

This Week at St. Peter's

Date	Events	Mass Intentions	Readings
Sunday, April 15	9:30 a.m. - RCIA LC 12-5 p.m. - Spaghetti Dinner GR 1 p.m. - Sienna Club LC 3-5 p.m. - Book Fair Set-Up MR 6:30 p.m. - Confirmation Rehearsal CH	9 a.m. - Edward Belan by the Family 11 a.m. - St. Peter's Parishioners 5:30 p.m. - St. Peter's Parishioners	Acts 4:32-35; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1 Jn 5:1-6; Jn 20:19-31
Monday, April 16	8 a.m. - 8 p.m. - Book Fair MR 9 a.m. Bible Study LC 1 p.m. Knitting LC Troop 1503 MR 6 p.m. Astor Place Meeting LC 6:30 p.m. Eagle Board of Reviews LC 7 p.m. Landscape Maintenance Mtg. LC 7 p.m. Troop 118 MR	8:15 a.m. - St. Peter's Parishioners	Acts 4:23-31; Ps 2:1-3, 4-6, 7-9; Jn 3:1-8
Tuesday, April 17	8 a.m. - 8 p.m. - Book Fair MR 8:45 a.m. - 7 p.m. Adoration LC 6:30 p.m. Den 4 LC 7 p.m. Finance Committee LC	8:15 a.m. - Marcy Mick by Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lyerla	Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5; Jn 3:7-15
Wednesday, April 18	8 a.m.—8 p.m. Book Fair MR 8 a.m. Rosary Group LC 10 a.m. Ceramics RR 2:30 p.m. Brownies Troop 3228 LC 7 p.m. Choir Rehearsal CH 7:40 p.m. Knights of Columbus LC	8:15 a.m. - Mary Fischer by St. Peter's Parish	Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Jn 3:16-21
Thursday, April 19	9:15 a.m. "Catholicism" film MR 11 a.m. Senior Luncheon MR 7 p.m. Campus Master Plan Mtg. LC 7 p.m. Choir Rehearsal CH	8:15 a.m. (Church) - St. Peter's Parishioners	Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2, 9, 17-18, 19-20; Jn 3:31-36
Friday, April 20	7 p.m. 8th Grade Parent Party LC	8:15 a.m. - St. Peter's Parishioners	Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Jn 6:1-15
Saturday, April 21	7 p.m. Dinner for Eight Off	5 p.m. - Eileen Hair by Sandie Woollen	Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6:16-21
Sunday, April 22	9:30 a.m. RCIA LC 1:30 p.m. First Holy Communion CH 6:30 p.m. Youth Group LC	9 a.m. - Edward Belan by the Family 11 a.m. - St. Peter's Parishioners 1 p.m. - St. Peter's Parishioners 5:30 p.m. - St. Peter's Parishioners	Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9; 1 Jn 2:1-5; Lk 24:35-48

MEETING SPACES: MR Main Room CH Church LC Legacy Center
 GR Garden Rm/School MK McKay Center Off Off Site
 RR Romero/NE Room RCT Rectory

Note: Send all announcements for the bulletin to bulletin@stpeterskc.org by noon on Tuesdays.

Ministry Schedule: April 21 & 22

	Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Ushers
Saturday 5 p.m.	E DeLorenzi, MC Egan, M Egan, D Pedersen	B Elliot B Makar	S Rowland, J Boeh, D Cramer, S Cramer, T Crowley, C Cusumano, R Hunter, Need Volunteers	D Ryan, E Roller, P Sollars, J Stanley
Sunday 9 a.m.	F Burnette, L Chapman, L Mohler, R McKee	M Gude J Malone	B Wirkus, P Cole, B Dearth, P Dearth, G Hage, T Hage, M Hague, M Jones	K O'Boyle, P Cole, A Geis, M Williams
Sunday 11 a.m.	K Buhrmeister, J Flynn, D Simon, S Vickery	J Simon E Swope	S Johnson, M Cisneros, P Feuerborn, D Hammond, D Horgan, ML Johnson K Hougland, M Hougland	B Schneider, B Sweeny, D Wendling, B Arensberg
Sunday 5:30 p.m.	Need Volunteers	A Cucumano	M Thomas, K Duffy, T Mitchum, L Baran, Need Volunteers	R Madeo

Our Parish

Easter Flower Offering

Thank you to all those parishioners who purchased the beautiful lilies for our Easter masses. Flowers were donated by the following individuals:

Donated by:

Maxine Alvarez
Nancy and Jim Caccamo
Nancy Calvano
Katy and Tom O'Sullivan

Joan and John Miller

Mary Kay VandenBoom
Margaret Taylor

Christine Holmes

Sandie Woollen
Kathy and Jim Maenle

In Memory of:

Marie Birk and Margaret Caccamo
Charissa Kolich

Tom O'Sullivan, Tim O'Sullivan,
Mary and Nick Capano
Ann and Wardlow Miller,
Margory Restituto

Gene VandenBoom
Robert Taylor, Charles Dorrance,
Mary and Ned Miller

Rahn Brown, Catherine Brown,
Nathaniel Brown and Alan Brown

Phyllis and Gary Schroer
Alice Brandwein and Luella Maenle

Confirmation Practice, Sunday, April 15

The Confirmation practice has been moved from 1-3 p.m. this Sunday, April 15 to later in the evening, from 6:30-8:30 p.m., immediately following the 5:30 p.m. Youth Mass. This is the only practice, so freshman and sophomores who are participating in the sacrament should plan on attending. Confirmation will be held Wednesday, April 25 at 7 p.m. in the church.



Spaghetti Dinner Sunday, April 15

This weekend, Sunday, April 15, 12-5 p.m., treat yourself and your family to a traditional Italian spaghetti supper in the Garden Room. Spaghetti, meatballs, Scimeca's sausage, salad and garlic toast. Partake in a big mid-day meal and support our Youth as they raise money for their summer mission trips. \$7/Adult and \$5/Child (12 and under). The meal will be prepared under the watchful eye of Jake Imperiale, owner of Bella Napoli. Proceeds from this first annual event will pay for the chaperones accompanying the teens on their trips to Springfield, IL, Kansas City, KS and Winnebago Reservation in Nebraska. The Youth will also be selling discount coupon books for HyVee and Price Chopper. The cost is \$5/book, and it includes \$5 off purchase of \$50 or more, as well as other valuable coupons. Buon Appetito!



Next Trip to El Salvador

If you are interested in traveling to El Salvador with our next delegation, the tentative dates are 6/22-6/29. Join us as we visit our sister parish, San Francisco de Asis, and discover firsthand the many gifts of this dynamic 23-year relationship! Please contact Kathy Woods at 816) 523-0352 or kwoods@sls-law.com or Julie Spaeth at (816) 363-6542 or spaeth@juno.com.

Prayers

St. Peter's community prays for the following people: Norma Trahan, Michelle Melland, Loretta Jenkins, Mary, Beth Davis, Patti Dearth's mother, Dick Dillon and Kevin Glynn.

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: Garrison Smith, Tommy Tellson and Tom Duncan.

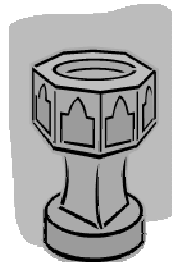
Our Prayers and Sympathy

to the family of Lupe Cisneros.

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

Baptism Preparation Class

St. Peter's Baptism Preparation Classes are held on the first Saturday of every other month, and the next class will be held May 5, 9 a.m.-12 p.m. This class is a requirement for both the first and second child in your family and is to be attended before a scheduled Baptism occurs. For more information, or to register for the next class, please contact parish secretary, Ruth Davis, at (816) 63-2320.



Senior News

Senior Luncheon

Our next fun get together will be on Thursday, April 19! Plan on coming and enjoying a great meal and great company!

Our Parish

Altar Society Update

April Altar Cleaning Schedule:

April 15 Nancy Fitzpatrick &
Karen Miller

April 22 Jean Schmittlein &
Maybelle Mueller

April 29 Sally Sommerhouser &
Christina Wright



Purificators: Jeanette Boeh &
Mary Lou Blomster

New Parishioner Inquiries

New Parishioners, please call Ruth Davis in the parish office (816) 363-7051 x110 to make an appointment to register.

What's Cookin'?

