

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



ST PETER THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

MAY 10, 2026



Parish Bulletin

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MASSSES

*All masses will continue to be live streamed.
Masks are optional when attending mass.*

Monday - 9:00 am (English)
Tuesday - 9:00 am (English) & 6:30 pm (Spanish)
Wednesday - 9:00 am (English)
First Friday of the Month - 9:00 am (English)
Saturday - 5:00 pm (Bilingual)
Sunday - 7:00 am (Spanish), 9:00 am (English) &
12:00 pm (Spanish)

WELCOME!

What a beautiful place God has provided us here on the shore! Whether you're just visiting us for a brief time, looking for a new parish home or are returning to the practice of your Catholic faith, we are happy to have you. We invite you to browse our website and come visit in person as you find your home within our growing community!

MISSION

We, the members of St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, experience our faith as a worldwide community. Through our Baptism in Jesus, we are called to be ministers of the gospel, to become Eucharistic people, and to be people of service through the stewardship of time, talent and treasure.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	May 9th	5:00 PM	(L) Jessie Flynn (100 BDay)
		7:00 AM	(Available)
Sunday	May 10th	9:00 AM	(Available)
		12:00 PM	(Available)
Monday	May 11th	9:00 AM	(Available)
Tuesday	May 12th	9:00 AM	(Available)
Wednesday	May 13th	9:00 AM	(Available)
Saturday	May 16th	5:00 pm	(L) Fr. Mike Imperial (18 Anni)
		9:00 AM	(Available)
Sunday	May 17th	12:00 PM	(Available)

Please get in touch with the ushers before mass if you have asked for a Mass Intention to offer the offertory gift during the mass.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sun, May 10th-Acts 8:5-8/1 Pet 3:15-18/Jh 14:15-21

Mon, May 11th-Acts 16:11-15/Jh 15:26

Tues, May 12th-Acts 16:22-34/Jh 16:5-11

Wed, May 13th-Acts 17:15/Jh 16:12-15

Thurs, May 14th-Acts 1:15-17/Jh 15:9-17

Fri, May 15th-Acts 18:9-18/Jh 16:20-23

Sat, May 16th-Acts 18:23-28/Jh 16:23-28

Sun, May 17th-Acts 1:1-11/Eph 1:17-23/Mttw 28:16-20

Save the Date

NEXT WEEK'S LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Eucharist Minister

Saturday, May 16th

5:00 pm - Colleen Daley, Dawn Erato, Vinny Erato

Sunday, May 17th

9:00 am - Mary Wardius, Delores Thompson, Henry Glowiak, Stanley Thompson, Alva Miquel

12:00 pm - Pablo Vicente, Celia Cruz, Benjamin Gutierrez, Yolanda Lucas, Hugo

Lector

Saturday, May 16th

5:00 pm - Mary Catherine Langley

Sunday, May 17th

9:00 am - Joseph Pentason & Catherine Mae Gubstana

Altar Servers

Saturday, May 16th

5:00 pm - Daniel P, Mason S, Ailyn L, Lily R, Brisa PM, Mr. Lou

Sunday, May 17th

7:00 am - Danny MC, Larry MC, Dalia ALJ, Kimbirlyn RV, Arianny P MC

9:00 am - Nick SC, Keylandy C, Yuridid V, Kimberly VV, Ashley VV, Mr. Lou

12:00 pm - Gabriel G, Miguel G, Henry H, Larry H, Darel FG, Mr. Ben

Tuesday, May 19th

6:30 pm - Araiza Tomes, Katerin R, Deily Aguilar, Thania EV Mc, Keylandy C

EVENTS & MEETINGS

Monday, May 11th

9:00 am - Mass

12:00 pm - AA Mtg (Hall)

6:00 pm - Hisp Youth Group Mtg (Hall)

7:00 pm - Luz Y Vida Ministry Mtg (Narthex)

7:00 pm - Rosary by Marian Ministry (Church)

Tuesday, May 12th

9:00 am - Mass

6:30 pm - Mass & Holy Hour

Wednesday, May 13th

9:00 am - Mass

6:00 pm - "Senaculo" by Hisp Prayer Ministry (Hall)

7:00 pm - Rosary by Marian Ministry (Hall)

Thursday, May 14th

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Friday, May 15th

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Saturday, May 16th

8:00 am - Hisp Youth Group Retreat (Mary N Smith)

4:00 pm - Reconciliation

5:00 pm - Mass

6:30 pm - Charismatics (Hall)

Sunday, May 17th

8:00 am - Hisp Youth Group Retreat (Mary N Smith)

7:00 am - Mass (Spa)

9:00 am - Mass (Eng)

12:00 pm - Mass (Spa)

3:00 pm - Hisp Marriage Class (Narthex)

4:00 pm - Mass

REFLECTING THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Jesus promises his disciples that he will send them another advocate, the Spirit of truth.

