



**ST. AUGUSTINE  
CATHOLIC  
CHURCH  
REED, KY**



**ST. PETER OF  
ALCANTARA  
CATHOLIC  
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**UNITED IN CHRIST, TO LOVE AND TO SERVE**

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**September Mass Count**

The Diocese has asked us to once again count the number of people attending the weekend Masses. Ushers will be counting all Mass attendees including infants and children for the five weekends in September beginning September 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>. The actual dates are the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>, and 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>.

**Fr. Jegin Returns!**

Fr. Jegin will return to us August 31<sup>st</sup>. He will be off Friday, September 1<sup>st</sup> to rest up and readjust to the time change. He will be celebrating the Masses on Saturday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> and Sunday September 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Congratulations Sophia Award Winners!**

Congratulations to our Sophia Award Winners, Stephen I. Byrne, St. Augustine and George & Rose Marie Clary, St. Peter.

The Sophia Awards Mass is Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm at Saint Stephen Cathedral. A reception will follow in the Fr. John Vaughan Community Center.

**Revers Raffle Meeting**

The St. Augustine Reverse Raffle Committee will meet Thursday, September 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm.

**St. Peter Parish Council Meeting**

The Parish Council will meet Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am. The date was changed do to the holiday week-end.

**Mount St. Joseph Raffle Tickets**

Sisters Ann and C. J. will be in our parishes **this** weekend to sell raffle tickets to benefit the retired Ursuline Sisters. The Mount is hosting the Mount Crafts & Raffle on Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>. Tickets are \$5.00 for a chance to win one of 7 prizes. The Sisters will also have Quilt Club Memberships which are \$20 a year for 12 chances to win a handcrafted quilt. Thank you for your past and continued support, especially your prayers.

**Louisville Shopping Trip**

Mark your calendars! Save the Date! The St. Peter Louisville Shopping trip will be Saturday, November 11<sup>th</sup>. More info to come.

**Welcome to St. Augustine / St. Peter of Alcantara Parish!**

We want to welcome our visitors and new parishioners! Please introduce yourself to Fr. Jegin. If you have not registered, we ask that you complete a form found by the bulletins in the back of church, and return it to the office. We are glad that you are here to share the Liturgy with our community. Those who plan to move from our parish are requested to inform the office.

**August 27, 2017**  
**Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Matthew 13:16-20**

**"But who do you say that I am?"**

Jesus retreats with His disciples to the forested hills and refreshing streams of the region near Caesarea Philippi (in Syria) for some private time with them to reflect on what they have seen and heard. After asking what others say about Him, He asks His disciples "But who do you say that I am?" It is Peter who responds to Jesus, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." We tend to take Peter's response for granted. Surely, after all he had heard and seen it was obvious that Jesus was the long awaited Messiah. Before we get to much exercise jumping to conclusions, let us examine the implications of Peter's response. Peter was not just a fisherman. He was in the fishing business with his brother Andrew and Zebedee, father of James and John. Fishing was a relatively lucrative trade. Peter was a substantial member of his community. When Jesus ask "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?" other disciples waltz around the question. But when Jesus asks, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answers with a statement of faith that many, particularly the Jewish leaders, considered to be heresy and could put at risk Peter's financial security, his family and his life. Jesus uses the occasion to give Peter (The Rock) responsibility for preserving and passing on that faith to others. As a consequence of our baptism we each have a share in the responsibility for preserving and passing on that faith. That requires a mature and constantly growing faith. A simple test: How would we answer Jesus if He asks, "But who do you say that I am? Such faith is a gift from God. He wants all of us to have it. But, like Peter, we must choose to accept, proclaim and live our faith.



**HWY 60 Yard Sale**

St. Peter's Parish Council is seeking a volunteer to head up the HWY 60 Yard Sale on Saturday, October 7, 2017. This event raised \$1,010 in 2015 and \$802 in 2016. We would like to hold this event in our church parking lot again this year but need a volunteer to be in charge. Please contact Parish Council chairperson, Pat Coomes if interested. Or Terry Murphy if you have questions about what all you need to do.

**Parishes Directory**

It is once again time for us to take family pictures for our Parishes Directory; the dates given are November 1<sup>st</sup> at St. Augustine Parish Hall and November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> at St. Peter Parish Hall. Please block these dates on your calendars to be available for pictures.

**Diocesan Women's Marian Conference**

"Our Lady of Fatima: The source of hope, healing and peace" is the focus of the next women's Marian Conference. It will commemorate the 100<sup>th</sup> year anniversary of Fatima and the message it provides for our culture today. The conference is Friday, September 15 from 5:30pm-9:00pm and Saturday, September 16 from 7:30am-5pm. The conference takes place at Sts. Joseph & Paul's Parish Hall. Ages 16 and older are welcome. The cost is \$20 per person and students (16 - 21) are \$10 each. For pre-registration or questions, call Lisa Englert 270-993-8896 or Lisa Bivins 270-993-3393.

