

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time | 33^{er} Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

November 16, 2025



We are an *active, growing, welcoming, spirit-filled* Roman Catholic community nourished by the Liturgy to serve God and others.
Somos una comunidad Católica Romana, *activa, creciente, acogedora y llena del espíritu* alimentada por la liturgia para servir a Dios y al prójimo.

MASSES / MISAS

*live-streamed / transmisión en vivo en línea

Sat (Vigil): 5:30 pm; **Sun:** 9:00 am,* 11:00 am, 1:00 pm* (en español), 5:00 pm

Daily Masses / Misas diarias

Mon: 6:30 pm* (8:00 am on holidays or observances / 8:00 am en días festivos o conmemoraciones); **Tue:** 8:00 am*; **Wed:** 8:00 am,* 12:00 pm (noon); **Thu:** 8:00 am*; **Fri:** 6:15 am, 10:00 am;* **Sat:** 8:00 am (not a Vigil Mass)

Note: Masses are in English unless otherwise noted. Nota: las misas son en inglés a menos que se indique lo contrario

RECONCILIATION (confession)

Tuesday

6:00 pm—7:00 pm

Saturday

10:00 am—11:00 am

RECONCILIACIÓN (confesión)

Martes

6:00 pm—7:00 pm

Sábado

10:00 am—11:00 am



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Sat & Sun / Sábado y Domingo
Closed / Cerrada

Open during lunch
Abierto durante el almuerzo

Deacon Del Office Hours

Wednesdays 11:30 am–4:00 pm

Live Streams

St. Peter's Facebook page
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youtube.com/stpetersboerne

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Day Chapel

Wednesdays—1:00 pm–6:30 pm

Fridays—11:00 am–5:00 pm

Adoración del Santísimo

Sacramento

En la capilla

Los miércoles—1:00 pm–6:30 pm

Los viernes—11:00 am–5:00 pm

Holy Hour (Spanish)

Day Chapel

Thursdays, 7:00 pm–8:00 pm

Hora Santa (en español)

En la capilla

Los jueves, 7:00 pm a 8:00 pm



From the Pastor's Desk / Desde el escritorio del pastor

Gospel Meditation

When I was a kid growing up in New England, I'd occasionally go on a whale watch. Once we went out with calm waters and clear skies. But on the way back in, the sea got rough. I was just a kid, and I remember thinking we should turn left or right toward the shoreline I could see. But the pilot of the boat kept going straight — right into the waves — focused on a small, discouragingly distant lighthouse. Even when it flickered in and out of sight, he stayed the course. He knew where he was going.

That image comes to mind when I hear Jesus' words in today's Gospel regarding false messiahs: "**Do not follow them**" (Luke 21:8). In times of chaos or uncertainty, there are always voices offering easier routes, promising false safety, claiming to speak for God. But Jesus isn't found in the loudest voice or the nearest shoreline. He is steady, like a lighthouse in the storm.

The tribulation of which Jesus speaks — it's real. It happened to the Temple, it happened to him, it happens in the Church, and it will come to each of us. But the command is not to panic. It's to endure. To keep steering toward him. Faith isn't about having all the answers or dodging every wave. It's about knowing where the lighthouse is — and trusting it enough to keep going, especially when false safety beckons us to stop.

— Father John Muir, ©LPi

Meditación del evangelio

La perseverancia, ¿qué significa esta palabra tan importante? Es mantenernos firmes en nuestros planes y buenos propósitos. Perseverar en los estudios, en el trabajo y en las relaciones familiares requiere entusiasmo y energía cada día. Nada es fácil, y hoy Jesús nos invita a no tener miedo ante las adversidades y catástrofes que vemos actualmente, sino a superar las pruebas con fe y confianza en un Dios que no defrauda: "*Con todo, ni un cabello de su cabeza se perderá*". Y agrega otra frase que nos invita a despertar del letargo espiritual: "*Manténganse firmes y se salvarán*" (Lucas 21:18-19).

La liturgia de hoy nos ayuda a reflexionar sobre las muchas traiciones, hambres y guerras que azotan a nuestros hermanos y hermanas en el mundo. Sin embargo, a pesar de todo eso, caminamos con esperanza. Nada ni nadie puede arrebatararnos la seguridad de que Dios está caminando a nuestro lado. Pero no debemos dejarnos engañar dejando pasar el tiempo sin hacer nada por nuestro bien y el de los demás. "*El engaño es creernos dueños del tiempo. El tiempo no es nuestro. Del tiempo existe solo un soberano: Jesucristo. No os dejéis engañar en la confusión. El cristiano se mueve por este camino del momento, con la oración y el discernimiento. Pero deja el tiempo a la esperanza. El cristiano sabe esperar al Señor en cada momento; pero espera en el Señor al final de los tiempos*" (Papa Francisco).

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COVER: Veterans Day Celebration and liturgical prayer service

Archbishop Appeal

This year's Archbishop's Appeal needs your help. Our parish is currently at 65% of our goal. As you know, this yearly appeal funds numerous Archdiocesan programs that provide care for those in need, protect the unborn, and train new priests, deacons, and spiritual directors. Our parish profits greatly from these programs, especially in being blessed with Fr David, our new deacons, and support for our new Catholic School. You can find more information on the services provided by the Appeal and how to donate on the posters at the church entryways and in this week's bulletin. God bless you for your continuous generosity!

Campaña Del Arzobispo

La Campaña del Arzobispo necesita su ayuda. Nuestra parroquia se encuentra actualmente en el 65% de su meta. Como saben, esta campaña anual financia numerosos programas arquidiocesanos que brindan atención a los necesitados, protegen a los no nacidos y forman nuevos sacerdotes, diáconos y directores espirituales. Nuestra parroquia se beneficia enormemente de estos programas, especialmente al contar con el Padre David, nuestros nuevos diáconos y el apoyo a nuestra nueva escuela católica. Pueden encontrar más información sobre los servicios ofrecidos por la campaña y sobre cómo donar en los paneles de las entradas a la iglesia y en el boletín de esta semana. ¡Dios los bendiga por su continua generosidad!



Welcome!

