St. Peter Catholic Community

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Office Hours

Monday thru Thursday 8 am to 4 pm Friday 8 am to 12 pm Saturday and Sunday Closed

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Masses

Weekends
Saturday Vigil5:00 pm
Sunday
Weekdays
Monday ~ Friday 6:30 am
Holy Days of Obligation As Announced
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday
(any time by appointment)
Davations

Devotions

Perpetual Novena OLPH

Baptisms

Celebrated on the last Sunday of the month. Please call the parish office to make an appointment. Attendance at the parish Baptismal Seminar is required by appointment, prior to the celebration of the Sacrament.

Marriages

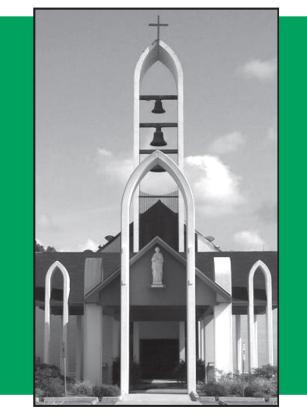
All couples planning to be married must call the parish office at least 6 months before their intended wedding date. Participation in a marriage preparation program is required.

Hospital / Shut-in

Please call the rectory/parish office to notify the priest if a parishioner is in the hospital or is homebound and needs Communion at home.

Welcome New Comers

Please stop by the parish office to register.



PARISH STAFF

Pastor - Rev. John Marse

Principal - Mrs. Marie Comeaux

Administrative Assistant – Mrs. Angie Robertson

Secretary - Mrs. Lela Rushing

Youth Ministry - Miss Mary Kay Vicknair

Elementary CCD - Mrs. Suzanne Remondet

Cemetery - Mr. Guy Landry

Mission Statement

St. Peter Catholic
Community demonstrates
the Good News of
Jesus Christ through the
use of our time, talents
and treasure.



MEMORIAL DONATIONS

Missalettes for the month of December

In memory of Emile Hotard jr.

From Wife & Children

The Sanctuary Lamp for this week

In memory of E. J. Aucoin

The Altar Bread & Wine for this week

In memory of **J. P. Clement**

From Wife & Family

Missalettes (for the month) (\$100)

The Sanctuary Lamp (\$25)

The Altar Bread & Wine (\$50)

Altar Flowers Call the Parish Office for details.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS......December 2/3

Envelopes \$ 4,800.00 Loose \$ 580.00 **Total** \$ **5,380.00**

Building Maintenance Fund \$1,582.00

We are truly grateful for your offering. Thank you and God bless you.

Please see Mass Intention Sheet for our Sick List.



Christmas Food Baskets

The Msgr. Eyraud Knights of Columbus Council #2436 would like to thank everyone for the blessings they have given to our community. At this time, we are asking for your continued help in providing non-perishable food items to help fill the Christmas baskets. Baskets will be distributed to the families in need from our church parishes. Your help in this Christmas season is greatly appreciated.

Items needed:

Fruit Cups Breakfast Cereal Peanut Butter Pasta Sauce

Tuna fish/ can or pouches





2023 Giving Tree Project

Wrapped gifts with ornament tags must be returned to the rectory no later than December 13th.

At rest in Christ

Karen Ann Vicknair Gloria Mae Mabile Triche McArthur G. Duhé Jamie Michael Brady

We ask your prayers for the repose of their souls and that their families and friends may be strengthened by their faith and consoled by their hope in eternal life.



St. Peter School

A Ministry of St. Peter Catholic Community Reserve, Louisiana



ST. PETER SCHOOL NEWS:

... Dec. 11 Middle School Study Guides sent home

... Dec. 12 Christmas Program, 6:30 pm

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

... Spirit Dress Day

... Dec. 18 Middle School Exams (Math & Social Studies)

... Dec. 19 Middle School Exams (ELA)
... Soccer "End of Season" Party &
... Team/Individual Pictures, 4:30 pm

For more information on what's going on at St. Peter School, visit their website at http://www.stpeterreserve.org.



BAPTIZED in CHRIST

Saturday December 2, 2023

Oden Willis Richard,

Son of James III & Breanna Songy Richard







This year's iGiveCatholic campaign made approximately \$5,000. On behalf of the faculty and families of St. Peter School, we would like to thank everyone who donated to this year's campaign.

St. Peter Altar Society

The Altar Society is open for membership to men and women. Members help to maintain the sanctuary and some other areas of the interior of the church. Monies raised through dues (\$10/yr.) help to provide income to continue to fund projects like purchasing flowers for special occasions, altar, and cleaning supplies. If you'd like to help, please call Peggy Bienvenu @ 504-487-8769. Members can put dues in the collection or drop off at the rectory. Thank you!

