



The Parish of St. Peter Quincy, IL

~Mass Intentions~

November 11-17, 2024

- 11. Monday 8:00 a.m.
Nadia C. Nascimento
- 12. Tuesday 8:00 a.m.
Frank Poore
- 13. Wednesday 8:30 a.m.
Irma Druffel
- 14. Thursday 8:00 a.m.
Dale Tangy
- 15. Friday 8:00 a.m.
Dan Barry
- 16. Saturday 8:00 a.m.
Orville Lubbe
- 16. Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Billy Smith
- 17. Sunday 8:00 a.m.
William, Bruce & Ted Sander
- 17. Sunday 9:30 a.m.
Our Parish Family
- 17. Sunday 11:00 a.m.
Dorothy Schlipman

— Mass Schedule —

- Monday-Saturday
8:00 a.m.
- Wednesday 8:30 a.m.
- Saturday 5:00 p.m.
- Sunday 8:00 a.m.,
9:30 a.m., & 11:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 7:30-7:50 a.m.
3:30-4:30 p.m.

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time, November 10, 2024

Dear Parishioners,

We gather as a parish family to celebrate the 32nd Sunday in Ordinary time. As the numbers of this ordinary time continue to increase, it is a clear indicator that this season is coming to a close. In fact there are only two weekends remaining in ordinary time before we begin the new season of Advent. Not wanting to alarm anyone, but our Advent season prepares us to anticipate and celebrate the Solemnity of Christmas. Wow! Not many of us have been thinking of that season.

Today is Commitment Sunday. Today is the day! Every parish household is asked to bring their completed Commitment Card to Mass or complete a card online at our parish website, www.cospq.org. We are striving to become the Stewardship Parish that God intends us to be—intentionally committed to prayer, parish ministry, and the sharing of our financial gifts. Each parishioner has a unique and vital part to play and is needed in this mission. What is our part this year? Put it in writing and turn in your Commitment Card today!

Our gospel for this weekend fits in quite well with our Commitment Sunday. This gospel from St. Mark is the story of a poor widow. As the gospel tells us, Jesus sits down and is observing how the crowd was sharing their financial gifts in the treasury. As it states, “many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents. Calling His disciples to Himself, He said to them, ‘Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasure. For they have all contributed from their surplus wealth, but she, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood.’” The poor widow becomes an example of a person who reflected stewardship in her life. Even the little that she had, she was willing to share because she saw that whatever she had was a gift from God. This is the true spirit of stewardship. The gifts that God has blessed us, the gifts of our time, are to be shared with Him through prayer and service. The gifts of talents, those gifts given to each of us are to be used again in service to God, and His Church. And finally, the gifts of treasures, those gifts that we have because of God’s gifts of time and talents, are to be used to assist, and help in the growth of God’s kingdom. One of the more remarkable features of this parish family is the embrace of stewardship as a way of life for all of us. I am so proud of this parish family for being open to this stewardship because through it we have become a parish that is thankful and full of gratitude, thus a people of faith, hope, and love. May God bless each of you as you pray about your commitment again this year and how each of you can respond to the call of stewardship for this new year. May each of you reflect the attitude of the poor widow in our gospel as we too give from our poverty and not just from our surplus.

This Sunday, November 10th, you are invited to join us for Eucharistic Adoration from 5:45-7:00 p.m. in the Church. On this commitment Sunday, it gives us an opportunity to share our gift of time with our Lord in prayer as we reflect upon what our Lord has given to us in and through the Eucharist. Come and join us as a family or as individuals.

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Next Meeting
Sunday, November 10th
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Tangerine Bowl

All 7th, 8th, & 9th graders & their friends welcome!



Saints Alive!
TBD
3:00-4:30 p.m.

A youth group for 4th, 5th, & 6th grade Parishioners and guests! Have fun with your friends while you learn more about the Saints and your Catholic Faith. Come enjoy the fun! Please check Facebook for updates.

Rest in Peace
May the soul of
Juett Kendrick
sing praises with the Angels in Heaven forever.

St. Veronica Guild

The St. Veronica Guild will meet **Thursday, November 14** in the Lower Level of the rectory at 8:30 a.m., making prayer shawls & blankets for those who need to feel the love of Jesus in a time of need. All are welcome, please join us!

Social Concerns Meeting

Social Concerns will be meeting **Friday, November 15** at 8:30 a.m. in the Martha Jane Room. All are welcome!

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Women's Advent by Candlelight - Save the Date

All are invited to share in an evening of reflection, music, prayer and fellowship as we prepare our hearts for Advent. It will be held December 1 at 7:00pm. We will be joined by speaker Kristina Radley from Wentzville. She is a wife and mom with a passion for Jesus that she shares dynamically.

