

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 Vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 & 11:00 am

Weekdays

Monday ~ Friday 6:30 am

Holy Days of Obligation As Announced

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 pm
(any time by appointment)

Devotions

Perpetual Novena OLPH

..... Tuesday, immediately following 6:30 am mass

Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

1st Wednesday of the month 1:00 pm to 6:00 pm

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 **Alvin Stein**

The Altar Bread & Wine for this week

In memory of **Gloria M. Triche**

From **Judy, Nelson, Richard,**

Cheryl & 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 9/10

Envelopes \$ 4,538.00

Loose \$ 472.00

Total \$ 5,010.00

Immaculate Conception \$ 897.00

Retirement Fund for the Religious Appeal \$ 1,158.00

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

Peanut Butter

Tuna fish/ can or pouches

Breakfast Cereal

Pasta Sauce

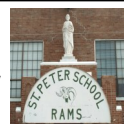


**Office closed Wednesday, December 20 - Monday,
January 1, returning on Tuesday, January 2**



St. Peter School

A Ministry of St. Peter Catholic Community
Reserve, Louisiana



ST. PETER SCHOOL NEWS:

... Dec. 18 Middle School Exams (ELA)

... Dec. 19 Early Dismissal at 10:30 am, No aftercare

... School Mass at 8:05

... Soccer "End of Season" Party &

... Team/Individual Pictures, 4:30 pm

... Dec. 20-Jan. 3 Christmas/New Year's Holidays

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



BLUE + MASS

HONORING AND REMEMBERING OUR
PUBLIC SAFETY PERSONNEL WHO
GIVE THEIR LIVES IN FAITHFUL
SERVICE TO OUR COMMUNITY

**Thursday, Jan 18
AT 10 AM**

ST. JOAN OF ARC CATHOLIC CHURCH

529 West 5th Street, LaPlace

BLESSING OF THE FLEET TO FOLLOW

Youth Ministry Advent III.....December 17	
Team 1	11:00 am
Lector	Volunteer
Altar Servers	Houston Remondet Jr.
Baskets Choir Side	Benjamin Duhe
Baskets Other Side	Kasey Bourgeois
Baskets Front	Kenley Simon
Gifts	Ava Klibert

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 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



Monday, December 18 (Advent Weekday)

Mass, 6:30 am

Tuesday, December 19 (Advent Weekday)

Mass, 6:30 am & 8:05 am (School Mass)

Rosary, 9:00 am

Mass Intentions deadline for Sat, Dec 23- Fri, Jan. 5, Noon

Wednesday, December 20 (Advent Weekday)

Office Closed Dec. 20 - Jan. 1

Mass, 6:30 am

Thursday, December 21 (Advent Weekday)

Mass, 6:30 am

Friday, December 22 (Advent Weekday)

Mass, 6:30 am

Saturday, December 23 (Advent Weekday)

Confessions, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Vigil Mass of Sunday, 5:00 pm

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24 (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

5:00 pm, Vigil Mass of Christmas



Ministers' Schedule Advent IV.....Dec 23/24

	5:00 pm Vigil	8:00 am	11:00 am
Lector	Kim Scioneaux	Lynette Lapeyrolerie	Youth
Ministers	Peggy Bienvenu Larry Bourgeois Jr	Matthew Cox Tara Cox	Rachel Triche Claudette Henry

Lectors & Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Communion:

Please sign up for the Christmas Masses & New Year's Day Mass on the sign-up sheet posted in the sacristy. Thanks !

ARCHDIOCESAN SILVER (25TH) WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

**Sunday, March 17, 2024 at 3:00 pm in
Our Lady of the Rosary 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. If you will be celebrating your 25th Wedding Anniversary in 2024 (married in the year 1999) or were married between 1994 - 1999 are invited to be recognized at this celebration. All participants must register through their parish. **Please register by Tuesday, January 9th, 2024 by contacting the parish.**



Dear Parishioners,

This Sunday's Gospel invites us to continue our reflection on the person and mission of John the Baptist. Today we depart from the Gospel of Mark and read a selection from the Gospel of John. The Gospel for today combines a brief passage from the prologue to John's Gospel with a report about John the Baptist. As in Mark's Gospel, the Gospel of John contains no birth narrative. Instead, John's Gospel begins with a theological reflection that has come to be called the "prologue." This prologue places the story of Jesus in its cosmological framework. It speaks of Jesus' existence with God since the beginning of time. In John's Gospel, Jesus is presented as the fulfillment of the Old Testament and the culmination of the Word, the light that is coming into the world's darkness.



