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**Altar Flowers this Week are Sponsored in Honor
of the Celebration of Terry Murphy's Birthday**

Upcoming Meetings

March 10th - St. Augustine Altar Society at 6pm
March 12th - St. Peter Finance Council after Mass
March 16th - St. Peter Parish Council after Mass
March 20th - St. Augustine Parish Council at 6pm

St. Augustine Potluck Breakfast
Sunday, March 2nd after Mass

Ash Wednesday Masses
March 5, 2025

8:00am at St. Augustine
6:00pm at St. Peter
Both parishes will need volunteers for all ministries

March 9th, 2025
2:00am set clocks
forward 1 hour



Stations of the Cross

The Way of the Cross will be each Thursday evening at 5:30pm during Lent beginning March 6th and continue through April 10th at St. Augustine and each Friday evening at 4:00pm at St. Peter's beginning March 7th through April 11th.

"A Pilgrim's Way":

St. Augustine and St. Peter Catholic Churches present Luke Spehar (www.lukespehar.com) in concert on Saturday, March 8, with free admission! From 5:30pm-7:00pm enjoy a family friendly concert in the St. Peter parish hall. Heavy appetizers and other refreshments will be provided. Each family in both parishes is asked to bring a heavy appetizer to St. Peter parish hall on 03/08 during the 3:00pm-4:00pm hour before mass to show a warm welcome to those in our community who attend. Please contact Jacinta Paris or Shelley Payne with any questions.

Thank You

Thanks to everyone who supported this year's chili supper and bingo. It's because of your generosity the Altar Society is able to continue to work in the community through outreach programs and keep St. Augustine looking nice for mass with living and fresh cut flowers.

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

Welcome to all our visitors and new parishioners! Fr. Will welcomes you and would be pleased to meet and know you. New parishioners can easily register online through the parishes websites or by visiting/calling the parish offices.

Faith Formation Schedule

Class Time 8:45am-9:45am

March 2nd - Faith Formation Class
March 9th - Faith Formation Class
March 16th - Faith Formation Class
March 23rd - Faith Formation Class

Graduation Time is Near

Please notify St. Peter's office if your young adult is graduating from high school or college. We would like to have them recognized in the Western KY Catholic, as well as our own bulletin. Please include the graduate's name and parent information. Thank you.

Scholarship Opportunity

St. Augustine Catholic Church in Reed, KY is offering two \$1,000 scholarships for practicing Catholics attending colleges, university, or trade school from Daviess and Henderson Counties. Please contact the parish office for the scholarship application for those who wish to apply.

Confirmation

Confirmation classes for March are 03/12 and 03/26 from 6:30pm—7:45pm in St. Peter's basement. Please reach out to Shelley Payne or Breanna White if you have any questions.

OCS Voucher for 2025-2026 School Year

Parents of students going to OCS are requested to confirm or get your student's school voucher by calling the parish office as early as possible. If you are not able to contact the office in the next two weeks, it is presumed that you are not in need of a school voucher for the 2025-2026 school year. Thank you.

St. Augustine Service Project

Saturday, March 15, at 9:00am, anyone wanting to help cook a meal for the teens living at St. Joseph Peace Mission is welcome to come share your time and your talents. The youth don't always get a home-cooked meal, so we want them to feel the love of home-cooking. All are welcome! Reach out to any Altar Society member if you have questions.

St. Peter Lenten Fish Fry

The St. Peter of Alcantara Men's Club will be having Lenten Fish Fries on these Fridays: March 14, March 21, March 28, April 4, & April 11th. Serving begins at 5:30pm. You may dine-in or carryout. The meal will be all you can eat to include: catfish fiddlers or filets, French fries, fried potatoes, fresh coleslaw, hushpuppies, and dessert. Open to the public!! St. Peter Parish Auxiliary will be selling quilt raffle tickets throughout Lent with the drawing to be held at the last fish fry of the season, April 11th. Contact the parish office for more information.

