



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



**ST. PETER OF  
ALCANTARA  
CATHOLIC  
CHURCH  
STANLEY, KY**



**UNITED IN CHRIST TO LOVE AND TO SERVE**

**Pastor** Fr. Jegin Puthenpurackal  
jputhenpurackal@stpeterofalcantara.com  
**Pastor's Cell Number** 270-929-2294

**Faith Formation** Sr. Ann McGrew  
ann.mcgregw@maplemount.org  
270-314-7604

**ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH**  
16777 St. Augustine Church Rd, Reed, KY 42451

**Bookkeeper** Rosemary Murphy  
270-724-6821  
**Email Address** rmurphee@hotmail.com  
**Website Admin** Kristin Miller  
**Web Site** <http://www.staugustinereed.org>

**St. Augustine Committees**  
**Parish Council President** Joey Payne  
**Finance Committee Chair** Rob Mitchell  
**Parish Hall Rental** Rosemary Murphy

**ST. PETER OF ALCANTARA PARISH**  
81 Church St., Owensboro, KY 42301

**Parish Phone Number** 270-764-1983  
**Parish Fax Number** 270-764-0444  
**Secretary/Bookkeeper** Thoebe Buskill  
Office@stpeterofalcantara.com  
**Maintenance** Jerome Blair

**St. Peter Committees**  
**Parish Council President** Pat Coomes  
**Finance Committee Chair** Charlie Mullican  
**Religious Ed Chair** Monica Rice  
**St. Vincent de Paul Chair** James Huddleston  
**St. Peter's Auxiliary Chair** Vicki Stogsdill  
**OCS Representative** Johnny Mitchell  
**Music Ministers** Terry Murphy  
Anna Coon  
**Parish Hall Rental** Ken McKay  
**Prayer Chain Contact** Valerie Coomes  
270-316-9342  
**Cemetery** Star McKay  
**Church Wedding Contact** Monica Rice  
**Website Administrator** Mary Keller  
mkeller922@hotmail.com  
**Web Site:** <http://www.stpeterofalcantara.com>

**St. Peter's Bible Study**

Our next Bible studies will be on Nov.8,15 & 29th at 5:45pm. Come, let us share our faith in Jesus.

**Fall Festival**

This years Fall Festival will be October 28th at 12 noon. Chili and hotdogs will be served. There will also be a cake walk and a Trick or Treat parade. Please bring a bag of candy for all the ghosts and goblins. Please note the insert in the bulletin for a list of items needed for this event. Please call or text 270-316-1672 if you are unable to bring your item. Thank you! All are invited to attend!

**Parish Council Meeting**

St. Peter's Parish Council will meet November 4th, 2018 at 10:30am. All are invited to attend.

**November Altar of Remembrance**

Please bring in your pictures of deceased loved ones and leave them on the front window ledge to the right of the altar starting October 21st thru November. On November 2nd the Universal Catholic Church commemorates the souls of the faithful departed. The Church recommends that we remember our dear ones, and pray for them particularly during the entire month of November.

**Please Mark YOUR Calendar**

St. Peter Church will have a Bingo fundraising scheduled for November 17th. More details will be followed soon.

**Yummy Burgoo sale**

St. Peter Church will have a **BURGOO** sale on Saturday, November 17. Pickup will be at 3:30. Cost is \$18 per gallon. Please pre-order on St. Peter Facebook page or by contacting Mike Mullican at 270-231-6939.

**Special Mass**

All Saints Day is on Nov 1st and All Souls Day is on Nov 2nd. Both days, St Augustine will have Mass at 5pm & St Peter's Mass will be 6:30pm. Come let us pray together.

**Masonic Lodge Breakfast- Stanley**

Country Breakfast will be served on Saturday November 3rd from 6-9am. The fee is \$.6.00. Come and enjoy



**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 Parish office or you may fill out the form online at our website. 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.

### Dear friends in Jesus Christ,

There are some people born with blindness called physical blindness; may God bless them. But what about the people who pretend to be blind in this world? Certainly, most of us belong to this category, called spiritual blindness. Due to physical blindness, one cannot see the creations in this world; and due to spiritual blindness, one cannot see the creator in this world. The tragedy of today's world is that we have a large number of spiritually blind people than physically blind people. This is what the Psalmist says in 115:5-6, "*They have mouths, but cannot speak, eyes, but cannot see. They have ears, but cannot hear, noses but cannot smell.*" Dear friends, as Christians, when we live according to the words spoken by the Psalmist, we are not living with Christ in this world, rather we leave Christ untouched in this world, so we have a crazy world today.

In today's Gospel we see, a blind man named Bartimaeus is being healed by Jesus because of his faith. As soon as he hears that Jesus is coming through his way, he calls out "*Jesus, Son of David, have pity on me.*" In the Old Testament, people always believed that someone's sickness was due to their sins, and so living in the Old Testament belief, Bartimaeus calls out Jesus to have pity on him; but the fan followers of Jesus who were able to see physically, were blind spiritually to see the need of Bartimaeus, and so they ask Bartimaeus to be quiet. But, Bartimaeus was not ready to stop calling out the name of Jesus. After this, we see an important twist in the entire situation; the same people who asked Bartimaeus to keep quiet, come back and tell him, "*Take courage, get up, Jesus is calling you.*" The same kind of twist we can see in the life of St. Paul, the persecutor became the great preacher of Jesus.

