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Returning to the Celebration of Public Mass

We all long for the day when we can gather with our entire parish community for the celebration of the Eucharist. We value the communal nature of the Mass and we know that when any part of our community is missing, the celebration is lacking. However, we are also aware of our obligation to respect the dignity of every human life. Because of this, and out of a sense of Christian charity, we must celebrate the Mass with restrictions for the time being. Please find a video and letter from Bishop Medley, along with some Q & A on the guidelines for resuming public worship by visiting: <https://owensborodiocese.org/return-to-public-mass/>.

VOCARE 2020 Cancelled

Due to the current COVID-19 situation, Bishop Medley has decided not to hold the annual VOCARE event this year. It was originally set to take place on Friday, September 18, 2020 at the Owensboro Convention Center. Those wishing to financially support vocations are encouraged to use our online donation form at owensborodiocese.org/give/. We also ask that you continue your prayers for vocations so that many more young men and women will answer the call that God has on their lives.

OCS Parish Vouchers

Please call Fr. John to pick up your parish voucher for the 2020-2021 school year.

Summer Faith Formation Opportunity

You are invited to join Fr. Ray Clark for an introduction to the New Testament this summer. This free, on-line experience is a wonderful way to accumulate 14 hours toward diocesan certification. You only need to purchase a copy of Stephen Binz book titled, "Introduction to the Bible: A Catholic guide to studying Scripture," for \$10 in Owensboro at St. Maximilian Kolbe Bookstore at 109 E. 18th Street or order through Liturgical Press. You are also encouraged to have a Catholic study Bible. We recommend Little Rock Catholic Study Bible which is also available through Liturgical Press. Classes begin June 2 – July 7. Please visit <https://owensborodiocese.org/summer-formation-opportunity/> for more information and to register.

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

Welcome to all our visitors and new parishioners! Fr. John 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.

Seventh Sunday of Easter

John 17:1-11

"I glorified you on earth by accomplishing the work you gave me to do."

Jesus spoke these words as part of his prayer to the Father for his disciples at the Last Supper just before he went to the Garden of Gethsemane. What was the *work* the Father had given Jesus to accomplish on earth to glorify Him? Part of that *work* was to be a living, breathing, walking, talking example and model to show us how we can accomplish the *work* the Father has given to each of us. For each of us that *work* is different. Each of us has received from God a vast array of talents, abilities and gifts that are unique. Each of us has a unique life experience. It is precisely because we are unique that we must identify, accept, develop and use all that God created us to be. And we must share what God has given to us with others. When we meet God face to face will we be able to say, "I glorified you on earth by accomplishing the *work* you gave me to do?"

Mt. St. Joseph Academy Reunion Postponed

The annual reunion for the Mount Saint Joseph Academy/Junior College which is normally the second weekend of May has been rescheduled for Oct. 17-18. All students and faculty are invited back for Alumnae Weekend at Maple Mount. Activities include a Saturday "Welcome Back" supper, class photos, breakfast with the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph, Mass on Sunday, and the popular awards banquet where anniversary classes and Maple Leaf Award winners are recognized. Accommodations are available for a fee. The cost of the catered awards banquet is \$25. To register, contact Doreen Abbott at 270-229-2006 or alumnae.msaj@maplemount.org. A registration form can be found at <https://ursulinesmsj.org/alumnae-weekend/>. Also, there is usually an Alumnae Memorial Mass on the first Sunday in November to honor alumnae and faculty who died the previous year. This observance will now take place at the reunion liturgy on Oct. 18.

Calling All Catholics - Diocese of Owensboro

Through May 31, Pentecost Sunday, use the symbol of light as an outward sign in some way on your property as a witness to all of the prayers burning in our hearts and as a reminder that the light has come into our world and has conquered even death.

Catholic Charities

Catholic Charities has been compiling information regarding resources for people across our diocese. You can find those resources by visiting <https://owensborodiocese.org/covid-2019>. You will find a list of food pantries and community meals for Daviess County, resources for the Henderson, Warren and McCracken areas, plus much more.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK †

ST. PETER: Jennifer Ebelhar, Lillian Young, Lois Connor, and Joan Wimsatt.

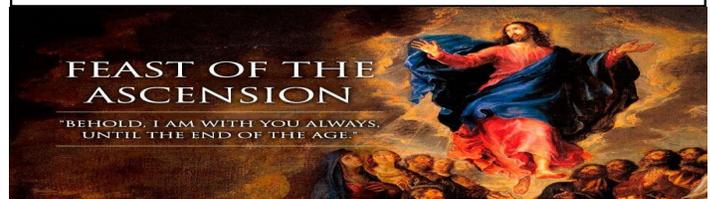
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Bulletin/Website

If you would like the weekly bulletin emailed to you please email: mkeller922@hotmail.com, call Mary Keller at 270-316-5927 or contact the parish office. At our parish website: stpeterofalcantara.com you can click on the Events tab to see the Calendar.

