



# St. Peter Parish

*Church • School • Family*



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*5th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*February 8th, 2026*

## CLERGY

*VERY REV. DANIEL BROUILLETTE, VF, PASTOR*  
*PAROCHIAL VICAR FR. CUONG TRAN*  
*DEACON DENNIS ADAMS*  
*DEACON BRIAN MCKNIGHT*  
*DEACON FRANCISCO RODRIGUEZ (CHICHI)*  
*DEACON EDWARD RUDIGER (EDDIE)*

**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

## SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil.....4:00 p.m.  
 Sunday.....8:00, 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.

*Holy Day of Obligation Schedule*  
*Vigil 4pm - 6:30am, 8:30am & 7pm*

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Sunday.....4:00-4:50 p.m.  
 Monday - Saturday.....8:00-8:20 a.m.  
 Saturday.....3:00-3:50 p.m.  
 1<sup>st</sup> Saturdays..... 7:45-8:30 a.m.  
 and by appointment at the Rectory

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### FEBRUARY

7th-8th - The Blessing of Throats will also be offered after all Masses, with the exception of the Tet Mass at 5pm


8th - Fellowship Coffee & Donuts - After Morning Masses  
"Tet" Mass - 5pm in Vietnamese with reception to follow

16th - 17th - Rectory & Offices closed - Mardi Gras Holiday

18th - Ash Wednesday - Masses 6:30am, 8:30am,  
 Noon Service, & 7pm


### FRIDAYS IN LENT

A time to reflect, repent, and renew.




**Stations of the Cross**  
5:30 pm

**February 20, 27**  
**March 6, 13, 20, 27**



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Dine-In 5:30pm-7pm  
Drive-thru 5pm-7pm



**ST. PETER PARISH**

22nd - CANCELLED - Fr. Chris Alar presentation

### MARCH

4th - St. Monica Mass - 6pm in Church

8th - Daylight Savings Time - Spring Forward in time.  
Fellowship Coffee & Donuts - After Morning Masses

14th - Parish Anointing of the Sick during the 4pm Vigil Mass

15th - St. Joseph's Altar - Viewing after Morning Masses.

20th - CYO - Guy's Night 6pm - 8pm Youth House & SMH

RECTORY MAIN NUMBER.....985-892-2422

Joan Schaff - Parish Admin/Bulletin Editor.....ext#3000  
 Tom Fisher - Bookkeeper.....ext #3001

**DIRECTOR OF PARISH MINISTRY & LITURGY**  
 Anne Simpson.....ext #3011 or 985-893-2535

**DIRECTOR OF MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE**  
 Brenda Ortiz.....ext #3008 or 985-892-9353

**MEDIA COORDINATOR**  
 Jenny Schexnaydre .....ext #3009 or 985-892-2568

**DIRECTOR OF MUSIC**  
 Karista Filopoulos Douzat.....985-893-2535

**CHILDREN'S CHOIR**  
 Sarah Crawford.....985-893-2535

**OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**  
 Ellen Frederick DRE .....ext #3014 or 985-893-2446  
 Stacie Reynolds - Confirmation.....ext #3016 or 892-8994

**FACILITIES MANAGER**  
 Joey Scuderi .....ext #3010 or 985-893-2047

**YOUTH MINISTRY**  
 ROCK (Jr High), CYO (High School) & Young Adults:  
 Ashley Gervais/Stacie Reynolds .....ext #3016 or 892-8994

**SACRISTAN**  
 Kathleen Montgomery.....985-892-2422

**PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL**.....985-892-2422

**OCIA & OCIC** - .....ocia@stpeterparish.com

**St. PETER Charities** .....ext#3015 985-214-8618

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM, SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE & FUNERALS**.....Call Rectory in advance

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, February 7th - 5th Sunday in Ordinary