Second Sunday of Advent

THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER CHURCH

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

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10 (2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT)

Is 40:1-5, 9-11; 2 Pt 3:8-14; Mk 1:1:1-8 Mass, 8:00 am & 11:00 am



Retirement Fund for Religious Appeal

Monday, December 11 (Advent Weekday)

Mass, 6:30 am

Tuesday, December 12 (Our Lady of Guadalupe)

Mass, 6:30 am

Rosary, 9:00 am

Mass Intentions deadline for Sat, Dec 16- Fri, Dec 22, Noon KC Officers Meeting, 2:00 pm

Wednesday, December 13 (St. Lucy)

Mass, 6:30 am

Advent Penance Service, 6:00 pm, High School Religion

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

Mass, 6:30 am

Msgr Eyraud Auxiliary meeting, 11:00 am till, Christmas Party Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:00 pm, KC Hall

Friday, December 15 (Advent Weekday)

Mass, 6:30 am

Saturday, December 16 (Advent Weekday)

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

Confessions, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Vigil Mass of Sunday, 5:00 pm

Christmas Flowers Collection

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17 (3RD 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

Christmas Flowers Collection



Ministers' Schedule Advent IIIDec 16/17					
	5:00 pm Vigil	8:00 am	11:00 am		
Lector	Larry Bourgeois Jr	Randy Aucoin	Youth		
Ministers	Gerald Marse Gloria Donaldson	Christine Duhé Doug Triche	Jay Keller Melissa Roussel		

Youth Ministry	Ministry Advent IIDecember 10	
Team 1	11:00 am	
Lector	Volunteer	
Altar Servers	Carson Becnel, Drew Aucoin	
Baskets Choir Side	Miley LaBranche	
Baskets Other Side	Chance Mollere	
Baskets Front	Colton Hymel	
Gifts	Kye Bourgeois	

MASS INTENTIONS – 2024

Our Mass Intentions Book for 2024 is open.

Dear Parishioners,

Today's Gospel is taken from the beginning of Mark. Unlike Luke and Matthew, Mark does not include any details of Jesus' birth. Instead, Mark begins with the appearance of



John the Baptist in the desert. On this Second Sunday of Advent, we are invited to reflect upon the role of John the Baptist, who prepared the way for Jesus and the salvation that He would bring to us. John the Baptist is presented to us as a model during Advent. We, too, are called upon to prepare a way for the Lord. Like John the Baptist, we are messengers in service to one who is greater than we are. Our Baptism commissions us to call other to life as disciples of Jesus.

Women and men religious have spent their lives serving others in prayer, ministry, education, and care for those in need—usually for little or no pay. Today, their religious communities do not have enough retirement savings. As they age, they require essential care and medications. Please support them by giving to the **Retirement Fund for Religious.** Your donation makes a difference for nearly 25,000 senior men and women religious.

The second collection today is for the Retirement Fund for Religious.

Please turn in all gifts for the Giving Tree by Wednesday, December 13th. Please secure the name tag to the gifts.

River Parish Community Theatre's annual Christmas concert will be on Sunday, December 17th at 5:00 P.M. in St. Peter Church. It is free and open to the public.

Have a Blessed Advent Week!



Moving Mary The Mary Statues Schedule:

	5:00 pm	8:00 am	11:00 am	Weekday		
	MASS	MASS	MASS	MASS		
12/10/23	Paula	Charles	Mimi	Robert		
	Roussel	Aucoin	Blank	Beadle		
12/17/23	Mary	Barbara	Regina	Christine		
	Champagne	Tregre	Remondet	Duhé		



Saturday, December 9 (Vigil of Sunday)

5:00 pm

Ernest & Ludivine Cambre; Shirley Abadie, Harry Abadie Jr & David Montz; Dean Torres; Teta & Bubby Brady; Marilyn Torres Maurin; Francis Guidry Sr; Courtney Guidry; Mike Thames; David Guidry; Edwin "Doc" Acosta; Norris & Pauline Stein; Sidney & Alisca Brack Family; Mederic & Marie Vicknair Family; Leroy & Delores Brock Family; Wilson Vicknair; David Scioneaux Jr; Karen K. V. Weber; Olga & John Porteous; Walter, Kevin & Lindsay Romain; E. J. Aucoin; Willie Peranio; Debbie Labat; C. F. Landry Jr & Michael Landry; Audrey Feucht Boé; Dennis Vollenweider; Nolan Landeche Jr; L. T. John Scioneaux Jr; Geraldine "Jerry" Luminais

