



St. Peter, The Apostle September 3, 2023 **Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary**

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"Whoever wishes to come after Me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." ~Matthew 16:24

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday thru Friday: 6:30 AM

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 7:00 AM & 9:00 AM

CONFESSION

30 Minutes Before ALL Masses

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Tuesday - Thursday: 8am -12noon, 1pm-4pm Wednesday - Friday: 8am-12noon

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PARISH SACRAMENTS

SACRAMENT OF THE MOST HOLY EUCHARIST

As a parish, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is central to who we are and what we do. Regular Mass Times are listed on the front of the bulletin. Please contact the office for special Mass times during Lent and Holy Days of Obligation. To receive formation for First Holy Communion, contact the Parish Office, 337-896-9408.

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Essential to the Christian Life, the Sacrament of Confession is where we come into contact with Christ who wishes to heal and bless us. Regular Confession is an integral part of practicing our Faith and experiencing the peace and joy of a personal relationship with Jesus. For the Sacrament of Confession schedule see next page under "Mark Your Calendar". You may also schedule an appointment for Confession by contacting the Parish Office at 337-896-9408.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Through the waters of Baptism, the new Christian enters the Church and is given Eternal Life. To have your infant baptized, please contact the Parish Office at least 2-4 months prior to the baby's due date so that there is enough time to complete preparation for the Sacrament.

If you are a parent or an adult seeking the Sacrament of Baptism, please contact the Parish Office, 337-896-9408.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

In the beginning, God created mankind as one, male and female. Christ elevated this union to the level of a Sacrament, an image of His own love for His Bride, The Church. Our Parish Family is made up of many beautiful marriages who enrich the Church and the world. Couples discerning the vocation of Holy Matrimony should contact the Parish Office to begin the journey of preparing for their new life together no later than 6-9 months prior to the desired wedding date.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND FUNERAL/BURIAL ARRANGEMENTS

The Church and her Sacraments accompany us at every moment of our life. When we are very sick or nearing the end of this life, we receive the healing of Christ through Anointing of the Sick. Please contact the Parish Office, 337-896-9408, to make an appointment.

Also, contact the church office before you contact anyone else in making funeral arrangements. We are here to guide you through that most difficult time.

NEW PARISHIONERS WELCOME

Register at: www.sprcc.org or call the parish office.

ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to proclaim the Kingdom of God by living the Gospel of Jesus Christ through Word, Sacrament, and Service as taught by the Roman Catholic Church. St. Peter Parish is a community of dedicated Catholics centered on the Eucharist, which is the source and the summit of all that we do and hope to become.

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER For People Living on the Margins

We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

PRAYER FOR SEPTEMBER ~ MONTH DEDICATED TO OUR LADY OF SORROWS



MOTHER OF COMPASSION

O Holy Virgin, in the midst of all your glory, we ask you not to forget the sorrows of this world. Cast a look of pity upon all who struggle against life's difficulties, and who cease not to feel all its bitterness. Have pity on all who have been separated from those they love. Have pity on the

lonely and friendless. Pardon the weakness of our faith. Have pity on those whom we love. O Holy Mother, show a mother's compassion toward the sorrowful and those who tremble under life's afflictions. Give them hope and peace. Amen.



LABOR DAY; MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4th PRAYER BEFORE WORK TO ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER

O Glorious Saint Joseph, model of all those who are devoted to labor, obtain for me the grace to work in a spirit of penance for the

expiation of my many sins; to work conscientiously, putting the call of duty above my natural inclinations; to work with thankfulness and joy, considering it an honor to employ and develop by means of labor the gifts received from God; to work with order, peace, moderation, and patience, never shrinking from weariness and trials; to work above all with purity of intention and detachment from self, keeping unceasingly before my eyes death and the account that I must give of time lost, talents unused, good omitted, and vain complacency in success, so fatal to the work of God. All for Jesus, all through Mary, all after thy example, O Patriarch, Saint Joseph. Such shall be my watch-word in life and in death. Amen.

(Composed by Pope St. Pius X)

PRO-LIFE REFLECTIONS

The human person is the measure of the dignity of work.

~ Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church, 271

<u>REFLECTION</u>: The Church teaches that work has its final goal in the human person. In other words, people are not to be considered as just cogs in a wheel of productivity.

Work exists for people; it is an expression of the person and builds up his or her dignity. This is a key conviction in a Culture of Life.

<u>PRAYER</u>: Lord, thank You for the contributions workers have made to the strength, prosperity, and well-being of our country.

THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



September 8th

The Church has celebrated Mary's birth since at least the sixth century. "The present Feast forms a link

the sixth century. "The present Feast forms a link between the New and the Old Testament. It shows that Truth succeeds symbols and figures and that the New Covenant replaces the Old. Hence, all creation sings with joy, exults, and participates in the joy of this day.... This is, in fact, the day on which the Creator of the world constructed His temple; today is the day

on which by a stupendous project a creature becomes the preferred dwelling of the Creator" ~ Saint Andrew of Crete

"Let us celebrate with joy the birth of the Virgin Mary, of whom was born the Sun of Justice.... Her birth constitutes the hope and the light of salvation for the whole world.... Her image is light for the whole Christian people" (From the Liturgy). ~www.ewtn.com



"Turn your eyes incessantly to the Blessed Virgin; she, who is the Mother of Sorrows and also the Mother of Consolation, can understand you completely and help you. Looking to her, praying to her, you will obtain that your tedium will become

serenity, your anguish change into hope, and your grief into love." ~Pope St. John Paul II

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SAINT PETER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 3, 2023

PLEASE NOTE

CCD PARENT MEETINGS

**A parent meeting for 1st- 8th grade CCD will be held on Wednesday, September 6th at 6:00pm in the parish hall.

**A parent meeting for 9th- 12th Confirmation will be held on Sunday September 10th at 5:00pm in the parish hall.

CCD 1st-8th

Registration is OPEN! Check out our website for more information about our Faith Formation and Youth Group programs! If you are interested, please complete the forms and bring them with payment to the parish office. If you have any questions, please contact Christina Dupuis at carencroyouth@sprcc.org

HIGH SCHOOL CCD

Registration is OPEN! Confirmation is a ministry open to students who are parishioners of St. Peter Parish. By directive of Bishop Deshotel, starting this Fall of 2023, we will begin the transition of Confirmation in 11th grade to the 8th grade. Starting this year, 2023, we will confirm grades 11th-9th. Therefore, all who sign up for High School CCD are signing up for confirmation. If you have any questions, please call the office or contact Heather Delahoussaye at contacthdela@yahoo.com

REGISTRATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE ON OUR PARISH WEBSITE: www.sprcc.org

Please turn in registration forms and fees to the parish office by September 4th.

OCIA: ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or learning about the Catholic faith, please call the office (337-896-9408) and schedule an appointment with Father Cambre.

JOIN THE CALL TO EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL –
CALL TODAY TO SIGN UP TO SPEND TIME
WITH JESUS IN EUCHARISTIC ADORATION!!

COME LET US ADORE HIM!

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Call Gloria Matte at 658-3759 for more information.

PRAYER PARTNERS NEEDED

<u>Sunday</u>: 4am, 6am, 8am, 10am, 11am, 5pm <u>Wednesday</u>: 7pm <u>Thursday</u>: 6pm

Friday: 3pm, 5pm, 6pm, 7pm

<u>Saturday</u>: 7am (URGENT), 9am, 1pm, 3pm, 8pm <u>Urgent hours</u> have <u>NO</u> adorer and are being filled

in by volunteers.

❖ Admittance into Chapel requires access code to enter 24/7.

Under no circumstance is the lock code to be given out.

Anyone is welcome to have access but first needs to acquire the code from the coordinator, Gloria Matte at 337-658-3759.



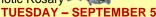
MONDAY – SEPTEMBER 4 LABOR DAY

Parish Office Closed

6:00AM – Confessions

6:30AM – Mass

7:00AM - Patriotic Rosary



St. Teresa of Calcutta

6:00AM - Confessions

6:30AM - Mass

WEDNESDAY - SEPTEMBER 6

6:00AM - Confessions

6:30AM - Mass

5:30PM - Catholic Daughters

6:00pm - 1st - 8th Grade CCD Parent Meeting [Parish Hall]

THURSDAY - SEPTEMBER 7

6:00AM – Confessions

6:30AM - Mass

FRIDAY - SEPTEMBER 8

Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:00AM - Confessions

6:30AM - Mass

7:00AM - Prayer Cenacle for Priests [Church]

SATURDAY - SEPTEMBER 9

St. Peter Claver, Priest

3:30PM - Confessions

4:00PM - Mass

SUNDAY - SEPTEMBER 10

6:30AM - Confessions

7:00AM - Mass

8:30AM - Confessions

9:00AM - Mass

5:00PM - 9th - 12th Confirmation Parent Meeting

[Parish Hall]

THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4th IN OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY.



CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS MEETING

The next monthly meeting of the Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Daughters will be held Wednesday, September 6th at 5:30pm. For more information contact Jill Fontenot at 337-278-6271.



