



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



**ST. PETER OF  
ALCANTARA  
CATHOLIC  
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STANLEY, KY



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**St. Peter's Bible Study**

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

**St. Peter's Rescheduled Auxiliary Meeting (Tue.)**

Our auxiliary meeting will take place on November 20th at 6pm at our parish hall. All are welcome to attend.

**Parish Council Meeting**

St. Augustine - November 15th at 6.30pm.  
St. Peter - December 9th, 2018 at 10:30am. (*Rescheduled*)  
All are welcome !

**St. Augustine-Christmas Dinner**

St. Augustine Church will be holding it's annual Christmas dinner on December 2, 2018 at 12:30 pm. It is potluck--all food to be provided by Parishioners. Come Let us Celebrate this Family Christmas.

**Bookkeeper/Administrative Assistant**

St. Peter of Alcantara Parish in Stanley, KY is seeking a qualified candidate for the position of bookkeeper/administrative assistant, working approximately twenty hours per week. Applicant should have good organizational skills, telephone skills, bookkeeping skills and general office skills. All interested applicants may submit a resume and cover letter to: [Diocese.HR@pastoral.org](mailto:Diocese.HR@pastoral.org).

**Breakfast with Santa-PJs and Pancakes**

Sunday, December 2nd after Mass we will have a pancake and sausage breakfast with Santa Claus. New this year! Children, feel free to wear your winter pajamas to Mass and breakfast. We will be taking pictures with Santa and having a kid's Christmas craft. We hope to see all parishioners there for the fellowship. Come, Let us Celebrate!

**Thanksgiving Day Special Mass**

St. Augustine— October 21st @ 6pm  
St. Peter—October 22nd @ 8am  
*Give Thanks to the Lord, for He has done great things for us.*

**Immaculate Conception— Holy day of Obligation**

St. Augustine—December 7th, 2018 @ 6pm  
St. Peter— December 8th, 2018 @ 8am

**Please do not Miss this MASS.**

**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,

The Gospel of today talks to us about the end of a system of world, and **the** beginning of a new system of world; end of the kingdom of this world and beginning of the kingdom of God. The important question that we all need to ask is - will I be able to experience the kingdom of God during my lifetime here in this world? After explaining all bad things going to happen prior to the establishment of the Kingdom of God, Jesus says very emphatically, *"Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away."* Dear friends, it is a warning to each one of us to place our trust in the word of God and prepare ourselves to meet the Lord, when He returns to us in glory. Right now, the only preparation that God is expecting from each of us is REPENTANCE.

During our spiritual journey we hear a lot about repentance. By witnessing different happenings in different parts of the world, one thing is clear the word repentance has not gone deep into the hearts of people, but only skin deep. Why is it that we don't learn from our mistakes and change our life style and attitude? There is no doubt, God created everything in this world for our wellbeing, but do we care for the wellbeing of everyone and everything in our thoughts, words and in actions? The book of Genesis 6:5-6 says *"The LORD saw how great the wickedness of the human race had become on the earth, and that every inclination of the thoughts of the human heart was only evil all the time. The LORD regretted that he had made human beings on the earth, and his heart was deeply troubled."* To bring about a change in the attitude of each one of us, God takes some corrective measures in different ways, but the problem is that often times some people don't discern them as corrections, but as punishments and so they take an offense at God.

In the book of Exodus, we see in order to liberate the people of Israel from Egypt, ten plagues were sent to king Pharaoh and to his kingdom. Every time, the plague was sent to them, the heart of king Pharaoh became harder and harder. Many people in this world have the attitude like that of pharaoh and do not show any sign of repentance or change of attitude in their lives. They live as if none of these things are going to affect them and ignore all the warnings from God. Yes, every problem seems to be unimportant until the same kind of problem affect us personally. In the Gospel of Luke 13:2-3 Jesus reminds us that *"Do you think that these Galileans were worse sinners than all the other Galileans because they suffered this way? I tell you, no! But unless you repent, you too will all perish."* Examine the number of times the people of Israel were put in tests for their infidelity during their journey to the promised land.

St. John the Baptist came calling for repentance. Jesus came calling us for repentance. Today, Jesus comes to us

through word of God calling us for the same. Are you ready to take the call seriously? The very purpose of the call to repentance is to safeguard our soul. Remember, it is not the body that is important, but the soul. In reality we give more important to body than soul. Yes, this attitude of ours is the same as getting a spoiled pizza in a good looking packing box. Do you care for that pizza? This is what Jesus says to us *"what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world, yet loses his soul? Or what can a man give in exchange for his soul?"* (Mt.16:26) Yes, dear friends, let us be a little more serious, for Jesus says, *"But of that day or hour no one knows, neither the angels in heaven nor the Son, but only the Father."* **God Bless**

### ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE

St. Antony	- Dec. 05th @ 6pm
Our lady of Lourdes	- Dec. 10th @ 6pm
Mount St. Joseph	- Dec. 10th @ 6pm
St. Williams	- Dec. 11th @ 6pm
<b>St. Peter of Alcantara</b>	<b>- Dec. 12th @ 6pm</b>
St. Alphonsus	- Dec. 13th @ 6.30pm
St. Mary Magdalene, Sorgho	- Dec. 16th @ 6pm
Blessed Mother	- Dec. 16th @ 2pm
St. Mary of the Woods	- Dec. 17th @ 6pm
Immaculate	- Dec. 18th @ 6pm
St. Lawrence	- Dec. 18th @ 6pm
Sts. Joseph & Paul	- Dec. 19th @ 6.30pm
St. Sebastian, Calhoun	- Dec. 19th @ 6pm
Precious Blood	- Dec. 20th @ 6pm
St. Pius X	- Dec. 20th @ 6pm
<b>St. Augustine, Reed</b>	<b>- Dec. 21st @ 6pm</b>
St. Stephen Cathedral	- Dec. 23rd @ 2pm



### Mass Envelopes

Would you like to have Mass said for someone? You may please take a "Stipend" envelop on the tables in the back of the church and drop them in the collection basket or give to Fr. Jegin. Please indicate who the mass is for and who is having the mass said. Thank you.

