ST. PETER
CATHOLIC CHURCH
A Dominican Parish

Established in 1840

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 10, 2021

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OFFICE HOURS
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www.stpeterchurch.org

Welcome to St. Peter!

While we celebrate the rich history of our parish, we strive to promote the promise of the future through the Four Pillars of Dominican Spirituality— Prayer, Study, Community and Preaching.

Dear Parishioners,

How many times have we passed those dozens of pictures of former pastors in the hallway connecting the church and the parish hall? Every day, I pass those photos at least a dozen times on my way to prayer in the shrine or running errands around the house. These pictures are a part of our history, a rich history of the brothers who have given their lives in service to the Church.

Yet, I would be wrong to think that these pictures sum up our rich, 181-year-old preaching mission as the Mother Church of West Tennessee. So, how has this parish survived? How has our parish grown when the friars stay for only a brief period? What has been the constant that moves our preaching mission forward? Here at St. Peter's the constant has been the Dominican charism and the people of God who have adopted this charism as their own.

This parish could not survive without the people of God who buy into the Order's mission, preaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ for the salvation of souls. How blessed are we that we have families in our parish who can still trace their lineage in Tennessee through our baptismal records! How blessed are we that we still have parishioners who want to give and give generously of their time, talent, treasure, and prayers! How blessed are we that our new visitors can find a home in our parish! Our preaching mission continues, and we need you!

Therefore, as our stewardship campaign continues, we will have the opportunity to read in our bulletin some reflections of our parishioners who given their time, talent, treasure, and prayers. While we could not include everyone who have given so generously to our preaching mission, I pray that we may all be inspired and renewed by the words of our brothers and sisters. May God bless all of us as we discern how to build up the Kingdom of God in our own parish.

Fr. James Martin Nobles, OP

~ EVENTS OF NOTE *at* ST. PETER ~

Saturday, October 9	-	**No 5pm Mass at St. Peter Church**
Sunday, October 10	10 A.M.	Outreach Sunday
Monday, October 11	7:30 P.M.	Rosary *(Zoom)*
Wednesday, October 13	6:30 P.M.	RCIA *(Parish Hall)*
Friday, October 15	5 P.M.	Wedding Rehearsal: Zhorne/Tiemann
Saturday, October 16	2:30 P.M.	Wedding: Zhorne/Tiemann
Sunday, October 17	2 P.M.	Dominican Laity Meeting *(Crystal Room)*
	5 P.M.	Zoom Faith Formation

To plan a Baptism, Funeral or Wedding at St. Peter, please call the parish office at (901)527-8282.

MASS SCHEDULE
SATURDAY VIGIL - 5:00 p.m.
SUNDAYS - 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

CONFESSION
SATURDAY - 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

† ST. MARTIN DE PORRES NATIONAL SHRINE †

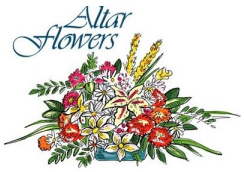
(Shrine Chapel - enter on B.B. King St.)

MASS SCHEDULE
WEEKDAYS: Mon.- Fri. 12:05 p.m.

CONFESSION
WEEKDAYS: Mon.- Fri. 11:30 a.m.

MORNING PRAYER
with the Dominican Community
WEEKDAYS: Mon. - Fri. 7:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY:
Rosary at 11:30 a.m. / Veneration of St. Martin's relic during Mass



The Altar Flowers are in memory of Drew Rainer from his loving family.

OFFICE CLOSED MONDAY, OCTOBER 11 IN OBSERVANCE OF COLUMBUS DAY

Liturgical Music Notes – Ordinary XXVIII
The Psalms are called the 'songbook of the Bible'. Over the centuries, many compositional styles have developed to set these ancient words to music. Rooted in Old Testament Jewish cantillations, Latin chant, renaissance motets, and later choral anthems - psalms were sung by choirs. One of the earliest examples of congregational psalm singing are metrical settings: scriptural words paraphrased as a poem, then paired with a melody of the same meter. "O God, Our Help In Ages Past" is such a setting of Psalm 90, appointed for this Sunday. Both melody and text of this hymn date from early 18th c. England.