**4:00 PM Vigil Mass**— Wayne R. Desdier, Randy Hansford Spring, Charlie Barattini (L-BD), David & Wendy Sliman, Rick Resweber, Ed Rudiger, Sharon Stanley, Greg Voelkel (L), Lucy Becnel (L), Mrs. Darleen Danenhower (L), Linda & Howare Rubinow (L), Harry Nunez, Derek Scott, Danielle Dupre & Family (L), Charles Cusimano & Family (L), Jeanne Mauldin & Family (L), Ryan Enk (L), Lucie Ziifle (L), Jack Ziifle (L), Chuck & Kathy Cusimano (L), John & Cheryl Ziifle (L), Gerson Martin, Laura Becker (L-BD), Robin “Rob” Mingo, John Tortorice (L)

### Sunday, February 8th - 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**8:00 AM** - Theriot & Guidry Family (L&D), Guy Comeaux, Sr., Deacon Brian McKnight (L), Deacon Francisco Rodriguez (L) Deacon Edward Rudiger (L), Caroline Marcello (L), Rosemary & Paul Urbaniak (L), Fr. Taylor Sanford (L), Dominic Nunes, Genevieve Becnel (L), Benjamin Cass (L), Vincent Brouillette, Jr., Harry Nunez, Jr., Alvin Bladsacker, Edward F. Rudiger, Sr., Rob Mingo, James Sutherland, Frank Kremsner, Rachel LeBlanc (L), Frances & Tim Ginski & Family (L), Angel Dolese

**9:30 AM** Margie McKay (L-BD)

**11:30 AM** Parishioners of St. Peter Parish

**5:00 PM** Michael Seibert (L)

### Monday, February 9th – Weekday

**8:30 AM** Louise Montz

### Tuesday, February 10th – St. Scholastica, Virgin

**6:30 AM** Rob Mingo

**8:30 AM** Gregory Scott Heinz

### Wednesday, February 11th – Our Lady of Lourdes

**6:30 AM** Audrey & Ernest Cooper

**8:30 AM** Kathleen Montgomery (L)

### Thursday, February 12th – Weekday

**6:30 AM** Mary T. “Bunt” Percy & Walker Percy

**8:30 AM** Lance Corporal Justin McLeese

### Friday, February 13th – Weekday

**6:30 AM** Vincent DePaul Brouillette, Jr.

**8:30 AM** Lil Maratea

### Saturday, February 14th – St. Cyril, Monk and St

#### Methodius, Bishop

**8:30 AM** Alan & Lisa Bayham (L)

*This week's Mother Mary, Sanctuary & Adoration Chapel Lamps burn for....*

#### Mother Mary Lamps



*In Honor of  
Katie Carey (L-BD),*

#### Sanctuary Lamp



*In Memorial of  
David John Colomb, Sr.*

#### The Adoration Chapel Lamps



*In Memorial of  
Harry Nunez*



#### Blessed Mother Flowers

*In Memorial of  
Mr. & Mrs. Ed Pribyl*



### **Parish Stewardship Report**

*Parishioners, your generous support is received with much appreciation.*

**Contributions in Church, ACH and Online  
Week ending February 1st, 2026**

General Offertory in Church	\$12,606.00
General Offertory Online Giving	\$8,235.25
Maintenance & Building Fund in Church	\$4,300.00
Maintenance & Building Online Giving	\$710.66
<b>Total Contributions to St. Peter Church</b>	<b>\$25,851.91</b>

<b>ANO-2nd Collection-Catholic Schools</b>	<b>\$4,062.00</b>
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General Offertory Auto Draft for January 2026	\$7,484.75
Maintenance & Building Fund for Jan 2026	\$1,131.75
<b>Total Auto Bank Draft for January 2026</b>	<b>\$8,616.50</b>

St. Peter Charities for January 2026 Church	\$2,517.00
St. Peter Charities for January 2026 Online	\$1,332.75
<b>Total Contributions to SPC January 2026</b>	<b>\$3,849.75</b>

- If you are receiving Offering Envelopes and you are no longer using them, please let us know.



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

## Mass Readings

Pray daily with the Sacred Scriptures.  
Scan the code to access the daily readings.



Scan the QR Code  
for readings.



