This Week at St. Peter's

Date	Events		Mass Intentions	Readings
Sunday, November 17	9 a.m. Mass—Rite or Election 10:30 a.m. RCIA 12 noon Youth Group Pot Luck 12 noon Pinewood Derby 1 p.m. Sienna Club 6:45 p.m. CRHP Continuation Mtg.	CH LC LC MK LC LC	9 a.m Frank Heili by Mary Kay Heili 11 a.m St. Peter's Parishioners 5:30 p.m St. Peter's Parishioners	Mal 3:19-20; Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9; 2 Thes 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19
Monday, November 18	Seton Christmas Collection Begins 8:45 a.m. Bible Study 1 p.m. Knitting Group 3:30 p.m. 3rd Grade Brownies 7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 118 7 p.m. Landscape Committee	LC LC LC MR LC	8:15 a.m Vince Zuppardo by Milica & Jose Martinovic	1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63; Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158; Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday, November 19	8:45 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration 6 p.m. SCRIP Volunteer Meeting 7 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting	LC LC LC	8:15 a.m Lenore Holmquist by the Family	2 Mc 6:18-31; Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-8; Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday, November 20	8 a.m. Rosary Group 10 a.m. Ceramics 7 p.m. Men's CRHP 7 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 7:40 p.m. Knights of Columbus	LC RR LC CH LC	8:15 a.m All School Mass (Church) St. Peter's Parishioners	2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15; Lk 19:11-28
Thursday, November 21	1 p.m., 1:45 p.m., & 2:30 p.m. Catholic Workers's House Presentations 9:30 a.m. Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Financial Stability Meeting 7 p.m. Women's CRHP-Team 3 7 p.m. Bunco 7 p.m. Choir Rehearsal	LC MR LC LC LC CH	8:15 a.m(Chapel) St. Peter's Parishioners	1 Mc 2:15-29; Ps 50:1-2, 5-6, 14-15; Lk 9:41-44
Friday, November 22	11 a.m. VIP's Luncheon	MR	8:15 a.m St. Peter's Parishioners	1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Chr 29:10, 11, 11-12, 12; Lk 19:45-48
Saturday, November 23	9 a.m. Engaged Couples Orientation 12 noon Cranksgiving	LC Off	5 p.m Sherri Lofton by Guy Lofton	1 Mc 6:1-13; Ps 9:2-3, 4, 6, 16, 19; Lk 20:27-40
Christ the King Solemnity Sunday, November 24	10:30 a.m. RCIA 3 p.m. Middle School Youth Group 1 p.m. Women's CRHP Continuation	LC LC LC	9 a.m Eleanor Becker by the Family 11 a.m Bob Schweiger by the Family 5:30 p.m St. Peter's Parishioners	2 Sm 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43
MEETING SPACES:	CH Church LC Legacy Cente GR Garden Room MR Main Room	r	MK McKay Center OFF Off Site RCT Rectory RR Romero Rm.	Note: Deadline for the Sunday bulletin is the Tuesday prior at 12 noon. Send items to bulletin@stpeterskc.org.

Ministry Schedule: November 23 & 24

	Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Ushers
Saturday 5 p.m.	O Carroll, I Fores, J Flores, H Meyer	B Makar J McDermott	MK VandenBoom, S Stanton, J Boeh, T Crowley, C Cusumano, R Hunter, Need Volunteers	D Ryan, S Leisman, C Madden, L Marks
Sunday 9 a.m.	A Campbell, P Andersson, E Hair, A Cusumano	B Wirkus G Wirkus	J Miller, J Miller, N Reddig, C Wren, MB Andersson, P Arkell, E Brewster, D Caffey	J Saviano, M cCue, S Mohler, D Norwood
Sunday 11 a.m.	A Bryan, A Schmitz, G Schmitz, Q Reller	G Benedict K Conley	M Gillcrist, J Spaeth, M Thomas, L Arensberg, J Caccamo, N Caccamo, K Conwell, MA Cottrell	W Feuerborn, B Pont, M Madden, M Lisac
Sunday 5:30 p.m.	J Hutchison, J Olesen, L Concannon, E Malone	J LaBella J Malone	B Dearth, P Dearth, T Mitchum, Need Volunteers	E Roller, D McGrew, Need Volunteers

Our Parish

Catholic Workers Presentation

Please join us on Thursday, November 21, to hear Brother Louis Rodemann and St. Peter's School mom, Mimi Harman, share their story about being Catholic Workers and living out the Works of Mercy. The presentation is geared for the 6th, 7th and 8th graders and is open to everyone - parishioners, school families, neighbors. It will be in the Legacy Center Chapel and the same presentation will be repeated at 1 p.m., 1:45 p.m. and 2:30 p.m.