**Right to Life of Owensboro Annual Walk for Life**

The Right to Life of Owensboro Annual Walk for Life will be Saturday, September 2, 2017

Time: 9:00 am Registration

Walk begins: 10:00 am

Location: Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church  
Parking lot



**Cemetery Memory Bricks**

Doris Purgeason will be taking orders for the next 2 weeks for anyone wanting a Memory Brick placed in the St. Augustine Cemetery. Cost is \$75/brick, call 270-827-9018 for more information.

**VOCARE 2017**

St. Peter/St. Augustine has reserved a table for VOCARE 2017, which takes place the evening of Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> at the Owensboro Convention Center. VOCARE is an annual event which raises awareness and funds for vocational discernment and education in the diocese. Mrs. Rhonda Gruenewald, author of *HUNDRED-FOLD, A Guide to Parish Vocation Ministry*, will be this year's keynote speaker. To reserve a ticket(s), call the parish office. There are still 5 seats available.

**Local Confession Schedules**

St. Stephen Cathedral Saturday 9:30am-11:30am

St. Mary Magdalene Saturday 3:00pm

Precious Blood Saturday 3:30-4:30pm

There will not be confessions while Father is away.

**St. Augustine Reverse Raffle INFO**

The St. Augustine Reverse Raffle will be Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017. You may contact any parishioner to purchase tickets. Tickets are \$70 each, you do not need to be present to win, \$60 is tax deductible. Quilt Raffle tickets are \$1 each.

We are accepting donations for door prizes. We also will have a silent auction. Please feel free to contact friends, businesses, etc. for contributions. If you have any questions, contact Shelley Payne at 270-993-7965.

There will be a second collection each week for meat.

A volunteer and work list and a food donation list will be in front of church. Please check these lists and sign up.

Each parishioner is asked to purchase a ticket and participate. Please try to do so, if possible, as this is very important for our parish. Thank you!

**St. Augustine Ministries  
Sept 3**

**Servers:**  
Taylor & Lily Sinnett

**Lector:**  
Jamie Boeglin

**Eucharistic Ministers:**  
Ben Blair & Christa Hundley

**Gifts:**  
Paul Miller Family

**Ushers:**  
Dee Anna Booker & Ben Blair

**Church Cleaners:**  
Anna Dee DeMar Aug. 27 - Sept. 9  
Linda Evans Sept. 10 - 23

**Church Cleaners:**  
Cleaning the Church is an act of your love and gratitude to God for our Church. If for some reason you are unable to clean when it is your turn, please contact Herschel Smith (270) 302-0601 and for a fee of \$30.00 he will clean for your two weeks. If you are physically unable to clean, please contact Herschel so other arrangements can be made.

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE  
Aug 27 - Sept 3**

**Sunday - Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
-8am Mass @ St. Augustine - *The Ralph Family*  
-9am Srs. Ann & C.J. Selling Mount Raffle Tickets  
-9:30am Mass @ St. Peter - *People of the Parishes*  
-10:30am Srs. Ann & C.J. Selling Mount Raffle Tickets

**Monday - St. Augustine**  
*Office Closed*  
-8am Communion Service @ St. Peter

**Tuesday - The Passion of St. John the Baptist**  
-8am Communion Service @ St. Peter

**Wednesday -**  
-8am Communion Service @ St. Peter

**Thursday -**  
-8am Communion Service @ St. Peter

**Friday -**  
*First Friday*  
-8am Mass @ St. Peter - *Angie Park*

**Saturday -**  
*First Saturday*  
-8am @ St. Augustine the Patriotic Rosary  
-No Confessions  
-5pm Mass @ St. Peter - *Marie Murphy*

**Sunday - Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
-8am Mass @ St. Augustine - *Jeff Millay*  
-9am Potluck Breakfast @ St. Augustine  
-9:30am Mass @ St. Peter - *People of the Parishes*

**August is the month of  
The Immaculate Heart**



**Happy Anniversary**



Bill & Connie Williams, 8/30



**Happy Birthday**

Gary Eblen, 08/28  
Rob Mitchell, 09/02

**An Accounting of Your  
Stewardship of Treasure**

Weekly Budget	\$1,403.85
Actual Collection:	Aug 20
Sunday Collection,	1057.00
Reverse Raffle Meat,	80.00