*Please pray for sick relatives, friends,  
the Prayer Blanket recipients, those  
hospitalized and homebound in our  
St. Peter Parish and those that have  
been called to “Active Duty.”*



## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

**Vigil Mass February 14th**  
4pm—Fr. Cuong / Dcn Dennis

**Sunday, February 15th**  
8am—Fr. Cuong / Dcn Brian  
9:30am—Fr. Bru / Dcn ChiChi  
11:30am—Fr. Bru / Dcn ChiChi  
5:00pm - Fr. Cuong / Dcn ChiChi

SECOND SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH

*Fellowship*  
**COFFEE & DONUTS**

JOIN US AFTER ALL MORNING  
MASSES IN ST. MARY'S HALL!

February 8th



## Committed Adorers & Prayer Partners Needed for the Adoration Chapel

**Sunday:** 1pm(PN), & 6pm(PN)  
**Tuesday:** 10am & 12Noon  
**Wednesday:** 11pm(PN) & 4am  
**Friday:** 9am(PN), 2pm(PN), 4pm(PN),  
5pm (PN), & 6pm(PN)  
**Sat:** 6am(PN), \*11am, 1pm(PN), 3pm(PN)  
4pm(PN), 5pm(PN), & 7pm (PN)



(\* Most Urgent need) (PN-partner needed)  
For more information call the Parish Rectory @  
985-892-2422 or email rectory@stpeterparish.com

## Vietnamese Lunar New Year “Tet” Celebration

**join us for Mass in Vietnamese**  
**February 8 at 5pm**  
**at St. Peter Church, Covington**

followed by fellowship  
and food with the  
Vietnamese  
community  
at the reception in St.  
Mary's Hall



For donation use  
the QR Code



## Ash Wednesday PREPARATION



AS ASH WEDNESDAY APPROACHES,  
PREPARATIONS ARE UNDERWAY FOR THE  
BEGINNING OF LENT. OLD BLESSED PALMS FROM  
LAST YEAR'S PALM SUNDAY ARE TRADITIONALLY  
BURNED TO CREATE THE ASHES USED DURING  
THE ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE.

PLEASE BRING ANY OLD PALMS TO THE CHURCH  
BY FEBRUARY 14<sup>TH</sup> & 15<sup>TH</sup>.

A COLLECTION BASKET WILL BE AVAILABLE IN  
THE CHURCH FOYER FOR DROP-OFF

THANK YOU FOR HELPING CONTINUE THIS  
MEANINGFUL TRADITION AS THE COMMUNITY  
PREPARES FOR THE LENTEN SEASON.

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# ST. BLAISE

BISHOP AND MARTYR

February 3rd



*She  
Shall Be  
Called  
Woman*

Tuesday Evenings 6-7:30pm  
Wednesday Mornings 9-11am

This is a program for all women! Regardless  
of your state of life, She Shall Be Called  
Woman is a place to both give and receive!

\*Kym Hartman,  
Coast Coordinator  
She Shall Be Called Woman

A PROGRAM FOR ALL WOMEN BY  
Paradise Def

REGISTRATION:

Scan the QR code to register.  
For more information:  
Stephanie Miguez  
985-438-6670  
stephaniebmguez@gmail.com



## ACTS Women's Retreat April 23-26, 2026



**REGISTRATION IS OPEN**  
**Just a few spots left!**

*Sign up for this  
life changing experience!*

stpeterparish.com/acts-retreats





ST. PETER PARISH  
COVINGTON, LA



ASH WEDNESDAY  
FEBRUARY 18

DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES

6:30 AM MASS

8:30 AM MASS

12 NOON (LITURGY OF THE WORD ONLY)

7 PM MASS

[stpeterparish.com](http://stpeterparish.com)



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BORN  
TO RUN  
NEW ORLEANS

5K & 1/2-MILE  
RUN/WALK FUN RUN

Make an impact on women and  
babies in need!

SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 2026

BONNABEL BOAT LAUNCH  
METAIRIE

"Birth"day Party with food, music, and family fun  
to follow



\*Register by Monday, February 23,  
to receive a race t-shirt.

