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**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.

**Disciples Response Fund**

If you have not responded to the Disciples Response Fund yet, please respond to it as early as possible and show your love and concern to our Holy Mother Church throughout the world through our diocese of Owensboro. If you need a Disciples Response Fund contribution form, please pick one from the back of the church. Thank you !

**Parish Council Meeting**

St. Peter - November 4th, 2018 at 10:30am.  
St. Augustine - November 15th at 6.30pm.  
All are welcome !

**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.

*IF YOU CANNOT SEE GOD IN ALL,  
YOU CANNOT SEE GOD AT ALL!*

**Please Mark YOUR Calendar**

St. Peter Church will have a Bingo fundraising scheduled for November 17th at 6pm. Please enjoy the evening.

**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.

**Holy Communion And Confirmation**

Parents whose children will be celebrating the sacraments of Confirmation, Reconciliation and Eucharist this year, classes will begin on November 7th at 6:30 in the Church basement. Classes will last about one hour. It is very important that each child attends each class. Please bring children on time and pick them up on time. Thanks, Sister Ann McGrew .

**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,**

Last weekend we saw in the Gospel, Bartimaues, the blind man called Jesus with all his heart, mind, soul and strength: *"Jesus, Son of David have pity on me."* The call heard by Jesus from the heart of Bartimaues, in the midst of all the commotion blessed him with an integral healing of his mind, body, and soul, and as a thanksgiving to the blessings Bartimaues received, he followed Jesus on His way.

God gave us commandments to let us know-what should be done and what should not be done in our lives as a Christian. The ten commandments, from our God, are a command from God to us to follow in our lives, they are not request made to us with excuses attached to it. So, every commandment is equally important for those who believe in God, to enter into the Kingdom of God. Once, a teacher asked his disciples, how do you differentiate light from darkness, or the night is over and the day has come? One of the disciples said, when I see a tree from a far distant place and say what tree it is rightly, then I can say it is day already. Another said, when I see two animals from a far distant place and am able to differentiate both of them clearly, I can say it is day already. Thus, each of the disciples gave their own explanations about the day and night. But, the teacher was not happy with their answers. Then the disciples were curious to know the right answer from the teacher. The teacher said, when I see someone is coming towards me from a faraway place and without any difficulty, I say, here is my brother coming, only then I can say the day has come already, otherwise everyone is in darkness. This is the same message Jesus is asking us to perform through our lives by encouraging us to love God and neighbor primarily.

In today's Gospel we see, one of the scribes, a scholar of the law comes to Jesus and asks, *"which is the first of all the commandments?"* As an answer to the question Jesus says; *"The Lord our God is Lord alone! You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind and with all your strength.* The second is this: *You shall love your neighbor as yourself."* Hearing this answer, we should not come to the conclusion that Jesus is concerned only about the love of God and love of neighbor and no other commandments. No, but by this answer Jesus strongly affirms that every commandment is equally important for us to enter into the Kingdom of God. Because when we examine the ten commandments we can see that the first three commandments remind us about how we should maintain our relationship with God and rest of the seven commandments remind us about how we should maintain our relationship with our brothers and sisters. So, the answer of Jesus: Love of God and Love of neighbor is the summary of the ten commandments. Yes, the love of God should be reflected in the love

of the neighbor, otherwise the love is fake for sure. Love of God is an interior relationship, but love of neighbor is an external relationship. So, they both should complement each other in our personal life, to lead a perfect Christian life.

Dear friends, it was just the other day, we celebrated All Saints day, reminding us all to become a saint by doing the will of God in this world, thus to enter into the kingdom of God. Yes, to become a saint is the call that we all have to respond in our Christian life by loving God and our neighbor with all our heart, mind, soul and strength. So, as we participate in this Holy Eucharist, let us ask the Eucharistic Lord for the grace to Love God and our neighbor without any condition. **God Bless You.**

### **St. Peter Auxiliary Meeting**

Our next Parish Auxiliary meeting will be November 14 at 6 pm in Parish Hall. All are welcome!

### **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 ends 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 11th**

**Servers:**

11/4 8am Claire Boeglin & Zachary Peerman

**Lector:**

11/4 8am Dee Anna Booker

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

11/4 8am Angela Peerman & Connie Williams

**Gifts:**

11/04 8am Hershel Smith Family

**Ushers For Month of November**

8am Dee Anna Booker, Ben Blair

**Church Cleaner**

Rita Haire (Nov. 4-17)  
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 4th thru November 10th**

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

-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  
-10:30 am - Parish Council Meeting at St. Peter

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

-8am - Mass - *Herbert & Ruby Murphy*

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

-8am - Mass - *Lee Ann Schrecker*

**Wednesday - Thirty-first Week In Ordinary Time**

-8am - Mass - *Chris Settles*

**Thursday - Thirty-first Week In Ordinary Time**

-8am - Mass - *Anita Mitchell*

-5.45pm - Bible Study

**Friday - The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica**

-8am - Mass - *James C Edlen Jr.*

**Saturday - St. Leo The Great**

-3pm - Confession

-4pm - Mass at St. Peter - *James C. Settles*

**Sunday - Thirty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time**

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

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**



Rob & April Mitchell 11/05  
Paul & Jane Johnson 11/10

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



To All November Birthdays

**An Accounting of Your Stewardship of Treasure**

Weekly Budget \$1,403.85

**Actual Collection: October 28th**

Sunday Collection \$1,817.00

**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.....Phil 2:1-4; Luke 14:12-14  
Tuesday.....Phil 2:5-11 Luke 14:15-24  
Wednesday.....Phil 2:12-18; Luke 4:25-33  
Thurs.....Phil3:3-8a; Luke15:1-10  
Friday.....Ezekiel 47:1-2,8-9,12;; John 2:13-22  
Saturday.....Philippians 1:18b Luke 14:1, 7-11  
Sunday.....Kings 17:10-16; Heb. 9:24-28; Mark 12:38-44

**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 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

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 15, 6:30pm, Parish Council, SA.  
Nov 17th, Chili Supper and Bingo, Time TBA  
Nov 24th, 5.45pm, Bible Study, SP  
**\*\*SA - St. Augustine \*\*SP - St. Peter**

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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.