CALLING ALL CANTORS!
Our Cantor Ministry always welcomes new members at any Mass! We need more who can assist in the song of our Congregation. If you have basic music-reading skills, can match pitch, and have a sense of dedication, PLEASE contact Jane Scharding Smedley, mrsjane@stpeterchurch.org or 527-8282 to explore this important role in worship.

St. Peter Choir - back to the Loft – soon!
Many thanks to those Choir members who returned last weekend, providing special music for our Marian feast. Later this Fall, we hope to resume regular Choir practices on Wednesday evenings to prepare for Advent and Christmas. Other voices are always welcome - more details to come! Questions? Need more information on any role of music ministry? Contact Jane: mrsjane@stpeterchurch.org.

St. Peter Women's Guild "Gumbo Dinner" with our Priests!! - Our own pastor, Fr. Augustine DeArmond, will be cooking up some gumbo and our priests are invited. Fr. Auggie will share some Louisiana cooking tips with us. Guests can bring an appetizer, salad, side, bread, or dessert. Just let Margaret Cardwell know what food you can provide at margaretcardwell@mac.com. Also, to help us plan enough Gumbo and seating, please RSVP to the e-invitation you received on October 7 from The St. Peter Women's Guild, or directly to Val Hall valeriechall@gmail.com. Join us for this fun evening filled with good food and friends. **Sunday, October 17, 5-7PM 6 p.m., Parish Hall.**

Christmas Ornament Sale fashioned after our stained glass window depicting the Nativity Packaged in a decorative box, the $20 supports the continuing maintenance and upkeep of our beautiful windows. Sale begins next week after Masses in the back of church. We are looking for volunteers to assist with the sale! Contact the office or Peggy Witt, pwitt@ifoneinc.com, for more information.

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FAITH FORMATION 2021
Provide lifelong faith formation that deepens our relationship with Christ and forms us into active disciples preaching the Gospel to all the world.
"*Stir into flame the gift of God.*"
2 Timothy 1:6

Fall Break Holiday Schedule
Children and teens are not meeting this Sunday, October 10th. There is no Children's Liturgy of the Word, and the nursery will be closed. All sessions resume on Sunday, October 17th. Have a blessed holiday!

Fall Faith Formation
This fall we are offering in-person Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, Confirmation Preparation for teens in grades 7-8 and a High School Scripture Study on Sunday mornings. We also have a Zoom option for children in grades 1-3 on Sunday evenings. Register at the link below or for more information contact Christina at cklyce@stpeterchurch.org.

First Communion and Confirmation 2022
- Confirmation will be celebrated on Sunday, February 27, 2022. Due to the early date, we have already begun preparation. All teens preparing for Confirmation (Catholic, public, and private schools) meet on Sunday mornings at 9:30.
- First Communion will be celebrated on Sunday, April 24, 2022. Children who are not in Catholic school are expected to attend in-person on Sunday mornings (or the Zoom option if appropriate for your family.) Children who are in Catholic school will join for mini-retreats later this year.

First Communion and Confirmation 2023
- The Diocese of Memphis requires 2 years of preparation for First Communion or Confirmation. The first year may be in the Catholic school / parish. 1st and 7th graders who attend public or private schools need to be attending our parish programs this year to celebrate First Communion or Confirmation in 2023.
- First graders may choose between in-person Catechesis of the Good Shepherd on Sunday mornings or Zoom I Am the Good Shepherd on Sunday evenings.
- Seventh graders need to attend in-person on Sunday mornings.

To register your child or teen for any of the above, please visit our parish website www.stpeterchurch.org/news/faith-formation-registration or contact Christina Klyce at cklyce@stpeterchurch.org or Peter Longoria at youth@stpeterchurch.org.

Faith Formation on the Go…

Formed - FORMED is a digital platform with a variety of Catholic movies and programs. Our parish is blessed to have a subscription to FORMED so that all of us may access the content on FORMED for free. To sign up, visit Formed.org and click "Sign Up". Select "Sign up as a parishioner" Select our parish: St. Peter Church 190 Adams Memphis TN 38103.