We are happy you stopped by. We are a family-friendly parish and have something for people of all ages and background. We invite you to join us for one of our Liturgies. When you decide to make St. Peter's your church home, please consider making it official by filling out an online New Parishioner Registration form at stpetersboerne.com/new-parishioner-registration. You may also pick up a form in our parish office. Registering helps us know how we can best serve your family's needs. Visit our website at stpetersboerne.com to see the different ways you can be nourished and get involved. We are so glad you visited and hope to see you again!

¡Bienvenidos!

Estamos felices de que haya pasado por aquí. Somos una parroquia familiar y tenemos algo para personas de todas las edades orígenes. Le invitamos a unirse a nosotros para una de nuestras liturgias. Cuando decida hacer de San Pedro su Parroquia, considere hacerlo oficial completando el formulario de registro de nuevos feligreses en línea en stpetersboerne.com/new-parishioner-registration. También puede recoger un formulario en nuestra oficina parroquial. Registrarse nos ayuda a saber cómo podemos atender mejor las necesidades de su familia. Favor de visitar nuestro sitio web a stpetersboerne.com para ver en que puede nutrirse y participar. ¡Estamos muy contentos de que nos hayas visitado y esperamos verlo otra vez!



St. Peter's Annual WORK OF HUMAN HANDS SALE

Saturday, November 22, 2025

&

Sunday, November 23, 2025

After all Masses in courtyard

Come shop to improve lives!

Fair Trade chocolate and advent calendars
will also be available for purchase.

Sponsored by St. Peter's Mission Council

If you would like to join the Mission Council,
please email Johnny Lozano at jaknee1978@gmail.com

Work of Human Hands gives Catholics in the United States the opportunity to buy high quality, fairly traded handcrafts and gourmet food items from poor producers around the world. Host a Work of Human Hands sale as a community event or buy directly for yourself and your loved ones.

—CRS Education Parish Partnership Manual, May 2025



**Readings for the week of
November 16, 2025**

Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9 (see 9)/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Lk 19:41-44

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19/Lk 20:27-40

Next Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 (see 1)/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43

Las lecturas de la semana del 16 de noviembre de 2025

Domingo: Mal 3, 19-20/Sal 97, 5-6. 7-8. 9 (ver 9)/2 Tes 3, 7-12/Lc 21, 5-19

Lunes: 1 Mac 1, 10-15. 41-43. 54-57. 62-64/Sal 118, 53. 61. 134. 150. 155. 158/Lc 18, 35-43

Martes: 2 Mac 6, 18-31/Sal 3, 2-3. 4-5. 6-7/Lc 19, 1-10

Miércoles: 2 Mac 7, 1. 20-31/Sal 16, 1. 5-6. 8 y 15/Lc 19, 11-28

Jueves: 1 Mac 2, 15-29/Sal 49, 1-2. 5-6. 14-15/Lc 19, 41-44

Viernes: 1 Mac 4, 36-37. 52-59/1 Cr 29, 10. 11. 11-12. 12/Lc 19, 45-48

Sábado: 1 Mac 6, 1-13/Sal 9, 2-3. 4 y 6. 16 y 19/Lc 20, 27-40

Domingo siguiente: 2 Sm 5, 1-3/Sal 121, 1-2. 3-4. 4-5 (ver 1)/Col 1, 12-20/Lc 23, 35-43

Upcoming Second Collections

November 16—Campaign for Human Development

December 14—Retired Men and Women Religious

December 25—Assumption Seminary



Our Lady of Guadalupe / Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

cordially invites all to the celebration of

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Friday,
December 12, 2025

Las Mañanitas

6:15 am
Main Church

Las Mañanitas Gathering

after Service,
Cana Ballroom
Mexican sweet bread & hot cocoa

Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass

6:30 pm • Sanctuary

Our Lady of Guadalupe Dinner

7:30 pm (after Mass)
Cana Ballroom

Entertainment

Procession from Mass to ballroom led by Los Matachines

St. Peter's Children's Folkloricos

Las Lupitas Ballet Folklorico

Veracruzano Ballet Folklorico

Mariachis "Los Soberanos"

Performance by Los Matachines

Join us in celebration of the Feast Day of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas, commemorating the appearance of Mary to the Mexican peasant Juan Diego in 1531.

invita cordialmente a todos a la Celebración de

Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

viernes
12 de diciembre de 2025

Las Mañanitas

6:15 am
en la iglesia principal

Recepción de Las Mañanitas

después del servicio,
Cana Ballroom
Pan dulce y chocolate caliente

Misa de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

6:30 pm • en el Santuario

Cena de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

7:30 pm (después de Misa)
Salón de Cana

Entretenimiento

Procesión de la Misa al salón de Cana dirigida por Los Matachines

Los Niños Folkloricos de San Pedro

Balet Folklorico Las Lupitas

Balet Folklorico Veracruzano

Mariachis "Los Soberanos"

Baile de Los Matachines

Únase a nosotros en la celebración de la Fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, Patrona de las Américas, en conmemoración de la aparición de María al campesino mexicano Juan Diego en 1531.



Parish Las Posadas



Sanctuary Light Memorial
November 16—November 22, 2025
BURDEN BRENTNALL

In Sympathy / Con dolor

Condolences to families who have recently lost loved ones. May the Lord comfort the family in their time of need and welcome the deceased into heaven.

Ronald Humphries, Vernon Markworth, James Willis

Condolencias a las familias que han perdido recientemente a sus seres queridos. Que el Señor consuele a la familia en su momento de necesidad y acoja al difunto en el paraíso.

Prayers for the Sick

To add names to the Prayers for the Sick, please see the special book located in the Narthex.

Para incluir nombres a las Oraciones por los enfermos, consulte el libro especial que se encuentra en el Nártex.

SUNDAY HOSPITALITY

Thank you to the **Nursery** for hosting Sunday Hospitality on November 16, 2025.

On November 23, 2025, Sunday Hospitality will be after 9:00 am Mass. Stop by for refreshments and to find out more about the ministry that will host.

If your ministry would like to host a Sunday Hospitality, please contact Judy Gleason, Administrative Assistant, at (830) 816-5657 or judy@stpetersboerne.com.

“...she gave birth to her firstborn son. She wrapped him in swaddling clothes and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn” Luke 2:7

Monday, December 15, 2025

7:15 pm in Main Church
(immediately after 6:30 pm Mass)

Gathering follows in the Cana Ballroom for fellowship, pan dulce and Mexican hot cocoa.

