



# A New Playground for Our School

Saint Peter's Catholic School would like to build an amazing new playground for our students ages 3-5, right in front of the school for maximum safety.

"Peter's Adventure" will be themed after the apostle Peter: the children can play in Peter's house, take a ride in his fishing boat, and even walk on water to Jesus!

Here are some preliminary drawings to convey the idea. The image of Jesus will actually be a child-friendly 3D statue.



Peter's Adventure will feature cushioned artificial turf, creating land next to the Sea of Galilee.



Out in the water, children can climb onto Peter's boat, which rocks like a see-saw!



The children can play inside Peter's house or go up on the roof, where five slides await!



Like Peter, the children can "walk" on the water towards Jesus!

*If you like this idea and would like to help our school make this dream come true, please reach out to our principal, Ms. Ann Feltner. We currently have about one third of the funds needed. (843) 522-2163*

# A Light for Beaufort

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## A Christmas Like No Other!

**A blessed Advent to you and your loved ones! We prepare not only for the celebration of the Lord's birth, but also to meet him when he comes again in glory.**

This year, we are going to have to be creative and patient in our Christmas celebrations. Since we can only have about 250 people in the church with our current restrictions, we will be holding two large Masses outside on our school soccer field.

We will have two smaller Masses inside: in Spanish at 8:00pm on Christmas Eve, and in English at midnight. Both of these will be live-streamed. On Christmas morning, we will retransmit a recording of the midnight Mass at 9:00am and 11:00am over our "St. Peter's Live" page. (stpetersbeaufort.org/live)

For the outdoor Masses, we will need everyone to bring their own lawn chairs. We will pray for warm and dry weather!

### Christmas Schedule 2020

**Christmas Eve**  
4:00pm Mass on Soccer Field  
8:00pm Spanish Mass in Church

**Christmas Day**  
Midnight Mass in Church  
11:00am Mass on Soccer Field



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# Reasons We Are Grateful to God

## Brothers & Sisters,

The pandemic continues, but we thank God that there seems to be light at the end of the tunnel with vaccines on the way. It appears that we still have some tough months ahead of us. During these times when we need God all the more, there are still many ways you can grow closer to him:

- **Eucharistic Adoration** - Now that Adoration has resumed, you can stop by and spend some time with Jesus. We have installed medical-grade air filters and taken other measures to ensure as safe an environment as possible.
- **Daily Mass** - If you are not yet able to come to Sunday Mass, please consider coming once a week to a daily Mass (8:30 Mon - Fri, 10:00 Mon - Sat). There are so few people that you can easily have an entire area all to yourself.
- **Live-Stream:** Our 10:00 daily Mass is livestreamed each day on our website, followed by the rosary. (Go to our website and click "Watch Live.") So are our Sunday Masses at 9:00 & 11:00.

Please see the Christmas schedule and the note below about a house visit. Remember, we are here for you! Let us know any way we can serve you or your loved ones.

In Christ,  
*Father Andrew*



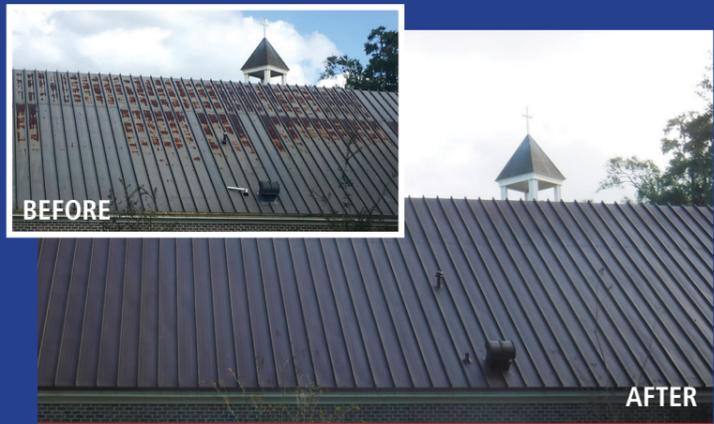
### Christmas Home Visits

We realize that, due to health issues, a large number of people are unable to come to Christmas Mass this year. To minister to as many people as possible, in the days immediately following Christmas, Father Andrew and Father Rodolfo will be traveling house to house to visit all who are homebound. We will bring Holy Communion and offer Confession for all who need it. We will stay outside and meet with each family near their front door, wearing masks.

Please look out for our Christmas card coming in the mail in a few days. It includes a card which you can send back to us if you would like a home visit.



*We celebrated the resuming of Perpetual Adoration with a procession after Sunday Mass and a brief time of Adoration outdoors.*



*The roof of the Parish Life Center has been fixed, repainted, and resealed. It now looks better than ever, and we won't have any more leaks!*



*The pews are being installed at Holy Cross! We look forward to celebrating Mass there again when the pandemic subsides. It will be beautiful.*



*We celebrated the paying off of our church mortgage with a great celebration after all the weekend Masses. To the many people who made our beautiful church possible, THANK YOU!*



*Despite the challenges we have continued to bear fruit for those in need, contributing over \$69,000 so far in 2020. Here is one of the truckloads of food we delivered to the St. Francis Center recently.*



*We have continued to share Christ's light through evangelization efforts. Due to these efforts, we have begun to see people in the community contact us to learn about the Catholic faith, which is exciting!*

*Lord Jesus, as we prepare to celebrate your birth, we are grateful for the many blessings you have been giving our parish family.*

*We ask you to protect us and keep us healthy, both physically and spiritually, and that we may love and serve you in all things.*