St. Peter's School PTA is preparing a tasty custom cookbook featuring great recipes and special artwork by our SPS kids. We know it will be treasured for years to come? Pre-order your cookbook(s) today and save \$2 per book. That's 15% savings. We will only order a limited number of books beyond the pre-order count so don't miss your chance to help our PTA, own a great cookbook, and save a few bucks, too. Pre-order now and get one or more of this fabulous cookbook for only \$11.50. Please make your check payable to St. Peter's PTA and put "cookbook (+ quantity)" in the memo line. Mail or turn in your order payment to the school or parish office by April 30, c/o Lisa Weis. Books are expected to arrive in July. But wait...

there's more. If you own a business, you can advertise in this fabulous cookbook.

We are offering 1/2 page ads for \$40, or full page ads for \$75. Just send your black/white print-ready ad to cnewman3@kc.rr.com and your payment to the school or parish office by April 30, c/o Lisa Weis.

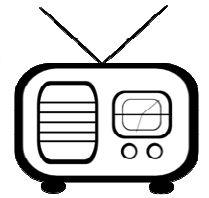


In Appreciation of our Altar Society Ladies

I would like to extend a big thank you to all the ladies who came to clean the Church and Legacy Center Chapel for the Easter Season. These ladies are: Mary Allen, Virginia Bagby, Mary Lou Blomster, Judy Burlette, Kristen Campbell, Mary Kay Heili, Gloria Javaheri, Lee Marks, Mary McCalla, Kate McDonald, Kathy Maenle, Joan Miller, Sharon Mohler, Flo Mundy, Maria Pelto, Mary Kay VandenBoom and Bebe Wirkus. Thank you for your hard work and energy! Mary Buren, Altar and Rosary Society

Fr. Steve's Interview

Tune in to Catholic Radio Network station KEXS 1090AM on Wednesday, April 18 at 2 p.m. to hear Fr. Steve Cook's interview. During the Spring Radiothon, Monday, April 16-Friday, April 20, from 7 a.m.-5 p.m., parish priests from the diocese will be sharing their vocation stories and talking about all the wonderful things going on in their parishes. Call in and show your support!



St. Peter's Cinema

Witness the Catholic faith as you have never seen it before. Join us for one hour a week for screenings of "Catholicism." This series shows us the timeless teachings of the Church through the art, architecture, literature, music and all of the treasures of the Catholic tradition. Fr. Robert Barron created this groundbreaking program as a thematic presentation of what Catholics believe and why. Adults and teenagers are invited to come and gain a deeper understanding of the Catholic Faith. Programs will be shown Friday and Sunday evenings and Thursday mornings. Childcare will be provided for the Thursday morning programs. Thursday, April 12, 9:15 a.m. following morning Mass, Church Hall. Childcare provided. Friday, April 13, 7 p.m., Legacy Center, Room 210 Sunday, April 15, 7 p.m., Legacy Center, Room 210



Alumni Emails Wanted

We are always working to expand our email list of school alumni. If you are an alum and have not received our quarterly e-newsletter, we would love to add you to our list. If you have a son or daughter who went to St. Peter's, we especially need emails of our younger alums. Additions to our email list may be sent to Karen Conley at kconley@stpeterskc.org or alumni@stpeterskc.org.

Wurst Fest 2012

The St. Peter's 2nd Annual Wurst Fest will be Saturday, August 25. Brush up your polka and plan to come. It happens the weekend before Labor Day. We're recruiting volunteers to help with the event. To sign up, contact Paula Holmquist at pholmquist@stpeterskc.org.



Social Services

St. Peter's Community Garden

The garden is looking beautiful! Check out the garden blog on our parish website at stpkc.org for the latest news and pictures.

Knitting for Neighbors

The knitters are back in action. Come create hats for our neighbors in need with fun people and a great cause. We supply the yarn, patterns, and the expertise...all are welcome. Mondays, from 1-3 p.m. in the Legacy Room 210.



St. James Food Kitchen

Thank you to our wonderful committed volunteers. Our next dates are Wednesdays, May 2 and May 30. June 6 has been graciously staffed by our newest members from the RCIA class 2012.

Spring Time Food Pantry Drive

Thank you to everyone for your great generosity. Your compassion for those with less truly makes Christ visible to our neighbors.

Summer Blood Drive

We have been asked to have a special blood drive Monday, July 2. There is such a great need during the holiday for blood, so please mark your calendars and plan to give here at the Legacy Center that day.



Youth News

High School Youth Group

There will be no youth group April 15 due to confirmation rehearsal. In lieu of Youth Group, come check out the Mission Trip Spaghetti Dinner fundraiser, April 15, from 12-5 p.m. in the Garden Room. High School Youth Group will meet again Sunday, April 22 after the 5:30pm Mass. Come out for this Life Night Social including intense Minute-to-Win-It games and pizza.