Las posadas, meaning “the inns,” begin on December 16 and continue 9 days until Christmas. The festival is based around a re-enactment of Mary and Joseph trying to find lodging at numerous inns and being turned away.

Now, throughout Mexico, children process through their towns as adults follow, carrying candles. The leader of the procession is a child dressed as an angel. A girl plays Mary and a boy plays Joseph. The other children dress as shepherds and shepherdesses.

The procession goes from house to house, singing Villancicos para pedir posadas (searching for an Inn). Those in the house sing back, denying the procession lodging. Finally, one innkeeper tells them they can stay in the stable. The doors are open to all at this final house. The Rosary is prayed and a big party begins.

“...y dio a la luz a su hijo primogénito. Lo envolvió en pañales y lo acostó en un pesebre, porque no tenían sitio en el albergue” Lucas 2,7

Lunes 15 de diciembre de 2025

7:15 pm en la iglesia principal
(inmediatamente después de la misa de las 6:30 pm)

Reunión comunitaria en seguida en el salón Caná para compañerismo, pan dulce y chocolate Mexicano.

Las posadas comienzan el 16 de diciembre y continúan 9 días hasta Navidad. El festival se basa en una recreación de María y José tratando de encontrar alojamiento en numerosas posadas y siendo rechazados.

Ahora, en todo México, los niños peregrinan por sus pueblos mientras los adultos los siguen, llevando velas. El líder de la peregrinación es un niño vestido de ángel. Una niña interpreta a María y un niño a José. Los otros niños se visten de pastores y pastoras.

La peregrinación va de casa en casa, cantando Villancicos para pedir posadas. Los de la casa cantan, negando el alojamiento a los peregrinos. Finalmente, un pasadero les dice que pueden quedarse en el establo. Las puertas se abren para todos en esta última casa, se reza el Rosario y comienza una gran fiesta. ¡Únase a la parroquia de San Pedro en un Las Posadas modificado que se lleva a cabo en el campus y quédese para disfrutar de la comunidad y los refrigerios!

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16 2025

9:00 am - 10:00 am **MASS—intention: Anne M. & Jennifer L. Stephens†**
 9:00 am - 3:00 pm CDA Family Advent Craft at UTRC
 10:00 am - 11:00 am Sunday Hospitality (hosted by Nursery) in Courtyard
 10:15 am - 11:30 am OCIA in St. Francis
 10:30 am - 11:45 am ABFS 60 Minutes at UTRC
 10:30 pm - 11:45 pm Elementary Faith Formation in FLC
 10:30 am - 12:00 pm Good Shepherd at UTRC
11:00 am - 12:00 pm **MASS—intention: Robert Cantwell†**
 11:30 am - 2:00 pm RICA en St. Francis
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm **MISA (en español)—intención: Francesca Pontrelli**
 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm Choir Practice (Teen Mass) in Main Church
 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm MASS (Teen)—intention: **Eusevio & Consuelo Saenz†**
 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm Life Teen Thanksgiving in Cana

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2025

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Citizenship Class in St. Francis
 6:00 pm - 6:30 pm Rosary (hosted by Knights of Columbus) in Day Chapel
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm **Daily MASS—intention: Nathan Brady†**
 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm ABFS Bible Timeline at UTRC
 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm Cenaculo de la Divina Misericordia in St. Francis
 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm Scouts BSA Troop 18 in Gym
 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm Scouts Troop 180 in St. Francis
 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm She Shall Be Called Woman in Cana

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2025

8:00 am - 10:00 am **Daily MASS—intention: Leona & Vincent Janyssek†**
 9:00 am - 11:30 am Good Shepherd Parents at UTRC
 9:30 am - 11:00 am Good Shepherd at UTRC
 9:30 am - 11:00 am Tuesday Morning Ladies Scripture Study at UTRC
 4:15 pm - 5:45 pm Good Shepherd at UTRC
 5:30 pm - 9:00 pm Knights of Columbus Exemplification at UTRC
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm **Reconciliation in Day Chapel**
 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm English as a Second Language (ESL) in St. Francis
 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Life Teen Retreat Planning Meeting at UTRC
 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul at UTRC

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2025

6:00 am - 7:30 am That Man Is You at UTRC
8:00 am - 9:00 am **Daily MASS—intention: Edith Ann Freehan†**
 9:30 am - 11:00 am Good Shepherd at UTRC
 9:30 am - 11:00 am She Shall Be Called Woman at UTRC
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm **Daily MASS—intention: In celebration of the life of Peter Pereira on his 70th birthday**
1:00 pm - 6:30 pm **Adoration in Day Chapel**
 4:15 pm - 5:45 pm Good Shepherd at UTRC
 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm Elementary Faith Formation in FLC
 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm Children's Folklorico Parents Meeting in St. Francis
 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Children's Folklorico Practice in St. Francis
 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Choir Practice (9:00 am & 11:00 am Masses) in Main Church
 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm High School Confirmation Class at UTRC
 6:30 pm —8:30 pm Edge The Holy Mass in Main Church, followed by dinner in Gym
 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Practica de Coro de San Pedro Apóstol (Misa en español) en la iglesia principal
 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Estudio biblico para hombres y mujeres en St. Francis

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2025

8:00 am - 9:00 am **Daily MASS—intention: Andres Garza†**
 9:00 am - 10:00 am Journey Together Rosary at UTRC
 10:00 am - 12:00 pm Journey Together at UTRC

Thursday, November 20, 2025, continued...