DIVINE MERCY MESSAGE "JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU"

Jesus to St. Faustina: Today the Lord said to me, "Daughter when you go to confession, to this fountain of My mercy, the Blood and Water which came forth from My Heart always flows down upon your soul and

ennobles it. Every time you go to confession, immerse yourself entirely in My mercy, with great trust, so that I may pour the bounty of My grace upon your soul. When you approach the confessional, know this, that I Myself am waiting there for you. I am only hidden by the priest, but I Myself act in Your soul." (Diary 1602)



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THIS WEEK ON FORMED...

THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY SACRED ART

By studying Sacred Art, we fuel our prayer and contemplation. In this episode, Dr. Ben Akers sits down with Taylor Kemp to examine the theological nuances contained in Bartolome Murillo's depiction of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

MOTHER TERESA: NO GREATER LOVE

Mother Teresa: No Greater Love is a soaring tribute to a spiritual icon, a powerful witness of authentic Christian charity, and a guidepost for all who seek hope in our turbulent times: Mother Teresa of Calcutta. This film reveals not just who Mother Teresa was, but how her singular vision to serve Christ in the poor continues to be realized through the Missionaries of Charity today.

NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

In this episode, Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. John Sehorn discuss the birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary.



RED BIRD MINISTRIES

RESTORED – A GRIEVING MOTHER'S RETREAT Friday, Sept. 8th - Sunday, Sept. 10th Lumen Christi Retreat Center House

Red Bird Ministries is offering an overnight weekend retreat at the Lumen Christi Retreat Center House for grieving mothers to experience hope, healing, and fellowship. Women who have experienced any form of child loss are invited, including miscarriage, stillbirth, and the loss of an infant child, adolescent, or adult child. Register now at redbird.love/retreats.

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YEAR OF PARISH REVIVAL

June 11, 2023 - July 17, 2024

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INCLUDED IN THIS WEEK'S NEWSLETTER...

WHAT IS THE EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL? A MOVEMENT FOR THE LIFE OF THE WORLD

"As a recent college graduate, I had two options before me as I discerned my personal vocation: I could turn in on myself or turn out in love. The inward turn was where I perceived safety and control. The outward movement felt like it would result in loss of control and journeying into the doomed unknown. I paused, breathed deeply, and felt the beating of my own heart, yet I sensed that there was a more palpable presence..." Read the rest of the testimony and be inspired to go deeper into Revival today!

SIGN UP FOR THE REVIVAL SPARK SERIES TODAY!

God wants to do something NEW in the Church. By the power of Jesus in the Eucharist, we believe we stand on the precipice of revival. But revival is not something that WE do. It is a sovereign act of God in response to the prevailing prayers of his people. Join us in praying for revival with the Spark Series—nine short daily reflections inviting you to open your heart to the renewal God desires.

"If I can give you any advice, I beg you to get closer to the Eucharist and to Jesus. We must pray to Jesus to give us that tenderness of the Eucharist.

~ St. Teresa of Calcutta

The feast of St. (Mother) Teresa is celebrated on September 5.

DIOCESAN EUCHARISTIC RALLY CAJUNDOME CONVENTION CENTER

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2023

6:00PM - 9:30PM

- Mass Dinner Keynote Address
- Adoration
 Music
 Benediction

FREE ADMISSION

PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY

Week of September 4th - September 10th:

September 4 Fr. Ryszard Kalinowski, SVD

September 5 Fr. Andrew Killeen

September 6 Fr. Andrew Kirschman, SJ

September 7 Fr. Mark Kramer, SJ September 8 Fr. Clifton Labbe, SVD September 9 Fr. Donavan Labbe September 10 Fr. Paul Lafleur

Eternal Father, we lift up to You these and all the priests of the world. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. Mold them into the likeness of Your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

PRAY FOR A SEMINARIAN EACH DAY

Week of September 4th - September 10th:

September 4 Cole Zaunbrecher
September 5 Bennett Bodin
September 6 Nicholas Broussard
September 7 Haden Coleman
September 8 Brent Didier
September 9 Carter Domingue
September 10 Rev. Mr. John Dugas

O Lord Jesus Christ, great High Priest, I pray that You call many worthy souls to Your holy priesthood. Lead the seminarians daily in Your unerring footsteps, so that they may become priests who are models of purity, possessors of wisdom, and heroes of sacrifice. May they be steeped in humility and aflame with love for God and man, apostles of Your glory, and sanctifiers of souls. Mary, Queen of the Clergy, pray for us. Amen.

