#### **MEMORIAL DONATIONS**

Missalettes for the Month of December
In memory of Myrtis Williams Guidry
From Joyce Graugnard
Sanctuary Lamp for this week
In memory of Alvin Stein
Altar Bread & Wine for this week

In memory of **James E. Ladner** From **Family & Friends** 

Missalettes (for the month) (\$100)
The Sanctuary Lamp (\$25)
The Altar Bread & Wine (\$50)
Altar Flowers Call the Parish Office for details.

#### OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS......Dec. 5/6

Envelopes \$ 5,807.75 Loose \$ 146.00 **Total** \$ 5,953.75

Building Fund \$ 1,980.50

Thank you for your continued support during these hard times. The Church depends on your contributions and we are truly grateful for your Offering. You can continue to drop off your contributions in the mail slot at the rectory or you can place them in the collection slot in the sanctuary area of the church during the week.

REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR ALL OUR SICK and our elderly, homebound and nursing home parishioners, especially: Ferol Abadie, Wayne Acosta. Beckam Adams, Rhett Aubert, Sylvia Babin, Audrey Becnel, Gwen Becnel, Armand Brady, Evan Brady, Jamie Brady, Totsy Brady, Tracy Brady, Kathy Brasington, Leo Breaux, Diana Brown, Freddie Lee Brown, Audrey Cambre, Hilary Cambre II, Anniston James Cancienne, Hayden Cashio, Earlene Cicet, Cleveland Clement, Missy Cortez, Myrna L. Cox, Darcey Delatte, Allie Duhé, David Duhé, Janet Duhé, Rowena Duhé, Rose B. Duhé, Terri Duhé, Kelly Fox, Bryan Fuller, Mary Garon, Andrew Gilbert, David Guidry, Magda Guillot, Beverly Harris, Alex Hill, Jennifer Howe, Debbie Hymel, Patricia Jacob, Terry Jacob, Brodey Johnson, Cindy Johnson, Gloria Keating, Cheryl Keller, Gerald Keller, Vera Ann LaBauve, Judy LaFountain, Nolan Landeche Jr., Robert Langley, Dionne Lapeyrolerie, Maddox Louque, Phyllis R. Madere, Betty Marse, Christian Marse, Lily Martin, Marilyn Maurin, Byron Millet, David W. Millet, H. David Millet, Lisa M. Millet, Marie H. Millet, Emma Mury, Barbara Oubre, Oren J. Oubre, Willis Peranio, Ralph Remondet, Sandra Remondet, Walter Romain, Angie Roussel, Audrey Roussel, Teresa Roussell, Fr. Randy Roux, Myrza "Nookie" Ruiz, Jeffrey Schexnayder, Bobby Scioneaux, David Scioneaux, Elta Mae Simon, Lawrence Simoneaux, Kenny Songy, Leda Mae Steib, Loretta Stein, Charles "Jucie" Sutton, Audrey Terrio, Kassidy Terrio, Rosalie Terrio, Peter Tregre, Steven "Dukie" Tregre, Calvin Triche, C.J. Trosclair, Carol Trosclair, Sandra Trosclair, Cynthia Vicknair, Ida Vicknair, Jim Vicknair, Leslie Vicknair, Linda Vicknair, Yvonne Vicknair, Todd Warner, Michael Watts, Fé-Fé Weber, Geraldine Weber, Betty Webre,

ST PETER PRAYER LINE ... Call Doris Beadle (536-2354)

#### St. Peter School



A Ministry of St. Peter Catholic Community



#### ST. PETER SCHOOL NEWS:

... Dec. 15 Middle School Exams (Religion & Science)

... Dec. 16 Middle School Exams (ELA)

... Dec. 17 Middle School Exams (Math & Social Studies)

... Dec. 18 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Begins

... Early Dismissal at 10:30 am (No Aftercare & Afternoon Bus

Service)

... Dec. 21-Jan. 1 Christmas Holidays

. Jan. 4 Classes Resume

No Morning or Afternoon Bus Service
 1<sup>st</sup> Danger of Failing Notices Sent Home

... 2nd Quarter Report Cards Sent Home

For more information on what's going on at St. Peter School, visit their website at <a href="http://www.stpeterreserve.org">http://www.stpeterreserve.org</a>.

#### **Christmas Food Basket Drive**



The Msgr. Eyraud Knights of Columbus Council #2436 is asking for your help in providing non-perishable food items to help fill the baskets. Baskets will be dis-

tributed at Christmas to the needy families of our church parishes. In addition, donated items will be sent to the Ministry of Care in Laplace to help stock the food bank. Your help in this project is greatly appreciated.

