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Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 8th, 2023

CLERGY-

Rev. Fr. Daniel Brouillette, Pastor Rev. Fr. Chinedu Daniel Okafor, Parochial Vicar Deacon Dennis Adams, Deacon Brian McKnight Deacon Francisco Rodriguez (ChiChi)

RECTORY OFFICE—125 E. 19th Ave., Covington, LA Mon-Thurs: 8am –4pm, Friday: 8am - Noon Closed for Holy Days of Obligation & Holidays

SAINT PETER CATHOLIC SCHOOL

130 E. Temperance St. Covington, LA 70433 985-892-1831, Michael Kraus, Principal

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

October 19th - Confirmation/Church

October 21st - ROCK Night/St. Mary's Hall Family Praise & Worship @ 6:30pm - 8pm

October 22nd - St. Peter Parish Picnic

October 28th - TORCH Night/Youth House

November 2nd - Songs of Comfort for the Holy Souls, Prayer Concert @ 7:00pm/Church

November 27th - Vespers for the Dead with Adoration
@ 6pm In Memorial of Fr. Otis & Ruth Prats

<u>December 2nd</u> - Christine Baglow/Making a Eucharistic Home @ 9:00am

Food Pantry hours are Thursdays 1pm til 4pm.



Week of October 08, 2023



John XXIII: The Pope of Peace

This movie tells the life story of John XXIII from his youth through his young priesthood, episcopacy, life as cardinal, and everitually his life as pope. Elected supposedly as an "interim Pope" who would just keep the status quo and listen to the pope with young the status good and listen to the he supprised the Church and world by calling for the Second Vatican Country.

Registering for FORMED is easier than ever:

Visit formed.org/signup

Select our parish by entering "St. Peter Covington" and/or "70433"

Enter your name and email address

Check that email account for a link to begin using

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil	4:00 p.m.
Sunday8:00, 9:30 &	& 11:30 a.m., 5:00 p.m.
Monday & Saturday	8:30 a.m.
Tuesday - Friday	6:30a.m. & 8:30 a.m.
Youth Mass 5:00 p.m. lo	ast Sunday of the month
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION	
Sunday	4:00–4:50 p.m.
Monday - Saturday	8:00–8:20 a.m.
Saturday	
1 st Saturdays	7:45-8:30 a.m.
and by appointment at the Rectory	

RECTORY Main Number......985-892-2422

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Ethel Ganucheau......985-630-9016

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Rev. Fr. Chinedu Daniel Okafor— 985-892-2422

St. Vincent De Paul (SVDP).....985-773-0329

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM, SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE & FUNERALS

Call Rectory in advance.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 7th - Vigil 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time 4:00 PM Vigil Mass— Wayne Desdier, David & Wendy Sliman, Bekka & Andrew Barattini (L-BD), Donald G. Pechon, Mae & Jack Broyl, Ric Frances (L), Mary F. Horaist (L), Don Stein, JoAnn Guidry, Sidney & Loanalee Theriot, Paul DePew, Tim Jacob, William & Frances Rosevalley, Joyce Brewster, Mandy Cross, June Hendrick, Judy Bullion, Fr. Joseph Cazenavette, Mother Angelica, Fr. Otis Young, Judy Sharpe, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph T. McKay, Sr., Janet Ely, Manny Hebert, Kathleen Flospoller Wolfe Kemp

<u>Sunday, October 8th – 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</u> Is 5:1-7 | Ps 80 | Phil 4:6-9 | Mt 21:33-43

8:00 AM Deceased Members of Levaeseur Family, Karole & Billy Kentzel, Robert J. Schoen Family, Fr. Daniel Okafor (L), Barbara Fisher (L), Kenneth Clayton, Don Shiell, William & Frances Rosevalley, Caroline Marcello (L), Janet Ely, Willigny Family (L), Mrs. Max Oalmann, Glass Family, Emmanuel Hebert, Jr., Sung Hui "Sonny" Gietl, Marie Stein Kamp, Cecil Compton, Clotilde Mena Edo, Mary Jane Jung, Liz Sales, Debra Dwight, Irving "Pinky" Vidacovich, Poor Souls in Purgaory, Sharon Verce Llotti, Patricia Ann Fulham