Dear friends, today we are living in a country or in a world, where different situations are stopping us from professing our faith in Jesus publically, sometimes we feel the same situation in our church too, where we are ashamed to pray or praise and thank God louder. Look at Bartimaeus the whole crowd was against him, but he took the courage and called out the name of Jesus from His heart, that is why Jesus could hear him even in the big commotion. Yes, Jesus looks at the heart of every person.

Coming to know that Bartimaeus is called by Jesus, the Gospel states that "*He threw aside his cloak, sprang up and came to Jesus.*" This means that, Bartimaeus threw away his old way of sinful life and got the new spirit and came to Jesus. Often times we don't realize and live in such a way that we are called by Jesus, and that is why we continue to live in spiritual blindness and so fail to praise and thank God as a community. Jesus asks Bartimaeus, "*what do you want me to do for you?*" Yes, now Jesus is at the service of Bartimaeus. This question of

Jesus to Bartimaeus gives us the message that, if we can call out to Him with all our heart, mind, soul and strength, Jesus is ready to do anything for us. This is what Jesus says to us again "*first seek the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be given to you.*" (Mt.6:33).

Just like many of us, the disciples had spiritual blindness in their lives, that is why they could not understand His will and teachings about the kingdom of God many times. It was because of their blindness they ignored the mission given to them after the death of Jesus. But the Emmaus story tells us that the event of the Breaking of the Bread opened their eyes to see the Risen Jesus clearly. The same way as we participate in the celebration of the Breaking of the Bread, like Bartimaeus let us throw away our old way of life and put on the new spirit of the Lord and call out the name of Jesus, so that we may see the light of Christ and follow Him sincerely. **May God Bless.**

### November is the Month of the Holy Souls in

Purgatory: **Let us Pray:** *Eternal Father, I offer you the most precious blood of your Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the Holy Souls in Purgatory, for sinner everywhere, for sinners in the universal Church, for those in my own home and in my family. Amen.*



### St. Peter MASS Time Change

Day light saving time begins Sunday, **November 4th**. The following Saturday evening, November 10th St. Peter Mass time will change to **4pm**.

### Note of Time Change Of Opry Mills Bus Trip

The Opry Mills Bus Trip is upcoming quickly! Please meet here at St. Peter's Parking lot at 7am on November 10th instead of 7:30, as previously stated, so that we can be on the road by 7:30am. For more information please contact Sally Moss at 270-993-7944.

### ODYC – Nov. 9-10 Owensboro Convention Ctr

The Office for Youth Ministry will be hosting its 5th combination middle and high school (grades 6-12) Owensboro Diocese Youth Conference. The theme for the conference is "We Love Because He First Loved Us." It will be held on Friday and Saturday, November 9 and 10 at The Owensboro Convention Center in Owensboro, KY. The conference will begin with registration at 6:00 p.m. on Friday night and end at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday.

### Holy Hour

Friday, November 9th, 7 to 8 pm at St. Stephen Cathedral, Owensboro. Spend some time praying for our young people, families and the Catholic Universal Church .

**St. Augustine Ministries**

**Stewards for the weekend of November 4th**

**Servers:**

11/4 8am John & Henry Boeglin

**Lector:**

11/4 8am Jamie Boeglin

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

11/4 8am Rob & April Mitchell

**Gifts:**

11/04 8am Robert Purgeason Family

**Ushers For Month of October**

8am Jimmy Davis, Kathy Wolfe

**Church Cleaner**

Linda Evans - Oct. 21st thru Nov. 3rd

**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**

**October 28 th thru November 3 rd**

**Sunday - Thirtieth Week In Ordinary Time**

- 8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine -
- 9:10am - Rosary - October Month of the Holy Rosary
- 9:30am - Mass at St. Peter - *People of the Parish*
- 10:30am - Faith Formation Class at St. Peter
- 12:00pm - Fall Festival

**Monday - Thirtieth Week In Ordinary Time**

- 8am - Mass - *Chris Settle*

**Tuesday - Thirtieth Week In Ordinary Time**

- 8am - Mass - *Lee Ann Schrecker*

**Wednesday - Thirtieth Week In Ordinary Time**

- 8am - Mass - *Anita Mitchell*

**Thursday - All Saints' Day**

- 5pm - Mass - St. Augustine - *Chris Settles*
- 6.30 - Mass - *James C. Edelen Jr.*

**Friday - All Souls' Day**

- 5pm - Mass - St. Augustine - *Ralph Mitchell*
- 6.30pm - Mass - *Lee Ann Schrecker*

**Saturday - St. Martin de Porres**

- 4pm - Confession
- 5pm - Mass at St. Peter - *Anita Mitchell*

**Sunday - Thirty First Sunday In Ordinary Time**

- 8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine - *People of the Parish*
- 9:30am - Mass at St. Peter - *People of the Parish*
- 10:30am - Faith Formation Class at St. Peter

