



ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

A Dominican Parish

Established in 1840



Rosary Sunday

October 4, 2015

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*Visit our parish website for general
 information about our church.*

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.

Looking for ways to donate to our church?

Go to <http://www.stpeterchurch.org/give/> to donate online or visit your mobile app store, download the free SecureGive app, and search for St. Peter Catholic Church to donate now.

Rosary Sunday 2015: 175th Anniversary of the Parish

I Kings 8:22-23,27-30; I Corinthians 3:9-11, 16-17; Matthew 16:13-19

From St. Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians:

According to the grace of God has given to me, like a skilled master builder I laid a foundation, and someone else is building on it. Each builder must choose with care how to build on it. For no one can lay any foundation other than the one that has been laid; that foundation is Jesus Christ.

Fr. Auggie's Reflection:

What great an honor it is that the Universal Church is built upon the foundation of Jesus Christ. In addition, our parish is the foundation of the Catholic Church in west Tennessee! Each of us has received gifts for building up the Kingdom of God, and we have a solid rock in Jesus Christ upon which to keep building. As we celebrate 175 years of the Catholic Tradition in Memphis, let us look forward to the plan God lays before us as a parish. If we stand on the teachings of Christ, as our ancestors did before us, we ensure the legacy of the Church of St. Peter and Paul will last for generations to come.

EVENTS OF NOTE at ST. PETER

Thurs., Oct. 8	7 P.M.	RCIA (Supper at 6:30 p.m.) Adult Formation
Sat., Oct. 10	10:30 A.M. 2 P.M.	Baptism Preparation Session Reese/Graczk WeddingSun., Soup Sunday (After Masses)
Sun., Oct. 11		

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.
(East tower inside the church)

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday - 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

ST. MARTIN DE PORRES NATIONAL SHRINE

(Shrine Chapel - enter on Third St.)

MASS SCHEDULE

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

MORNING PRAYER

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

CONFESSION

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

WEDNESDAY:

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

A CHERISHED LEGACY

Exhibition Now Open!

"A Cherished Legacy" features fine liturgical objects, original letters and documents, and ecclesiastical artifacts depicting the church's rich, unique history. Check out the exhibit after Mass this weekend. Exhibit continues through December. More information on our parish website at <http://www.stpeterchurch.org/community/175th-celebration/>

St. Peter's Women's Guild NEWS!

Are you interested in participating in the re-establishment of our parish women's group? Do you miss the opportunity to socialize and get to know other women of the parish? We are looking for women interested in building a team to help re-organize. If you support this effort or have interest in being part of the Women's Guild Team please contact parishioner Val Hall at valeriehall@gmail.com.

FROM THE LOFT

St. Peter Choir will resume weekly rehearsals on Thursday, October 15, 7:00 – 8:30 PM. (NO Choir Practice this Thursday, Oct. 8) New singers welcome!

"CHRISTMAS CHOIR" rehearsals for Midnight Mass begin December 3. Sign up by November 25. Contact Jane at 527-8282, ext. 15 or mrsjane@bellsouth.net about any role of music ministry at St. Peter's.

ST. PETER'S RUNNING CLUB

Last month, we conducted a survey and a series of parent meetings. Many indicated that they would be interested in a Sunday morning running group. The St. Peter's Running Club has now begun! All are welcome to join. We meet in the gathering area/lobby (by the courtyard doors) after delivering children to atrium at 9:30. We usually run about 30-40 minutes then pick up children by 10:45. For more information, contact Aggie Fratta at mfratta@comcast.net.

Soup Sunday: Delicious soups will be available for purchase next Sunday. Proceeds are used to defray costs incurred by Calvary's Breakfast Club that feeds the homeless each Sunday morning. The featured soups will be vegetable beef and mushroom and wild rice (vegetarian).

Come to the gathering area after Mass to purchase. (\$5/pint; \$10/quart)

Ministry to the Sick is looking for people to visit our homebound/shut-in parishioners. You do not need to have a Eucharistic Minister or Minister to the Sick Certificate – just a little time to help brighten someone's day. We are what we are due in part to some of these wonderful people. Please contact Kathy Anthony at canthony1@juno.com or 901-681-9766 if interested.