Middle School Youth Group

The next Middle School Youth Group will be Sunday, April 29 after the 5:30 p.m. Mass. We'll have a Life Night Social with games and pizza. Hope to see you there!

Steubenville Catholic Youth Conference Deadline Extended

July 13-15, the "Diocesan Steubenville Trip: Powerful Catholic Youth Conference" will be held in Springfield, MO, and it is open to all high school students. The deadline has been extended to April 19. Spots are available for both high school students and chaperones. Our diocese will be providing bus transportation. Lodging will be at the Missouri State University Campus dormitories. The cost is \$240/person. If you are interested, contact Nadia Rhodes at (816) 363-2320 #133 or e-mail her at nrhodes@stpeterskc.org



Our School

Registration for T-Ball

St. Peter's Co-Ed T-Ball registration is underway for St. Peter's Parishioners who will be entering Kindergarten or 1st Grade in the Fall of 2012. Registration forms and information is available at www.stpeterskc.org. Forms must be returned by Friday, April 20 for uniform orders. We hope you will join us for the fun which begins May and runs through June 23. Don't miss out on this great opportunity for peers and parents to meet new and old St. Peter's friends before the start of the school year. We need parent volunteers to help with coaching and weekly set up, too. Please indicate on your form if you can help. Call Mary and Norm Hellings at (816) 363-0845 with any questions. We are looking forward to another great SPS T-ball season!



Around Town

Notre Dame de Sion Invitation

Notre Dame de Sion High School invites girls in grades 5-7 to attend a Storm Lacrosse Game and Pizza Party on Monday, April 16 from 4:30-6:30 p.m. Tours of the campus will be available as well. Admission and pizza are free. For more information and to RSVP, please contact Sharon Radovich at (816) 942-3282 or sradovich@ndsion.edu.



F.I.R.E. Golf Tournament

Join fellow golfers at the 14th Annual F.I.R.E. Golf Tournament, to be held April 30, 2012 at Blue Hills Golf Club. The Foundation for Inclusive Religious Education provides children with special needs the opportunity for inclusive Catholic education in their home parish schools. For tournament and sponsorship information, go to fire-program.org.



Venue Visitation

Take 30 minutes out of your day to enjoy Venue Visitation's "Lunch & Listen Series." This is a free music concert offered the 3rd Thursdays of the month. Thursday, April 19, listen to the High School Chamber Choir Festival's open rehearsal. Bring your own lunch. Doors open at 11:45 a.m. Lunch & Listen will be from 12:15-12:45 p.m. at Visitation, 5141 Main, KCMO. For more information, visit VenueVisitation.net.

Ozanam Plant Sale

Annuals, perennials, herbs and vegetables will be available for sale at "Thyme for Kids," a plant sale benefitting the Horticultural Therapy Program at Ozanam. The event is free and open to the public Friday, 4/27 from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. and Saturday, 4/28 from 9 a.m.-5 p.m., at the greenhouse on Ozanam's main campus, located at 421 E. 137th Street, KCMO. For more information, contact Kim Gregory at (816) 508-3606 or visit ozanam.org.



Divine Mercy Mission

On Saturday, April 21, 2012, 8 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Fr. Dan Cambra, MIC, will lead a Divine Mercy Mission at Redemptorist Church, 333 Broadway Street, KCMO. Cost is \$35. For more information, call (913) 268-0208, e-mail immaculate@kc.rr.com or visit the web site: www.thedivinemercy.org/parishmissions.

Blisters for Sisters Walk

Honor and support our Sisters by participating in this event on Saturday, May 5, beginning at the Church of the Nativity, 119th and Mission Rd., Leawood, Kansas. Registration starts at 8:30 a.m. and the walk begins at 9:30 a.m. Then celebrate Mass to honor the Sisters, followed by a lunch at 12 noon. Suggested donation is \$50/ family, \$25/adult or \$10/youth under 22. Lunch and T-shirt are included. Take advantage of this chance to honor our Sisters who do so much for us. The funds raised support the ministries of the Sisters. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend. The walk is sponsored by The Serra Club of Kansas City and Missouri. Registration forms are available on the web site, www.blistersforsisters.org or follow us at www.facebook.com/blistersforsisters. If you have questions, please contact parishioners Moira Healy, Jon Haden, Charlie and Mary O'Dower, Tom O'Sullivan or Charlie Murphy.