[WOMANSNEWLIFE.COM/BORNTORUN](http://WOMANSNEWLIFE.COM/BORNTORUN)

Benefiting Woman's New Life Clinic

25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
WOMAN'S  
NEW LIFE CLINIC  
— Serving Women Since 2001 —



2026  
Lenten  
Fish  
Fry

February 20	<b>St. Peter School Cafeteria</b>
February 27	<b>South Theard Street</b>
March 6	\$13
March 13	Mississippi farm-raised
March 20	catfish or Louisiana shrimp,
March 27	fries, bread, & choice of
	potato salad or coleslaw

## Dine-in or Drive-thru

Dine-in 5:30-7 pm in the St. Peter  
School Cafeteria  
Drive-thru 5-7 pm on South  
Washington Street in the back of the  
cafeteria

## Desserts Available For Purchase!

Sponsored by:  
February 20, 27 - Young at Heart  
March 6, 13 - Boy Scouts Troop 160  
March 20 - RCHAL  
March 27 - American Heritage Girls  
Troop LA 2521



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## St. Monica Mass

MARCH 4, 2026

6 PM

ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

Join us for this very special quarterly Mass, which is the highest  
form of prayer, to invoke the intercession of St. Monica, patron  
saint of wayward souls. It offers comfort and support to family  
members of lapsed Catholics. This Mass is dedicated to the  
return of our loved ones to the Catholic Faith and to console  
those in our community who bear the weight of family members  
who have strayed from the faith. Together, we find strength in  
our shared faith journey. All are welcome.



www.stpeterparish.com

EVENING OF  
CONFESSION WEDNESDAY  
5-6:30 pm  
molacatholic.org NEW ORLEANS

## Archdiocesan-Wide Reconciliation

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25

5:00-6:30 PM

In all Catholic churches in the  
Archdiocese of New Orleans

## Deanery Lenten Penance Service

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1

6PM

Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Covington



Saint Peter Presents

## Fr. Chris Alar

ON OUR LADY  
UNDOER OF KNOTS

Feb. 22 6:30pm

St. Peter Parish, 125 East 19th Ave. Covington LA

Father Chris Alar, MHC, is the Provincial  
Superior of the Marian Fathers of the  
Immaculate Conception in the U.S.,  
England, and Argentina. He created the  
"Divine Mercy 101" DVD and the  
"Explaining the Faith" YouTube series.  
He has authored bestselling books,  
including *After Suicide: There's Hope for  
Them and for You* and *Understanding  
Divine Mercy*, along with his latest,  
*Understanding the Sacraments: God's  
Grace Guaranteed*. He hosts the EWTN  
show *Living Divine Mercy*, airing  
Thursdays at 10:00 p.m. EST.





24 OZ PASTA SAUCE  
18-20 OZ JELLY  
SOUP  
STOVE TOP STUFFING

PLEASE CHECK EXPIRATION DATES



DONATIONS CAN BE PUT IN  
THE LLFP BOX IN THE BACK  
OF CHURCH OR BROUGHT TO  
THE RECTORY OFFICE

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

LITTLE LIGHT FOOD PANTRY  
ST. PETER PARISH MINISTRY CENTER  
128 EAST 19TH AVENUE

**SERVING OUR COMMUNITY  
THURSDAYS**

1 PM - 4 PM

stpetercharities@stpeterparish.com

Need Assistance? 985-214-8618

amazon



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: February 11th, 12th & 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 17: Becoming a Man after God's Own Heart**

- **Presenter: Mike DiCosola**
- **Our Lenten Journey & the Parable of the Sower**
- **The Fate of the Seeds**
- **The Three Fundamental Orientations**
- **The Obstacles in the Spiritual Life**

For more info please call: Thad Ackel 504-352-4401 and Justin O'Rourke 504-452-4141



## ST. PETER MEN'S ASSOCIATION

All men of the parish are invited to the Men's Association monthly meeting. Questions?

**Meets Monthly on the 3rd Tues @ 7:00pm**  
**Ministry Center - (128 E. 19th Ave)**

Contact Eric Carter at 985.807.4997.



## The Men of St. Joseph

An hour of prayer and consideration of the readings for the upcoming Sunday liturgy.