12:00 pm - 3:00 pm Faithful Quilters at UTRC
 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm Tour de Boerne in St. Francis
 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm Coro de Ultreya in St. Francis
 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Matachines Practice in St. Francis
 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Hora Santa en Capilla

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2025

6:15 am - 7:15 am **Daily MASS—intention: Matthew Cano†**
 6:30 am - 8:00 am Men's Faith Sharing at St. Francis
 9:00 am - 12:00 pm CGS Level 1 Formation at UTRC
10:00 am - 11:00 am **Daily MASS—intention: Vernon Markworth†**
 10:30 am - 1:00 pm NAMI Family-to-Family in St. Francis
 11:00 am - 12:30 pm ABFS Friday at UTRC
11:00 am - 5:00 pm **Adoration in Day Chapel**
 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ultreya en St. Francis

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2025

8:00 am - 9:00 am **Daily MASS —intention: America Pena**
 9:30 am - 11:00 pm Seasons of Hope in St. Francis
 10:00 am - 12:00 pm Girl Scouts Troop 5163 in St. Francis
10:00 am - 11:00 am **Reconciliation in Day Chapel**
 4:30 pm - 5:15 pm Choir Practice (Saturday Mass) in Main Church
 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm Come to the Table at Pavilion
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm **MASS (Sunday Vigil)—intention: Elizabeth Anne Dashiell†**

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2025

9:00 am - 10:00 am **MASS—intention: St. Peter's Parishioners**
 9:00 am - 10:30 am Baptism Class in English at UTRC
 10:00 am - 11:00 am Sunday Hospitality in Courtyard
11:00 am - 12:00 pm **MASS—intention: Pedro Ramirez†**
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm **MISA (en español)—intención: Juan Guzman†**
 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm Choir Practice (Teen Mass) in Main Church
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm **MASS (Teen)—intention: Dr. Ramon Gonzalez, Jr.†**

ROOM ASSIGNMENTS ARE POSTED IN BUILDINGS

FLC = Family Life Center
 UTRC = Upon this Rock Campus

St. Peter's Website
EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS



Make sure to monitor the newly designed webpage to stay informed! You will find links to the Mass & Service schedule, which includes special Masses and services, upcoming events, links to fundraisers, and announcements for the parish, Boerne area, surrounding area and Archdiocese of San Antonio.

The page is still in the process of being updated. Thank you for your patience.

To access the Events & Announcements webpage, scan the QR code or go to stpetersboerne.com/announcements.

REMINDER

If you have not yet done so, please remember to pick up your nicho from the Altar of the Dead. They will be in the Narthex.

RECORDATORIO

Si aún no lo has hecho, recuerda recoger tu nicho del Altar de los Muertos. Estarán en el nártex.

DECEMBER 2026

DECEMBER 3

Christmas Churches by Candlelight

Join us for a community event in Boerne, hosted by multiple parishes.



DECEMBER 12

Our Lady of Guadalupe (OLG)

Las Mañanitas
Gathering
OLG Mass
OLG Dinner



12 DE DICIEMBRE

Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe (OLG)

Las Mañanitas
Reunión
Misa OLG
Cena OLG



DECEMBER 15

Parish Las Posadas

7:30 pm in Main Church
(immediately following daily Mass)
followed by Gathering in Cana

15 DE DICIEMBRE

Las Posadas de la parroquia

7:30 pm en iglesia principal
(Inmediatamente después de la misa diaria)
Seguido de la Reunión en Caná

DECEMBER 31

Last Day to Register HIGH SCHOOL RETREAT

Retreat is
January 9-11, 2026
Camp Chrysalis in Kerrville, TX
Scan QR code to register now!



APRIL 2026

APRIL 16–19

ACTS Retreat for Men

(in English)
Retreats will be held at a new retreat center– Deer Creek Camp in Medina County. More information to come.
stpetersboerne.com/acts

MAY 2026

MAY 7–10

Retiro de ACTS para hombres

(en español)
Los retiros se realizarán en un nuevo campamento: Deer Creek Camp, en el condado de Medina. Próximamente habrá más información.

Miscellaneous

OCTOBER 26 TO NOVEMBER 28

CYO Sports Program Registration

For basketball and cheerleading!
Season begins
January 9, 2026



OCT 22, 29, NOV 5, 12, 19, DEC 3, 10, 12

Folklorico Children's Dance Group

Ages 5+. Practice for OLG celebration on December 12.
For more information or to register:

laura@stpetersboerne.com
angela@stpetersboerne.com



22, 29 DE OCT, 5, 12, 19 DE NOV, 3, 10 DE DIC

Folklorico Grupo de danza para niños

A partir de los 5 años. Practica para la celebración de fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe el 12 de dic. Para más información o para registrarse:

laura@stpetersboerne.com
angela@stpetersboerne.com



ADVENT 2025

NOVEMBER 30

Advent Mission with Speaker

6:00 pm, after 5:00 pm Mass
Main Church, guest speaker in English: Salesian Sisters of St. John Bosco

DECEMBER 1

Advent Mission with Speaker

6:30 pm in Main Church, after 6:00 pm Daily Mass (special time)
Main Church, guest speaker in English: Salesian Sisters of St. John Bosco
Cana Ballroom, guest speaker in Spanish: Pepe Romero

DECEMBER 2

Communal Reconciliation Service with individual confession

6:30 pm in Main Church
Cana Ballroom, guest speaker in Spanish: Pepe Romero; proceed to Main Church for individual confession

DECEMBER 8

Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception

Holy Day of Obligation
8:00 am, 5:30 pm & 7:15 pm (en español)
Parish Office Closed
NO 6:00 pm Rosary
NO 6:30 pm Mass

DECEMBER 15

Parish Las Posadas

7:30 pm, after 6:30 pm Mass
In Main Church, followed by refreshments in Cana Ballroom

DECEMBER 12

Our Lady of Guadalupe

6:15 am Las Mañanitas in Main Church, followed by reception in Cana Ballroom
6:30 pm Mass in Main Church, followed by celebration in Cana Ballroom

DECEMBER 18

Advent Anointing of the Sick

7:00 pm in Main Church



Children's Ministry EFF & CGS



Elementary Faith Formation

Wednesday's Elementary Faith Formation children participated in a group presentation where they "met" five Saints and learned about their lives. They heard how we are all called to Sainthood.



Gracious Father,
Thank you for the gift of the Saints, the holy men and women who give us good examples of how to live our lives.
St. Monica, St. Martin De Tours, St. Rose Phillipine, St. Perpetua and St. Felicity, pray for us!

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

In the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd atrium, we offer the child some geographical information, which lays the groundwork for speaking about the birth of Jesus. The Incarnation is an historical event; so that we need to locate it in time and space. The child recognizes that since we can locate a time and space for Jesus, there is also a time and space for the child. We lift up for the children the three most important cities in the life of Jesus: Nazareth, Bethlehem, and Jerusalem. How wonderful for the child to recognize that the facts found in the story of the birth of Jesus, which occurred so many years ago, has relevance for each one of us. The Infancy Narratives reveal the time, place and nature of our Lord's birth.



