

# THE TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



## ST PETER THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

JUNE 21, 2026



### *Parish Bulletin*

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### **MASSES**

*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	June 20th	5:00 PM	(Available)
Sunday	June 21st	7:00 AM	(Available)
		9:00 AM	† Joseph Lubniewski
		12:00 PM	(Available)
Monday	June 22nd	9:00 AM	(Available)
Tuesday	June 23rd	9:00 AM	(Available)
Wednesday	June 24th	9:00 AM	† Peter Chamberlin
Saturday	June 27th	5:00 pm	(Available)
			† Joseph Lubniewski,
Sunday	June 28th	9:00 AM	† James LeChenaz
		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, June 21st-Jer 20:10-13/Rom 5:12-15/Mttw 10:26-33**  
**Mon, June 22nd-2 Kgs 17:5-8/Mttw 7:1-5**  
**Tues, June 23rd-2 Kgs 19:14-21/Mttw 7:6**  
**Wed, June 24th-Jer 1:4-10/1 Pet 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17**  
**Thurs, June 25th-2 Kgs 24:8-17/Mttw 7:21-29**  
**Fri, June 26th-2 Kgs 25:1-12/Mttw 8:1-4**  
**Sat, June 27th-Lam 2:2/Mttw 8:5-17**  
**Sun, June 28th-2 Kgs 4:8-11/Rom 6:3-4/Mttw 10:37-42**

## Save the Date

### NEXT WEEK'S LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

#### Eucharist Minister

Saturday, June 27th

5:00 pm - Teri Daley, Judy Manning, Colleen Daley

Sunday, June 28th

9:00 am - Sarah Coleman, Mary Wardius, Donna Custis, Jane Regan, Alva Miquel

12:00 pm - Lorenzo Alvarado, Yurivia Martinez, Elder Isidro, Angelica Zuniga, Karina Isidro

#### Lector

Saturday, June 27th

5:00 pm - Joan Dize

Sunday, June 28th

9:00 am - Elaine Brehm & John Morrison

#### Altar Servers

Saturday, June 27th

5:00 pm - Daniel P, Mason S, Benny Garcia, Sulamita Garcia, Kimbirlyn RV, Mr. Lou

Sunday, June 28th

7:00 am - Kimberly VV, Ashley VV, Brisa PM, Thania EV MC, Nahomy G, Brayon G

9:00 am - Arturo MB, Henry H, Larry H, George B, Lily R, Mr. Lou

12:00 pm - Gabriel G, Miguel G, Perla V, Dalia ALJ, Keylandy C, Mr. Ben

Tuesday, June 30th

6:30 pm - Araiza Tomas, Jerry E, Deily Aguilar, Thania EV MC, Darel F

### EVENTS & MEETINGS

#### Monday, June 22nd

**9:00 am - Mass**

12:00 pm - AA Mtg (Hall)

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

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

#### Tuesday, June 23rd

**9:00 am - Mass**

6:30 pm - Mass & Holy Hour

6:30 pm - Food Sale

#### Wednesday, June 24th

**9:00 am - Mass**

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

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

#### Thursday, June 25th

6:30 pm - Hisp Youth Group Mtg (Hall)

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

#### Friday, June 26th

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

7:00 pm - Quinceañera Practice (Church)

#### Saturday, June 27th

10:00 pm - Catholic Charities Finance (Hall)

4:00 pm - Reconciliation

5:00 pm - Mass

6:30 pm - Charismatic (Hall)

9:00 pm - Adoration Nuctuma Vigil (Church)

12:00 pm - Mass

#### Sunday, June 28th

**Food Sale by Charismatic Ministry (Outside)**

7:00 am - Mass (Spa)

9:00 am - Mass (Eng)

12:00 pm - Mass (Spa)

4:00 pm - Emmaus Men Mtg (Hall)

## REFLECTING THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS:

### Jesus assures the Twelve that God cares about them.

We read today's Gospel in the context of last week's Gospel in which Jesus sent the twelve disciples to proclaim the kingdom of heaven. In between last week's reading and today's reading, Jesus has predicted that the disciples will face difficulties in their mission. Many people will not receive them well, even within the land of Israel. Even family members will turn away from the disciples because of the disciples' commitment to Jesus and the kingdom. Today's Gospel offers the disciples consolation against this difficult truth. This section of Matthew's Gospel should be read in the context of Matthew's intended audience, a Jewish-Christian community. The Gospel alludes to the dangers and persecutions that this community has most likely already faced and will continue to face. To reassure this community, Matthew recalls for them the encouraging words of Jesus that we read today. In this Gospel passage, Jesus might be understood as putting suffering in perspective. The disciples of Jesus are called upon to keep their focus on God. Those who can harm the body do not have ultimate power; God does. Still persecution and suffering can not be avoided or prevented. But Jesus reassures his disciples that God knows and cares about what happens to his children. We might not face the same type of persecution, but we do experience difficulties as we endeavor to live a Christian life. Sometimes we let the opinions of others prevent us from doing what we know to be right. We need the reminder that what God thinks about us is more important. We are reassured by the promise that God cares for us and protects us.

## First Reading

- What seems to be happening to Jeremiah?
- What are Jeremiah's friends doing?
- What all might Jeremiah be feeling?
- What does Jeremiah believe about God?
- What does Jeremiah want?
- Do you think Jeremiah wants God to probe his mind and heart? Why/Why not?
- Why do you think Jeremiah stays faithful to God?
- What parts of the gospel might a disciple be hesitant to share?
- In what ways could a disciple feel threatened?
- What all might Jesus' disciples fear?
- How can fear be helpful for a disciple?
- Could this passage make God seem frightening?
- Will God prevent disciples from suffering?
- How might a disciples react to Jesus' assurance of God's loving care?
- Why is there a correlation between what a disciple says about Jesus and what Jesus says about that disciple to his heavenly Father?
- What might an acknowledgment from Jesus sound like?
- What might a denial from Jesus sound like?

## Gospel

- Have you ever felt like Jeremiah?
- If you were in Jeremiah's place, how would you speak to God?
- What all do you fear?
- How do your fears affect how you speak and act in the world?
- How courageous a disciple are you?
- How does God show his loving care for you?

**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  
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**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 June 16, 2026**

*Thank You*

Collections	June 13-14	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Envelopes	\$3,911.00	\$163,541.48	\$150,000.00
Plate	\$3,575.00	\$161,532.47	\$150,200.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,486.00</b>	<b>\$325,073.95</b>	<b>\$300,200.00</b>



# ANNOUNCEMENTS



HAVING QUESTIONS ABOUT HOW TO MANAGE MONEY?? JOIN US FOR A FREE FINANCIAL EDUCATION CLASS AND DIAPER DISTRIBUTION Saturday June 27, 10 am -12:00 pm in our Church Hall. Please invite your friends and family too! Call Christine Waldenmaier 757-710-7151 with any questions.

Are you interested in transforming lives in the name of Christ?? COME TO LOVE INC ESVA Volunteer Training Tuesday June 23 6-8 pm Onley Baptist Church Register online at [www.loveincesva.org](http://www.loveincesva.org)

## 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!



Congrats, Class of 2026! A Mass will be held for graduates on June 27 at the 5 PM Mass, and June 28 at the 7 AM, 9 AM, and 12 PM Masses.

Graduates are encouraged to attend in their caps and gowns.

**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](mailto: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
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