman

August 2022 EMCH Schedule
 Saturday, 5:00 p.m. Mass – Carol & Steve Sturhahn
 Sunday, 8:00 a.m. Mass – Jean Cook and Jeff Norton
 Sunday, 9:30 a.m. Mass – Rose Ann Huber and Gabriel Vander-Bol
 Sunday, 11:00 a.m. Mass – Steve Boll, Bradley Smith

Please keep the following in your prayers:

~Kristopher Schrecke	~Elias Erd	
~Lilli Foster	~Ian Mehaffy	
~Hunter Hildebrand	~Isabella Benner	
~Natalie Meyer	~Theresa Althoff	
~Rose Hockgraver	~Bonnie Haubrich	
~Alden & Joyce Shipp	~Norma Johnson	
~Judie Mehaffy	~Jim Steinkamp	
~Priscilla & Bill Morrison	~Julie Eftink	
~Kathy Schuckman	~John & Barb Meyer	
~Ken & Barb Wolf	~Joan Wilson	
~Evelyn Garrett	~Mark & Diane Zoller	
~JoAnn Schaefer	~Jay Wellman	

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

Parents of New PSR Students and Returning Students
 We are looking for another great year at PSR and looking forward to you joining us. PSR is for students kindergarten thru 8th grade on Wednesday evenings in the school from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm.

Registration forms will be mailed to you if your children attended PSR last year. Additional registration forms will be in the Narthex if you need one. Please return it to the Parish office or in the collection basket by the weekend of July 23-24.
 More information regarding PSR will be forthcoming in the bulletin. Please be on the lookout. Please reach out to me at home at 217-224-3070 or on my cell 217-257-9966 if you have any questions.
 Blessings, Gina Wolf, PSR Coordinator

Adoration Chapel Hours That Need Filled
 This past weekend we heard ask and we shall receive and that Adoration is lifting our minds and hearts to God.
 We are in need to fill the following hours at the Adoration Chapel and then we can open for another 24 hours!!
 Thursday – Midnight to 1 am and 1 am to 2 am
 Please think on it, pray on it and listen with your heart.
 Call Mary at 217-653-3127 or call or text Gina at 217-257-9966 if you could take either of these hours or if you have questions. We thank you so much in advance for your consideration.

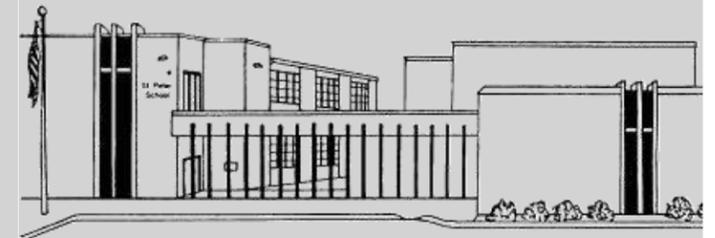
Quincy Deanery Council of Catholic Women Meeting
 Please come join the Ladies of the Deanery for the Summer Meeting of the Quincy Deanery Council of Catholic Women! Wednesday, August 10th, at St. Peter Church. Hosted by the Ladies of St. Peter & St. Anthony Churches. 8:00am Registration in the Narthex. Registration & Luncheon \$6. 8:30am Mass & Rosary. Meeting & Luncheon to follow in the cafeteria (lower level of church). RSVP by August 8th. Signup sheet in the Narthex for Luncheon estimate.

Knights of Columbus Bar-B-Q August 12, 13, 14
 Food, refreshments, entertainment, games, and carnival rides, all three days. Large 50/50 raffle on Saturday. Tickets sold from 6:00 to 8:45. Drawing at 9:00. Baby contest on Sunday at 1:00. Monies raised help support charities in our area.

Bake for Birthright
 Birthright will once again have a booth at the K of C Barbeque on August 12-14. St. Peter Church is assigned Friday, August 12th. Each parish is asked to donate home-baked goods for the bake sale. These can be brought to the K of C grounds on Friday, August 13th or arrangements can be made 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 each person who bakes 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 your name will be entered.

Mass Times While Traveling
 On vacation and want to find the Mass times for the nearest church? The oldest and best place to find Mass Times is at MassTimes.org.

The School of St. Peter



Week of July 31, 2022
A Message from Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh
"St. Peter School provides a quality education built on Catholic values and teachings."

ATTENTION ST. PETER SCHOOL PARENTS

Summer is just about coming to a close. It seems to have gone by so quickly! I pray that your summer has been exciting.
 Please be sure to check your email. You should have received information in regards to the start of the school year. Our *Kick Off the School Year Outdoor Mass* will take place on Sunday, August 14 at 5:00 p.m. Please bring a lawn chair or blanket for your family to sit. Mass will take place in the field behind the church next to Seton Hall.
 Following Mass, we invite you to drop off school supplies and to meet your child's teacher(s). We are looking forward to an exciting year ahead.



