

ST. PETER THE APOSTLE UNIVERSITY & COMMUNITY PARISH
THE CATHOLIC CENTER AT RUTGERS UNIVERSITY



SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Peace

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday and Wednesday: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Tuesday and Thursday: 2:00 pm- 4:00 pm
Friday-Sunday: CLOSED

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., 6:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday - Friday: 7:30 a.m. in St. Peter's Church
Monday- Thursday: 12:15p.m. in the Catholic Center Chapel (beginning July 6)
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. in St. Peter's Church

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION: 7:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 7:30 p.m.
For any last minute changes regarding the Mass schedule on Holy Days of Obligation, please visit: StPeterNewBrunswick.org.

CONFESSION (Sacrament of Reconciliation):

Saturdays: 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon, in the church sacristy; and by appointment

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK:

Please call the parish office to make arrangements for the administration of the Sacrament of the Sick and/or for the reception of the Holy Eucharist to those who are ill

or elderly.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: 732-668-6584
(for assessment of assistance needed, leave message including name and contact number)

BAPTISMS:

Normally scheduled on Sundays, beginning from 1:30 pm by appointment only (not during Lent) Please observe the requirements for sponsors. Must contact the office in advance to register. First-time parents are required to attend a baptism formation session.

WEDDINGS:

Marriage arrangements should be made one year in advance of the wedding. Before making other definitive plans, contact our Wedding Administrator, Colleen Donahue: 732-545-6663 ext. 12 or email: colleen@stpeternewbrunswick.org. Once a wedding is approved and the date is confirmed, the required marriage preparation process may commence.

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION:

In the case of **an emergency**, the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, traditionally called "Last Rites" after business hours, please call 609-661-2409.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Catholic Center Chapel, during Fall & Spring semester.
Mondays, 12:45 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE AT ST. PETER'S CHURCH

94 Somerset Street, New Brunswick, NJ 08901
 Phone: 732.545.6820 Fax: 732.545.4069
 Visit our website: StPeterNewBrunswick.org

Office Hours: Mon & Wed, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
 Tues & Thurs, 2:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m.
 Fri-Sun, **CLOSED**
 Note: *Please wear a face mask*

Parish Clergy:

- Rev. Jason Pavich - Administrator**
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- Rev. Mhonchan Ezung - Parochial Vicar**
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- Patrick Gutsick, Permanent Deacon**
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 New Brunswick, NJ 08901
 Phone: 732.249.0894
 William Carroll- Cemetery Director



Our Parish Is On Venmo!

RU Students and those who use debit cards, St. Peter the Apostle University and Community Parish is now on Venmo! Please consider sacrificing one cup of name-brand coffee each week and donate the cost to help support our parish and campus ministry. Every sacrifice to the Lord matters and is appreciated!

You can find us on the Venmo app by searching for either of the following two options, or by scanning the QR code with your cell phone camera. The profile picture will be the front of St. Peter's Church.

SEARCH FOR:

OR SCAN:

St Peter University Parish at Rutgers @ FrJay



Report of the Sunday Offerings in Support of Our Parish

Fiscal Year 2021

The Sunday offering is the principle means by which we fund the ordinary operations of our parish and its ministries. Thank you for making ministry possible at St. Peter the Apostle University and Community Church.

Please consider using WePay or another form of automated giving as your preferred means of contributing to the support of the parish. You can sign up for online giving by clicking on the "Giving" photo-button on the home page of our Parish website: www.StPeterNewBrunswick.org

When writing or updating your will, please remember our parish in your planning. For more information on planned giving, please contact the parish office.

Our Advent Penance Service will be held on

Tuesday, December 7th from 7pm-8pm

Please note that multiple priests will be available to hear confessions.

Eucharistic Adoration will also be celebrated in the church during that time.



Mass Intentions

Monday, December 6 – Advent Weekday; *St. Nicholas, Bishop*

7:30 a.m. Elias Ojeil
12:15 p.m. George Batrof

Tuesday, December 7 – St. Ambrose, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

7:30 a.m. Eric Christie
12:15 p.m.

Wednesday, December 8 – THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

7:30 a.m. For the clergy, religious, staff and parishioners of St. Peter's
12:15 p.m. Russell C. Hall
7:30 p.m. Deceased members of the Wittreich & Hughes Families

Thursday, December 9 – Advent Weekday; *St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatotzin*

7:30 a.m.
12:15 p.m. Deceased members of the Ballai & Kinelski Families

Friday, December 10 – Advent Weekday; *Our Lady of Loreto*

7:30 a.m. Steve & Anna Hrapsky
12:15 p.m.