Scan to read more about Nazareth & Bethlehem.

Calendar

- November 23 - No EFF or CGS
- November 25 - No CGS
- November 26 - No EFF or CGS
- November 30 - EFF & CGS Classes Resume
- December 3 - Christmas Churches by Candlelight
- December 6 - Boerne Christmas Parade
- December 10 - Last Day of EFF and CGS for Fall Term
- December 12 - Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration
- December 19 - Third Annual Gingerbread Bash!

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Laura Balderrama Contreras
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YOUTH MINISTRY



LIFE TEEN

Megan Sims - High School Youth Minister
megan@stpetersboerne.com
(830)-816-5665

EDGE

Melissa Garza - Middle School Youth Minister
melissa@stpetersboerne.com
(830)-816-5667

Life Teen

This week we have our Life Teen Thanksgiving! It's a potluck, so please bring a dish to share:

Freshmen: desserts

Sophomores: appetizers

Juniors: entrees

Seniors: side dishes

Take time to reflect on and celebrate all the gifts the Lord has given you this year with your Life Teen family!

See you soon! -Megan <3

EDGE

This week, we'll be celebrating the Holy Mass with Fr. David at 6:45 PM in the main sanctuary! After Mass, join us in the gym for a sit-down dinner as we celebrate the sacrament of thanksgiving (the Eucharist) and the holiday together!

See you in the Eucharist!
-Mel <3

ST PETER'S
YOUTH MINISTRY

LIFE TEEN RETREAT DAY BREAK

January 9-11 at Camp Chrysalis
cost is \$250 per person



We'll be talking about the hope that Mary has, and how we can look to her as a model of hope. Total cost is \$250 per person. Register online with the QR code!

HEB CARD FUNDRAISER

Teens: want to offset the cost of retreat/summer camp/youth conferences? Sign up to sell HEB cards after weekend Masses. Scan the QR code to sign up!



SAVE THE DATE LIFETEEN & EDGE SUMMER CAMP

LIFETEEN RESTORE CAMP
JUNE 1-6TH - CAMP CANA in
GENEVIEVE, MO

EDGE SUMMER CAMP
JUNE 15-20 - CAMP HIDDEN LAKE in
DAHLONEGA, GA



Anniversaries / Aniversarios

Congratulations to all who are celebrating anniversaries.

Felicidades a todos los que están celebrando aniversarios.

November 16

♥ Patricia & Michael Noggle (40)

November 20

♥ Gregg & Syd Muenster (54)

November 21

♥ Mark & David & Maricela Nasis (27)

If you are celebrating a wedding anniversary and would like to be included in the bulletin, please email bulletin@stpetersboerne.com or call (830) 816-5660.

Si está celebrando un aniversario de boda y desea ser incluido en el boletín, mande su información a bulletin@stpetersboerne.com o llame a (830) 816-5660.

GO FUND ME

The GoFundMe company has recently created about 1.4 million pages to collect donations for nonprofit organizations without their consent or knowledge. Unfortunately, this has impacted some parishes, schools, and ministries within the Archdiocese of San Antonio.

The archdiocese does not use GoFundMe to collect donations for any purpose. To make sure donated funds support parishes, schools, Hope for the Future, the Archbishop's Appeal for Ministries, or other archdiocesan agencies, give through the official and secure online platforms found on the archdiocesan website at archsa.org. This will ensure that every gift reaches its intended purpose.

For any questions regarding donations pages or inquiries regarding giving to archdiocesan institutions, contact the Department of Stewardship and Development at (210) 734-1910, or reach out directly to the parish, school, or agency. The continued trust of those who generously donate funds to archdiocesan entities is of utmost importance.

Join us for a community event in Boerne!

Christmas Churches by candlelight

Wednesday, December 3, 5:30pm

St. John Lutheran Church, First United Methodist Church and St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church welcome you to celebrate the season with us during the annual **Christmas Churches by Candlelight Walk***.

Come and enjoy food, Christmas music, fellowship and prayer. We will start at FUMC for dinner at 5:30 then walk by candlelight to St. Peter and back to St. John to wrap up and have refreshments.

There will be dinner at 5:30pm in the Fellowship Hall at First United Methodist Church with an opening service in their Sanctuary at 6pm.

We will then walk to St. Peter for prayer and back to St. John.

Festivities will conclude at approximately 8pm with a closing service and refreshments.

**There will be transportation available for those that cannot walk with us.*



For more information, please visit:
www.stjohnlutheran.com

TURKEY FRY

Knights of Columbus Council 10940 will again join together with some 300+ fathers and sons from 8 different Boerne/Kendall County Christian churches early on Wednesday morning, the day before Thanksgiving. This group, informally known as the "Christian Men of Boerne," meet each year at the Kendall County Fairgrounds to fry turkeys and fill boxes with food needed for a complete Thanksgiving meal for a household in need. This is the 26th consecutive year of this worthy and unique event of men/sons from different Christian dominations, but one Almighty father working together to serve those in need.



We work in conjunction with Hill Country Family Services, which identifies families in need and manages the distribution of the meals. Your support helps make this possible. Suggested donation amount is \$25.00.

Please scan the QR code to donate. You can also place cash or check donations in the collection basket and designate Turkey Fry.



Though this is a Knights of Columbus led effort, we invite all St. Peter's men and their sons (whether a Knight not) to come out and join us for fellowship, prayer and just a good time, all for a good cause.



CDA POINSETTIA SALES

For Home • Gift-giving • 6-inch Plant
 Red • Pink • White
 Jingle Bells (red with white speckling)
\$25 each

Please fill out the form and return by
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2025
 to the parish office or Mass collection basket
 with check payment made out to CDA #2690.

Name: _____

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Enter the number for each combination you want to order

		Foil Color				
		Silver	Gold	Pink	Green	TOTAL
Poinsettia Color	Red					
	Pink					
	White					
	Jingle Bells					

Altar Donation (red poinsettia with green foil):

Total number of poinsettias:

Total payment (Total # of poinsettias x \$25):



You can also purchase poinsettias online by going to cdaboerne.org/product-category/poinsettia, or by scanning the QR code.