.Adoration Chapel Open Hours

"Adoration is a sign of devotion to and worship of Jesus Christ under the appearance of the consecrated host." Come spent time in prayer with Jesus.

We have had numerous people step up and take an hour and we are grateful!! Please pray about taking an hour at the Adoration Chapel.

OPEN Hours that are available are:

- Wed 2 am, 3 am
- Thurs Midnight (week 2,4,5), 1 am (weeks 2,4,5)
- Fri 1 am, 1 pm (week 4), 6 pm every other week
- Sat 1 am, 2 am

Ask a friend, spouse, sibling....to join you in taking an hour or share the time slot! Please call Mary Voorhis 217-653-3127 or call or text Jean Anne Cook at 217-430-6967 with questions.

Please keep the following in your prayers:

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| ~Kristopher Schrecke | ~Elias Erd | |
| ~Mario Camacho | ~Amy Seibert | |
| ~Hunter Hildebrand | ~Isabella Benner | ~Jo Buckley |
| ~Kathy Schuckman | ~Mary Lavery | ~Nancy Bohan |
| ~Alden & Joyce Shipp | ~Ken Althoff | ~Julie Eftink |
| ~Donna Schutte | ~John & Barb Meyer | ~Bill Morrison |
| ~Maria (Eberhardt) Sparrow | ~Terri May | ~Butch Ditto |
| ~Sarah Sturhahn Stegeman | ~Bonnie Haubrich | ~Anonymous |
| ~John Douglas Holford | ~Ian Mehaffy | ~Anonymous |
| ~Charlotte Siebers | ~Drake Willing | ~Dave Shank |
| ~Valerie Fox Ortbal | ~Liem Thanh Mai | ~Emmett Hertle |



To have a name added to this list, please call the Parish Office at 222-3155 or email church@cospq.org.

Welcome!

Please welcome to our parish family **Payton Welch & Taylor Knuffman; Erin & Isaiah Allen, and their sons Oliver, Urijah & Rush; Judy McCabe!**

Job Openings at St. Peter Church & School
Full-time Director of Liturgy and Music

The Director of Liturgy and Music is responsible for overseeing all aspects of the parish's liturgical life. This person, a professional who holds specialized credentials in music and has a thorough understanding of Roman Catholic liturgy, serves the parish as principal musician, organist/pianist, and choir director. This person of faith is responsible for the technology in the church and effective planning, coordination, and execution of both the rituals and music for the parish liturgies.

Part-time Cafeteria Manager

The Cafeteria Manager will be responsible for reporting and providing State approved meals for the school lunch program. Other duties included but are not limited to cooking, managing employee schedules, and maintaining a clean, safe, and welcoming environment for staff and students.

Part-time Parish Nurse

A Parish Nurse will work as a liaison for St. Peter parishioners who are home bound, nursing home residents, or hospital patients. Offering physical, emotional, and spiritual support to individuals and families.

For more information contact St Peter Parish office, 217-222-3155 or email k.smith@cospq.org.

Vocation Ministry Eucharistic Adoration

St. Peter Vocation Ministry would like to invite you to Eucharistic Adoration on Sunday, November 10th in the church. We will begin at 5:45pm with a brief witness talk on the sacrament of Reconciliation. Adoration will begin at 6:00pm and end at 7:00pm. Confessions will be available during adoration.

Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Study

Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Study Topic: "Luke: The Story of Salvation Fulfilled" by Jeff Cavins and Dr. Jeffrey Morrow. When: Every Tuesday starting January 14th – March 11th Time: 8:30 am–9:00 am - social, study will start at 9:00 am and end by 10:30 am. If interested in joining this study, please contact Gina Bergman at 217-430-6080 or g.bergman@cospq.org by December 15th so we can order materials. Cost will be \$28 (study guide). Please also contact Gina by December 15th if you need childcare with the number of children and their ages.

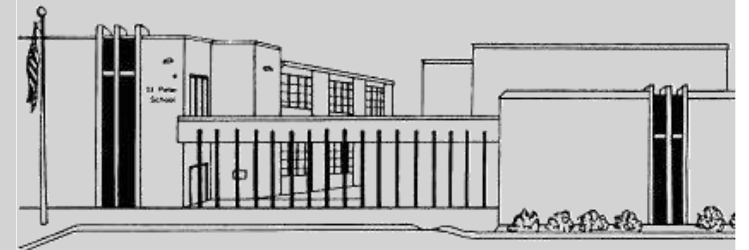
Quincy Deanery Council of Catholic Women's Fall Gathering

Quincy Deanery Council of Catholic Women's Fall Gathering will be held Wed. Nov. 13 at St. Thomas Church, Camp Point. Theme: Prayer in the Catholic Tradition. Featured speaker: Fr. Mark Schulte, Pastor St. Mary's Church Pittsfield. Registration 7:45-8:30; cost \$10 for breakfast and lunch; 8:30 Rosary and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Mass to follow; 10:00am Breakfast, meeting and Lunch; ends approximately 2:00pm. Contact Claudia Coggeshall QDCCW President 217-653-6716 for questions.