Today's Gospel is a continuation of last week's Gospel: Jesus is speaking to his disciples at the Last Supper. In today's reading Jesus offers encouragement to his disciples, who will soon see him crucified. He reassures them that even though he will leave them, he will not abandon them. Instead he will send them the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, through whom the disciples will continue to live in union with Jesus. Jesus uses the term Advocate to describe the Holy Spirit, whom the disciples will receive. Another word used to describe the Holy Spirit is Paraclete, a legal term meaning "one who offers defense for another." Note that Jesus says that he will send "another Advocate." Jesus himself is the first advocate, interceding for his disciples with the Father. In today's reading Jesus contrasts his impending departure with the permanence of the gift of the Holy Spirit. Jesus will leave to return to the Father, but the Holy Spirit will remain with the disciples. Through the gift of the Holy Spirit, the disciples will come to know and appreciate the unity of the Son and the Father. They will also understand that they too participate in the communion between the Father and the Son: "On that day you will realize that I am in my Father and you are in me and I in you" (John 14:20). Today's reading is one example of the contrast that John's Gospel presents between the community of disciples, to whom God will reveal himself, and the unbelieving world, which will remain in darkness. The unbelieving world cannot accept the "Spirit of truth," whom the disciples will receive. Only through the Spirit will God's revelation and love be known.

First Reading

- What all might Jesus' followers be thinking as they return to Jerusalem after Jesus' ascension?
- How do you imagine the upper room?
- Who all has gathered?
- How do you think these followers interact with one another?
- How do you imagine Mary?
- Do you think they pray aloud or silently?
- What all might they be praying?
- What all might the disciples be doing as Jesus prays?
- How would you define the word glorify?
- How would you describe the relationship between Jesus and the Father?
- How might Jesus feel as he offers this prayer?
- How might the disciples feel

Gospel

- How comfortably do you pray with others?
- Are you comfortable leading people in prayer? Why/why not?
- If you could talk with any one person in the upper room, who would it be and why?
- In what ways do you glorify God?
- What part of this prayer stands out to you? Why?
- How is this prayer a model for you to follow?

BAPTISM

We recommend parents to notify the parish 3 months in advance. Parents must be registered members of the parish and participate in preparation sessions prior to the celebration of the sacrament. To ensure proper record keeping, our office requires a pre-baptismal form and a copy of the child's birth certificate. Please call the Parish Office to attend the preparation session.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Are you or someone you know interested in learning about joining the Catholic Church? Please contact Jane & Peter Regan by email at twinoakst@verizon.net or through the office.

FIRST EUCHARIST

Preparation sessions for children and parents begin in the fall. We encourage children to be at least in the 2nd grade. Parents must be registered members of the parish. To ensure the required sacramental record keeping, parents must provide a copy of the child's birth certificate and baptismal certificate.

CONFIRMATION

Preparation sessions for children and sponsors begin in the fall. We encourage children to be at least in the 10th grade. Parents must be registered members of the parish. To ensure the required sacramental record keeping, parents must provide a copy of the child's birth certificate and baptismal certificate.

MATRIMONY

We recommend couples notify the parish 6 months in advance. Couples must attend preparation sessions. The groom and bride must be registered members of the parish. To ensure the required sacramental record keeping, groom and bride must provide a copy of their birth certificate, baptismal, first communion, and confirmation certificates.

SICK & HOMEBOUND

If you know someone who cannot attend mass or desires the Sacrament of Anointing, please call the parish office.

FUNERAL

We highly encourage the family to follow up with the funeral home, so the parish office and funeral home can coincide with the most suitable date. We also ask the family to complete and deliver the funeral intake form to the parish office.

PARISH STAFF

Pastor - Fr. Michael Imperial
 Parochial Vicar - Rev. Fr. Stephen Ofori Acheampong
 Business Manager - Consuelo Gonzalez
 Office Secretary - Giselle Reyes Hernandez
 Bookkeeper - Lucille Parker

OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
 Wednesday: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm
 Friday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

ADORATION

First Friday of the Month: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm
 Every Tuesday: 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm (Spa)

RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday: 4:00 pm
 By appointment for other day/time

MEMBERS OF PPC 2025

Fr. Micheal Imperial, Pastor

Joanne Boyko (Chair)	John Morrison
Henry Glowiak (Co-Chair)	Mark Eliot Nuckols
Esther Corpus	Vinicio Diaz
Donna Custis	Seberiano Ventura
John Lubniewski	Jack Wagner
Ronald L. McCabe	Jeffrey Barton (Bart)
	Weakley

FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS OF May 5, 2026

Thank You

Collections	May 2-3	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Envelopes	\$4,078.00	\$144,528.48	\$132,000.00
Plate	\$3,250.00	\$141,937.47	\$132,176.00
Total	\$7,328.00	\$286,465.95	\$264,176.00



ANNOUNCEMENTS



The Ladies Auxiliary welcomes all women to join us each Tuesday, April 7, at 1:00 pm for our monthly meeting. We begin our meetings by praying the Rosary. If you are unable to attend, please pray the Rosary with us wherever you are on the 1st Tuesday of the month!