Uptown Resale Shop

Catholic Charities thrift store, Uptown Resale, will be celebrating its 2nd anniversary on April 21, and they are having a sale, April 16-21. During the week, select departments will offer 25% discounts, and on Saturday, April 21, there will be 50% discounts storewide. Proceeds support the programs of Catholic Charities. The store is located at 310 SW Blue Parkway, Lee's Summit, MO. For more information, call (816) 524-7225 or visit uptownresale.org.

Cycling for Change 2012

Consider participating in Cycling for Change 2012, a bicycle ride with a purpose. Join the team, ride to Joplin, spend a day participating in the rebuilding effort, and ride back to Kansas City for a joyous celebration of a job well done. If you can't dedicate a whole week to the ride, a one day ride is available. If you're not a cyclist, you can ride the bus down to join the team for the service day. Cycling for Change is a fundraiser for families served by Catholic Charities of Kansas City - St. Joseph.

Find out more at CyclingforChange.org or contact Suzanne at (816) 569-8215 or scronkhite@ccharities.com. St. Peter's Schmidt and Swearngin families are holding a garage sale on May 5, with proceeds to be donated to Cycling for Change. Contact Erin and Dave Schmidt at (816) 361-5475 or Sheila and Sam Swearngin at (816) 363-3873, if you'd like to donate items for this garage sale.



Around Town

Annual Conference on Immigration

The Human Rights Office will open its 2nd Annual Conference on Immigration with Mass on Friday, 4/27 at 5 p.m. at St. Thomas More Parish, followed by dinner and keynote address in the parish hall. Archbishop Francis Chullikatt, Permanent Observer of the Holy See to the United Nations, will speak about the Church's teaching on immigration. On Saturday, 4/28, there will be workshops and testimonials from immigrants and agencies that serve immigrants from 8 a.m.-12 noon at Avila University. Go to www.conferencekcsj.com or contact Rebecca Hinman at (816) 714-2364 to register or get more info. All are welcome and the event is free.

Soiree at Science City - Union Station

Join the fun on Saturday, April 21, 7:30 - midnight. Catholic Charities Junior Board is planning an awesome event to benefit the children served by Catholic Charities of Kansas City - St. Joseph. Plans for the evening include music by Flashback KC, great food donated by some generous Kansas City restaurants and unique beverage stations for guests to enjoy. The entertainment includes dancing with music by Flashback KC and creative activities throughout the museum. Guests are encouraged to wear "creative cocktail attire." For information or to sponsor: www.kcsoiree.org or call Suzanne Cronkhite at (816) 659-8215.

Human Rights Film Festival

The Diocesan Human Rights Office will be showing the 4th in a series of documentaries at the East Hills Public Library at 502 N. Woodbine Road in St. Joseph, MO. All films begin at 7 p.m. in the lower level theater. The upcoming film will be on April 19 – Return with Honor. This event is free, so mark your calendar to enrich your Easter season experience. Contact Whitney with questions at (816) 233-3630.

Looking for Classmates

Attention, former Hogan Rams from St. Bridget Parish in Pleasant Hill, MO! The class of '83 is looking for YOU! We are planning the BIG 30 reunion in July 2013. If you are from the class, or know where anyone from that class is, please call Kevin Bivens at (972) 898-9594 or Damian Muller at (816) 361-7380.

Bicycle Drive

Got a gently-used adult bicycle gathering dust in your basement or garage? Bishop Sullivan Center/St. James Place - a Catholic-affiliated social service agency serving the poor in "Kansas City's Northeast and Midtown areas"—is in need of adult bicycles for clients who lack transportation to their jobs. So clean out those unused bikes, and feel good knowing you're helping others, too. A volunteer can even pick up your gift. Call Jim



LeCluyse at (816) 916-7281 for details and to arrange your tax deductible donation.

Curé of Ars Anniversary

On Saturday, 4/28, 5-8 p.m., Curé of Ars will be having its 50th Anniversary Celebration – rain or shine. If you are an alumni, former parishioner or school family or former school staff member, you are invited to help celebrate this occasion. A special mass will be held at 5 p.m., followed by a party at the school. For more information, contact Kim Fiss at kfiss@kc.rr.com.