Moving?

If you are moving, please call the parish office at 222-3155 to give us your new address. We get charged for any returned newsletters, contribution envelopes, or mailings.

The School of St. Peter

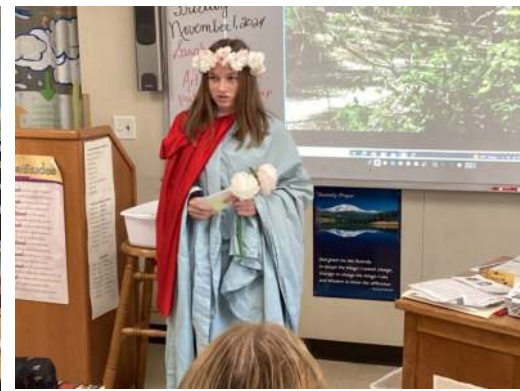


Week of November 10, 2024

A Message from Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh

"St. Peter School provides a quality education built on Catholic values and teachings."

8th GRADE DRESS AS SAINTS



Traditions can often bring a smile to your face and a warmth to your heart to understand a purpose. Each year, since Fr. Leo became our awesome pastor, we have asked our 8th grade students to dress as a chosen saint. As we celebrated All Saint's Day Mass, the students processed in at the beginning. Later they were called to the altar one by one when Fr. Leo shared the Litany of Saints. Following Mass, the 8th grade visited the classrooms to share what they had learned about their chosen saint with the rest of the student body.

SCHOOL MENU

- Monday:** Hamburger on bun, curly fries, corn, fruit.
- Tuesday:** Sausage/egg biscuit, hash brown, veggie juice, fruit.
- Wednesday:** Meatballs, bosco stick, romaine salad, fruit.
- Thursday:** Breaded chicken on bun, emoji fries, green beans, fruit.
- Friday:** Toasted cheese ravioli, marinara, yogurt, broccoli, fruit.

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday, Nov. 11: **Veteran's Day**—students wear red, white and blue tops with regular dress code bottoms.
- Tuesday, Nov. 12: **House Assembly**—students wear House Shirts with dress code bottoms; **Parent's Screen Sanity event** from 6:00-7:30 in gym.
- Wednesday, Nov. 13: **8:30 Children's Mass - 2nd grade** in charge of planning.
- Thursday, Nov. 14:
- Friday, Nov. 15: **Quarter 2 Mid-term; House Lunch**—students wear their House shirts with dress code bottoms; **QND placement test** for 8th grade.

Mark your Calendars:

Dec. 20: Grandparent's Day

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Website: www.stpeterschool.com
Email: c.venvertloh@cospq.org

Mark Your Calendar

Mon. Nov. 11:

Tues. Nov. 12: Ladies Bible Study 8:30 a.m., Martha Jane Room
OCIA 7:00 p.m., Martha Jane Room

Wed. Nov. 13: Ladies Cursillo 1:30 p.m., Fr. Bauer Prayer Room
PSR 6:30 p.m., School

Thurs. Nov. 14: St. Veronica's Guild 8:30 a.m., Lower Level Conf. Room

Fri. Nov. 15: Social Concerns Meeting 8:30 a.m., Martha Jane Room

Sat. Nov. 16:

Sun. Nov. 17:


Project Rachel
Help for women and men to heal from the pain of abortion. For assistance call 1-877-RACHEL-5.

Reporting Allegations of Child Sexual Abuse
To report allegations of sexual abuse of a minor by clergy or other church personnel -- even if it is in the past -- individuals are encouraged to call the Diocese's Child Abuse Reporting and Investigation number at (217) 321-1155. Individuals may also contact Illinois Department of Children and Family Services Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.25.ABUSE.

KofC 2025 Calendar Raffle for Charity
The Knights of Columbus "2025 Calendar Raffle" is in progress which helps support our catholic schools as well as other charitable causes such as Ladies of Charity and Birthright. Please consider purchasing a raffle calendar for \$25 with 365 chances to win \$24,400 in cash prizes. They make great Christmas gifts!
The calendars are available at the KofC main building during business hours or by calling Mike Schlipmann at 653-9318 or John Veith at 653-0258. Thank for your consideration and support.