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**



Bless All Married Couples

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



Tom McFarland 11/2

**An Accounting of Your Stewardship of Treasure**

Weekly Budget	\$1,403.85
<b>Actual Collection: October 14th</b>	
Sunday Collection	\$1,017.00
Mission Sunday	\$ 45.00

**PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK †**

Barbara Connor, Jennifer Ebelhar, Stella Fogle, Delbert Fulkerson, Robin Hardesty, Fr. Jegin, John Patrick Martin, Kenny Pendleton, Neil Rudy, Baron Vanover, Betty Wathen, Bill Young, Lillian Young, Michael (Pup) Young. \*Dee Anna Booker, Sr. Michael Bridget, Rethia Bumgard-ner, Shelia Byrne, Tonya Crabtree, Alan Ebelhar, Carol Sue Gibson, Kevin Hardesty, Mason Jackson, Nicholas Jack-son, Mack Lacer, Leslie LeClure, Paula Mayfield, David Medley, Margie Merimee, Steve Raley, Randall Schwartz, Barbara Smith, Karen Strode, Grant Oller

**Daily Mass Readings**

Monday.....	Ephesians 4:32-5:8; Luke 13:10-17
Tuesday.....	Ephesians 5:21-33; Luke 13:18-21
Wednesday.....	Ephesians 6:1-9; Luke 13:22-30
Thurs.....	Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14; 1 John 3:1-3, Matt.5:1-12
Friday.....	Wisdom 3:1-9; John 6:37-40
Saturday.....	Philippians 1:18b-26; Luke 14:1, 7-11
Sunday.....	Deut.6:2-6, Heb.7:23-28, Mk.12:28b-34

**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 weekend 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 office@stpeterofalcantara.com.

### Faith Formation Class Schedule

October 28th, 10:30am, Faith Formation Class  
November 4th, 10:30am, Faith Formation Class  
November 11th, 10:30am, Faith Formation Class  
November 18th, 10:30am, Faith Formation Class  
November 25th, 10:30 am., Faith Formation Class

### National Vocation Awareness Week (Nov 4-10)

This annual observance of the Catholic Church in the U.S. is designed to focus on vocations to the priesthood, religious life and diaconate. It is time to encourage young people to ask themselves: To what vocation in life is God calling me?" Let us pray for more vocations to our land.

### Up Coming Events

Oct 28th, Fall Festival, 12 Noon, SP  
Nov 1, All Saints Day, Mass 5pm SA  
Nov 1st, All Saints Day Mass 6:30pm, SP  
Nov 1st, 5:45pm, Bible Study, SP  
Nov 2nd All Souls Day, Mass 5pm SA  
Nov 2nd, All Souls Day, Mass 6:30 SP  
Nov 8th, 5:45pm, Bible Study, SP  
Nov 10th, 7:00am, Opry Mills Bus Tour to Nashville, SP  
Nov 15th, 5:45pm, Bible Study, SP  
Nov 17th, Chili Supper and Bingo, Time TBA  
**\*\*SA - St. Augustine \*\*SP - St. Peter**

## **SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS WHO HELP SUPPORT OUR PARISH**

**Mitchell**  
Auction Services  
Owensboro, KY

**John D. Mitchell**

*Auctioneer*

Owensboro, KY

a: (270) 880-3007

c: (812) 319-7767

Paula McFadden  
**Serenity Place Hair & Nail Salon**

1115 Tamarack Road  
Owensboro, KY 42301  
Phone: 270-926-0052

**Owensboro Therapeutic Massage**

Melody Cecil, LMT, NCTM  
5000 Back Square Drive, Building A  
Owensboro, KY 42301  
Office: 270-903-2231  
Cell: 270-314-8456



Riney Hancock CPAs  
PSC

*Your Most Trusted  
and Valued  
Financial Advisors*

Robert E. Mitchell, CPA, CVA  
Shareholder In-Charge - Henderson Office  
Email: rmitchell@rineyhancock.com

HENDERSON	OWENSBORO
P.O. Box 255	2900 Veach Rd. S2
Henderson, KY 42419	Owensboro KY
	42303
270-827-5828	207-926-4540

**Mischel Monuments, Inc.**

Monuments \* Markers \* Mausoleums  
1504 West 2nd Street  
Owensboro, KY  
"SAME LOCATION SINCE 1949"  
270-691-6081  
www.mischelmonuments.com  
Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm \* Sat. 8am-12pm  
A Family Tradition For 5 Generations

**Haley McGinnis  
Funeral Home & Crematory**

519 Locust Street  
Owensboro, KY 42301  
Phone: 270-684-9891

Mike Everly

Kay Everly

**Joey D. Davenport**

Farmer Davenport  
'Financial Group  
J.J.B. Hilliard,  
W.L. Lyons, Inc.  
231 Second Street  
Henderson, Kentucky  
42420  
Phone: (270) 826-3102

**Tony Clark**  
REALTORS®

*Celebrating 40 years in Real Estate*

2934 Frederica Street  
Owensboro, KY  
(270) 926-0055

View all homes for sale & lease:  
www.TonyClark.com



### **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.