9:30 AM Lisa & David Mahaffey (L)
11:30 AM St. Peter Parishioners

5:00 PM Frank Anglada

Monday, October 9th - St. Denis, Bishop and Companions,

Martyrs: St. John Leonardi, Priest

Jon 1:1-2:2,11 | (Ps) Jon 2:3-5 | Lk 10:25-37 8:30 AM Eric & Mary Catherine Frances (L)

Tuesday, October 10th - Weekday

Jon 3:1-10 | Ps 130 | Lk 10:38-42

6:30 AM Lorraine Resor

8:30 AM Manny Hebert, Sr.

Wednesday, October 11th - St. John XXIII, Pope

Jon 4:1-11 | Ps 86 | Lk 11:1-4

6:30 AM Julia & Steve King

8:30 AM Donald, Earl & Audrey Pechon

Thursday, October 12th - Weekday

Mal 3:13-20b | Ps 1 | Lk 11:5-13

6:30 AM Patricia A. Fulham

8:30 AM Maggie Cooper

Friday, October 13th - Weekday

Jl 1:13-15;2:1-2 | Ps 9 | Lk 11:15-26

6:30 AM Ruth Salter

8:30 AM Viviana Cazavoux

Saturday, October 14th - St. Callistus I, Pope, Martyr; BVM on Saturday

JI 4:12-21 | Ps 97 | Lk 11:27-28

8:30 AM Michelle & David Laney (L)

This week the Sanctuary, Mother Mary & Adoration Chapel Candles burn for....



Mother Mary Lamp

In Honor of

Victoria Tran (L)



Sanctuary Lamp

In Memorial of

Rudy Cortez

The Adoration Chapel Lamp

In Memorial of Mary Klotz

<u> Blessed Mother Flowers</u>

Would you like to donate flowers to be placed at the foot of the statue of Our Blessed Mother? Call 985-892-2422



Parish Stewardship Report

Parishioners, your generous support is received with much appreciation.

Week ending October 1st, 2023 Contributions in Church, ACH and Online

General Offertory in Church \$ 12,985.13 General Offertory Online Giving \$ 14,344.45 Maintenance & Building in Church \$ 4,197.40 Maintenance & Building Online \$ 1,191.90 Total Contributions \$ 32,718.88

St. Vincent de Paul for September: \$5,817.75

If you not using Parishioner Envelopes and you know your envelope number please add it to the memo line on your checks. Thank you for your assistance





St. Peter Parish offers
Online GIVING
Thank you for your support!



Pope Francis Prayer Intention for October for the Synod

We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world. Amen



Please pray for sick relatives and friends of St. Peter Parishioners and those that have been called to "Active Duty."

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

<u>Vigil Mass October 14th</u> 4 PM—Fr. Daniel/Dcn ChiChi

Sunday October 15th

8 AM—Fr. Bru/Dcn ChiChi
9:30 AM—Fr. Bru/Dcn ChiChi
11:30 AM—Fr. Daniel/Dcn Brian
5:00 PM—Fr. Daniel/Dcn Brian



Committed Adorers and Prayer Partners Needed for the Adoration Chapel

Sunday: 4pm

Tuesday: 12 Noon*, 1pm (Partner Needed)

Wednesday: 1am, 10am

Friday: 1am, 2pm, 3pm, 4pm, & 5pm Saturday: 12 Midnight (Fri/Sat), 4pm

If you would like to commit to one of these hours, please contact the Chapel Coordinator Ethel Ganucheau @ 985-630-9016 or email ganucheau3794@bellsouth.net

*Urgent Need



1380 am

105.1 fm

105.9 fm

690 am

101.5 fm







EXCITING NEWS!