2025 Calendars
We now have the new 2025 calendars in the Narthex. Please take one. If you know someone in a nursing home, or that is staying at home right now, please take one for them.

Online Giving Now Available
St. Peter has partnered with Pushpay to create an easy way to make online contributions to the Church, School, or Haiti. Please use QRCode or Pushpay link below to start your yearly giving. Any questions please contact the parish office.
<https://pushpay.com/g/stpeterquincy>



St Peter Church, Quincy IL
Church Fund - 8288
<https://pushpay.com/g/stpeterquincy>

WEEKLY COLLECTION		
	November 3	Total to Date
Loose Collections	\$1,124.40	\$20,882.39
Regular Collections	\$31,416.00	\$464,054.95
Annual School Fund	\$10,006.00	\$162,094.48
Holy Days	\$2,830.47	\$7,537.47
Totals	\$45,376.87	\$654,569.29
Total Budget Goal	\$32,000.00	\$576,000.00
Difference	\$13,376.87	\$78,569.29

Diocesan Collections
Missionary Coop: \$100.00 Justice & Hope: \$65.00
Catholic Cemeteries: \$377.00 Others: \$15.00
Catholic Charities: \$920.00

Haiti Sister Parish Collections
Collected \$2,250.00

Fr. Leo's column continued..

Our new 2025 parish calendars are available this weekend in the narthex of the Church. Once again I want to thank Duker & Haugh funeral home for sponsoring these calendars for us each year. Please take one for your use at home, or take them to someone who is unable to be with us this weekend. Also, if you get an opportunity to thank Ann or Jared Haugh, please do so as we are very grateful for their generosity.

Once again, I remind you that the Church invites us to remember those who have died especially during this month of November. Our book of the dead is open before the Easter candle as a reminder that our prayers for the deceased are our ways to help usher them home. Another beautiful way is a donation to our Catholic cemeteries. Each of you has an envelope in your packet of envelopes and your generous donation continues to help us make improvements at our cemeteries.

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE: Although I am of Chinese descent, I never really learned to speak Chinese. One evening, I came home boasting about a wonderful meal I had eaten in Chinatown.

Unfortunately, I could not remember the name of the restaurant, but was able to write the Chinese character that was on the door and show it to my mother.

"Do you know what it says?" Mom answered with a smile, "It says 'Pull.'"

November 10th is the Feast of St. Leo the Great. One of our sister parishes in Garoty is celebrating this Sunday their feast day. St. Leo the Great pray for our sister parish in Garoty, Haiti.

Magr. Leo J. Embor

Parish in Action

Remembering Those That Have Passed

Other Remembered	<i>M. Christine Dietrich</i>	<i>Paul & Mary McGuire</i>	<i>George Talbot</i>
Deceased Loved Ones:	<i>Sue Elsner</i>	<i>Leonard Obert</i>	<i>Joseph & Helen Weselich</i>
<i>Alice Bennewitz</i>	<i>Gabriella Hanlin</i>	<i>Catherine Scheiter</i>	<i>Jesse & Ruth Young</i>
<i>Knox Cassens</i>	<i>James Hanlin</i>	<i>Thomas Scheiter</i>	
<i>Jane & John Dietrich</i>	<i>Kathy Laird</i>	<i>Charles & Mary Scheufele</i>	




QND Extravaganza
The QND Extravaganza, "Spirit of QND," will be held on Friday, November 15, 2024 at The Ambiance, 5225 Kochs Lane. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Enjoy an evening with dinner and drinks (beer, wine and soda included), and both live and silent auction items to benefit QND. The raffle grand prize is \$3000.00 in cash, or 1-year QND tuition, or 2 years Catholic grade school tuition. Event Tickets are \$75 each. They are available online at:
<https://quincynotredame.ejoinme.org/extravaganza2024>

The silent auctions will be online and open for bidding two days before the event. Raffle tickets are also available online for \$50. Tickets will go on sale October 1st. If you have any questions, please contact one of the Co-Chairs listed below. We hope you will come experience the Raider Family with us that night! Amber Hendrian- 217-316-1591; Gina Bergman- 217-430-6080



FORMED IN CHRIST

2024 STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL WEEKEND



NOVEMBER 9/10

ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

Please participate!

Support Faithful Futures

The QCES Foundation's Faith in Our Future Annual Campaign supports our efforts to ensure Catholic education is within reach for many families. This year, more than 100 students received \$130,000 in tuition assistance. Many families rely on this support, and the need continues to grow. Your generosity keeps students in the classroom, maintains strong enrollment, and helps to ensure Catholic education continues to thrive in our community. To learn more, call (217) 779-3157 or visit quincycatholicschools.org. Donations may be made online through the QR code.