Plants will be available for pick up at the Upon this Rock Campus, St. Anthony Hall, on Sunday, December 7th from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Please contact Alma Hilburn at (979) 732-1644, Kathy Hannig at (210) 563-6436 or Debbie Noack at (512) 689-1377 with questions.



HEB CARDS

Order for the holidays!

Deadline to order for Christmas:

Friday, December 5 2025

Pre-order your holiday cards by emailing Lacey Sorrell at:
lacey@stpetersboerne.com

Pre-payment by check or cash is required.

Pre-order your HEB cards in time for your Christmas gifts! HEB cards also make excellent Christmas gifts for teachers, friends and family. You get the full price of the cards.

At the same time, you will be supporting St. Peter's Youth Ministry, which will receive 5% of all HEB cards sales. It's a win-win!

Proceeds from HEB cards sales benefit the Youth Ministry programs in the form of reduced payments for retreats and summer camps, meals for our EDGE and Life Teen nights, offering the annual Life Teen Leadership Conference, and so much more!

Don't forget to purchase HEB cards for your regular grocery need and gas for your vehicles. Bring cash or a check to weekend Masses and purchase HEB cards weekly. If you forget on the weekend, you may purchase cards in the parish office during regular office hours.

If you have any questions about HEB gift card purchases, please contact **Lacey Sorrell** at lacey@stpetersboerne.com or (830) 816-5663. Thank you for supporting St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church's Youth Ministry!

Basketball & Cheerleading

Join St. Peter the Apostle CYO Basketball and Cheerleading!



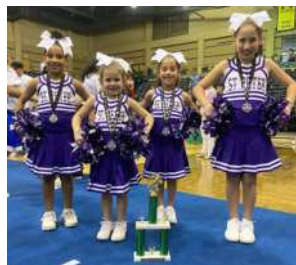
Registration begins:26 October 2025
 Registration ends:11 November 2025
 Cost:\$150
 Ages:4 through 14
 Season begins:9 January 2026

Register at stpetersboerne.com/basketball-1 or scan QR code



If you have any questions, please contact one of our 2025 CYO Registrars: Nicole Conrad or Monica Wilkes at CYOregistrat@stpetersboerne.com

Parents and Coaches will be required to volunteer in the concession stand or at the gate for each participating child





Las Posadas

de la comunidad / in the community

Todos son bienvenidos a nuestros Las Posadas de la comunidad, comenzando a las 7:00 pm cada noche. Para más información, favor de llamar a:

All are welcome to join us at the community Las Posadas, beginning at 7:00 pm each evening. For inquiries, please call:

Rosa (830) 331-2893

Tuesday, December 16, 2025

Anabel Vera
135 N. Wagon Wheel Drive
Boerne, TX 78015

Wednesday, December 17, 2025

Manuel Luna y Maira Valdez
9431 Dietz Elkhorn Rd.
Boerne, TX 78015

Thursday, December 18, 2025

María Casas
2193 Rohrbuch Rd.
Pipe Creek, TX 78063

Friday, December 19, 2025

Annemarie Hooge
140 Deer Hollow Dr., Boerne TX 78006

Saturday, December 20, 2025

Guillermo & Andrea Perez
116 Hwy. 46 West, Boerne, TX 78006

Sunday, December 21, 2025

Arturo y Cecilia Ibarra
390 Cutters Trl., Pipe Creek, TX 78006

Monday, December 22, 2025

Cristina Lopez Serrano
602 Rohrbuch Rd.
Pipe Creek, TX 78063

Tuesday, December 23, 2025

Santos y Rosa Muñoz
623 O'Grady St, Boerne, TX 78006

Wednesday, December 24, 2025

María Morales
414 July Lane, Boerne, TX 78006



ABFS Friday Morning Study Group
Upcoming Adult Study...

Lectio: Confirmation

Video Presenter: Brant Pitre, PhD
Facilitators: John and Lisa Burnside

Join us as we explore the biblical roots of Confirmation, a powerful sacrament often misunderstood as a Catholic rite of passage.

Registration Starts October 2025

9 Sessions

11 AM - 12 PM

Study Dates: November 14, 2025, thru February 13, 2026
Off for the holidays 11/28/25 and 12/26/25-1/2/26

Info and Registration: Lisa Burnside

lisa.burnside@icloud.com

Your registration will be confirmed via email.

Location: St. Peter Upon the Rock
W. Kronsby Street - Check with Lisa about parking!



ABFS Fri. Morning Study Group
A Brant Pitre, PhD Video Study



**Coming February 2026....
an adult Bible study about
the ultimate destiny of
humanity.**

Details follow in future bulletins!



PERSEGUIDOS POR TU CAUSA, SEÑOR

por José Luis (Pepe) Romero

¿Quién podrá entonces separarnos del amor de Cristo? ¿Las tribulaciones, las angustias, la persecución, el hambre, la desnudez, los peligros, la espada? Rom 8,35



1. Naturaleza de la Persecución

- **Identificación con Cristo:** La persecución por motivos de fe se entiende como una forma de compartir el sufrimiento de Cristo. Según el Nuevo Testamento, los seguidores de Jesús pueden esperar enfrentarse a dificultades y persecuciones por su fe.
- **Fuente:** Evangelio de Mateo 5:10-12, donde Jesús dice: "Bienaventurados los que son perseguidos por causa de la justicia, porque de ellos es el reino de los cielos".

2. La Enseñanza del Catecismo

- **Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica:**
 - **Persecución como parte de la vida cristiana:** El Catecismo menciona que la persecución es una consecuencia natural de vivir como cristiano. Los fieles deben estar dispuestos a afrontar la adversidad por su fe.
 - **Fuente:** CIC, n. 1716. Aquí se habla de las bienaventuranzas y de cómo los cristianos son llamados a ser testigos de Cristo, incluso en la adversidad.
- **El papel de la gracia:** La gracia de Dios fortalece a los creyentes durante la persecución, ayudándolos a mantenerse firmes en la fe.
 - **Fuente:** CIC, n. 2473. Este número menciona la importancia de la perseverancia en la fe en tiempos de prueba.