THE ST. PETER PARISH APP IS GETTING A WHOLE NEW LOOK!

Push Notifications, Audio Prayers, Extensive
Learning Section, Rosary Counter, & MORE!
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Visit stpeterparish.com/app for more details





The St. Peter Parish 2024 Mass Book Opens November 2nd at 8:00 AM in St. Mary's Hall

Archdiocesan Policy on Mass Intentions

- Only two Masses per week are celebrated for more than one intention.
 - (The multiple intention Masses at St. Peter Parish are Saturday Vigil Mass @4pm and Sunday Mass at 8am)
- All other Masses are single intention Masses—(Hence the purpose of having this 2024 Mass Book Opening Date. Which allows our Parishioners the chance to secure a special date for their love one.)
- One Mass every Sunday is celebrated for the intention of the parishioners: "St. Peter Parishioners" (9:30am or 11:30)
- The suggested donation for a Mass is \$5.

Early submissions will not be accepted

Requests for Masses, Sanctuary Lamp, Blessed Mother Lamp, & Adoration Chapel Lamp may by requested at this time.

<u>Please Note:</u> To provide an opportunity to all interested parishioners, Single Intention Masses are <u>limited to 12 requests</u> per household for the 2024 calendar year. After February 5th, 2024 additional single intention Masses are not limited.

- All Mass requests must be submitted in writing using our 12 Mass Intention Form for 2024. Stop by the Rectory Office for the form or download it from our website.
- Donations need to be attached to the request at the time of the request.
- Not to worry if you are not able to be here on Nov 2nd for the opening of the 2024 Calendar you may bring your request form to the Rectory on November 3rd or there after and I will add yours in the order in which it is received.
- If a single intention Mass is requested, please provide an alternate Saturday (Vigial Mass) 4pm or Sunday 8am Mass, in the event the first choice is not available.
- Our 9:30am or 11:30am Intentions are for St. Peter Parishioners & subject to change as needed to the Pastor's schedule.
- Requests will be handled in order of receipt. A confirmation letter of Masses scheduled will be mailed upon request. For more information contact Joan "Joni" in the Rectory Office at rectory@stpeterparish.com or 985-892-2422.



All Saints & Souls Day November 1st & 2nd

Remembrance Table Memorials

Beginning with our All Saints Masses and continuing through the month of November, flowers will be placed on our Remembrance Table in the Sanctuary. Please consider a \$25 donation toward the flowers named in memory of a deceased loved one(s). Donations may be brought to the rectory or mailed to: St. Peter Catholic Church, 125 E. 19th Ave., Covington, LA, 70433. Donations must be received at the rectory by Tuesday, November 14th for the names of deceased loved ones to be placed in the bulletin.

Prayers for the Deceased

You are invited to list the names of your deceased loved ones on the cards provided at the entrances of church. They will be remembered at all parish Masses throughout the month of November.

Blessing of the Graves—All Saint's Day—after 8:30am Mass

A Blessing of the Graves at E. J. Fielding in Covington will take place on November 1st. Anyone who wishes to have their family's grave blessed may gather at the cemetery after 8:30 Mass.

All Souls' Day Information

Family members of those who had a loved one buried from St. Peter Parish during the past year are invited to attend the 8:30 AM. Mass on the Feast of All Souls, Tuesday, November 2nd. A table will be set with a candle for each of the deceased buried from St. Peter Parish last year. As each name of the beloved deceased is read, a candle will be lit in remembrance. Family members are invited to take their candle home after Mass.

Songs of Comfort for the Holy Souls—7pm

Join us for a Taize style prayer service with repetitive songs, Adoration and Benediction to off prayer and intercession for our beloved dead. A donation is suggested to cover the cost of the Vigil Candle. You may take the candle home with you after the service.

Seek the Lord at Home

Have you ever wanted to improve your prayer life and that of your family?

