

THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



ST PETER THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

AUGUST 2, 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	August 1st	5:00 PM	† Thomas Gleasen, (L) Giving thanks for returning home from deployment Adrienne Vilegas
		7:00 AM	(Available)
Sunday	August 2nd	9:00 AM	(Available)
		12:00 PM	(Available)
Monday	August 3rd	9:00 AM	(Available)
Tuesday	August 4th	9:00 AM	(Available)
Wednesday	August 5th	9:00 AM	(Available)
Saturday	August 8th	5:00 pm	(Available)
		9:00 AM	(Available)
Sunday	August 9th	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, August 2nd-Isa 55:1-3/Rom 8:35/Mttw 14:13-21

Mon, August 3rd-Jer 28:1-17/Mttw 14:22-36

Tues, August 4th-Jer 30:1-2/Mttw 14:22-36

Wed, August 5th-Jer 31:1-7/Mttw 15:21-28

Thurs, August 6th-Dan 7:9-10/2 Pet 1:16-19/Mttw 17:1-9

Fri, August 7th-Nah 2:1/Mttw 16:24-28

Sat, August 8th-Hab 1:12/Mttw 17:14-20

Sun, August 9th-1 Kgs 19:11-13/Rom 9:1-5/Mttw 14:22-33

Save the Date

EVENTS & MEETINGS

NEXT WEEK'S LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Eucharist Minister

Saturday, August 8th

5:00 pm - Colleen Daley, Judy Manning, Milania Gabriel

Sunday, August 9th

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

12:00 pm - Yurivia Martinez, Pablo Vicente, Angelina Chavez, Karina Isidro, Angelica Zuniga

Lector

Saturday, August 8th

5:00 pm - Paul Miller

Sunday, August 9th

9:00 am - Henry Glowiak & Yaneida Laparra

Altar Servers

Saturday, August 8th

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

Sunday, August 9th

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

9:00 am - Brisa PM, Nick SC, Perla V, Kimberly VV, Ashley VV, Mr. Lou

12:00 pm - Kenna LP, Dania LP, Thania EV, Cindy BV, Darel FG, Mr. Ben

Tuesday, August 11th

6:30 pm - Lilian BP, Katerin RI, Lilian RI, Cindy BV, Kaylandy C

Monday, August 3rd

All Day - Mexican Consulate

NO MASS

12:00 pm - AA Mtg (Hall)

5:00 pm - Hisp Marian Ministry Decor (Church)

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

Tuesday, August 4th

All Day - Mexican Consulate

NO MASS

6:30 pm - Mass & Holy Hour

6:30 pm - Food Sale

Wednesday, August 5th

All Day - Mexican Consulate

NO MASS

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

6:30 pm - Adoration by Hisp Youth Group (Church)

7:00 pm - Emmaus Men Mtg (Hall)

Thursday, August 6th

All Day - Mexican Consulate

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

7:00 pm - Knights of Columbus Mtg (Hall)

Friday, August 7th

All Day - Mexican Consulate

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

7:00 pm - Emmaus Men Mtg (Hall)

Saturday, August 8th

8:00 am - Charismatic Prayer & Fasting (Hall)

11:00 am - Baptism

4:00 pm - Reconciliation

5:00 pm - Mass

6:30 pm - Charismatic (Hall)

Sunday, August 9th

Food Sale (Outside)

7:00 am - Mass (Spa)

9:00 am - Mass (Eng)

12:00 pm - Mass (Spa)

3:00 pm - Hisp Baptism Class (Narthex)

4:00 pm - Emmaus Men Mtg (Hall)

REFLECTING THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Jesus feeds the crowd with five loaves and two fish.