3. Los Santos Padres

- **Testimonio de los mártires:** Los Santos Padres subrayan la importancia del martirio como un testimonio poderoso de la fe. La persecución ha sido parte de la historia de la Iglesia desde sus inicios, y los mártires son considerados modelos de valentía y fidelidad.

- **Fuente:** San Ignacio de Antioquía, en sus cartas, habla del valor del sufrimiento por Cristo y cómo los mártires son un ejemplo para todos los cristianos.

4. Teología sobre la Persecución

- **Unión con el sufrimiento de Cristo:** La teología católica enseña que el sufrimiento y la persecución tienen un propósito redentor y pueden acercar a los fieles a la experiencia de la cruz de Cristo. Esta unión con el sufrimiento de Cristo se entiende como una forma de participar en su misión salvadora.
- **Fuente:** Santo Tomás de Aquino, en su "Suma Teológica", discute cómo el sufrimiento puede conducir a la santificación.

5. La Esperanza en la Persecución

- **Recompensa en el cielo:** La Iglesia enseña que quienes sufren persecución por causa de Cristo serán recompensados en el cielo. Esta esperanza es un consuelo para los cristianos que enfrentan adversidades.
- **Fuente:** CIC, n. 1716, que menciona que quienes son perseguidos por causa de la justicia son bienaventurados y recibirán su recompensa en el cielo.

Conclusión

La persecución a causa de Cristo es una realidad que los cristianos pueden enfrentar, y la Iglesia Católica enseña que este sufrimiento no es en vano. Al compartir en los sufrimientos de Cristo, los fieles son llamados a ser testigos de su amor y de su esperanza. La gracia de Dios, la comunidad de la Iglesia y la promesa de una recompensa eterna brindan fortaleza y consuelo en medio de las pruebas.

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Cenaculo de la Divina Misericordia

Más información: Marta Lopez
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stpetersboerne.com/cenaculo

Clase de bautizo en Español

Próximas clases: 3 de dec, 5 de ene de 2026, 2 de feb, 2 de mar, 6 de abr. 7:00 pm a 9:00 pm en el FLC. Más información: Leobardo Lopez, (210) 844-5345, o Maria Lopez, (210) 844-5347.

stpetersboerne.com/baptism

Estudio Bíblico para hombres y mujeres

Para más información, favor de llamar a Pepe Romero.

Inglés como segunda lengua

Para más información, favor de llamar a Pepe Romero.

Las Guadalupanas

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Los Matachines

Más información: Ana Ibarra (210) 480-0200

stpetersboerne.com/matachines

Ultreya

Para más información, favor de llamar: Olga Moreno a (210) 818-1264 o José José Ramón Hernandez a (210) 551-9731.

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November Virtue of the Month: Gratitude

Gratitude means cultivating a thankful disposition of mind and heart. In fact, the Catechism lists *living in thanksgiving* as one of the implications of faith in God, for, “if God is the only One, everything we are and have comes from him” (CCC 224). Jesus himself modeled the virtue of gratitude as he thanked his Father for food, for hearing his prayer, for the people the Father had given to him.

This month, practice our virtue of the month as a whole family. On Sunday evenings, have each family member list five things that they are grateful for. Write these down. Each day of the week, read that list together and give thanks to God for those gifts. As the weeks go on, observe how the list evolves and how a disposition of gratitude grows.

School Matching Donation

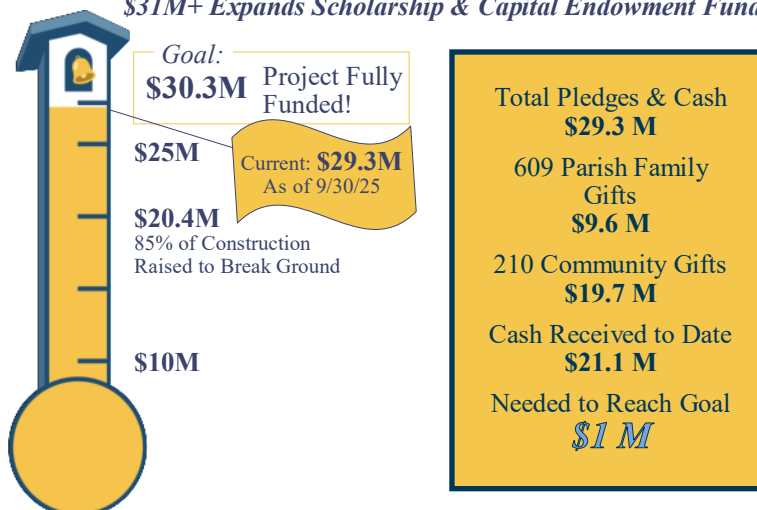
We are in the “Transformational” stage of our School Capital Campaign to raise the final \$1.0 million of the total of \$30.3 million for the project. Please drive by the construction site to see the great progress of the building. Bob & Anna Elizondo, former parishioners, have made an additional \$100,000, that is, dollar-for-dollar for your donation. If you would like to make a first-time donation or add to your present donation or pledge and have it matched, please contact Fr. Norm or Julie Seguin, Executive Director of our Campaign. If you would like to use your donation as a “Naming Right” donation, you can. Thank you. Thanks to the Campaign Committee members who helped last Sunday after Masses: Dusty Clayton, Mark Batis, and Rick & Bonnie Molina.

Campaign Status Report

In order to move into our School Building Debt-Free next fall, we hope to close out the Capital Campaign in the next few months. We need just \$1 million more in contributions to pass the \$30.3M Goal!

If you would like to make or extend a pledge, sponsor a naming opportunity, or have questions about the New St. Peter School, please contact Julie Seguin at Julie.Seguin776@gmail.com or (210) 710-5423.