Items greatly needed:

Jiffy corn bread mix

2 lb. Rice

Quick pasta dishes (Knor)

Quick Potato dishes

Peanut butter
Canned fruit
Instant grits

Sponsored by St. Peter School and Knights of Columbus



St. John Parish Sheriff's Office

P.O.P.S. Program

Sheriff Mike Tregre invites homebound seniors to join

Protect Our Precious Seniors, a free service provided by St. John Parish Sheriff's Office. POPS is designed to assist in the well-being of local senior citizens or adults with disabilities who live alone and may be at risk of frequent illnesses, falls, or social isolation. For information, call 985-652-7058.

### Third Sunday of Advent (Gaudete Sunday)

#### THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER CHURCH ....

#### Visit us on our website at http://www.st-peter-reserve.org

#### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13 (3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY OF *ADVENT*)

Is 61:1-2a, 10-11; 1 Thes 5:16-24; Jn 1:6-8, 19-28

Mass, 8:00 am & 11:00 am

Retirement Fund for Religious

High School Religion, 9:30 am - 10:45 am, Lacour

No KC Bingo

Monday, December 14 (St. John of the Cross)

Mass, 6:30 am

Tuesday, December 15 (Advent Weekday)

Mass, 6:30 am

Rosary, 9:00 am

High School Religion, 6:00 pm - 7:15 pm, Lacour

Mass Intentions deadline for Sat, Dec. 19 - Fri, Dec. 25 Noon

Wednesday, December 16 (Advent Weekday)

Mass, 6:30 am

Thursday, December 17 (Advent Weekday)

Mass, 6:30 am

Friday, December 18 (Advent Weekday)

Mass, 6:30 am & 8:15 am (School Mass)

Saturday, December 19 (Advent Weekday)

CCD Classes, 8:30 am - 10:00 am, Lacour Center

Confessions, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm Christmas Flowers Collection

Vigil Mass of Sunday, 5:00 pm

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20 (4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT)

2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Rom 16:25-27; Lk 1:26-38

Mass, 8:00 am & 11:00 am Christmas Flowers Collection

No KC Bingo



| Ministers' Schedule 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of AdventDec. 19/20 |                                  |                                  |            |
|--|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------|
|  | 5:00 pm Vigil                    | 8:00 am                          | 11:00 am   |
| Lector   | Peggy Bienvenu                   | Natalie Klibert                  | Youth      |
| Ministers  | Gloria Donaldson<br>Paula Maurin | Diane Abbondante<br>Sonya Ocmand | Jay Keller |

#### **HOLY DAYS - SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

# CHRISTMAS Thurs, Dec. 2

Thurs, Dec. 24......Vigil of Christmas, 5:00 pm

No Midnight Mass

Fri, Dec.25......8:00 am & 10:00 am



#### **SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD**

Thurs, Dec. 31......Vigil of Solemnity, 5:00 pm Fri, Jan. 1.....9:00 am

(Office closed Monday, Dec 21 - Friday, January 1, retuning on Mon Jan. 4) Dear Parishioners,

Today, the Third Sunday of Advent, is known as Gaudete Sunday. *Gaudete* is Latin for "rejoice" which is the initial word of today's entrance antiphon. We rejoice today, for the coming of the Lord is so near that we cannot help but Third think about it. Perhaps we are



starting to feel overwhelmed by all that we need to do between now and Christmas. Let this be an opportunity to refocus our attention on the true reason we celebrate this time of year. Rejoice, the Lord is near!

Hundreds of religious communities of Sisters, Brothers, and religious order priests struggle to provide for aging members because most of them served for little or no pay. Your gift to the **RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS** helps these communities bridge the gap, offering support for medication, nursing care, and other necessities.

### The second collection this weekend is for the RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS.

The second collection next weekend, December 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> will be for the Christmas flowers.

Have a Blessed Advent week!



#### **MASS INTENTIONS - 2021**

Our Mass Intentions Book for 2021 is now open.

**OFFERING ENVELOPE SETS for 2021** are available for pickup at the back of the church (by the cry room).

## ARCHDIOCESAN SILVER (25<sup>TH</sup>) WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Sunday, March 14, 2021 at 3:00 pm in St. Joseph Church, New Orleans LA

This year's celebration will not be a Mass, but a Prayer Service. Attendance at Mass for Sunday obligation will have to be met within one's Parish. All participants must register through their parish. Please register by Wednesday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021 by contacting the parish or going to nolacatholic.org/wedding-anniversary