Today we jump ahead in our reading of Matthew's Gospel to Chapter 14. Last week we heard Jesus conclude his discourse with the crowds about the Kingdom of Heaven. In Matthew's narrative, Jesus then leaves the crowds and returns to Nazareth, where he is rejected. Matthew then recounts the story of John the Baptist's arrest and execution at the hands of Herod. Today's Gospel reading begins at this point. Upon hearing the news of the death of John the Baptist, Jesus seeks to withdraw, but the crowds follow him. Jesus reaches out to them in compassion and heals the sick. At the end of a long day, the disciples encourage Jesus to send the crowds away so that they might find provisions for themselves. Jesus again responds with compassion for the crowd. Jesus tells his disciples to provide food for the crowd. The disciples reply with a report of the meagerness of their own provisions—five loaves and two fish. The result is the very familiar miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and fish. Matthew's Gospel tells us that 5,000 men were fed, and this number does not even include the women and children. Jesus' blessing brought abundance from the meager provisions of the disciples. In this action, Jesus offers us a sign of the Kingdom of Heaven that he has been teaching about in the parables. A feast results from the smallest of portions—remember the mustard seed and the yeast. In this miracle we witness an example for Christian life and ministry. Even the smallest of offerings can produce abundant results when placed in the service of the Kingdom of Heaven. We find the story of Jesus' multiplication of the loaves and the fish in each of the four Gospels. In the Gospels of Mark and Matthew, Jesus performs this same miracle on two separate occasions. The story of this miracle is an anticipation of the Eucharist in which we are fed by the abundant grace of God. The importance of the Eucharist has been a defining element of Christian life from the very beginning.

REFLECTIONS ON THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS:

First Reading

- What might be the circumstances of those who first heard these words?
- What all are people promised?
- How are these things offered?
- How might people feel about what's offered?
- What must the people do?
- What causes Jesus to seek time alone?
- What all might Jesus be feeling?
- What are some reasons the people are looking for Jesus?
- Could Jesus want to get back in the boat?
- How do you imagine the interaction between Jesus and the people who approach him?
- What do you think the disciples are doing during all of this?
- How do you imagine Jesus and his disciples as they talk about the food?
- What all might the disciples be thinking?
- How do you think people react as they receive food?
- How do you think the disciples react as they pick up the food that's left

Gospel

- What all do you consume, both literally and metaphorically? Do each of these things "satisfy" you?
- What all does God offer you?
- What is the "cost" of what God offers you?
- Do you want what God offers?
- How can lean times become times of plenty?
- For what do you hunger?
- In what ways have people fed you?
- In what ways can you feed others?

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 the parish 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 July 28, 2026

*Thank
You*

Collections	July 25-26	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Envelopes	\$3,352.00	\$12,852.00	\$12,800.00
Plate	\$3,322.55	\$11,929.55	\$12,416.00
Total	\$6,674.55	\$24,781.55	\$25,216.00



ANNOUNCEMENTS



Hello everyone. I am preparing for our 2026-2027 CCD year.

Unfortunately due to lack of volunteers to teach I have to make the following changes.

1. This year, we will not offer the non-sacrament CCD classes. We are only offering baptism, first communion and confirmation.
2. This year some classes will be on Sundays and some will have to be on weeknights. When you sign up with me, you will be asked about availability so I can make classes. I ask that you could please think about some weeknights that will work.

We will have two signup dates for CCD and signups can only go through me (Amber). Those dates are Sunday August 16th and Sunday August 30th. The signups will take place in the ed building right after the 7:00, 9:00 and 12:00 masses. CCD will officially begin September 13th. Please sign up on one of these two dates so I have time to organize the classes. I ask that you please bring exact change for the CCD fee as we do not have change. The fees are as follows.

1 student is \$25.

If you sign up 2 or more students it's \$15 each. The fee is used to help pay for curriculum we need and other supplies.

Please also bring copies of baptism and birth certificates. If you need us to make copies, we can do that for you.

Now if anyone would like to volunteer to teach, please contact me so I can meet with you. We will also be in need of Virtus observers and if you are a parent who would like to help us, just let me know as we could use your help.

Thank you, Amber Fisher, Religious Education Director

ALTAR SERVERS: This year, your "Fun Day" trip will take place on Wednesday, August 19. Upstairs in the Church, hanging on the bulletin board, is a list of all your names. Please take a minute, find your name, and check "Yes" if you are going and "No" if you are not going. You must do this by August 2. That gives you two weeks to complete this simple task. After August 2, I will complete the arrangements with the Waterpark.

The parish office will be closed from August 3rd to 7th.

Daily Mass for the week of August 3-5 is cancelled.

First Friday has been cancelled on August 7, 2026.

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	Joan Riggin
Ruth Kiks	Sister Margaret	† C. Shirley Hirsch	Michael Belmorla	
	† Ines and Juan Manalansan	† Judy Maher	† Shirley Cristian	
	† Remy Manalansan	† Steven J. Hughes	† Norma Tolentino	
		† Willie Z, Roces	† 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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