Can we really encounter God in our homes?

God wants to meet us where we are, though we often only expect to encounter Him at Sunday Mass or on a retreat. It is easy to overlook the fact that we have daily opportunities to encounter Him in a very real way in the midst of our messiness and humanness at home. There are three ways in particular to seek and find God's presence in our families, and though they are certainly not new, most of us struggle with them: individual prayer, married couples' prayer, and family prayer.

Couple Prayer

We desire intimacy with our spouse, and we often feel the desire to be on the same page spiritually. But, praying with another person, one-on-one, can be difficult and awkward, even if it's the person we love the most. Why is that? The answer is wrapped up in the fact that entering into prayer together, before God, is the single most intimate thing a married couple can do!

Why is it so difficult?

- Men and women are different. We experience life differently and we think and feel differently about things. So, when we pray honestly with one another, it can be uncomfortable and feel like a conflict.
- Praying together as spouses is the most intimate thing we can do. In fact, it's can feel too intimate. And we're uncomfortable with the new level of vulnerability. How can we get better?
- Trust that God made us different for a reason. Resistance isn't always a conflict
 sometimes a little resistance makes us steadier, more precise, and stronger.
 Trust the differences God put into your relationship and learn to see them as an asset and not a liability.
- Just do it! Trust is built through experience. Be faithful to the commitment to pray together and God will do the rest!

Created by the Archdiocese of New Orleans Family Life Apostolate 2023 and St. Peter Office of Marriage and Family Life



Rosary for Peace join us on Fridays at 3 PM in church. May God Bless America.



"The Divine Mercy Hour of Prayer" is offered each Tuesday from 3:00-3:45 PM in church.

Women's Frayer Group

Lectio Divina is a traditional Catholic practice of praying with the Holy Scriptures. The main goal is making time to listen & allow God's Word to guide us.

In addition, our women's prayer group will again be using the book, Inviting God In, by Joyce Rupp.

We will meet in the Ministry Center every other Friday from 9:15 to 11:30. Please join us as we pray on the following dates:
Oct. 20 Nov 3,17 Dec 1,15

Jan. 5, 19 Feb 2,16. If interested, please call or txt Pat @. 985-400-1453.

Young at Heart

Senior Citizens Group. 55 and older

Meetings - 1st Thursdays of Each Month

Place - St. Mary's Hall

Time - 6:00PM

Next Meeting - November 2nd

For more information contact cgbruce@yahoo.com



Rosa Mystica Prayer Group for Priests

Our Marian Movement of Priests Prayer Cenacle meets every Monday morning in Church at 10:30am. Please come join us as we pray for our priests, for their sanctification and holiness, for the seminarians in their discernment process, as well as for an increase in furture priestly vocations. For more information contact

Cindy Garrett @ 985-892-6381

ST. PETER MEN'S ASSOCIATION



All men of the parish are invited to the Men's Association monthly meeting. Come learn more about this men's parish service group.

The next meeting is being held on:

Tuesday October 17th @ 7:00pm Upper Room. (318 S. Jefferson Ave)

Ouestions? Contact Eric Carter at 985.807.4997.



Formed 14 1/2 years ago The Men of St. Joseph has been continuously meeting on Tuesday Mornings @ 6:30am.

Pleased to announce that we are now in the St. Peter Ministry Center

Attendance is open to all men of the St. Tammany Deanery.

For more information please contact Matt Hardey @ 985-373-3950 Email: hardey@me.com



Are you looking to deepen your relationship with God? Be a better husband? Become a more loving father? Seeking to be the best man you can be? Come join us! We welcome newcomers and we welcome you back if you have been away for a while.