**Please continue to pray for the following  
Parishioners & Friends:**

Daniel Blair, Sophia Blair, Dee Anna Booker, Sr. Michael Bridget, Rethia Bumgardner, Shelia Byrne, Betty Cecil, Barbara Connor, Tonya Crabtree, Richard DeMar, Shirley Dunn, Alan Ebelhar, Stella Fogle, Delbert Fulkerson, Robin Hardesty, Mason Jackson, Nicholas Jackson, Fr. Jegin, Mack Lacer, Leslie LeClure, Paula Mayfield, David Medley, Margie Merimee, Anita Mitchell, Ralph Mitchell, Angie Park, Kenny Pendleton, Fr. Pike Powell, Fr. Richard Powers, Steve Raley, Bill Riney, Randall Schwartz, Chris Settles, Barbara Smith, Juanita Spalding, Betty Wathen, Lori Winstead, Sam Winstead, Bill Young, Lillian Young, Mike Young



**Special Collections**

Aug-Sept Meat for Reverse Raffle

**Readings for the Week**



Monday ..... 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Mt 23:13-22  
 Tuesday ..... 1 Thes 2:1-8; Mk 6:17-29  
 Wednesday ..... 1 Thes 2:9-13; Mt 23:27-32  
 Thursday ..... 1 Thes 3:7-13; Mt 24:42-51  
 Friday ..... 1 Thes 4:1-8; Mt 25:1-13  
 Saturday ..... 1 Thes 4:9-11; Mt 25:14-30  
 Sunday ..... Jer 20:7-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27

**Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick**

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is celebrated upon request, and at least four times a year during the week-end Masses. Please notify the pastor or call the parish office if you know of anyone who might need this sacrament, but may not be able to notify the pastor personally. Please inform the pastor or someone in the parish office if you or any of your family is in the hospital or going into the hospital. If your doctor is willing we can also have a blessing for him/her at the time of your anointing.

**Bulletin Information**

Information for the Bulletin needs to be submitted to St. Peter's office by Wednesday. 270-764-1983 or lischrecker@stpeterofalcantara.com.

### Up Coming Events

June-Sept RCIA Sign Up  
Sept 3 Parish Potluck Breakfast - SA  
Sept 10 First Faith Formation Class - SP  
Sept 23 Reverse Raffle - SA  
\*\*SA - St. Augustine  
\*\*SP - St. Peter

### **Food Service Cook/Worker**

Holy Name School in Henderson, KY is looking for a dedicated, responsible individual to serve as the Food Service Cook/Worker at Holy Name School from 7:00 am to 2:00 pm each school day.

For Job Description and Qualifications contact Margaret Mendoza at Holy Name School.

Interested candidates may send their resumes to:  
Holy Name School, 628 Second Street Henderson, KY 42420 ATTN: Margaret Mendoza

### **Let's Pray For Our Country!**

A group of people are meeting each Saturday morning at 8:00am at St. Augustine Parish to pray the Patriotic Rosary for the United States of America. You are invited to attend--every Saturday or any Saturday that you can. This is important work!

### **Food Service Manager**

The Owensboro Catholic School system is looking for a dedicated, responsible individual to serve as the Food Service Manager at the Owensboro Catholic Elementary K-3 Campus, 4017 Frederica Street, from 7:30 am to 1:30 pm each school day (schedules may vary).

For the Job Description and Qualifications go to [www.owensborodiocese.org](http://www.owensborodiocese.org)

Interested candidates may apply online at [www.owensborodiocese.org](http://www.owensborodiocese.org) or send their resumes to:

McRaith Catholic Center, 600 Locust Street Owensboro, KY 42301, ATTN: Food Service Office

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### **Sacrament of Marriage**

A couple wishing to marry must contact the priest at least six months before the desired wedding date. According to the guidelines of our diocese, you should not make absolute plans for a specific wedding date until after meeting with the pastor. The couple will be required to attend a marriage preparation course which will include at least one formal program such as an Engaged Encounter weekend or the Sponsor Couple Program.

### **Sacrament of Baptism**

The Sacrament of Baptism for infants is administered upon request. Parents and Godparents must attend an evening class on Baptism in the Catholic Church. Please contact the pastor and set up an appointment for this class at least a month in advance. At least one parent must be a practicing Catholic for their child to be baptized in the Catholic Church. Godparents must be at least 16 years of age, and at least one must be a practicing Catholic.

### **Sacraments to the Home-Bound**

Please inform the pastor or the parish office if you know of anyone who is home-bound, so that we can insure that they are afforded ample opportunities to receive the Sacraments. We would rather be notified by several people than to not be notified at all, so please don't presume that someone else has already notified us.