All men of the parish are invited to attend.

**Meets weekly on Tuesdays @ 6:30am**  
**Ministry Center (128 E19th Ave)**

Contact: Matt Hardey 985-373-3950 or hardey@me.com



## St. Peter Parish NAIM MINISTRY

Serving Widows and Widowers

For more information contact:

Richard Ely 504-451-7185

## **"The Eleventh Hour"**



Did you know that St. Peter Parish has a ministry that prays for the Dying?

The ministry is called "The Eleventh Hour" for more information please call the Rectory Office 985-892-2422 Heart of Jesus, have mercy on the dying!

## Monthly Prayer Intention for February: For Children with incurable diseases



Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope. Amen

Parish Anointing of the Sick  
Saturday, March 14, 2026  
(During the 4 pm Vigil Mass)

## Lectio Divina Prayer Group

A traditional Catholic practice of praying with the Holy Scriptures. We meet in the Ministry Center **every other Friday** from 9:30am til 11am.

All are welcome to join us as we pray.

**Next Mtg: February 20th**

For details contact: Helene @ 1-662-312-4544

## Young at Heart

Spiritual, Service & Social for 55+ yrs

**Next Mtg - March 5th @ 6pm—SMH**

For more info contact Susan & Charles Furlan at  
furlancharles@yahoo.com

Our Prayer Blanket Ministry Offers  
Prayer Blankets & Pocket Prayer Quilts  
Stop by the Rectory Office or  
call 985-892-2422 \*Volunteers welcome





# Order of Christian Initiation of Adults



Interested in becoming Catholic?  
Need to complete the Sacraments of Initiation?

**Wednesday, February 11th, 2026 @ 6:30pm**  
**Holy Season of Lent & Holy Week**

For more information, email [ocia@stpeterparish.com](mailto:ocia@stpeterparish.com)  
or call (985) 892-2422



Visit our website: <https://stpeterparish.com/ocia>



The Knights of Columbus #1209 is offering free reconditioned PC's. The PC's are loaded with a full office suite package and a variety of other free open-source software. Useful for

work or school. Includes monitor, keyboard, mouse and wireless connection. All machines are wiped 3x, destroying all data before being loaded with Unix-based software applications. The computers are available for pickup call Jack Porter at 404-661-8925.

If you would like to donate old units also, contact Jack Porter. Thank you for your donations.



# Urgently Needed

## EMHC to Homebound

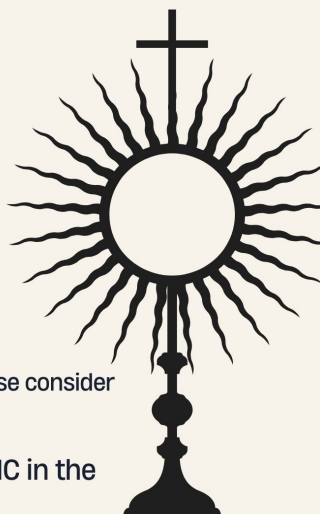
### Are you already a trained EMHC?

Would you consider  
helping to

### bring the Eucharist to those in most need ?

We have a tremendous need now, please consider  
even helping temporarily!

Interested? Or want to be an EMHC in the  
future? Email Anne  
[Ministrycoordinator@stpeterparish.com](mailto:Ministrycoordinator@stpeterparish.com)



# St. Peter Catholic Church Baptismal Seminar

*Held on third Wednesday of the month*  
*Next Baptism Seminar is on:*

**Wednesday, February 18th, 2026**

**at the Upper Room @ 6:00pm**  
**318 S. Jefferson Ave, Covington**

*Please email us at [baptism@stpeterparish.com](mailto:baptism@stpeterparish.com) if you plan to attend.*  
*Information at [stpeterparish.com/baptism](http://stpeterparish.com/baptism)*



## Rosa Mystica Prayer Group for Priests

Marian Movement of Priests Prayer Cenacle join us  
on Monday mornings @ 10:30am by the  
Blessed Mother Statue. For more information  
contact Cindy Garrett @ 985-892-6381



## "The Divine Mercy Hour of Prayer"

join us on Tuesday from 3:00-3:45pm in church.