Word on Fire Engage
Engage is a video library with Bishop Barron and Word on Fire videos, and all are invited to sign up courtesy of Lumen Civitatis. During the month of October we will receive emails with short video reflections about October feast days and Sundays. To sign up, text Lumen to 84576 or email Christina Klyce at cklyce@stpeterchurch.org.

Outreach Sunday
October 10, 2021: 10:00am to 10:45am
St. Peter Parish Hall

OUTREACH GOAL STATEMENT:
Encounter the face of Jesus as we touch the lives of those in need in the Memphis community.

One objective of the St. Peter Strategic Plan has been to develop an education plan to raise awareness of Catholic and Inter-religious Social Teachings.
The second Sunday of the month will be set aside for local groups to make a presentation to inform the parishioners of St. Peter and the patrons of the St. Martin National Shrine and Institute on the needs of the larger Memphis community.
The first presentation will be by **Multinational Memphis** which is an organization that shows kindness to culturally diverse families living in Memphis – helping them to feel accepted, to achieve academic success, to understand our culture and to feel the love of God.
Laurie Graves, Executive Director will be our speaker.

PLEASE JOIN US TODAY!!

Safety measures will be followed with the use of masks and social distancing.

For more information, please contact Sally Woodman-see, swoodman@bellsouth.net.

ST. PETER OUTREACH SURVEY
If you have not yet taken the opportunity to respond to the Outreach Committee's survey, now is the time. The survey can be found on the church's website (www.stpeterchurch.org/news/outreach-committee-survey). It will not take long, and your input is incredibly important to the committee and to the parish. Please note this is just a survey. You will not be signing up for one more commitment or demand on your time. This survey will allow us to determine your interests and share with other parishioners the many opportunities that are available to get involved and engaged in the community. If you have not volunteered due to COVID-19, there is space for you to indicate this with the last question of our survey. We need as much input as possible to identify opportunities and specific interests in serving our Memphis community. Please help us to know you and your interests better as we focus our efforts on organizing outreach opportunities for our parish family!

Dorothy Day House Annual Wreath and Garland Sales
www.dorothydaymemphis.org, 726-6760
Pre-order begins October 1

The Angel Tree will be back this year!
Stay tuned for more details...

CURIOUS ABOUT OUR CATHOLIC FAITH?
Join us on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 for RCIA sessions. RCIA stands for the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and is the process for adults who would like to join the Catholic Church or just learn more. All are welcome! Please contact Christina at cklyce@stpeterchurch.org for more information.

St. Peter's Sandwich Ministry to benefit First Presbyterian Church Sunday Soup Kitchen needs sandwich makers! Sandwiches may be brought to St. Peter's during office hours or prior to any of the weekend Masses. Full details and sandwich making instructions are on the Parish website: www.stpeterchurch.org/ministries/outreach.

MONDAY EVENING ROSARY
All are invited to join in praying the rosary on Monday evenings at 7:30. We meet via Zoom, and you do not need to know the prayers of the rosary to join. Email Christina, cklyce@stpeterchurch.org for the Zoom link. We hope you can join us!

St. Peter Columbarium and
St. Martin National Shrine and Institute
The courtyard areas are undergoing some updating to both the hardscape and landscape. Daily confessions and Mass at the Shrine will not be interrupted by the work. We hope to have the work completed by the end of October for the Feast of All Saints, All Souls and the St. Martin Triduum.

St. Martin de Porres Triduum | Oct. 29-31
Fr. Eduardo Logiste, O.P. will preach in English at the weekend Masses and give a presentation on St. Martin, Patron of Interracial Justice, on Sunday at 5 p.m. in church.