Knights of Columbus News

March 7th - Fish Fry 5pm

2025-26 Cathedral Preschool Registration Going on Now

It's time to plan for next school year for your preschool-aged child! Cathedral Preschool registration for the 2025-2026 school year is now open. <http://cathedralpreschool.com/>

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK †

ST. PETER: Jennifer Ebelhar, Dr. Gabrielle Hart, Melody Cecil, Ann Canary, Mary Beth Clark, Fr. Fid Levri, Millie Mullican, Joe Bill McKay, Phyllis Schrecker, Steve Moss, Bruce Schrecker, Jennifer Blair, Edie McKay, Lisa Clary, Cindy Coomes, and Pope Francis.

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Grace Marriage

Grace Marriage is always open for sign-ups. Please reach out to the parish office to be connected with a facilitator for more information. The dates for 2025 are as follows: 04/26, 08/23, and 11/08.

OCIA

This adult education is for those interested in becoming Catholic or are simply curious about the Catholic faith. The next meeting will be at St. Peter's on Wednesday, March 12th at 6:30PM. If you or someone you know is interested please invite them to join us.

Lenten Penance Services

St. Peter of Alcantara	March 27th	6PM
St. Alphonsus	April 3rd	6PM
Immaculate Parish	April 7th	6PM
St. Martin, Rome	April 8th	6PM
Precious Blood	April 10th	6PM
St. Stephen Cathedral	April 13th	2PM

Precana

Our Winter 2025 Retreat will be held on March 29th, 2025 at Gasper River Retreat Center in Bowling Green, KY. Our summer retreat will be held June 21st, 2025 at the McRaith Catholic Center in Owensboro. Fall 2025 date TBA, check our webpage to stay up to date on future retreats <https://owensborodiocese.org/precana/>.

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

Independence Bank Scholarship Opportunity

Our team seeks to understand applicants' goals, aspirations, where they come from and who they are, through evaluating a typed essay, high school grades/GPA, ACT scores, financial need, extracurricular activities and volunteer tasks. Information about our scholarship program, including lists of previous recipients can be found on our website. www.1776bank.com/Scholarships The deadline to apply is Feb. 24th at 5:00pm. Applications can be completed online by visiting our website. All applicants will be notified by email in April.

Diocese of Owensboro Men's Retreat

The Diocese of Owensboro is excited to offer an overnight men's retreat April 25-26, 2025 at Rough River Dam State Resort Park located at 450 Lodge Road, Falls of Rough, KY 40119. The retreat will begin Friday evening and end at 3:00pm Saturday. We welcome John Edwards, host of the *Just a Guy in the Pew* podcast as our retreat host. We will have both double occupancy rooms and single occupancy rooms available for the retreat. Register before March 1st to receive \$10 off registration costs! To register and see a schedule of events visit <https://owensborodiocese.org/cor-retreat/>.

St. Augustine Ministries

Stewards for March 9th

Servers:

3/9 - 8:00am - Tanner Schwartz

Lectors:

3/9 - 8:00am - Dee Anna Booker

Gifts:

3/9 - 8:00am - Jeff Raley Family

Ushers for March:

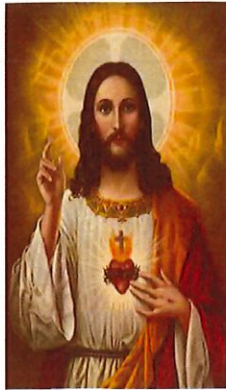
Larry & Sherry Schwartz

Weekly Flower Pick-Up

3/9 - LENT

Church Cleaners:

Phyllis Thorsen (Mar 1-14)
 Connie Williams (Mar 15-28)
 Kathy Wolfe (Mar 29-Apr 11)



Church Cleaners:

Cleaning the church is an act of your love and gratitude to God for our church. If you are physically unable to clean, or if for some reason you are unable to clean when it is your turn, please contact: Sherry Schwartz 270-302-5427 and for a fee of \$30.00 per week, she will clean for your two weeks. Thank you.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

