

# This Week at St. Peter's

Date	Events	Mass Intentions	Readings
<b>Sunday, March 11</b>	9 a.m. Altar Society MR 9:30 a.m. RCIA LC	9 a.m. - The Altar Society 11 a.m. -St. Peter's Parishioners 5:30 p.m. -St. Peter's Parishioners	Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; 1 Cor 1:22-25; Jn 2:13-25
<b>Monday, March 12</b>	1 p.m. Knitting LC	8:15 a.m. -	2 Kgs 5:1-15; Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4; Lk 4:24-30
<b>Tuesday, March 13</b>	8:45 a.m. - 7 p.m. Adoration LC 3:45 a.m. - Children's Adoration LC 7 p.m. Liturgy Meeting LC 7 p.m. F.I.R.E. Meeting LC	8:15 a.m. - Eileen Hair by the Family	Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35
<b>Wednesday, March 14</b>	10 a.m. Ceramics RR 11 a.m. Senior's Luncheon MR 7 p.m. Choir Rehearsal CH 7 p.m. Confirmation Class LC	8:15 a.m.-St Peter's Parishioners	Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19
<b>Thursday, March 15</b>	7 p.m. Choir Rehearsal CH	8:15 a.m. - St. Peter's Parishioners	Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 11:14-23
<b>Friday, March 16</b>	8:45 a.m. Stations of the Cross CH	8:15 a.m. (Church) St. Peter's Parishioners	Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6-8, 8-9, 10-11, 14, 17; Mk 12:28-34
<b>Saturday, March 17</b>		5 p.m. - Edward Belan by the Family	Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21; Lk 18:9-14
<b>Sunday, March 18</b>	9:30 a.m. RCIA LC 1 p.m. Sienna Club LC 6:30 p.m. Youth Group LC	9 a.m. - St. Peter's Parishioners 11 a.m. - Edward Belan 5:30 p.m. -St. Peter's Parishioners	2 Chr 36:14-17, 19-23; Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Eph 2:4-10; Jn 3:14-21

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

Note: Send all announcements for the bulletin to [bulletin@stpeterskc.org](mailto:bulletin@stpeterskc.org) by noon on Tuesdays.

## Ministry Schedule: March 17 & 18

	Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Ushers
<b>Saturday 5 p.m.</b>	T Keens, S Burke, Z Burke, I Flores	B Mayer C Murphy	S Rowland, E McShane, A Meyer, G Noland, C Pedersen, C Watz, L Baran, Need Volunteer	D Ryan, C Madden, L Marks, A Meyer
<b>Sunday 9 a.m.</b>	O Oxler, G Oxler, S Nulton, B O'Boyle	B Allen J Amick	B Wirkus, C Newman, G Wirkus, MB Andersson, B Reilly, K Riley, E Brewster, D Caffey	K Reilly, M Shine, J Amick, P Cole
<b>Sunday 11 a.m.</b>	J Hathaway, H Eyeran C Grisafe-Pont, R Thiemann	M Fitzpatrick P Feuerborn	S Johnson, D Hammond, K Houghland, M Houghland, ML Johnson, M Kruger, C Kuhls, P Feuerborn	B Schneider, B Pont, SJ Grisafe-Pont, B Sweeny
<b>Sunday 5:30 p.m.</b>	Need Volunteers	M Gude	M Thomas, K Duffy, L Madeo, R Madeo	M Grimaldi, B Roller, Need Volunteers

## Our Parish

### A Note from the Pastor

Dear St. Peter's Parishioners,  
I'd like to thank all the volunteers and attendees who made the St. Peter's Annual Auction, "Come Sail Away" such a tremendous success. This year's organizers, Toni Mitchum and Elaine Lyons, spent countless hours, along with their committees, to ensure the event was not only a lot of fun, but was a successful fundraiser for our school. Our enthusiastic PTA not only inspires us to volunteer our time and talent, in doing so, they help foster the sense of community we all enjoy. It's a blessing to see not only school parents attend the auction, but all the other parishioners and friends who came out to support this wonderful annual event. Congratulations to everyone involved.