**IF WE HAVE NO PEACE, IT IS BECAUSE WE HAVE FORGOTTEN THAT WE BELONG TO EACH OTHER.**

### Thanksgiving Celebration

Stanley Baptist Church invites the community to a Thanksgiving Service at 5pm, Sunday, Nov. 16th. Following short service refreshments will be served.

### Stanley Celebrates the Season

3rd Annual Christmas Tree lighting. Music, food and fellowship. Sunday, Dec.2nd, 5-8pm. Come and join the fun.

### Confirmation Classes

Our next Confirmation Classes will be on November - 28, December - 5, 19, January 2, 9, 16, 23. **Confirmation is on January 27th.** Let us pray for all our kids preparing for this great sacrament.

**St. Augustine Ministries**

**Stewards for the weekend of November 25th**

**Servers:**

11/25 - 8am - Joh & Henry Boeglin

**Lectors:**

11/25 - 8am - Rob Mitchell

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

11/25 - 9:30am - Linda & Sonny Evans

**Gifts:**

11/25 - 8am - Steve Raley Family

**Ushers for November**

11/25 - 8am - Dee Anna Booker, Ben Blair

**Church Cleaner**

Rita Haire (Nov. 4-7)  
Christa Hundley (Nov. 18- Dec-1)

**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**

**November 18th thru November 25th**

**Sunday - Thirty-Third Week In Ordinary Time**

-8:00am - Mass & Anointing at SA - *Chris Settles*  
-9:30am - Mass & Anointing at St. Peter - *People of the Parish*  
-10:30am - Faith Formation Class at St. Peter

**Monday - Thirty-Third Week In Ordinary Time**

-8am - Mass - *Anita Mitchell*

**Tuesday - Thirty-Third Week In Ordinary Time**

-8am - Mass - *Deceased members of Eddie Johnson*

**Wednesday - Presentation of the BVM-Memorial**

-8am - Mass - *Lee Ann Schrecker*  
-6pm - Mass - *Ralph Mitchell (Thanksgiving day Mass)*

**Thursday - THANKSGIVING DAY**

-8am - Mass - *Chris Settles*

**Friday - Thirty-Third Week In Ordinary Time**

-8am - Mass - *Mary Teresa Toon*

**Saturday - Thirty-Third Week In Ordinary Time**

-3pm - Confession  
-4pm - Mass at St. Peter - *Dolores Wathen*

**Sunday - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**

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

***MONTH OF NOVEMBER - LET US PRAY FOR THE HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY***

**Happy Anniversary**



Mr. & Mrs. Billy Joe Bollinger

**Happy Birthday**



Billy Joe Bollinger 11/18  
Anna Dee Demar 11/19

**An Accounting of Your Stewardship of Treasure**

Weekly Budget	\$1,403.85
<b>Actual Collection: November 11th</b>	
Sunday Collection	\$ 5,860.00

**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 Bumgardner, Shelia Byrne, Tonya Crabtree, Alan Ebelhar, Carol Sue Gibson, Kevin Hardesty, Mason Jackson, Nicholas Jackson, Mack Lacer, Leslie LeClure, Paula Mayfield, David Medley, Margie Merimee, Grant Oller, Steve Raley, Randall Schwartz, Barbara Smith, Karen Strode, Brad Whitledge.

**Daily Mass Readings**

Monday.....	Revelation 1:1-4, 2:1-5; Luke 18:35-43
Tuesday.....	Revelation 3:1-6, 14-22; Luke 19:1-10
Wednesday.....	Revelation 4:1-11; Luke 19:11-28
Thurs.....	Sir. 50:22-24; 1 Cori.1:3-9; Lk. 17: 11-19
Friday.....	Revelation 10:8-11; Luke 19:45-48
Saturday.....	Revelation 11:4-12; Luke 20:27-40
Sunday.....	Dan7:13-14; Rev. 1:5-8, Jn. 18: 33b-37

**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

November 18th, 10:30am, Faith Formation Class  
November 25th, 10:30 am., Faith Formation Class  
Dec.9th, 10.30am, Practice & Faith Formation Class  
Dec.16th, 10.30am, Practice & Faith Formation Class  
Dec.30th, 10.30am, Faith Formation Class

### Special Collection

Nov. 18 - Campaign for Human Development  
Nov. 22 - Happy Thanksgiving  
Dec. 2 - Christmas Flowers  
Dec. 9 - Retirement fund for Religious  
Dec. 16 - Hispanic Ministry



### Up Coming Events

Nov. 20th, 6pm, Auxiliary Meeting, SP  
Nov. 21nd, 6pm, Thanksgiving Mass, SA  
Nov. 29th, 5.45pm, Bible Study, SP  
Dec.2nd, Breakfast with Santa SP  
Dec. 2nd, Christmas Dinner @ 12.30pm SA  
Dec. 2nd, Christmas Tree Lighting, 5pm @ Stanley  
**\*\*SA - St. Augustine \*\*SP - St. Peter**

### Bulletin Announcements

If you would like some announcements to be added to the Church bulletin, please send them to our parish Email - **Office@stpeterofalcantara.com** only. Thanks.

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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.