MARCH 2ND THRU MARCH 9TH

Sunday - Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine - *Wayne Purgeason*
 9:00am - Potluck Breakfast at St. Augustine
 10:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *People of the Parish*

Monday - Eighth Week in Ordinary Time

8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Terry Murphy Family*

Tuesday - Eighth Week in Ordinary Time

No Mass

Wednesday - Ash Wednesday

8:00am- Mass at St. Augustine - *People of the Parish*
 6:00pm - Mass at St. Peter - *Joe Coomes*

Thursday - Thursday After Ash Wednesday

8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Joan Wimsatt*
 5:30pm - The Way of the Cross at St. Augustine

Friday - Friday After Ash Wednesday

8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Mary Stogsdill Faulkner*
 4:00pm - The Way of the Cross at St. Peter
 Weekly Adoration 8:30am - 4:00pm at St. Peter

Saturday - Saturday After Ash Wednesday

8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine - *Martha Pendleton*
 8:30am - Confessions at St. Augustine
 3:00pm - Confessions at St. Peter
 4:00pm - Mass at St. Peter - *Jerome Blair*
 5:30pm - Luke Spehar Concert at St. Peter

Sunday - First Sunday of Lent

8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine - *Christopher Carrico*
 10:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *People of the Parish*

An Accounting of Your Stewardship of Treasure

Weekly Budget	2,193.00
Actual Collection: Feb. 16th, 2025	
Sunday Collection	910.00
Actual Collection: Feb. 23rd, 2025	
Sunday Collection	2,128.00

Happy Birthday



Steve Byrne 3/4
 Jeff Raley 3/7

Happy Anniversary



Rudy & Nancy Ritter (36 yrs.)

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ST. AUGUSTINE: Shelia Byrne, Mason Jackson, Nick Jackson, Randall Schwartz, Barbara Smith, Mack Lacer, Jeff Simon, Martha Miller, John Wolfe, Fr. Fid Levri, Bill Williams, Phyllis Schrecker, Jennifer Blair, Lois Payne, Ben Blair, Joey Payne, Pope Francis, and Nancy Ritter.

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Daily Mass Readings

Monday.....	Sirach 17:20-24; Mark 10:17-27
Tuesday.....	Sirach 35:1-12; Mark 10:28-31
Wednesday.....	Jl. 2:12-18; 2 Co. 5:20—6:2; Mt. 6:1-6,16-18
Thursday.....	Deuteronomy 30:15-20; Luke 9:22-25
Friday.....	Isaiah 58:1-9a; Matthew 9:14-15
Saturday.....	Isaiah 58:9b-14; Luke 5:27-32
Sunday.....	Deuteronomy 26:4-10; Romans 10:8-13;
..... Luke 4:1-13

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is celebrated anytime upon request, and once in a while during the weekend Masses. Please notify Fr. Will or call the parish office if you know of anyone who is sick and in need of the sacrament. Fr. Will will make every effort to visit them.

Bulletin Information

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

Special Collection

March 5th - Campaign for Mandeville, Jamaica
 March 16th - St. Peter's Cemetery Fund
 March 23rd - Infirm Priests of the Diocese
 March 30th - Catholic Relief Services
 March 30th - St. Vincent de Paul

RADA Cutlery Link

<https://radafundraising.com/?rfsn=4541930.aec8dc>

Kroger Rebates

This is a reminder that you can link your Kroger plus card to St. Peter of Alcantara Catholic Church through Kroger Community Rewards Program. Please contact the parish office for information or assistance. Rebates are received quarterly.

Bulletin/Website

If you would like the weekly bulletin emailed to you please contact the parish office. *Please go to our website: stpeterofalcantara.com to see the events calendar and stay up to date on all our happenings.*



Planned Giving

The estate plans you make now ensure that St. Peter of Alcantara's mission and traditions are transferred from one generation to another. Planned giving allows your loyalty and generosity to continue beyond your lifetime. A planned gift includes but is not limited to bequests, charitable annuities and remainder trusts, life insurance policies, and securities.

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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.