

May 14, 2017
The Fifth Sunday of Easter
MOTHER'S DAY

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. May 15th

9:00 a.m. Nick Graffeo, Jr., RIP

Tues. May 16th

6:20 a.m. Les Reed, RIP

9:00 a.m. Teresa Leon, RIP

Wed. May 17th

6:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

Thurs. May 18th

6:20 a.m. Les Reed, RIP

9:00 a.m. Lydia Rivera, RIP and
Tito Lebron, RIP

Fri. May 19th

6:20 a.m. Teresa Leon, RIP

9:00 a.m. Jason Yanko, RIP



THANK YOU to the Mrs. Inez Saia for flowers at the Blessed Mother this weekend in loving memory of her son, **PAUL SAIA**, on the 11th anniversary of his death.

Diocesan Disaster Response Warehouse

The Diocesan Disaster Response Warehouse is in need of hygiene kits. In the event of a disaster, they will be given to those in need as part of the Diocesan response plan. Our Human Concerns Committee will assemble these kits, and is asking parishioners to donate any of the following items:

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| Toothpaste | Antiperspirant |
| Toothbrushes | Hand Sanitizer |
| Wash Cloths | Band Aids |
| Bar Soap | Neosporin |
| Shampoo | Antiseptic Wipes |

Collection containers will be in the Foyer this weekend and next. All donations should be new and unused. Thank you for your support of this effort. Every item that we are able to provide will be greatly appreciated.



BANNS OF MARRIAGE are announced for **MARY FRANCES BENNETT and BRENNAN VAUGHN** to be married at St. Peter's on Saturday, May 27th.

Stewardship . . .
A Way of Life



“Those who have faith in Me will do the works I do, and far greater than these,” Jesus tells His disciples. That’s quite an assignment for us as Christian stewards!

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

May 7, 2017

OFFERTORY FUND \$ 24,928.94

BUILDING FUND \$ 4,635.00

POOR BOX \$ 716.01

Thank you for your generosity!



ST. PETER'S PARISH PICNIC

Sunday, May 21st

12 Noon – 4:00 p.m.

Bring your whole family and join us for a fun day of good food and fellowship at the Parish Picnic. It will be held on the south parking lot and in the Gym. There will be **INFLATABLES, GAMES** for the children, **BINGO**, a **CAKE WALK, LIVE MUSIC** and **FREE** food and drink for all!

HELP!!! If you would like to donate a cake for our Cake Walk, please bring it to the Parish Hall on Saturday or Sunday. Thanks so much!

FIRST and THIRD FRIDAY
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



The First and Third Friday of each month there is Eucharistic Adoration in the Chapel from 9:30 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. We are asking that you consider signing up for an hour of time on one or both of these days. We especially need folks in the middle of the day (11am-2pm). This is such a wonderful opportunity to spend some quiet time in prayer and reflection before the Blessed Sacrament and away from the day's hustle and bustle. If you would be interested please contact Susan Rosko at BabciaSusan@gmail.com. Thank you!



*We would like to wish our Mothers,
 Grandmothers, Great-grandmothers,
 Stepmothers and Mothers-to-be a very*
Happy Mother's Day!



Coming this Week!



CONGRATULATIONS to the following young people who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday, May 11th:

Monday, May 15th

- 6:00 p.m. K of C Ladies Auxiliary - HFR
- 6:00 p.m. K of C Council Meeting – Rm. 203/PH “C”
- 6:30 p.m. Hoover Competitive Basketball – Gym

Tuesday, May 16th

- 6:45 a.m. Lectio Divina Prayer Group – HFR
- 8:00 a.m. Martha & Mary Scripture Grp – Library
- 6:30 p.m. Matthew Bible Study – Rm. 211
- 6:30 p.m. Hoover Basketball Practice – Gym
- 6:30 p.m. Corinthians Bible Study – Rm. 202
- 6:30 p.m. Corazon Azteca Group - YR

Wednesday, May 17th

- 6:20 a.m. Village of Immaculata Prayer Grp. – HFR
- 6:00 p.m. Spanish Mass – Church
- 7:00 p.m. Confessions/Adoration – Chapel
- 7:00 p.m. Jr. High Banquet - HFR

Thursday, May 18th

- 7:00 a.m. Men’s Cursillo Group – HFR
- 8:00 a.m. BEKare 4K Graduation - HFR
- 10:00 a.m. Moms Bible Study – Rm. 211
- 10:00 a.m. Corinthians Bible Study – Rm. 202
- 6:30 p.m. Hoover Basketball Practice - Gym
- 6:30 p.m. Metanoia Young Adults – YR

Friday, May 19th

- 6:50 a.m. Fishers of Men Group - Library
- 7:00 a.m. Men of St. Joseph Group – HFR
- 9:30 a.m. Women’s Cursillo Group – Library
- 9:30 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration - Chapel
- 9:40 a.m. CDC Prayer Time - Church
- 6:30 p.m. Cristo Rey Prayer Group - Chapel

