

**ST. PETER IN CHAINS
THE LINK
8/28/2025**



Mission Statement:

The mission of St. Peter in Chains School is that your child will learn to live their *Faith*, pursue *Community*, and champion *Excellence*.

Important Dates:

- 8/29/25 – Spirit Wear Friday – students can wear their **St. Peter's School** tops with IN uniform bottoms
- 8/30/25 – ALL First Day Packet paperwork and OptionC online forms & file reviews are **DUE**
- 9/1/25 – **Labor Day – No School**
- 9/2/25 – Hot lunch begins **IF** pre-ordered and paid (*there is no option for purchasing lunch the day of*)
- 9/2/25 – Children's Choir during mass – gr. 3-8 – during Tues. mass. Interested, sign up in homeroom.
- 9/4/25 – October lunch menu and form will be available – email with link will be sent out
- 9/10/25 – Rosary Club – 2:15-3:30 PM – K-8 – See page 2. *Payment and permission slip are both required to attend.*
- 9/11/25 – Staff Meeting after school – office will be closed 2:30-3:15 PM
- 9/14/25 – **October** hot lunch orders and payment are DUE by 11:45 PM
- 9/17/25 – Lego Club (payment form and permission slip will be ready next week)
- 10/9 & 10/16/25 – Parent/Teacher Conferences – Details to come!
- 10/17 & 10/20/25 – No School



Welcome!

We are glad you are here!

**We want to welcome ALL students back to St. Peter in Chains for the
2025-2026 School Year!**

We are looking forward to a fantastic year ahead!

**We'd like to especially welcome our new students to St. Peter's who started this week!
We are so glad you are here (we will welcome PK next week)!!**

We Welcome our 80+ NEW Students in Grades K-8:

Andi B, Memphis B, Theo B, Caden B, Camilla C, Remi C, Jordie L, Liam L, Benny M, Peyton P, Kash S, Blake Z, Tristan H, Amora P, Blake S, Avery G, Everly S, Harlyn P, Gavin C, Leo A, Miles M, London L, Brady C, Miles O, Elanora S, Lucas S, Margaret S, Emma J, William S, Charlie P, Gram B, Taylor P, Holly S, Jaddix V, Jacob S, Harper M, Easton H, Tenley N, Jocelyn G, Teddy C, Jaxon P, Bellamy C, Jonah C, Harper S, Ella L, Brynley O, Chloe L, Kendall G, Mason S, Dean M, Arabella R, Liam W, Miller D, Troy P, Lucy S, Gracie T, Myron S, Gage B, Lily E, Jackson L, Zoey J, Reece M, Lucca D



Mass Schedule for Sept:

Tuesday, September 2, 2025 – Grade 7 leads
Tuesday, September 9, 2025 – Grade 6 leads
Tuesday, September 16, 2025 – Grade 5 leads
Tuesday, September 23, 2025 – Grade 4 leads
Tuesday, September 30, 2025 – Grade 3

Everyone is welcome to join us at Mass. Please sit behind all the classes toward the back.

ROSARY CLUB: 2:15-3:30 PM

Open to students in K-8. Meets the first Wednesday of the month 2:15-3:30

- Enjoy quality time with friends in a fun, Christ-centered environment
- Make rosaries for family, friends and to donate to Catholic missions
- Learn more about the rosary, the saints and our Catholic faith

[FLYER](#)

[PERMISSION SLIP](#)

[Rosary Club Payment Link](#) (online payments only)



Permission slip and payment is due at least 24 hours before meeting time or your child cannot attend

Chromebooks:

Grades 5-8: Chromebooks are a *required* school supply and should be brought to and from school **EVERY DAY, FULLY** charged. Since they should be fully charged, the chargers should be kept safe at home and not brought to school. Students who are not prepared could receive a conduct point for not being ready for school if their Chromebook is not charged and ready for the day. ***Students should not bring their chargers to school in the hopes of charging their device at school.***

Playground Gates:

Our students will be utilizing the playground and the campus grounds during the school days. The campus grounds will be used for outdoor classrooms, PE classes, scheduled recess. We do not allow cars on campus between 7:30-1:45 PM and we close the gates to the side parking lot and the entrance to the alley way (that leads to Elvin Ave.) every morning at 7:30 AM. This will ensure that our students are safe from cars that may enter the parking lot. We will open them by 1:50 PM so drivers can enter for dismissal. Please plan your arrival appropriately and be patient while you wait and do not block traffic and intersections on Ridgelawn Avenue and the surrounding streets.