Saturday, December 11 – Advent Weekday; *St. Damasus I, Pope*

9:00 a.m. Deceased members of the McCullough Family
5:00 p.m. For the clergy, religious, staff and parishioners of St. Peter's

Sunday, December 12 – THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8:00 a.m. Dorothy Hughes
10:00 a.m. Deceased members of the Anigbogus & Onwuasonyas Families and the World
12:00 p.m. Deceased members of the Anigbogus & Onwuasonyas Families and the World
6:00 p.m. Deceased members of the Wittreich & Hughes families

If you would like to reserve a Mass intention or obtain a Mass card, please contact Colleen, at 732-545-6663 x 12 or email colleen@stpeternewbrunswick.org. Mass intentions will be offered once the stipend fee(s) is received.

Important Notice!
The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception is a Holy Day of Obligation this year.

Wednesday, December 8th

All Masses will be celebrated in the Church at
7:30am
12:15pm
7:30pm



In your charity, please pray for...

Kevin Hoagland, Thomas Spataro, Connor Montferrat, Ginnie Previte, Jonathan Swedel, John William Criscuoli, Danielle Reiser, Esther Wambui, Norman Corbett, Florence Gowin, Margaret Cleary, Teresa Yannazzone, Bill Spataro, Nicholas Rossi, Chris Joyce, Gary Vavila, Patricia and Sylvanus Ashamole, Louis Svelec, Joseph D'Imperio III, the sick members of the Akushie and Nwachukwu Families, Doris Tarquinio, Rick Scuderi, Linda Ryan, Rita Pietrobono, Nicole Mancini, Angelo Mancini, Becky Yurga, Rebecca Miller, Orlando Gines, Yvonne Finaldi, Sheila Lavery, Tanya Davis, Sgt. John McLaughlin, Patricia Deri, Alessia De Pasquale, Brian Donoghue, Christine Fellin, Jose Lopez, Joseph Gerity, Mary Cignarella, Lorraine Fellin, Mary Hall, Russell J. Hall, Angelo Rossi, Mary Ann Hrapsky, William Kish, Maria Kratzar, Theresita De Guzman, Bette Smith, Mary Spicer, Tom and Kathleen Monchek, Anna Graziosi, Joey Mahoney, Evelyn Echevarria, Patricia Krakowski, Carmella LaVera, Joseph Gutsick, Barbara Wittreich, Frederick DeLong, Anne Gutsick-Smith, W.J.R., Marge Alfrey, Boris Rukshin, Jay Sherman, Jake Sherman, The Thompson Family, Martha Catel, Glenn Diehl, Donna McCabe, Anthony Nini, Jack Varga, Ed Lyons, Scott Yaede

All the sick, those who are homebound, the hospitalized, and all who serve in the military

If a name no longer needs to be on our list, please contact the Parish Office at 732-545-6820 or ParishOffice@StPeterNewBrunswick.org

Christmas Giving Tree

Attach the Tags to each gift, but please **Do Not Wrap the Gifts**. If donating a gift card, please **Write the Dollar Amount on the Gift Card. Gift Cards should be placed in the collection basket during mass** while other gifts may be placed in the vestibule of the church. All gifts must be returned by the weekend of **December 11 and 12**.

Volunteers are needed to help collect, sort and/or deliver the gifts to each organization. Please contact Carmel at Idaqirl@optimum.net or through Parish office.

Thank you for your generosity!



ADVENT AT A GLANCE

Brothers and Sisters,

As we begin this hope-filled season of Advent, St. Peter's University and Community Parish will offer numerous opportunities for you to grow closer to our Lord through the Sacraments and other prayer events. Please review and mark your calendars for the events listed below in order to assist you in your Advent preparation. May God bless you in this Advent season and know of my daily prayers for you.

*With a prayer,
Fr. Jay*

Sacrament of Reconciliation

In order to prevent long lines and large crowds, St. Peter's will be offering numerous opportunities to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. They are as follows:

Monday Nights in the Catholic Center (7:00pm-7:30pm)

December 6th
December 13th

Saturday Mornings 11:00am in the Church

December 4th
December 11th
December 18th

Advent Penance Service, Tuesday, December 7th at 7:00pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Come and spend some time in prayer before Our Lord in the Most Blessed Sacrament.

Monday Afternoon/Evenings in the Catholic Ctr. (12:45pm-7:30pm)

December 6th
December 7th (During Advent Penance Service in Church, 7pm-8pm)
December 13th

Lessons and Carols

St. Peter's will celebrate a Lessons and Carols event in our Church on
Sunday, December 12th at 3pm.

Christmas Mass Times

December 24th

5:00pm
7:00pm

December 25th

12:00am Midnight
8:00am (No Music)
10:00am

Holy Family Sunday (Sunday, December 26th)

Mass will be celebrated during our regular Sunday times: 8am, 10am, 12noon, 6pm