Saturday, May 20th

- 5:00 p.m. Mass – Church

Sunday, May 21st

- 7:00, 8:30 & 11:00 a.m. Mass – Church
- 9:45 a.m. Adult Education Session – HFR
- 12:00 Noon – 4:00 p.m. – PARISH PICNIC
- 12:45 p.m. Spanish Mass – Church
- 3:00 p.m. Life Teen Band – Church
- 3:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 87 – Rm. 203
- 5:00 p.m. Mass – Church

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| Zoe Baker | Juan Moreno Lopez |
| Michael Chew | Anna Muthalaly |
| Alma Chimal Mejia | Briseida Orozco Regaldo |
| Audrey Colabrese | Caleb Owens |
| Rejinaldo Corona Sandoval | Alondra Perez |
| Alliyah Estrella | Marco Perez |
| Citlally Figueroa Mendoza | Natalie Perez |
| Jaquelyn Garcia-Soto | Daniel Pineda |
| Jocelyn Garcia-Soto | Alexandra Pritchard |
| Diana Gomez Acosta | Katelyn Ragland |
| Dora Luz Hernandez | Jude Raia |
| Paul Hernandez | Ethan Reed |
| Tiffany Hernandez | Jack Rivers |
| Elise Hoppenjans | Jose Sanchez |
| Ashley Johnsen | Luis Enrique Sanchez |
| Ryan Keeney | Felix Sarabia-Diaz |
| Nathan Langan | Ross Spina |
| Miguel Lopez Aparicio | Joseph Tankersley |
| Alyssa Mackinaw | Caroline Tinsley |
| Emily Makosky | Leta Wang |
| Helena McComiskey | Anastasia Zellner |
| Robert Moran | |

Michael Vice and Olivia Martin, also of St. Peter’s, were confirmed at the Cathedral of St. Paul on Sunday, May 7th.

FYI: In honor of the 100th anniversary of Mary’s apparitions of Fatima, Pope Francis has granted the faithful a *local* opportunity to obtain a Plenary Indulgence. To the faithful who visit with devotion a statue of Our Lady of Fatima solemnly exposed for public veneration in any church, oratory or proper place during the days of the anniversary of the apparitions, the 13th of each month from May to October 2017, and there devoutly participate in some celebration or prayer in honor of the Virgin Mary. In addition, the faithful must pray the Our Father, recite the Creed and invoke Our Lady of Fatima. To obtain the plenary indulgence, the faithful must also fulfill the ordinary conditions: go to Confession and Communion, be interiorly detached from sin, and pray for the intentions of the Holy Father.

A small statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be placed on the shelf in front of Mary in the Chapel during these months, and prayer cards will be in the back for those who would like to avail themselves of this opportunity.



BULLETIN ADVERTISEMENTS

Space is available on the back of our Sunday bulletin for advertisement of your business or services. The cost of the ads is \$200 for a six month period. If you would be interested in placing an ad in our bulletin, please call the Parish Office at 822-4480.

A **POOR BOX** has been placed in the church for acts of almsgiving – one of the Seven Corporal Works of mercy. Please donate generously.



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

Donna Allison	James Carter
Alexander Blais	Michael Dina
Calvin Bolton	Rosemary Savage
Jan Cavaleri	Randall Walden

Names will remain on our sick list for six weeks. If you would like to place a family member on the list, please contact the parish office.



RESPECT LIFE

“Everybody today seems to be in such a terrible rush, anxious for greater developments and greater riches and so on, so that children have very little time for their parents. Parents have very little time for each other, and in the home begins the disruption of peace of the world.” Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Please join us in praying we become a people of God that protects all life from conception to natural death. Respect Life Committee

MEMORIAL DONATIONS to our Building and Maintenance Fund have been received from Ken & Alice Laurendine in memory of **BEVERLY PRUET**.



MARCH and APRIL BAPTISMS

Itzayana Arale Angel
 Emiliano Josiah Ardon
 Akiles Antonio Arrazola Corona
 Martin Corona Gonzalez
 Aylin Ileana Cortez Farias
 Stella Ilene Hueramo
 Josephina Marie Dull Perez
 James William Jose Dull Perez
 Carol Rebecca Lucky
 Aideliz Martinez Esparza
 Emanuel Martinez Esparza
 Angie Camila Nichols
 Anahi Ramos Lopez
 Alexander Alfonso Reyes
 Gabriella Marshaey Reyes
 Erick Daniel Monroy Rincon
 Donna Katherine Rickert
 Joseph Adrian Rickert
 Miguel Edward Rubio Burgess
 Jeiram Sanchez Gastelum
 Jonathan Vasquez Lopez
 Melanie Nicol Vasquez Lopez
 Jake David Zimmerman
 Paul Robert Zimmerman



Please remember in your prayers all of the men and women serving in our armed forces overseas. We especially remember the following . . .