YOUNG ADULTS

In your 20s or 30s? We want you to join the young adult ministry! Get involved by emailing youngadults@stpeterchurch.org.

Young Adults **Sunday Bible Study**—

9:45 a.m. - Conference Room (near the church office)

CATHOLIC DIVORCE CARE MINISTRY

Join other divorced Catholics on a 6-week journey toward finding the hope, healing, and peace you may be seeking. Whether you got divorced ten days ago or ten years ago, the program offers valuable insight for everyone. The sessions will begin Monday, October 5th from 6– 8 P.M. St. Louis Church. Questions: call 373-1224 (Office of Pastoral Life Ministries) or download the registration form. http://www.cdom.org/Atimo_s/news/Registration_sheet20130821.pdf.

USED EYEGLASSES: We are collecting used eyeglasses for the needy. A container is in the "Welcome Corner" for your donations.

Come and See - Sharing Love, Giving Voice – Offered by the Parish Social Ministry Office of Catholic Charities of West Tennessee, this workshop begins a series of opportunities addressing the role of citizens from a Catholic perspective. Simultaneous Spanish Translation Available. **Brian Corbin**, National Executive Vice-President for External Relations, Catholic Charities USA & **Peter Gathje PhD**, Professor of Christian Ethics, Memphis Theological Seminary & Founder of Manna House, a place of hospitality for homeless persons. **Saturday, October 10, 2015, 11:30 a.m. – 4:15 p.m. Lunch included - no charge.—St. Louis Church, 203 South White Station Road.** Event is free and open to the public; but reservations are required - Catechist Hours - 4 hours offered

Registration: <http://ccwtnpsm10-10-15.eventbrite.com>

Spanish Language Registration / Information:

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FALL ADULT FAITH FORMATION AT ST. PETER

UNPLANNED Next Sunday, Oct. 11 - 9:45 a.m.

In observance of Respect Life Month, we are watching Abby Johnson's documentary *unPLANNED*. Hear Abby's story of how she went from being the director of a Planned Parenthood clinic to joining the Coalition for Life. Facilitated by Jennie Latta.

THE MYSTERY OF GOD: WHO GOD IS AND WHY HE MATTERS

Sundays, October 18 – November 22

9:45 – 10:45 a.m. in the Parish Hall

How can we turn the tide of secularism and draw people back to God? In this new DVD series, Bishop Robert Barron reaches into our rich intellectual tradition to teach us how. Using the insights of St. Augustine, St. Thomas Aquinas, Pope Benedict XVI, he uncovers a clear yet sophisticated understanding of what we mean by "God."

THE GOOD SHEPHERD AND THE CHILD: A JOYFUL JOURNEY

Sundays, October 18 – November 22

9:45 – 10:45 a.m. in the Choir Room

A study group for parents based on the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd presentations the children see in the atrium and the book *The Good Shepherd and the Child: A Joyful Journey*.

Facilitated by Christina Klyce and Catechists.

WOMEN OF FAITH, WOMEN OF HOPE, WOMEN OF JOY

Thursdays in October with Fr. John Lydon, O.P.

October 8—Flannery O'Connor

Sessions will begin at 7 p.m. and are preceded by a parish potluck supper at 6:30. All are welcome, and it's okay to come if you cannot attend all 5 sessions.

LADUTO SI STUDY GROUPS

Join a small group to read and discuss Pope Francis' new encyclical, *Laudato Si, On Care For Our Common Home*.

Wednesdays, Oct. 29 - Nov. 18 (6:30 p.m. at St. Agnes)

Thursdays, Nov. 5 - 19 (7:00 p.m. at St. Peter)

WOMEN'S FRIDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

This year, we are studying The Book of Isaiah! Contact Ginger Taylor at yazoocity@aol.com for more information.



We are excited to announce that our parish has subscribed to the new online platform called FORMED. FORMED includes a variety of Catholic video programs

including: Fr. Robert Barron's Catholicism series and Symbolon.

Login at Formed.org. Our parish code is e902f0.