\$31M+ Expands Scholarship & Capital Endowment Funds



Upcoming Events

December 9, 2025
Christmas Concert
6:30 pm

December 14, 2025
Christmas Caroling

January 26, 2026
Classical Education
Night

Employment Opportunities

Director of Development
recruiting.paylocity.com/Recruiting/Jobs/Details/3650471

Teacher
2026/2027 year
recruiting.paylocity.com/Recruiting/Jobs/Details/3650489

Substitute Teacher
2026/2027 year
recruiting.paylocity.com/Recruiting/Jobs/Details/2970152

Substitute School Nurse
recruiting.paylocity.com/Recruiting/Jobs/Details/3704170

School Campaign



SCAN TO DONATE



Naming Opportunities



**Mardi Gras
Gala 2026**

General Information

MASS INTENTIONS

To schedule a Mass Intention, please call the pastoral office at (830) 816-2233 or come into the office during regular business hours.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

A special book is located in the Narthex for parishioners to write names of the sick who wish to be prayed for. During Masses, we will do a prayer for the welfare and healing of the sick, "including those listed in our Prayer Book for the Sick." During the Prayers of the Faithful, we will continue to pray, by name, for those who have died.

SANCTUARY LIGHT

St. Peter's offers the ability to dedicate the Sanctuary Light to memorialize or honor a loved one. The Sanctuary Light is located in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel and is visible from the Main Church. Each name is published in the bulletin and honored for a one-week period. The recommended donation is \$20. Dates for 2026 are now available. Call the Pastoral Office at (830) 816-2233 to secure your date.

NURSERY

The Nursery is open for Sunday Masses at 9:00 am, 11:00 am and 1:00 pm. For more information or to request the nursery for your ministry, please contact:

Laura Balderrama Contreras
(830) 816-5668
laura@stpetersboerne.com

ANNULMENTS

If you, or any one you know, is in need of an annulment, please contact Deacon Del Eulberg or Lacey Sorrell, to answer any questions, or to begin the process.

Deacon Del Eulberg (210) 850-5590
deacondel@stpetersboerne.com
Lacey Sorrell (830) 816-5663
lacey@stpetersboerne.com

ROOM RESERVATIONS

Email bulletin@stpetersboerne.com to request a room reservation for your ministry's or organization's meeting.

FORMED

The Catholic Faith. On demand. Access books, movies, studies and much more! Sign up at formed.org/signup and select St. Peter the Apostle, 202 W. Kronkosky Street, Boerne, TX. Follow the prompts.

BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Your ads allow parishioners to receive a bulletin at no cost to the church. To place an ad, contact Tina at (512) 431-9413 or twatson@4lpi.com.

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Send requests to bulletin@stpetersboerne.com. Upcoming submissions deadlines, due by 8:00 am:

- › **Tue, Nov 18 (EARLY)**—for Nov 30 bulletin
- › **Thu, Nov 20 (EARLY)**—for Dec 7 bulletin
- › **Thu, Dec 4 (EARLY)**—for Dec 14 bulletin
- › **Wed, Dec 10 (EARLY)**—for Dec 21 bulletin
- › **Mon, Dec 15 (EARLY)**—for Dec 28 bulletin

FLOCKNOTE

Communication via email and texts, allowing participants to subscribe to threads on specific topics. Sign up at stpeterboerne.flocknote.com. If you do not want to receive an audible notification every time a text comes in, but still want to receive the Flocknotes, simply silence that text thread on your smart phone.

Ministry

SEASONS OF HOPE

Adult Bereavement Support Group

Offers a safe and understanding environment for those whose loved one has died. This program, rooted in Catholic tradition, conveys God's consolation through scripture, prayer, reflection and sharing our faith. Each session is offered for six consecutive weeks. Group members may continue in additional sessions as needed. The program is open to anyone age 18+ who experienced the death of a loved one.

Saturdays—9:30 am - 11:00 am

St. Peter's St. Francis Building
117 W. Hosack
Boerne, TX 78006

Season II

November 15, 22, December 6, 13, 20, 2025, January 10, 2026

Pre-register to: Judy Gleason
judy@stpetersboerne.com

Other Organizations

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Boerne AA group meets Monday through Friday, 7:30 am—8:30 am and 12:00 pm—1:00 pm, in the St. Francis Building, 117 W. Hosack. Please contact AA Central Service Office at (210) 821-6325 for more information.

Archdiocese of San Antonio

PARISH MINISTRY FORMATION

Provides comprehensive ongoing pastoral formation for those who currently serve or seek to be involved in ministries and services in the Church. For more information, a comprehensive schedule of offerings, to download a blank Pastor's Authorization form and to find the registration link, go to maccsa.org/en/institute. You can also contact Laura Balderrama Contreras at (830) 816-5668 or laura@stpetersboerne.com.

FORMACIÓN EN EL MINISTERIO PARROQUIAL

Proporciona una formación pastoral integral y continua para aquellos que actualmente sirven o buscan participar en ministerios y servicios en la Iglesia. Para más información, un cronograma completo de ofertas, para descargar un formulario de Autorización del Pastor en blanco y para encontrar el enlace de registro, vaya a maccsa.org/en/institute. También puede comunicarse con Laura Balderrama Contreras al (830) 816-5668 o laura@stpetersboerne.com.

HUMAN RESOURCES

Career Opportunities Available
archsa.org/employment
Phone: (210) 734-2620
Email: HR@archsa.org

MENTAL HEALTH MINISTRY

archsa.org/mental-health
Learn more about mental health care and find resources, including Catholic mental health resources.

FOR EMERGENCY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Society of St. Vincent de Paul
(830) 816-5646

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We are blessed with a large parish, offering parishioners 100+ ministries & resources, all funded by generous donations you make. Please refer to the information below to help you decide where to donate. Find links at stpetersboerne.com/giving.

GENERAL OFFERTORY

Donations are used for day-to-day operations of the parish and programs, including salaries, utilities, supplies, etc.



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The goal is to raise the money to finish the approximately 15,480 square feet of space on the 3rd floor of the Family Life Center. To donate to this project, please designate your donation for such.

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Your generous donations to the Maintenance Fund will go to building maintenance, landscaping and repairs of facilities.

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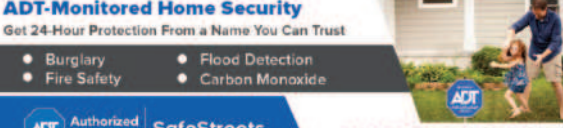


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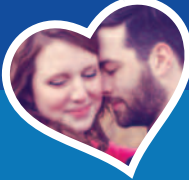


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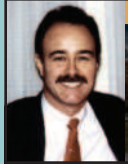
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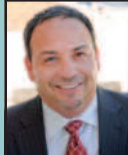
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