Advent Lessons & Carols

St. Peter's Music and Liturgy offices present *The Festival of Lessons & Carols* on Wednesday, December 11 at 7 p.m. in the Church. The evening will include listening

to Scripture readings, singing carols, and prayer. We invite you to join us as we prepare our hearts and minds for the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ. A reception will follow the service in the basement of the Church.



Delegation from El Salvador

Many, many thanks to all those who helped welcome our visitors from San Francisco de Asis last week as translators, dinner hosts, scholarship sponsors, attendees at events and by simply offering warm smiles and hugs. Father Gerardo, Ana, Denis and Glendi enjoyed a full week of learning about our parish and ministries, seeing the sites of Kansas City and enjoying the company and friendship of YOU - members of our St. Peter's family.

The delegation returned to San Salvador safely but were greeted by sad news. The mother of Glendi, the youngest member of the group, passed away unexpectedly on Sunday night. Please keep Glendi and her four siblings in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

If you were touched by the stories of courage, faith and perseverance that our delegates shared about their lives and wish to help them continue their educations, please consider becoming a scholarship sponsor or making a donation to the scholarship program by emailing Kathy Woods at kwoods@sls-law.com or Nancy Caccamo at nancy@kccaccamo.com.



Prayers

St. Peter's community prays for the following people: Michelle Melland, Sally Euston, Loretta Jenkins, Leah Cramer Coady, Nick Raynor, Liza, Watson Healy, Johnson household, Estella, Karen Komoroski, Julie Spaeth, Barbara Card, Mary V. Cook, Angelo Merino, Janet Berger, Chad, Dale Gibson, George Blomster, Eugenie Ruzick, Dale Gibson, Susan Meagher, Greg Rundquist, Kelli Shiao, Isabella Gleeson, Christine Holmes, Gerry Brice, Anderson Reynolds, Lori, Leann, Brenda, George, Austin Quick, Michael Gunter, Larry Harris, and Bev Morris.

Prayers and Sympathy

for the families of Gregoria and Ruth.

For Their Safe Return

St. Peter's community prays for an end to war and a safe return for those from our community serving in the military, including Jon Connelly.

Prayer requests are printed in the bulletin for two weeks and can be sent to Ray Hain at rhain@stpeterskc.org.

Lectors

Workbooks for Lectors are available in the sacristy. Please pick up your copy.

Second Collections

Next weekend November 23-24 there will be a second collection to support vocations. The money will help pay the cost of training priests for our diocese. On the following weekend, November 30-December 1, we will take up a special collection to help the victims of the typhoon in the Philippines. Please be generous.

Deadline for Parish Directory

We're on deadline, so please let us now this week if you have dropped your home phone line, and have a new preferred phone number for your household.

Our Parish

New Parishioner Inquiries

New Parishioners, please call Ruth Davis at (816) 363-7051, Ext. 110 to make an appointment to register.



Woman of St. Peter's

It is not too late to turn in your \$10 dues to the Altar Society. As a woman of the parish, you are automatically a member, but we would love to have your participation in the collection of annual dues and the sharing in our ministries. You may drop your payment in the collection basket or send to the parish office.

Altar Cleaning Schedule

Nov. 17.....Julie Schleicher & Ruth McKain
Nov. 24.....Julie Martucci & Laura Safley

November Purificators: Judy Whalen & Mary Lou Blomster

VIP News

November Luncheon

VIntage Parishioners, please come celebrate Thanksgiving with us on Friday, November 22 in the Main Room from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. We'll have great food and friends. Mark your calendars!



Recent Baptisms

We have several new members to welcome into our faith community this weekend! Congratulations to the families whose children will be baptized this weekend at St. Peter's.