Morning Drop Off:

Grades 3-8 -- Dropping off in the playground parking lot -- cars should exit down to the **right** down the alley way after drop off to Elvin Ave. ***Please remember to be a good neighbor and drive slowly down the alley way. Be mindful that neighbors will be exiting their garages in the mornings and you may have to allow them to pull out. Also be sure to follow the posted school zone speed on Ridgelawn Avenue.***

Car Rider Dismissal Reminders:

Thank you for helping us make our afternoon dismissal process safe and effective for all families by following the process we've had in place for the past few years. The plan is effective and safe for our students and staff. ALL people who pick up students as car riders **MUST** be parked in the side parking lot. Please remember:

- For the safety of our students, no one is permitted to park on Ridgelawn Avenue or any other street to pick up their students. You **MUST** park in the parking lot. If you are not in the parking lot, your child will be in the office and you can pick them up there after the buses depart.
- We dismiss at 2:10 PM, so please be on time!
- Please remember to be a good neighbor and drive slowly down the alley way.

Milk:

Students are still able to purchase milk for the year for \$10.00 if you are interested. The DUE DATE to purchase by is September 19. You can use this link to order and pay. [Milk Order Form 2025-2026](#)

Please note: milk is NOT included with a hot lunch. If a student wants milk, they will need to purchase it separately. Please be sure your child does not take a milk until payment has been made.

Girls on the Run – Girls in grades 3-5

The Fall 2025 season *runs September 8 - November 5* and practices will be held after school on **Tuesdays & Thursdays 2:15-4:00 PM**. Girls must be able to make both weekly sessions.

Registration ends on August 31.

Mrs. Jessica Jones and her family are new to our school this year and she will be heading up the GOTR program at St. Peter in Chains School. If you have questions, you can contact her at jessjones630@gmail.com or (858) 245-9484. Please see the attached flyer for more information and sign up links.

Volunteering in the School or Parish:

ANYONE who wishes to volunteer in our school or the parish **MUST** be certified with Safe Parish trainings AND have a positive background check on file thru Selection.com You must also keep up on the trainings throughout the year.

You must also stay up to date on the Safe Parish trainings that are sent out via email. ***If you are interested in volunteering for an opportunity that comes up, please see the attached information about SafeParish and Selection.com to start the process.*** All approved volunteers are checked prior to the time of the event scheduled for to be sure they are up to date on the trainings.

Forgotten Lunches:

If your child forgot their lunch, a peanut butter and jelly sandwich will be provided to them for \$1.00. An invoice will be emailed to the parents and payment is due the next school day

Water Bottles:

ALL students should bring a refillable water bottle to school EVERY day. We do not have water fountains at school, we only have water bottle filling stations. Please remember to send this with your child. Thank you!

Picture Day!!

Mark your calendars!! Lifetouch will be on campus on **Thursday, September 18th** to take pictures of all students and staff members. Information and picture packets will be sent home soon!

You are welcome to order online with this information: mylifetouch.com Picture Day Code – EVTP9W6QQ

EdChoice – 2025-2026 School Year

If you have not done so already, please fill out the eForm on OptionC which gives our finance dept. the approval to cash the checks that we receive from EdChoice on your behalf and log them toward your tuition.

Spirit Wear Items:

Be sure to get all your St. Peter's merch at our ONLY approved Spirit Wear vendor -- Promotions, Etc. The link to their site is [PROMOTIONS, ETC. SPIRIT WEAR LINK](#)

Spirit Wear tops can be worn on most Fridays with IN uniform bottoms.

Questions, please contact the office.

Items sent home today:

- Nothing sent home from the office today
- Jr. Rams Softball Flyer is attached for girls in grades 7 & 8 (and experienced 6th graders)
- Girls on the Run flyer is attached for girls in grades 3-5