THE MISSIONERS OF CHRIST WILL ONCE AGAIN BE VISITING THE EASTERN SHORE FROM JUNE 13-19, 2026, AS GUESTS OF EASTERN SHORE MIGRANT MINISTRY. AN IMPORTANT PART OF THEIR PROGRAM THIS YEAR IS COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS. IF YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW WOULD LIKE HELP WITH YARD WORK, HOUSE CLEANING, CLEARING OUT SHEDS, ATTICS, OR GARAGES, AND HAULING UNWANTED ITEMS TO THE LANDFILL, PLEASE CALL KATHY BREDIMUS at 757-678-7102, or in the narthex, there will be a yellow paper to fill out.

The Msgr. Mickle Council of the Knights of Columbus, Cape Charles will present multiple scholarships for college to students entering their first or second year of higher education. Applicants must be residents of the Eastern Shore and confirmed members of St. Charles, St. Peters or St. Andrews Catholic Churches. Applications are due May 30, 2026. To receive an application, please contact Bob Leffel @ 757-710-5706 or bleffel243@gmail.com.

ST. PETER'S MIGRANT MINISTRY IS ASKING FOR ABLE-BODIED VOLUNTEERS TO HELP UNLOAD A U-HAUL VAN FULL OF DONATIONS OF CLOTHING, HOUSEWARES AND TOILETRIES TO BENEFIT THE MIGRANT FARMWORKERS AT OUR LABOR CAMPS.

THE VAN WILL ARRIVE AT ST. PETER'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION BUILDING (MOBILE UNIT BEHIND THE CHURCH) AT 4:00PM ON MONDAY, JUNE 1ST. THANK YOU FOR HELPING.



Knights of Columbus (KOC)

Council 6963

We invite all men of the parish to join!

Meetings: 1st Thursday Each Month

7:00PM

Church Social Hall

Founded in 1882, all members of the Knights of Columbus are guided by principles that built lifelong relationships and empower Catholic men to live their faith and serve their family, parish, community and country.

- Please join as we work together on exciting projects of service and put our faith into action.
- Pray for us as we seek to unite all men of this parish!

We look forward to sharing news about the upcoming events!

High School Students:

The Ladies Auxiliary & The Knights of Columbus will accept applications for the annual college scholarship throughout the month of May until June 7. All high school seniors attending college or trade school in the fall are encouraged to apply. The scholarship will be for \$2,000. Applications will be in the narthex on the usher table and on our website.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Charles Flynn	Bill Taylor	Perkins Family	Patricia O'Donnell	† Matías Félix Juan
Maricela Carmona	Carolina S Brizuela Pérez	Hernan Enrique	Tom & Jan Perkins	† Richard LaMontagne
Maria Ross	Carolyn Love	Caceres	Dot Reynolds	† Ma Concepcion Soto
Melissa Melody	Barbara Hargis	Veronica Natalia	Stacey Reynolds	Quintero
Karen Paglia	Charles Kyles	Chavez	Gerald Bono	Mary Fabricatore
Andrew Pic	Donagh McDonough	Luz Alejandra Bringas	Peter Manfredonia	Victoria Riggin-Bundick
Troy Reynolds	†Martha Martinez Palacios	† Anthony Palio	Robert Manfredonia	Ann Marie Parmenter
Ruth Kiks	Sister Margaret	† C. Shirley Hirsch	Michael Belmoría	Joan Riggin
	† Ines and Juan Manalansan	†Judy Maher	† Shirley Cristian	
	† Remy Manalansan	† Steven J. Hughes	† Norma Tolentino	
		† Willie Z, Rocés	† Wesley E Hughes, Jr	

If you would like to add or remove someone from our prayer list, please feel free to send us an email at StPeterOnley@gmail.com

In Memory of Brother Knights

Trent Serini	George Faustino	Ron Kromer	Don Williams	Al Grez
Terry Mullins	Steve Beshak	Paul Braunstein	Joseph M. Kelly	James Kimidy
George O'Brien	Frank Conway	Bruce Paone	H Bruce Arnold	John Kauffman
Harry Cockey	Peter Setaro	Charles Moscatello, Sr.	John Remis	Domenic Sollitto
Ted Warczynski	Dennis Caccioppo	Paul Kennedy	John Chrzanowski	Jack Pierson
Tom Hirsch	Bob Storherr	Richard Hugh McCarthy	Gregory Coleman	Tomas Elis Skeel
Joe Paranzino	Paul Sulik	Arthur Matthews, Jr.	Gordon Muise	Henry Willke
Winfred Lee Lankford	Laurence Hanratty	Carl Volanoski	Fred Chemi	John Tyson
Gerlald W. Chick	Michael Janiszweski	Steve Bendick	Bernard Schrender	

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