## Our Lady Queen of Peace Rosary Group

Join us on Fridays at 9:00am in the front of  
Mother Mary Statue in church  
May God Bless America



## Patriotic Rosary for Peace for our Country

Join us on Fridays at 3:00pm  
in the Ministry Center  
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## Volunteer Opportunities

*"Unlock your gifts" to build up His  
Kingdom. Volunteering opportunities  
available at St. Peter Catholic Church*



## New Parishioner Registration

Welcome to St. Peter Parish! You are invited to  
register as a New Parishioner by using our  
online form or you may visit the Parish Office  
during our regular business hours of Mon-Thurs  
from 8a-4p and Fri from 8am-12noon.



## Keep in Touch

Stay updated on all the latest from our vibrant parish!



[stpeterparish.com](http://stpeterparish.com)



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*For a full bulletin visit us  
online or on our app.*





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## You're Invited to Attend the First St. Peter Parish Women's ACTS Retreat!

It's finally here! Women of St. Peter Parish are specially invited to join us for St. Peter Parish's first Women's ACTS retreat **April 23-26, 2026** at Our Lady of Hope Retreat Center in Osyka, Mississippi.

ACTS stands for Adoration, Community, Theology and Service. An ACTS Retreat presents an opportunity for each retreatant to focus on applying their faith daily, building purpose in their prayer life, increasing their presence at the liturgy, and cultivating friendship among members of our church community.

The retreat begins Thursday evening, April 23<sup>rd</sup> with send-off from St. Mary's Hall and ends Sunday, April 26 with 11:30 am return Mass, followed by a brief reception and fellowship. Dinner will be provided on Thursday evening, with three meals on Friday & Saturday and breakfast on Sunday. Round trip transportation to and from the retreat center will be provided for all retreatants.

The cost for each retreatant is \$375.00. Registration is online only (use the QR Code below). **Registration opens January 24, 2026, and registration forms will be received until we reach a maximum of 36 retreatants. Apply soon!** A \$100 deposit will be requested in February to confirm attendance. Any remainder due will be collected at the Thursday check-in before the retreat begins. If you need assistance registering online, please call one of the leadership team's phone numbers below.

**Financial difficulties should not prevent anyone from attending the retreat. If you are unable to pay all or part of the retreat fee, please email [acts@stpeterparish.com](mailto:acts@stpeterparish.com) for information on fee assistance.**

If you have questions about the retreat, please call or text Diana Gallé, Retreat Director (504-400-0544), Elise McMullen, Retreat Co-Director (504-400-8751), Kristin Foyil, Retreat Co-Director (504-559-0451) or Mary Broussard, Spiritual Companion (337-501-1871).





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# THE MONTHLY PRAYER REQUESTS FOR PRIESTS

**WOULD YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?**

## PRAYER SUGGESTION

O Jesus, Eternal High Priest, live in (name a priest), act in him, speak in and through him. Think your thoughts in his mind, love through his heart. Give him your own dispositions and feelings. Teach, lead and guide him always. Correct, enlighten and expand his thoughts and behavior. Possess his soul; take over his entire personality and life.

Replace him with yourself. Incline him to constant adoration and thanksgiving; pray in and through him. Let him live in you and keep him in this intimate union always. O Mary, Immaculate Conception, Mother of Jesus and Mother of priests, pray and intercede for (...)  
Amen.

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## February 2026



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Rev. Philip G. Landry *	Rev. Aelred Kavanagh, O.S.B. (12th)	Rev. Andrew Thompson, C.Ss.R. *	Rev. Terence Hayden (20th)	Rev. Jeremy Lambert, L.C. (27th)	Rev. Edward F. Murphy, C.M. *	Rev. Pedro Julio Prada (27th)



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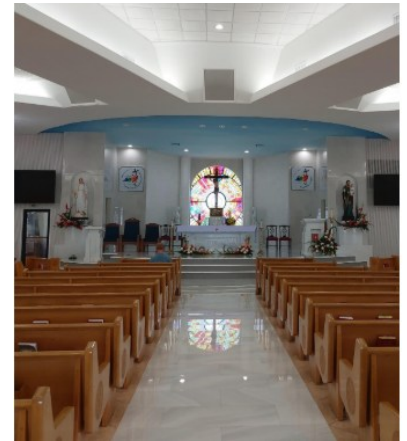
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# ST. PETER CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Congratulations to our St. Peter Student of the Year - 5th Grader, Abby Eustis!