Baptized last Saturday, November 10, following the 5 p.m. Mass: Annabelle Kathryn Hoefer (daughter of Mattew & Gwen Hoefer)

Baptized Saturday, November 16, following the 5 p.m. Mass: Nola Rose Kirchner (daughter of Joseph & Megan Kirchner)

Baptized Sunday, November 17, following the 9 a.m. Mass: Anna Grace Schilling (daughter of Jeffrey & Erin Schilling) Baptized Sunday, November 17, during the 11 a.m. Mass: Sofia Kathleen Staab (daughter of Alexander & Ara Staab)

Baptized Sunday, November 17, following the 11 a.m. Mass: Sullivan Spencer Caldwell (son of Brian & Sahra Caldwell)

Fall Grounds Clean-Up Day Rescheduled

St. Peter's Landscape Maintenance Committee has rescheduled the Fall Grounds Clean-Up for Saturday, December 7, from 8-11 a.m. Please meet in the Garden Room



for coffee, juice, donuts, and a work area assignment. Service hours forms will be available at check-in. We will be raking, trimming and weeding. Please bring leaf rakes and bags, tarps, wheel barrows, shovels, brooms, leaf blowers, and work gloves. We encourage you to label all tools. We hope you can join us! Questions? Contact Mary Hellings at (816) 363-0845 or maryohellings@gmail.com.

Social Services

St. Peter's Community Garden

The garden is dormant for the winter. See you in the Spring!

Knitting For Neighbors

We meet every Monday from 1 - 3 p.m. in the Legacy Center, Room #210. All are welcome: knitters, crocheters, and stitchers. We can teach how to knit and crochet. Also, thanks to all who have generously donated yarn. We can always use more donations. If you have questions, please e-mail Joan Miller at joancmiller@gmail.com or call her at (816) 523-0693.

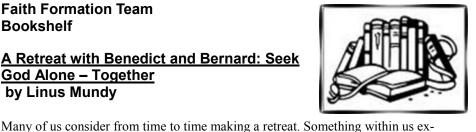
St. James Food Kitchen

Thank you to our fantastic volunteers! Committed to December 4 are Patti Owsley, Carolyn Biritz, Rosie Super, Pat Morrisey, and Judy Whalen, the Hathaway Family (4). Elissa and Carter Holman, Richard Hair, Arden Weis, and Jackson Terry. To volunteer, please contact Ray (816) 877-0300 or rhain@stpeterskc.org.

Our Parish

Faith Formation Team Bookshelf

A Retreat with Benedict and Bernard: Seek God Alone - Together by Linus Mundy



presses the need for a time away from the day-to-day in which to reflect on the state of our lives and of our future. Many of us also find that the demands of family and work life stand in the way of making that time away a reality. This little book presents us with an alternative to the often inaccessible time away. It provides us with a structure that is both disciplined and flexible.

Divided into seven sessions or days (they could be weeks or any other interval), this book is designed around the theme "seeking God alone - together". The primary resources used are the thought of two of the greatest saints of the Catholic Church, St. Benedict of Nursia (founder the Benedictine order) and St. Bernard of Clairvaux (an early abbot of the Cistercian order). Both men are renown for their practical wisdom and it is on display here as well. Each "day" contains a brief reflection on a theme (day six is called "Keeping it Simple") using the thought of one our 'retreat directors'. Day six, for example, focuses on St. Benedict's ladder of humility. Following that are some questions for reflection and a closing prayer. This book is suitable for individuals or for groups that regularly meet and who could take one 'day' per meeting. It is quite inexpensive since used copies are readily available on the internet.

Baptism Preparation Class

The next St. Peter's Baptism Preparation Class will be Saturday, December 7, at 9 a.m. in the Legacy Center. This class is a requirement for only the first child in your family and is to be attended before a scheduled Baptism occurs. For more information, please contact Ruth Davis, at (816) 363-2320, #110 or rdavis@stpeterskc.org.

Cranksgiving Next Saturday

Calling all cyclists and St. Peter's Food Pantry Supporters! Next Saturday, November 23, bicyclists are invited to participate in this annual tradition. This 8th Annual Bicycle Alleycat Race through the city starts at 12:30 p.m. with registration opening up at 12 noon. The course begins at the Anita Gorman Discovery Center (4750 Troost Ave.,



KCMO) and ends at St. Peter's Catholic Church Legacy Center, on the east side of the building (815 E. Meyer Blvd., KCMO).