PRAY FOR A DEACON EACH DAY

Week of September 4th – September 10th:

September 4 Dcn. Harris Bergeron
September 5 Dcn. Glen Bertrand
September 6 Dcn. Jose Blanco
September 7 Dcn. Reggie Bollich
September 8 Dcn. Dwayne Boudreaux
September 9 Dcn. Gerald Bourg
September 10 Dcn. Edward Boustany

Heavenly Father, since the time of the Apostles you have inspired the Church to commission certain members to assist in a special way in the pastoral mission of Christ. Bless the deacons and all other ordained and non-ordained ministers that they may be humble and faith-inspired in their service. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES

President Joe Biden - Commander in Chief

Cameron Brasseaux-Army Kylor J. Broussard-Army John-Paul Comeaux-Marines Reginald J. Cormier-Air Force Kade Domingue-Army Steven Friloux-Navy Thomas Friloux-Nat'l Guard Jasmine Nicole Martin-Navy

Ryan Mitchell-Air Force Gavin Miller-Navy Steve Pressler, II-Air Force Brennan Randel-Army Matthew Scott Richard-Nat'l Guard Xavier D. Sinegal-Army Cody Smith-Nat'l Guard

PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS

Almighty and eternal God, those who take refuge in You will be glad and forever will shout for joy. Protect these soldiers as they discharge their duties. Protect them with the shield of Your strength and keep them safe from all evil and harm.

May the power of Your love enable them to return home in safety, that with all who love them, they may ever praise You for Your loving care. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PARISH FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Do not neglect to DO GOOD and to SHARE what you have: God is pleased by sacrifices of that kind. -Hebrews 13:16

August 27, 2023

OFFERING TOTAL Building & Maintenance St. Vincent de Paul Online Giving (8/23 - 8/29) \$6,579.00 \$261.00 \$30.00

\$1,100.00



GIVING OPTIONS

THANK YOU for continuing to support St. Peter Catholic Church through your charitable contributions. Your sacrifice and support is what allows us to continue our mission of meeting the spiritual needs of all our parishioners and pay our parish bills.

CHURCH COLLECTION BASKET

Simply place your parish tithing in the church collection basket when it is passed during the Offertory of the Mass.

MAIL-IN

Your parish tithing can be mailed to the parish office at: PO Box 40; Carencro, LA 70520

ON-LINE GIVING

On-line giving is quick, easy, safe & secure! Simply go to www.sprcc.org & click on the ONLINE GIVING tab at the top of the home page.

IN MEMORIAM

CHURCH SANCTUARY LIGHT Leola Nepveaux

CHAPEL CANDLES

LEFT OF TABERNACLE: Wilson Domingue RIGHT OF TABERNACLE: Paul Landry

SANCTUARY LIGHT STAND: Living & Deceased de Boisblanc Family

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY - September 4

6:30AM - Jimmy Domingue, Jr.; M/M David & Solita Mouton; Mrs. Robley (Elaine) Breaux by Bonne Mort Society

TUESDAY - September 5

6:30AM - All the Holy Souls in Purgatory; Wilson "Willie" Domingue by Bonne Mort Society; Emmalina Mouton; Rachael Habetz; Jennifer Reed; Kristie Reiners; Shirlene Evans

WEDNESDAY - September 6

6:30AM - Glenn Mouton (DA); M/M Ray P. Breaux (Her DA); John Dale Landry; Edith Mouton

THURSDAY - September 7

6:30AM - All the Holy Souls in Purgatory; Lucille Benton by Bonne Mort Society; Elia Hernandez; Luke Thibodeaux, Jr. by Bonne Mort Society

FRIDAY - September 8

6:30AM - Bonne Mort Society; Forest Bearb (BD); Thomas Ira Hutchinson (BD); M/M Louis "Doc" & Jill Martin; Randel Breaux (DA); M/M Ethel & Dave Connolly; Cedric Broussard

SATURDAY - September 9

4:00PM - Riolan Coussan; M/M Richard & Hazel McMillan Truax; Iray Young; Paul Landry; M/M Nina & Allen "Al" Bourgeois; Glenn Vidrine; Sandy Arceneaux Breaux; Delsey Jagneaux; Larry Duhon; Frank Connolly; Holy Souls in Purgatory; Edith McKinley by Bonne Mort Society; Coach Allen Conque; Elaine Breaux by St. Anne Society; Wilson Domingue; Darren Domingue

SUNDAY - September 10

7:00AM - M/M Jan & Luke Coussan; M/M Louis "Doc" & Jill Martin; M/M Betty & Neil David; Daniel F. Martin; Leola Nepveaux; Douglas Johnnie; Kathleen C. Roche'; Helen Stelly; M/M Raymond & Mary Kidder; M/M Nolan Duhon; M/M Bob Lewington; John Dale Landry; Paul Kennerson; Stephen Meyer

9:00AM - Parishioners