NEW THIS YEAR! YOU HAVE AN OPTION TO ORDER A YELLOW OR A GREEN SPIRIT DAY SHIRT

Place your order now!
 (Orders will be taken until August 21st)



As you prepare for the school year ahead—make sure to order St. Peter School attire.

Spirit Day Shirt/Apparel Orders – now through Aug. 21. We will only take orders for Spirit Day shirts and sweatshirts during this time frame so be sure to order now for the 2022-2023 school year. We have some exciting news – our Spirit Day shirts are available in both gold and green! You may order the embroidered apparel at any time throughout the school year.

Orders can be placed by going to: <https://store.landmarxwear.com/sites/patriots/categories>. Spirit Days will occur one day a month over the school year and are worn for field trips. Orders will be delivered to school and sent home with your child prior to the first Spirit Day which will take place on Sept. 9th.



JOB OPENINGS
 We have several positions available at St. Peter School. This is such a great place to work and an amazing opportunity to be part of a School Family. Please spread the word for the following openings.

2nd shift FULL TIME Custodian
 Please contact
 k.smith@cospq.org
 Or call 217-222-3155

Part Time Para Educator-Teacher Aide Openings.
(We are looking for a kindergarten paraeducator as well as a para to work with grades 2-5)
 Duties include working with children, assisting the teachers and students. Applicants must have experience in working with small children. If you interested send a resume along with 2-3 letters of recommendation to
 c.venvertloh@cospq.org.

AFTERNOON DAY CARE HELPERS
 St. Peter School is hiring daycare workers to supervise students varying from preschool 4's-8th grade during the St. Peter School after school program from 2:15-5:30 Monday-Friday. Applicants must love children and enjoy supervising and working closely with them.
 Rate of pay per hour is \$13.00. If you are interested send a resume along with 2-3 letters of recommendation to Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh at 2500 Maine Street, Quincy, IL 62301 or c.venvertloh@cospq.org.

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Mark Your Calendar

Mon. August 1:
 Tues. August 2: Novena 8:30 a.m., Church
 Wed. August 3: Ladies Cursillo 1:30 p.m., Fr. Bauer Rm
 Thurs. August 4:
 Fri. August 5:
 Sat. August 6:
 Sun. August 7:

—*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..

As we look ahead, I remind the parents of St. Peter Grade School that we will kick-off our school year on Sunday, August 14th, with a Mass on the Grass at 5:00 p.m. weather permitting. If the weather is not appropriate, the Mass will be moved to the Church. Please bring lawn chairs and/or blankets to this celebration. Needless to say, this will fulfill our Sunday obligation. There will be no school on Monday, August 15th, and our first 1/2 of school will be Tuesday, August 16th, with full days beginning on Wednesday, August 17th.

Monday, August 15th, is the Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary into heaven. This Solemnity is usually a Holy Day of Obligation but since it falls on a Monday, the obligation is lifted. But you still are encouraged to attend Mass on that day.

I invite all of our parishioners to the cafeteria below the Church after all of our weekend Masses to officially welcome Fr. Zachary Samples to our parish.

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE: An aging grandma was telling me that she had decided she was not too old to get fitter and improve her health.

She told me that she had joined an exercise class. I asked her, "how did you get on?"

She replied, "Well, after half an hour of pulling, stretching, sweating, groaning and with all my muscles beginning to ache, I had finally got my leotard on but by then the class was over."

Don't forget the parish picnic on Saturday, Aug. 27th.

Magr. Leo J. Eulow



WEEKLY COLLECTION		
	July 24	Total to Date
Loose Collections	\$971.71	\$3,574.32
Regular Collections	\$20,537.20	\$113,953.80
Annual School Fund	\$2,763.33	\$25,640.33
Holy Days	\$0.00	\$10.00
Totals	\$24,272.24	\$143,178.45
Total Budget Goal	\$32,000.00	\$128,000.00
Difference	(\$7,727.76)	\$15,178.45

Diocesan Collections
Catholic Charities: \$584.00
Missionary Co-op: \$5,406.00
Catholic Times: \$15.00
Haiti Sister Parish Collections
Collected \$370.00

Parish in Action



Saturday, August 27, 2022 | 5 p.m. - Midnight

50/50 RAFFLE • SILENT AUCTION • BASKET RAFFLE

BEER
WINE
FOOD
GAMES FOR ALL AGES

**\$6,000 IN
CASH PRIZES**

LIVE BAND 8:30 - 11:30 PM



QCES FOUNDATION BACK-TO-SCHOOL "FUN" RAISER COCKTAIL PARTY

**AUGUST 12, 2022 | 5:00-7:00 PM
 QUINCY COUNTRY CLUB**

**\$30 IN ADVANCE
 \$35 AT THE DOOR**



**INCLUDES APPETIZERS,
 BEER, AND WINE**

PURCHASE TICKETS AT QUINCYCATHOLICSCHOOLS.ORG OR CALL 217-779-3157