Next Meeting Date: Oct 11th, 12th or 13th Wed @ 6-7 PM in the School Cafeteria OR Thurs @ 5:45—7:15 AM in St Mary's Hall OR Virtual Zoom on Fri @ 7:15-8:00 AM

Session 6: Whatever it Takes

- **Presenter:** Brian Topping
- Theme: Called to Mature Manhood
- We need to know that we are called and to what we are called.
- What does it mean to be "mature" in our manhood.
- Answer the call to accept God's Grace to walk in your holy calling.

For more information please call: Vincent Bologna 504.319.9828





In the last 12 months, St. Vincent de Paul has received 453 calls for financial assistance. Because of your generosity, we were able to assist 305 households: 438 adults & 179 children. Your contributions paid

\$45,906.75 in rent, \$19,136.21 in motels for the homeless, \$27,530.36 in utility payments, \$3,097.15 for food and other miscellaneous expenses (medicine, gasoline, auto payments, etc.) for a total of \$100,778.63.

While our conference alone was not able to meet all of our neighbor's needs, other parishes in our conference donated over \$15,000 to assist those we could not. The needs of the poor are quite high now and we thank you for your donations. Please help us continue to follow Christ's call to serve the poor, the suffering and the deprived.

If you feel called to join us, please contact Karen Bowman @ 985-402-7584 or kbowman0@gmail.com

Thank you and God Bless you! For Assistance call the SVDP @ (985) 773-0329.



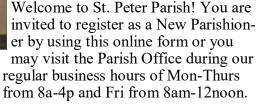
Little Light Food Pantry

Thank you for your donations

Donations can be dropped off in the back of the church, Rectory Office or Ministry Center



New Parishioner Registration Form





Are you already registered and need to update your info? CHANGE OF ADDRESS? NEW BABY?



As a member of the St. Peter Parish family, it is essential that we work with the most accurate and up-to-date information possible so that we can serve you better.



If you have new family information or new contact information, we ask you to please take a few moments to fill out the following online form.

Did you know?

If you are a young adult over 18 year of age you can register with the St. Peter Parish apart from your parents.





OF FAITH
PLEASE REMEMBER
ST PETER PARISH
IN YOUR WILL

Keep in Touch

Please stay connected to and updated on all the latest from our vibrant parish!



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St. Peter Parish Welcomes the following New Parishioners:

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan Mr. and Mrs. George Gottardí Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Barnes Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Benge Jr. Mr. & Mrs. Jacob McWilliams Mr. and Mrs. Justin Hebert Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Russo Mr. and Mrs. John Simoneaux Mr. and Mrs. Melvin L Rue, Jr Ms. Allison Jupiter Mr. and Mrs. Gary Babylon Ms. Marie Ramirez Mr. and Mrs. David Sweeney Mr. David DiPol Jr. and Ms. Erica King Mr. Leif Grice & Ms. Miranda Hoppe Mr. Michael Burgard Ms. Rebecca Rainier Ms. I aura Weller Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Marquez Dr. and Mrs. Jordan Haddad Mr. and Mrs. Victor Moore

WEDDING VOWS WILL BE ANNOUNCED BETWEEN

Sarah Emily Nepveux & Nicholad Paul Palermo

Baptisms

We congratulate the newest members of our worshipping Community who recently celebrated the Sacrament of Baptism:

Jacob Scott Cambell
Audrey Christine Dodd
Auguste Sibille LeBato
Max Bishop Russell
Floise Flizabeth Smith
James Weston Bruhl
Robert Ford Helm
Henry Jules Meraux
Emily Elizabeth Gassen

In Memoriam

Please pray for the families of our dearly departed, and for the repose of their souls.

Andree Marie Louise DuBarry Kathleen Gremillion Hibbett Winifred Abadie Orr Irene Jule Oliveri Carlson Wendelyn Sliman



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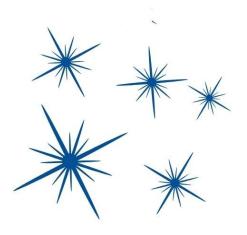
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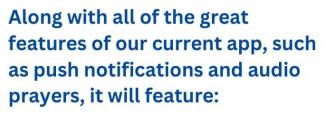
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EXCITING NEWS!