Each year, St. Peter Catholic School chooses a 5th grade student to represent our school as the Student of the Year for the Archdiocese of New Orleans. Abby was recognized at our Catholic Schools Week Mass last week.



Student Council attended the Archdiocesan Catholic Schools Week Mass at St. Dominic Catholic Church.



7th Grade Boys Basketball is headed to the CSAL Playoffs next week! They are also looking forward to playing at the Smoothie King Center in Court of Dreams on Wednesday, March 11th!



The Rock'n'ettes Dance Team participated in the American All-Star State Competition in Lafayette receiving 4th place in Pom, 4th place in Kick & a Superior Rating in Jazz. We are so proud of them! Congratulations!

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## Digital Discipleship Coalition



*February 26, 2026  
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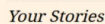


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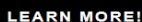


The Instructional Technology Committee would love to see interested school parents attend these meetings so that, together, we can raise kids who enjoy technology in an authentic and virtuous way, both at home and at school. Come join us for conversation.





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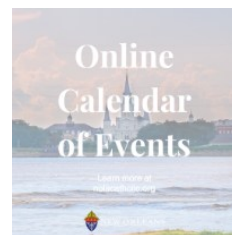
The ministry of Project Rachel arose in response to the stories women told about the hurt they experienced after their abortion. Stories recounting suffering that has lasted months and even years after an abortion continue to be expressed by men and women in our offices and others throughout the world.

## NOVEMBER 2025



## Pope Leo XIV's November Prayer Intention: For the Prevention of Suicide

In The Pope Video for November, the Holy Father asks us to pray for those who are struggling with thoughts of suicide. He reminds us that all of us are vulnerable and that Christian communities must be welcoming, open to listening, and full of hope.



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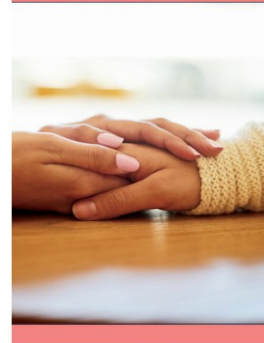
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Crux: A Daily Reading Plan for Lent

*Susan Ciancio reviews a new Lenten program from Ascension Press.*

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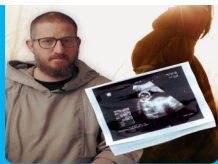
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CHURCHPOP

### 3 Concrete Ways to Help End the Evil of Abortion, According to a Franciscan Priest

Have you become indifferent to the reality that abortion exists? Here are three powerful ways we can help end abortion, according to Father Mark-Mary Ames.



### 12 Fascinating Facts About Saint Francis of Assisi, in Honor of the 2026 Franciscan Jubilee Year

By Jacqueline Burkepile, Thursday, January 15, 2026 6:48 PM

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### 5 Powerful Prayers to Honor The Holy Name of Jesus in January

By Caroline Perkins, Sunday, January 18, 2026 9:00 AM

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### 5 Practical Tips for Praying the Daily Rosary, the 'Greatest Prayer' Next to the Mass

By Victoria Arruda, Friday, January 16, 2026 1:25 PM

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### Indiana & Miami Football Stars Drop to Their Knees in Prayer Before CFP Championship

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by Becky Roach | Family, History of the Church, Mass, Prayer

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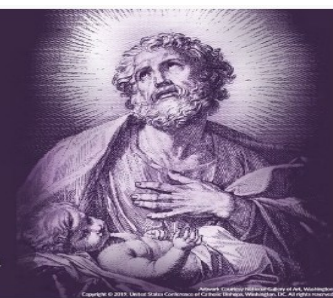
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