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10 (SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT)

Is 40:1-5, 9-11; 2 Pt 3:8-14; Mk 1:1:1-8

8:00 am

11:00 am

Vance & Beverly Robertson; Philip, Doris & Norman Weber; Lillie Cashio; Lester & Evelyn Scioneaux; Gloria Aucoin; Rowena Aucoin; Charles Aucoin Sr; Kim W. Cox; William Cox; Joseph "J. P." Clement; Shane D. Weber Sr.; Kirt P. Robertson; Joy Entremont Hotard; Lena & Carl Montz; Dakota & Daphne Rushing; Maurice & Denise Lambert; Bernadette V. Lambert; Clifford Faucheux; Sutton & Faucheux Families; Lawrence & Edna Mae Duhé; Anna Lee & Henry Cox Sr; E. J. Aucoin; Elly B. Langley; Thanksgiving (SR); Doris Beadle; Ronnie Cassagne; Clarence H. Howes; Ella & Barry Ryan; Felix Jacob Jr; Paul Laurent; H. David Millet; Mary Rose Brown; Gloria M. Triche

Parishioners

Monday, December 11 (Advent Weekday)

Is 35:1-10; Lk 5:17-26

6:30 am Kirk A. Delaneuville

Tuesday, December 12 (Our Lady of Guadalupe) Zec 2:14-17; Lk 1:26-38

6:30 am Colby & Kade Boudreaux

Wednesday, December 13 (St. Lucy, Virgin & Martyr)

Is 40:25-31; Mt 11:28-30

6:30 am Herman Schexnayder Sr

8:15 am Mildred Keller

Thursday, December 14 (St. John of the Cross, Priest & Doctor of the Church)

Is 41:13-20; Mt 11:11-15

6:30 am Vance R. Robertson

Friday, December 15 (Advent Weekday)

Is 48:17-19; Mt 11:16-19

6:30 am Greg Entremont

Saturday, December 16 (Advent Weekday)

Sir 48:1-4, 9-11; Mt 17:9a, 10-13

No Mass or Communion Service

REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR ALL OUR SICK and our elderly, homebound and nursing home parishioners, especially: Ruby Acosta, Wayne Acosta, Beckham Adams, Rhett Aubert, Sylvia Babin, Diamond Bailey, Herman Bailey Jr., Gwen Becnel, Evan Brady, Totsy Brady, Tracy Brady, Leo Breaux, Diana Brown, Freddie Lee Brown, Audrey Cambre, Hilary Cambre II, Anniston James Cancienne, Joy Cantrelle, Hayden Cashio, Cleveland Clement, Missy Cortez, John Cox, Myrna L. Cox, David Duhé, Janet Duhé, Terri Duhé, Kelly Fox, Bryan Fuller, Magda Guillot, Anne Marie Delery Helmke, Alex Hill, Jennifer Howe, Debbie Hymel, Patricia Jacob, Terry Jacob, Brodey Johnson, Cindy Johnson, Gloria Keating, Cheryl Keller, Irene Landry, Dionne Lapeyrolerie, Carol LeBlanc, Maddox Louque, Phyllis R. Madere, Betty Marse, Christian Marse, Faye C. Marse, Byron Millet, Eugene Millet, Marie H. Millet, Emma Mury, Barbara Oubre, Oren J. Oubre, Jonathan Perret, Ralph Remondet, Rebecca Roccaforte, Audrey Roussel, Marjorie S. Roussell, Myrza "Nookie" Ruiz, Michael Scallan, Jeffrey Schexnayder, Bobby Scioneaux, David Scioneaux, Lawrence Simoneaux, Kathleen A. Smith, Kenny Songy, Shelly St. Amant; Robert St. Germain, Loretta Folse Stein, Chris Terrio, Debra Terrio, James Terrio, Patsy Roth Torres, Steven "Dukie" Tregre, Tricia Tregre, C.J. Trosclair, Carol Trosclair, Eddie Trosclair, Betty Vicknair, Cynthia Vicknair, Ida Vicknair, Jim Vicknair, Leslie Vicknair, Linda Vicknair, Woonne Vicknair, Michael Watts, Fé-Fé Weber, Geraldine Weber, Sandra Weber, Betty Webre, Jeffrey Williams, Rosalie Williams

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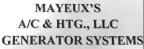
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