Yours in Christ,  
Fr. Steve

### Children's Adoration

Our next Children's Adoration will be Tuesday, March 13, from 3:45-4:15 p.m. in the Legacy Center Chapel. This is best suited for children in grades 1-6, although all are welcome. We will begin with a short teaching in the Youth Room followed with prayer, singing and worship in the chapel. Adults are encouraged to stay and pray with the children.



### Altar Society News

We're inviting the Women of St. Peter's to join the Altar Society for "A Day of Cleansing," a day of retreat on Saturday, March 31, from 8 a.m. -2 p.m.. It will begin in the Main Room at 8 a.m. We'll start the morning with the annual church cleaning for Holy Week, to include reflection on the scripture, from 8-10 a.m, after which we'll begin a time for personal renewal and cleansing. Lunch will be served. Child care is available. Please RSVP for child care. Donations are accepted. Contact: Mary Buren at 816-822-8085 or aburen@clear.net.

The Altar Society is restructuring and could use you on the Board for the upcoming year. Become involved with this important "behind the scenes" ministry. There are many opportunities to help us grow. Every woman registered at St. Peter's is considered a member. Please contact Mary Buren by Sunday March 25th. 816-822-8085 or aburen@clear.net.



#### March Altar Cleaning Schedule:

March 11: Mary Helen Williams, Sue Blake, and Marie Dennis

March 18 Jennifer Grant and Stephanie Brophy

March 25 Kristen Campbell and Mari Tellson

Purificator: Jean Schmittlein

### Prayers

St. Peter's community prays for the following people: Norma Trahan, Mary Ellen Thiesen, Frank Kleffner, Mark Hernandez, Remona Freelon, Michelle Melland, Renee Irvin, Jackson Oberndorfer, Travis Curran, Brooks Alan Myer, Bob Vincent, Tracey Beck, Aurora Gonzales, Dr. Richardson, Michelle, Wanda Schiefelbein, Ruggeroli family, Charles, John Mundy, Alvord Grey Leonard Zipporah Lewis, Carol, Steve and Family, Carrie, Martha, Lupe Cisneros, Loretta Jenkins and Marie Grisafe-Pont.

### 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.

### Prayers and Sympathy

Michelle

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

### Have You Checked your Parish Directory Listing?

St. Peter's office is updating information for the annual 2012 St. Peter's Directory. Parish Secretary, Ruth Davis, is going through the parishioner database and asks all members who wish to be listed in the 2012 Directory to check their current listing. Are there any changes of name, address, phone number? Are there new members of your family to be added or members to be deleted? Please e-mail this information to Ruth at rda-vis@stpeterskc.org. If you are new to the parish in the last calendar year, your information will be added. If you do not want to be included in the directory, please let Ruth know. And please notate "2012 Directory Update" in the subject line of your e-mail.

## Youth News

### Save The Date

Mark your calendars now for Sunday, April 15 for the Youth Mission Trip Spaghetti Dinner. Spaghetti, meatballs, sausage, salad and garlic toast. The dinner will be held in the Garden Room from 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. Proceeds will go toward the 2012 Youth Group Mission Trips. More information to come.



### Youth Group

There will be High School Youth Group Sunday, March 18 after the 5:30 p.m. Mass. We will meet in the basement of the Legacy Center. Come check it out!

## Senior News

### Senior Luncheon

*This Wednesday!*

St. Patrick's Day celebration . . .

Wednesday, March 14. Join us for the corned beef and cabbage. Desserts by John Fulton. Hosted in the Main Room of Church from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Call Ray if you need a ride. Don't forget to wear the green!



## Our Parish

### Catholic Relief Services Collection

Next week-end there will be a second collection at all Masses for Catholic Relief Services. The Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC) supports Catholic Church organizations that carry out international relief and solidarity efforts. Programs include relief and resettlement for victims of persecution, war, and natural disasters; development projects to improve living conditions for the poor; legal and support services for poor immigrants; peace and reconciliation work for people suffering from violence; and advocacy on behalf of the powerless. The funds collected through the CRSC support vital Catholic programs that share in the Catholic mission of promoting the sacredness of human life and the dignity of the human person.