The third Sunday of Advent is also called *Gaudete Sunday*. *Gaudete*, a Latin word which means "rejoice," is taken from the entrance antiphon for Sunday's Mass. This theme is echoed in today's second reading from the first Letter to the Thessalonians. It is a reminder that Advent is a season of joy because our salvation is already at hand.

The second collection today is for the Christmas flower decorations.

Don't forget about **River Parish Community Theater's annual Christmas concert on Sunday, December 17th** at 5:00 P.M. in St. Peter's Church. It is free and open to the public.

The **Christmas Mass schedule** is included. Please keep it in a handy place for reference for Mass times for Christmas and New Year's Day.

Have a Blessed Advent Week!

Fr. John



Moving Mary

The Mary Statues Schedule:

	5:00 pm MASS	8:00 am MASS	11:00 am MASS	Weekday MASS
12/17/23	Mary Champagne	Barbara Tregre	Regina Remondet	Christine Duhé
12/24/23	Sylvia Maurin	Ovidio Martinez	Mary A. Landeche	Coleen Boudreaux

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Saturday, December 16 (Vigil of Sunday)

5:00 pm Heather M. Landry; Marie Eve, Sidney & Callan Jacob; Shirley Abadie, Harry Abadie Jr & David Montz; Dean Torres; Francis Guidry Sr; Courtney Guidry; Mike Thames; David Guidry; Walter, Kevin & Lindsay Romain; Willie Peranio; Debbie Labat; R. J. & Inez Berthelot St. Germain & Family; C. F. Landry Jr & Michael Landry; Audrey Feucht Boé; Dennis Vollenweider; Nolan Landeche Jr

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17 (THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT)

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

8:00 am George & Shirley Cancienne; Gloria Aucoin; Rowena Aucoin; Charles Aucoin Sr; Kim W. Cox; William Cox; Joseph "J. P." Clement; Joy Entremont Hotard; Philip, Norman & Doris Weber; Lillie Cashio; Lena & Carl Montz; Timothy M. Hymel; Shane D. Weber Sr.; Kirt P. Robertson; Lawrence & Edna Mae Duhé; Rupert "Mickey" & Leah C. Warner; Theodore H. & Gustina "Gussie" Webre; Randy Himel; Henry & Florence Forsythe; Anna Lee & Henry Cox Sr; Darryl Cashio; E. J. Aucoin; Elly B. Langley; Thanksgiving (SR); Doris Beadle; Ronnie Cassagne; Clarence H. Howes; Ella & Barry Ryan; H. David Millet; Mary Rose Brown; Gloria M. Triche; Felix "Joe" Jacob Jr; Craig Mollere

11:00 am *Parishioners*

Monday, December 18 (Late Advent Weekday)

Jer 23:5-8; Mt 1:6-8, 19-28

6:30 am Greg Entremont

Tuesday, December 19 (Late Advent Weekday)

Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25; Lk 1:5-25

6:30 am Vicknair Family Intentions

8:05 am St. Peter School Students, Faculty & Staff

Wednesday, December 20 (Late Advent Weekday)

Is 7:10-14; Lk 1:26-38

6:30 am Marilyn Torres Maurin (July 27 intention)

Thursday, December 21 (Late Advent Weekday)

Sg 2:8-14; Lk 1:39-45

6:30 am Pauline Delaneuville

Friday, December 22 (Late Advent Weekday)

1 Sm 1:24-28; Lk 1:46-56

6:30 am Yolande M. Landry

Saturday, December 23 (Late Advent Weekday)

Mal 3:1-4, 23-24; Lk 1:57-66

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. Roussel, 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, Yvonne Vicknair, Michael Watts, Fé-Fé Weber, Geraldine Weber, Sandra Weber, Betty Webre, Jeffrey Williams, Rosalie Williams

To add a name to our prayer list please call the rectory at 985-536-2887.

*A Savior has been born
for you who is Messiah and Lord*

ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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RESERVE, LA 70084

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2023 (CHRISTMAS EVE)

5:00 P.M.

(SOLEMN MASS OF CHRISTMAS)

MONDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2023 (CHRISTMAS DAY)

8:00 A.M. & 10:00 A.M.

(PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGE)

MONDAY, JANUARY 1, 2024) (NEW YEAR'S DAY)

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

(NOT A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION THIS YEAR)

9:00 A.M.



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