Children's Liturgy

If you are looking for ways to engage your children with the liturgy on Sunday, here are a couple of websites that have free printable worksheets and puzzles. Try www.sdc.me.uk for liturgy worksheets and 4catholiceducators.com for puzzles.



Stewardship Forms

It is the time of year to renew stewardship forms. Anyone needing to make changes to their previous form, such as adding yourself or a family member to any ministry or phone numbers to the one call, please call the parish office. Thank you to all parishioners who volunteer their time, talent, and treasure.

Grace Marriage @ Home

We all need some grace and positivity in these unprecedented times. Couples are enduring a lot of stress, anxiety and uncertainty and many marriages are struggling. In an effort to help married couples draw closer to Jesus and to one another during this time, Grace Marriage will be providing one "Grace Marriage @ Home" lesson per week for the next month or so. Couples watch an 8-10 minute teaching video and use a downloadable worksheet to apply the principles to their relationship. It takes about 30-45 minutes a week of undistracted time as a couple to go through each lesson. Links will be posted each week on the [Family Life Facebook Page](#) and [Grace Marriage Facebook Page](#).

Diocese of Owensboro Prayer Companion

The Office of Worship has created a resource for prayer at home during the Coronavirus outbreak called the *Diocese of Owensboro Prayer Companion*. In addition, each week that Mass is suspended, Lauren Johnson will be sharing an adapted Liturgy of the Word for use by the faithful at home that is specific to each Sunday. Each week's Liturgy of the Word will include a short reflection on the readings by one of our Diocesan Priests. You can find them by visiting <https://owensborodiocese.org/resources-for-prayer-at-home/>.

St. Augustine Ministries

Stewards for May 31st

Lectors:

5/31 - 8:00am - Rob Mitchell

Ushers for May

Ronnie Pergeason & Larry Schwartz

We want to thank our ministers for their stewardship of time and talent. Please make every effort to find a replacement if you are unable to attend at your scheduled time. Thank You.

Thank You!



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

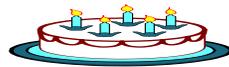
MAY 24TH THRU MAY 31ST

- Sunday - The Ascension of the Lord - Solemnity**
8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine - *George Murphy*
10:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *People of the Parish*
11:00am - Parish Council Meeting at St. Peter
- Monday - Easter Weekday**
8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Magdalene Knott*
- Tuesday - St. Philip Neri, Priest - Memorial**
No Mass
- Wednesday - Easter Weekday**
6:00pm - Mass at St. Peter - *Bill Clary*
- Thursday - Easter Weekday**
8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Bill Young*
- Friday - Easter Weekday**
8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Kenny Pendleton*
- Saturday - Easter Weekday**
4:00pm - Confession at St. Peter
5:00pm - Mass at St. Peter - *Living & Deceased Members of Jim Settles Family*
- Sunday - Pentecost Sunday**
8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine - *Bill Clary*
10:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *People of the Parish*

An Accounting of Your Stewardship of Treasure

Weekly Budget	1,597.00
Actual Collection: May 17th, 2020	
Sunday Collection	500.00

Happy Birthday



Aaron Ellis 5/24
Kristin Miller 5/28
Isaac Boeglin 5/31
Nolan Miller 5/31

Happy Anniversary



God Bless All Married Couples
In Our Parish

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ST. AUGUSTINE: Shelia Byrne, Mason Jackson, Nicholas Jackson, David Medley, Randall Schwartz, Barbara Smith, Bucky Lacer, Betty Davis, and Mack Lacer.

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Daily Mass Readings

Monday.....	Acts 19:1-8; John 16:29-33
Tuesday.....	Acts 20:17-27; John 17:1-11a
Wednesday.....	Acts 20:28-38; John 17:11b-19
Thursday.....	Acts 22:30;23:6-11; John 17:20-26
Friday.....	Acts 25:13b-21; John 21:15-19
Saturday.....	Acts 28:16-21,30-31; John 21:20-25
Sunday.....	Acts 2:1-11; 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7,12-13;John 20:19-23

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. John or call the parish office if you know of anyone who is sick and in need of the sacrament. Fr. John 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.

On-Line Mass Schedule

Diocesan:

St. Stephen Cathedral at 9 AM : www.facebook.com/ststephencathedral/live
 Brescia University at 10 AM: <https://livestream.com/accounts/19227302/bresciamass>
 St. Joseph in Leitchfield at 11 AM: <https://stjosephch.org/live-streaming>
 St. Thomas More in Paducah at 9 AM: <https://www.stmore.org/live-mass>
 Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph at 11 AM: <https://www.facebook.com/ursulinesmsj/>

Non-diocesan:

Local EWTN Mass times can be found here: <https://www.ewtn.com/tv/channel-finder>
<https://www.watchthemass.com/>
<http://www.catholicstv.org/masses/catholicstv-mass>
<https://thesundaymass.org/>
<https://www.wordonfire.org/daily-mass/>

Special Collection



May 24th - Communications Collection

June 28th - Peter's Pence



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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.