### St. Peter's Night at the Mavericks

Join your St. Peter's friends at our second and last St. Peter's Night at the Mavericks. Saturday, March 24 at 7 p.m. Group tickets are \$16/ticket. Quantities are limited and we must reserve by March 16 (during spring break). Contact Susan Williams at [srwill0401@yahoo.com](mailto:srwill0401@yahoo.com), or 816-810-1199 to make your reservation. This is the Maverick's last home game.

### Upcoming Fish Fry Dates

Plan on attending our next Fish Frys on Friday, March 23 and Friday March 30. Guest chefs will be giving these events a new flavor!



## Social Services

### St. Peter's Community Garden

We are planting Spring vegetable plants! We can use persons interested in caring for a flower bed...adopt a bed. We always need care givers to the vegetable garden for water, weeding, sowing and reaping. We are planting the Spring seeds on Sunday, March 18 at 2 p.m.. Call or email Ray to sign up today. 816-363-2320 #128 or [rhain@stpeterskc.org](mailto:rhain@stpeterskc.org).

### 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 date is April 4: Committed so far are Carolyn, Rosie, Pat, and Judy. Call or email Ray to volunteer.

### Maternity Clothes

Wow! The clothes are coming in, thank you so much. Birthright is in great need of maternity clothes, if you have some you are willing to part with please pass them on to Social Services and they will be taken to mothers in need. Thank you.

## RCIA Rites

### What are the Scrutinies?

These Rites are celebrated to help deliver the elect from the power of sin and Satan, to protect them against temptation, and to give them strength in Christ, who is the Way, the Truth, and the Life (RCIA 141). The Rites of Scrutiny are meant to uncover, and then heal, all that is weak, defective, or sinful in the elects' hearts and to bring out through repentance all that is upright, strong, and good. Three Scrutinies are celebrated in the parish community on the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays of Lent, after the homily. The Scripture readings for the Scrutinies ordinarily comes from Cycle A of the Lectionary: the Gospel story of the Samaritan woman at the well for the First Scrutiny, the Gospel story of the healing of the man born blind for the Second Scrutiny, and the Gospel story of the raising of Lazarus for the Third Scrutiny. The celebrations of the Scrutinies also remind the whole parish community of the need to reflect on their own sins and the need for God's help.

## Our Parish

### Easter Vigil Reception

Following the Easter Vigil, we continue to celebrate with the newest members of our faith at a reception in the Main Room of the Church. We have an unusually large class this year, and would really appreciate your help. The confirmation and Youth Groups are providing desserts, so we are in need of heavy hors d'oeuvres. If you are able to donate refreshments and/or help that evening, please contact Angie Douglas at 816-582-1502 or adouglas65@hotmail.com.

### F.I.R.E. Shrimp Night

Join the Ancient Order of Hibernians for their All You Can Eat Lenten Shrimp Dinner on March 23, 5:30-7:30 p.m. at Redemptorist Cafeteria, 33rd and Broadway. Bishop Finn and the 2012 Seminarians invite to join them on for "FIRE NIGHT." All proceeds will benefit the Foundation for Inclusive Religious Education.

Dinners include all you can eat "Hot Boiled Shrimp", cheese pizza, cole slaw, green beans, bread, coffee, tea and lemon aide. Adults \$12, Children 7 - 13, \$6 and under 7, Free. Family Price is \$36 (2 adults and 2 or more children). Desserts, soda, beer, white and red wine also available. Dinners are served every Friday except Good Friday.



### Theatre at Vis

Theatre at Vis is touring the production of Stations of the Cross in the KC area during the Lenten season. Consider attending one of the performances in the coming weeks.

Sunday March 18, 5 p.m., St. Therese Little Flower, KCMO

Friday March 23, 7 p.m., Holy Name, KCK

Sunday March 25, 6:30 p.m., Holy Spirit, Lee's Summit, MO

Friday March 30, 7 p.m., St. Pius X, Mission, KS