Find out more about these and see a full listing of our fall offerings at <http://www.stpeterchurch.org/religious-ed/adult-faith>.

PRAYER WARRIORS NEEDED

If you would be willing to pray for a group of children or teens (and their catechists) this year, please contact Christina at cklyce@stpeterchurch.org.

CURIOUS ABOUT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?

Our RCIA Team would love to meet you! - Join us on Thursdays at 7 p.m. *A light supper will be served at 6:30. Childcare available upon request.*

ST. PETER PARENT PARTY!

Parents of children and teens: Mark your calendar for Friday, October 23, 7 p.m. We are having a St. Peter Church Parent Party at Alchemy—a great way to meet other parents at St. Peter Church! This event is a follow up to one of the parent meetings in which parents talked about ways to get to know one another. RSVP to Lana Holmes at lanamholmes@gmail.com.

CONFIRMATION MEETING OCTOBER 18

Meeting for parents and teens preparing for Confirmation this spring. 12 p.m. (or following the 11:00 Mass)

BAPTISM PREPARATION

Sessions for new parents and godparents will be this Saturday, Oct. 10 at 10:30 a.m. and Nov. 14 at 1:00 p.m. Call 901-527-8282 to register.

MASS INTENTIONS *for the week*

Saturday, October 3	Judge John B. Getz +	5:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 4	Kay Jones +	8:30 a.m.
	For the Parish	11:00 a.m.
Monday, October 5	Billy Rose, Jr. +	
Tuesday, October 6	Wanda Richards +	
Wednesday, October 7	John Whalen +	
Thursday, October 8	Mary Gavin +	
Friday, October 9	Elvira DiMattia +	
Saturday, October 10	Edythe Whalen	5:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 11	Elizabeth Mayer Byrnes	8:30 a.m.
	For the Parish	11:00 a.m.

Call the parish office to reserve a Mass intention date - (901)527-8282


PRAYERS

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Will James, the brother of parishioner Becky Sevier, who passed away this week. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

Parishioners who are homebound: Sara Folis, Sue Tufts-Stefanac, Robert Estabrook, Myra Wilson, Lynn Eastin

Parishioners, family & friends who are requesting prayer:

Gerrie Berretta	Sue Wade	James Clarke
Marie Brothers	Bob Wade	Jennifer Warren Rhem
Joe Linder	Wally Smith	Tom Wade
Ceylon Blackwell	Ronnie Wanetick	Marie Sens-Taylor
Nancy Warren	Jim Howell	Gloria Andereck
Willie Mae Ellis	Joann Van Werkhooven	Mary Lou Watkins
Clarence Taylor	Tom James	Jane Sacharczyk
Dick McStay	Emily Krausser Smith	Lily-Kate Anthony
Maria Meyers	Dianne Champlin	David Davis
Glenda & Mike Martin	Sarah Gay	August Lambert
Patricia Dugger	Griffin Norquist	Alan Adelman
Marilyn Dilworth	Alex Krausser	Edward Apple
Jim Shaw	Mike C. Farley	Jeffrey Collins
	Eileen Schmalkuche	
	Tommy Buford	

 **Call the church office to update this list**

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

Expectant Parents

Devan & David Latta
Alysson & Spencer Reese

Due Date

October 12
December 8

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: **1st Lt. Robert Campbell, Tom Tufts, Jr., Gregory Tufts, William Perry, Capt. Robert Latta, Lt. Col. Steve Reed.** These names are in a special book that is brought to the altar at every Mass.

COLUMBARIUM: St. Peter Church has a columbarium in the Shrine courtyard. Each niche provides for the placement of two urns. For more information about the columbarium, call Chris Cornaghie (901)454-9888.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK *(St. Peter emergency line is (901)828-6488)*

Call the parish office (901)527-8282 to let us know of ill or homebound parishioners or upcoming surgeries. You can arrange a visit by a priest, deacon or lay minister when you or a family member is ill, homebound, hospitalized, in an assisted living facility or nursing home. All ministers can bring Holy Communion, pray or just visit with anyone not able to get to church. Priests can administer other sacraments as desired.

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Weekly Bulletin on website by Friday morning