Sgt. Shane Bowers
 Nephew-in-law of Helen McMahan
Lcpl. Alex Carcioppolo
 Nephew of Johnny & Debbie Carcioppolo
Staff Sgt. Patrick O’Hara
 Son of Gayle O’Hara
Sgt. Denver Matthews
 Grandson-in-law of Helen McMahan

We are very happy to announce that Private Adrien St. Raymond has returned from duty overseas.

IN MEMORIAM



Sympathy to . . .

The family of **MRS. BETTY JANCHUS**

Mr. John Milan on the death of his beloved father, **JOHN VINCENT MILAN**

Mrs. Kathy Nequette on the death of her beloved mother, **JOSEPHINE ROMANO**

Miss Tuesday Rodriguez on the death on her father, **RUMALDO RODRIGUEZ RIVERA**

May they rest in peace . . .

Praying with Scripture: Men’s Lectio Divina Group

You are invited to experience praying with Scripture through the ancient method of *Lectio Divina*, “Sacred Reading”. The Men’s Lectio Divina Group meets each Tuesday morning about 6:55 a.m., following the 6:20 a.m. Mass, in the Holy Family Room at St. Peter’s. The group is open to men of all ages and denominations. Materials are provided. There is no homework and no studying. God speaks to each of us individually through the Scriptures – all we have to do is listen. *Lectio Divina* is your opportunity to learn to listen. No sign-up required, just show up! For more information contact Rick DiGiorgio at (205) 422-8734 or rdig@bellsouth.net.



Please remember to bring a non-perishable food item to Mass on the weekend to help feed the hungry in the Birmingham area. Grocery carts are available in the upper and lower foyers for your donated items.

YOUTH MINISTRY

JR. HIGH YOUTH GROUP

7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Wed., May 17th: “8th Grade Dinner and Program” Attention All 8th Graders: You and your family are cordially invited to a dinner in your honor hosted by the 6th & 7th graders at St. Peter’s. Our Dinner and Program will be held in the Holy Family Room beginning at 7:00 p.m. Please R.S.V.P. to Ms. Teresa the total number of family members who will attend (Moms, Dads, Siblings, Grandparents, etc). ALL JR. HIGH STUDENTS (including those who will be in 6th grade in the fall) who plan to attend should R.S.V.P. to Ms. Teresa by Monday, May 15th!

***8TH GRADERS** – Please join us even if you haven’t attended Youth Group in awhile! This is a catered dinner so the food will be amazing! We will also be doing a slide show of pictures from all the way back to when you were in first grade! You don’t want to miss this!!

Wed., May 24th: “Exam Break” There will be NO Jr. High Youth Group this week! Good luck on your final exams!! See you next week at our Summer Kick-off!!

LIFE TEEN ANNOUNCEMENTS

ATTENTION TEENS: LifeTeen will be taking a break on Sunday nights during exams. We will start back for Summer with our Summer Kick-off to Six Flags on **Saturday, June 3rd**. Please turn in your forms ASAP if you would like to attend.

Mon., May 15th: 9:00 a.m. Mass followed by breakfast!

**Forms and deposits are being accepted for our Pilgrimage to Italy in 2018. Sign-up before July 1st and get \$100 off your deposit!!



CAMP ST. BERNARD

Camp St. Bernard is a day and overnight camp for boys and girls ages 6-14 held at St. Bernard Abbey in Cullman. The camp offers traditional summer camp activities in a unique atmosphere of a monastery. Counselors are students and alumni of St. Bernard Prep School. For more information and to register for this summer, visit the website at www.campstbernard.com.

K5 Kindergarten – 5th Grades
“END OF SCHOOL LUAU
AND WATER GAMES PARTY”
Friday, May 26th
6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Youth Room



Join us as we CELEBRATE the end of school! There will be lots of Great Food and Plenty of opportunities to get WET!! Don’t forget to wear or bring your bathing suit and a beach towel!

Please R.S.V.P. to Ms. Teresa at 822-4480 ext. 28 or email her at tcrain@stpeterapostle.com by Wednesday, May 24th!

ATTENTION PARENTS and JR. HIGH STUDENTS: If you can be a helper for this event, please contact Ms. Teresa ASAP! THANK YOU!!



Maker Fun Factory VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 5th – June 9th
for children entering 4K-5th Grade

Registration is now open for Vacation Bible School. Forms have gone home with children enrolled in our PSR and CDC programs, and extras are available in the Narthex or online. You may return your forms in the offertory on Sundays or drop it by the church office Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. If you are interested in volunteering please contact Marcella Stobert at 205-822-4480 ext. 21 or mstobert@stpeterapostle.com.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Saint Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church in Birmingham has two part time jobs available. Youth Minister for grades 6-8 to develop our Sunday Evening Youth program and a Youth Minister grade 9-12 to develop our High School Morning Religious Education program and Sunday Evening Youth Program. For more information and job descriptions you may contact Fr. Joe Culotta at stmarkpastor@bellsouth.net. Deadline May 31st!

ST. PETER’S CAR DECALS available in our Little Flower Gift Shop. \$2.00 donation to the Poor Box appreciated!