THE ST. PETER PARISH APP IS GETTING A WHOLE NEW LOOK!





- An extensive learning section of the Catechism, EWTN, National Catholic Register, and more!
- A fun digital counter to help you remember where you are when praying the Rosary!
- An embed of Catholic Talk Radio!
- A tool to capture photos and send them directly to staff!
- AND SO MUCH MORE!



The St. Peter Parish App is FREE! iTunes App Store / Google Play Store Search for St. Peter Parish - Covington

SAINT PETER FAMILY

SATURDAY

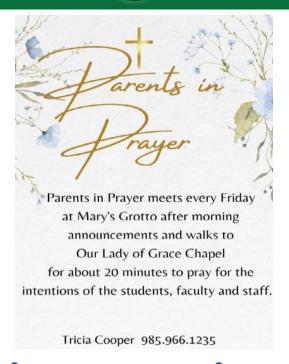
10/21/23

6:30-8PM

"FALLINTO GRACE"

PRAISE, TALK, ADORATION, CONFESSIONS, WORSHIP, BENEDICTION

ALL ARE WELCOME, FAMILIES ENCOURAGED





JOIN OUR COALITION MADE UP OF PARENTS, TEACHERS, AND STAFF AS WE NAVIGATE THIS DIGITAL WORLD TOGETHER!

WE WILL WORK TO HELP PROMOTE DISCUSSIONS, IMPLEMENT IDEAS, AND GROW OUR COMMUNUTY OF DIGITAL DISCIPLES.







Congratulations to all of our Fishing Rodeo Winners!

It was so much fun seeing everyone at our Family Fun Fest!



















BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION APP AND START EARNING FOR **OUR SCHOOL** TODAYI



Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

For Those Hurting from Abortion or Miscarriage



There is forgiveness,
hope and peace after abortion.
If you or someone you love
is hurting from abortion or
miscarriage, we can help.
Please consider attending
this faith-based, healing retreat.
All faiths are welcome!
Open to women and men.

Healing the pain of abortion, one weekend at a time.

Date: November 3-5, 2023

Price: \$195/person (Financial Assistance Available)
Facilitators: Pam Richard and Donna Scheuermann

Priest Facilitator: Fr. Robert Cavalier

To register or for more information, contact the retreat facilitators: Pam Richard – (504) 460-9360 or richj504@bellsouth.net Donna Scheuermann – (504) 258-9183 or donnas@1791.com

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Take courage. He is calling you!





STEP-BY-STEP WALK THROUGH THE MASS

Do This in Remembrance of Me, Part 41: The Prayer over the Offerings



September 27, 2023 FR. LUKE SPANNAGEL





The Pulse of the Eucharistic Revival, Every Thursday!

Don't miss the second edition of our official weekly newsreel, *The Pulse*! Each episode will include Revival news briefs from around the country to keep you informed, engaged, and inspired. Watch our latest episode now, subscribe to our YouTube Channel, and look forward to more incredible content as we develop this new channel for our Revival communications.

PS: If you LOVE what you are watching, we need you to SHARE <u>The Pulse</u> with everyone in your network! Help us grow this Eucharistic Revival by igniting a spark of hope in those you love through <u>The Pulse!</u>



Eucharist: The Heartbeat of a Next Generation Parish

In collaboration with the National Eucharistic Revival, during the Year of Parish Revival, Catholic Leadership Institute will host a webinar entitled Eucharist: The Heartbeat of a Next Generation Parish on Wednesday, October 4, at 6:00 PM EST. Featuring Bishop Andrew Cozzens, this hour-long conversation will discuss the True Presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist, equipping parish leaders with practical applications to strengthen their own personal belief in the Real Presence and lead others to experience the Eucharist in a new way... learn more and register for free today!

Our Lady of Prompt Succor Please Hasten to Help Us!