STEWARDSHIP

	Church		Literary Society	
	August	Fiscal YTD	August	Fiscal YTD
Actual Revenue:	61,199	111,958	5,440	7,935
Budgeted Revenue:	56,476	112,161	5,269	8,543
Excess(Deficiency)	$4,723	($203)	$171	($608)

MASS INTENTIONS *for the week* ~ Call the office to reserve a Mass intention date

Sunday, October 10	Elizabeth M. Byrne †	8:30 a.m.
	For the Parish	11:00 a.m.
Tuesday, October 11	Glenda Jones (special)	12:05 p.m.
Wednesday, October 12	Cathy Jones †	12:05 p.m.
Thursday, October 13	Rosalba Chaves Hernandez †	12:05 p.m.
Friday, October 14	Cursillo Retreat (special)	12:05 p.m.
Saturday, October 15	Doug Vanover †	5:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 16	Peggy & Salvatore Palazolo †	8:30 a.m.
	Laura Jane Riley †	11:00 a.m.

PRAYER LIST

~ Call the church office to update this list. ~

Please pray for the repose of the soul of
Drew Rainer, parishioner and son of Keith & Andy Rainer, and Noe Longoria, father of parishioner Becky Longoria Preston and staff member Peter Longoria.
May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

Parishioners who are homebound: Myra Wilson
Parishioners, family & friends who are requesting prayer:

Glenda Jones
Amanda Vanover
Frank Berretta
Kathy Anthony
Caroline Quinn
Beth Brooks
Marilyn Dilworth
John Bryant
Eleanor Klyce
Lane Whitehead
Carrie Robinson
Jan Payne
Jim Heirigs
Felice Carrozza
Samira Collado-Yunes
Cindy Duck
Elaine Clay
Ceylon Blackwell
John Hater
Julie Mills
Caleb Brannon
Willie Lee Phillips
Gene Gianini
Pam Campbell
Parker Anthony
Kate Sevier Cole
Jennifer Munn
Mathew Dickson
Steve Barzizza
Maria Tangonan
Suin Chin
Trisha Amrod Baggett
Miles Mason, Sr.
Ted Landaiche
Nate Protexter
Bobbie Rennie
Lena Reese
Tara Chambers
Brian Hudgens
Rachel Yarbrough
Willie Mae Ellis
Laurie Viglietti
John Novarese
Frank & Mary Dudley
Camille Angele Pool-Owen
Jennifer Warren Rhem
Linda Chin Seeto
Corey Seeto
Ann Binsfeld
Elaine James Clay
Tom & Johnathan Palazola
Anna & Julieanna Palazola
Celeste & Fred Zepponi

Prayers for New Life *Please pray for our expectant parents and their babies!*

Colleen & Brogan McGuire	November 23
Amy & Tristan Hill	January 2

EXPECTANT PARENTS: Would you like to be included on our Expectant Parents Prayer List? Would you like to receive the Expectant Parent packet? Contact Christina Klyce at cklyce@stpeterchurch.org or (901)527-8282.

Prayers for Those Serving in Harm's Way: Remember these parishioners and family members who are serving in harm's way around the world: *Pvt. Jonathan Paul Shiberou, Ensign Walker Sims, Capt. Robert Campbell, William Perry, Lt. Col. Steve Reed, PFC Corey Seeto, Major Nicholas Beck*

Prayers for Healthcare and Essential Workers during this Pandemic.

Lori & Tony Harrington	Dr. Brennan McCullar	Julie Jones	Chandler Williams
Dr. Brian Anthony	Michelle Grzybowski	Aja Jenkins	Jessica Galtelli
Charles Fletchinger	Mary Kate Costa	Kelli Arnold	Freddie Thorne
Dr. Mary Avery Poole	Emily & Will Shorter	Krystal D Way	Sarah Harlan
Staff at St. Francis Park	Sandra Douglass	Martha Mitchell	Matthew Hayes
Hunter Strohm	Sandy Murphy	Megan Murphy	Linda Vilag

Procedure for Reporting Sexual Abuse *Anyone who has knowledge of or who has cause to suspect an incident of sexual abuse should report the information to the appropriate civil authorities first at 1-877-237-0004, then to the Diocesan Director of Child & Youth Protection at 901-359-2027 or the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 901-652-4066.*

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