

St. Peter the Apostle University & Community Parish

The Catholic Center at Rutgers University



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
(Chapel is located inside the Catholic Center, next door to St. Peter's church.)
Saturday: 7:30 a.m. in St. Peter's Church

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION: 7:30a.m., 12:15p.m., 7:30p.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.

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. **PLEASE NOTE:** St. Peter's staff does not meet with Wedding Planners - we communicate only with the bride or groom.

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.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Catholic Center Chapel, during Fall & Spring semester. Mondays, 12:45 p.m.- 7:30 p.m. To sign up for a half hour or hour timeslot, please email Izabela at: izelka10@gmail.com

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

For information regarding religious education, please contact the parish office at 732-545-6820 or parishoffice@stpeternewbrunswick.org

PARISH OFFICE AT ST. PETER'S CHURCH

94 Somerset Street, New Brunswick, NJ 08901
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Visit our website: StPeterNewBrunswick.org

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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
frJay@StPeterNewBrunswick.org
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Parish Staff:

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St. Peter Cemetery

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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.

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OR SCAN:

St Peter University Parish at Rutgers @ FrJay



Report of the Sunday Offerings in Support of Our Parish

Fiscal Year 2023

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.

Welcome to the Parish! Are You Registered?

We Welcome New Families and all ask all those who regularly attend Mass at St. Peter's to register as a parishioner. You can register in person at the parish office or by completing the registration form, found on the parish website, and mailing it to the parish office. You may also complete and submit the form online.

Certificates of eligibility to sponsor a Baptism or Confirmation can be obtained at the Parish Office. You must be a registered parishioner at least 3 months in order to obtain a Sponsor form. Please call the parish office with any questions.

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 17, Easter Weekday

7:30 a.m. James Christie

12:15 p.m. Intentions of the Hrapsky Family

Tuesday, April 18, Easter Weekday

7:30 a.m. Salvatore Guzzardi

12:15 p.m. Intentions of the Ballai Family

Wednesday, April 19, Easter Weekday

7:30 a.m. Eufemia de Dios

12:15 p.m. Intentions in the Catholic Center Prayer Box

Thursday, April 20, Easter Weekday

7:30 a.m.

12:15 p.m.

Friday, April 21, Easter Weekday; St. Anselm, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

7:30 a.m. Health & Healing for Linda Fischer

12:15 p.m. Birthday Blessings for Amalia Reyes

Saturday, April 22, Easter Weekday

7:30 a.m.

5:00 p.m. Birthday Blessings for Tricia Labraccio

Sunday, April 23, THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:00 a.m. Alejandro & Leonora Valdez

10:00 a.m. Jean Francis

12:00 p.m. Anthony Mangarella

6:00 p.m. For the Clergy, Religious, Staff and Parishioners of St. Peter's Parish

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.

Remembering Your Loved Ones (Living and Deceased)

In addition to week day and Sunday Mass Intentions, St. Peter's offers other options to remember your loved ones.

*We not only have Mass cards for the deceased, but also for Birthday, Healing and Special Intentions. The Stipend fee is \$10 per Mass.

*We have two Tabernacle sanctuary lamps - one in the Church and one in the Catholic Center chapel, which can be lit for one week in remembrance of or for the special intentions of your loved ones. The fee is \$15.00.

*You can also provide altar flowers in the church (living or deceased).

For any of these options, or for additional information, please contact **Colleen at 732-545-6663 ext. 12.**



Don't miss another update from our Parish!

We have a tremendous community here at St. Peter's and we want to make sure it's as easy as possible for every one of you to be involved and connected to it all.

Text SPNB to 84576 or sign up online at www.stpeterparishnb.flocknote.com and join our parish Flocknote Community!

Once you send that in, Flocknote will text you back a confirmation message AND another message with a link you'll need to click to complete the process.

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, 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, Joey Mahoney, Evelyn Echevarria, Patricia Krakowski, Carmella LaVera, Joseph Gutsick, Frederick DeLong, Anne Gutsick-Smith, W.J.R., Boris Rukshin, Jake Sherman, The Thompson Family, Martha Catel, Glenn Diehl, Anthony Nini, Jack Varga, Ed Lyons, Scott Yaede, Angela Hawes, Marie Kuchnicki, The Holley Family Intentions, Tauheedah Barbee, Joyce Sagi

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

The Diocese of Metuchen Office of Multicultural Ministry is holding a Reflection Day in preparation for the National Black Catholic Congress to be held July 20-23, 2023. The theme is "Write the Vision: A Prophetic Call to Thrive". Representatives from the different Black Catholic Communities are invited. There will be no charge, but registration is required. It will be held April 22, 2023, at St. Matthias Parish in Somerset from 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Please contact mperez@diometuchen.org.

DISCOVER THE JOY OF BEING A HOSPICE VOLUNTEER



Share a Memory. Hold a Hand. Lend an Ear. Touch a Heart.

Visiting Nurse Association Health Group will provide you with training and support to enhance your gifts of compassion, commitment and companionship to those nearing end of life.

Hospice Volunteer Training

Mondays: May 1st, 8th, and 15th 2023

10:00am - 3:00pm

23 Main Street Suite D1 Holmdel, NJ 07733

Advanced registration is required. Volunteers must attend all three sessions.



**Bring a supportive
presence and
companionship through
home visitation**



**Comfort and
bereavement calls in
our office**



**Provide Administrative
support on a variety of
projects that enhance
our patients' care**

Interested in becoming a volunteer?

Contact: Pauline DePalma, BSW
Director, Volunteer Services
732.224-6933 pauline.depalma@vnahg.org



We encourage volunteers to wait one year following the death of a loved one.