Hurricane Prayer

Our Father in Heaven, through the powerful Intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor spare us from all harm

during this hurricane season and protect us and our homes from all disasters of nature, Our Lady of Prompt Succor hasten to help us. Amen



Hurricane Season is June through November

Pet Care Emergency Planning

When an emergency/disaster occurs, confusion and turmoil usually reign supreme. It is difficult at such a time to remember all the important things that need to be done. Making the proper pet care plans can become more difficult if not done in advance.

The following are just a few questions that may need answers:

- Will you evacuate your pet(s) along with your family in the event of an emergency? If so, will the hotel you plan to use in transit allow pets?
- Have you created a list of items such as medications, special food, water, etc. needed to provide proper care for your pet(s) during an evacuation?
- Have you created in advance a kit containing all of the pet necessities on that list?
- Will it be necessary for you to board your pet locally until you return home? With what local pet facility will you board and at what cost?
- Sometimes the questions can be more difficult if not impossible to answer, such
 as how long will the evacuation continue? Making arrangements with the animal
 caretaker even for protracted evacuations may be an important issue to discuss in
 advance. Of course, not all questions can be answered, but by asking the
 questions you can be better prepared to deal with most eventualities you may
 encounter with emergencies.

Below are several websites you may wish to visit that prove helpful in providing answers to many of your questions and may possibly assist you in advance plans to care for your pet(s) during times of emergency/disaster:

St. Peter Parish website https://www.stpeterparish.com/emergency-preparedness

St. Tammany Parish Animal Service http://stpgov.org/departments/animal-services

FEMA https://www.fema.gov

Humane Society http://www.humanesociety.org/

American Veterinary Medical Association https://www.avma.org/Pages/home.aspx

Pets Welcome https://www.petswelcome.com/



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Do you have a Family Emergency / Disaster Plan?

The family is the domestic church and is integral to the life of the parish. As such, families should prepare themselves for those potential disasters that sometimes affect our homes here in south Louisiana. Hurricanes top the list, it seems, so here are a few preparations a family can take during the season to "Be Prepared."

- Discuss the types of hazards that could affect your family. Know your home's
 vulnerability to storm surge, flooding, and wind.
- Locate a safe room or the safest areas in your home for each hurricane hazard. In certain circumstances the safest areas may not be your home, but within your community.
- Determine escape routes from your home and places to meet afterward. These should be measured in tens of miles rather than hundreds of miles.
- Have an out-of-state friend as a family contact so that all of your family members have a single point of contact through which to communicate if you become separated.
- Make a plan now for what to do with your pets if you need to evacuate.
- Post emergency telephone numbers in a handy place and make sure your children know how and when to use them, or to call 911.
- Check your insurance coverage flood damage is not usually covered by homeowners insurance.
- Stock non-perishable emergency supplies and create a "Disaster Supply Kit."
- Use a NOAA weather radio. Remember to replace its batteries every 6 months as you would with your smoke detectors.
- · Take First Aid, CPR, and Disaster Preparedness classes.
- Consult the St. Peter Parish Website at https://www.stpeterparish.com and the St. Peter Parish app for more information including links to city, state, and federal websites for emergency preparedness.





The St. Peter Parish Emergency Preparedness Apostolate operates to prepare, develop, implement and monitor an effective emergency response plan for our parish church, school and community. Local and

national information and resources are available.

See our webpage for more information. Go to: https://stpeterparish.com/emergency-preparedness

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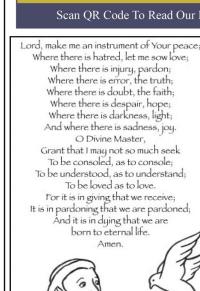
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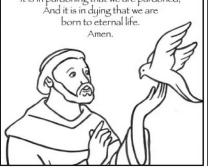
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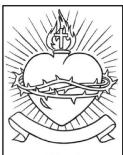


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