



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



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



UNITED IN CHRIST TO LOVE AND TO SERVE

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Parish Council Meeting

St. Augustine's Parish Council will meet Thursday, July 19th at 6:30pm. All are invited to attend.

Updated Raffle Ticket Total

This week's updated total for raffle ticket sales is \$2,660.00 Please continue to make every effort to sell all your tickets. Thank You!

Meat Collection

Your donation to this fund is a great benefit to St. Peter's Parish in helping offset expenses associated with the picnic. Each family is asked to give at least \$25.00. some can and **do** give more. Please participate in the program to the extent that you are able. Place your donation in the "Meat Collection" envelope and put in the collection basket. Thank you.

St. Augustine Picnic Relief

July is the month for all families, of the St. Augustine Parish to make donations to the Picnic Relief. As you know, we no longer have a yearly picnic to raise funds for Church operations; so, it is very important, given the added expenses for the mold clean-up, that all families make their yearly donations. Thank you!

For Your Information

The total profit from the Night At The Races, that was held in March, was \$5,610.61. That is the total revenue minus the food and the actual races expense.

Going on Vacation?

And don't know where the nearest Catholic church is? Go to: masstimes.org which includes information on the closest Catholic church and Mass times. Happy travels!

Vocare 2018

VOCARE is an annual celebration of vocations to priesthood and religious life in our diocese. This year is our fifth annual VOCARE event and it takes place Friday, September 14, 2018 at the Owensboro Convention Center. Tickets are on sale now. For individual seats or whole tables of eight, please visit <https://owensborodiocese.org/vocare/> for more information.

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

We want to welcome our visitors and new parishioners! Please introduce yourself to Fr. Jegin. We are glad that you are here to share the Liturgy with our community. If you would like to register please 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.

Dear Friends in Jesus Christ,

As we begin to reflect about today's Gospel, the first question we need to ask ourselves is-am I really called by Jesus? If I am really called by Jesus personally, did I ever try to find out the purpose of my calling and lived accordingly? The Gospel states that the very purpose of Jesus' calling His disciples is to be with Him and to be sent out. I am sure, being the disciples of Jesus in this 21st century, the purpose of our call is not different either. If so let us examine the purpose of our call.

TO BE WITH THE LORD: How faithful am I, in being with the Lord -through my holy life of Loving God and neighbor in all possible ways? Do I find time for my Lord, as He is finding time for my needs? Only if we have true love for someone, we will find time to be with that particular person. Only by being with someone we can know the person well and love him or her. If so, how much we know our God and how much we love Him? If we say we love Him, how can we rebel against Him through our sinful ways of life? Only by fulfilling the first purpose we can step into the process of second purpose of our calling to be sent out.

TO BE SENT OUT: It is about the second purpose of our Christian call, the Gospel of today is talking to us. Yes, the disciples are sent out to preach the Good News of Repentance. If you remember the Gospel of last weekend, we know that going out to preach the Good News of Repentance is not an easy job, because Jesus Himself had bitter experience from His own home town people. Preaching about repentance means, telling the people on their face that; what you are doing not right, you need to change your ways of life and turn towards God. We know Jesus, St. John the Baptist, the disciples and many other saints went around and preached about the repentance and they had to cost their lives in this world. Yes, only a true prophet can preach about the repentance boldly, and only a true disciple of Jesus can accept that repentance in his or her life and become a prophet in this world. In today's world we don't find anyone like Jesus or John the Baptist or disciples or any other martyrs in the church, because everyone is trying to do a compromise preaching without hurting anyone, and no one is dare to preach the Gospel of repentance in its true spirit. Dear friends, true freedom is not your will to do whatever you want, but it is your will to do the right things always.

Dear friends, every one of us are called to be a prophet. To be an effective prophet, Jesus sets out certain instructions through the Gospel for our lives as we are already being sent out. All the directions given by Jesus are leading us to one point of placing our trust in the Lord completely than worldly things and move forward without any fear. This is the experience St. Paul preaches to us in the

Romans 8:31 "If God is for us, who can be against us."

Yes, we are all sent out to this world with the power and authority that comes from the Lord. So, to execute Lords' power and authority effectively through our lives in this world, let us be connected to God always and thus be faithful to the call we have received from Him by fulfilling the purpose of our call. it is about this power and authority we pray every day through the prayer of St. Francis.



Saturday Evening Mass Cancelled

Due to the wedding of Kelsey Settles and Jordan Pruden Saturday, August 4th, 2018 regular evening Mass at St. Peter's will be cancelled. The wedding Mass begins at 4pm and all parishnors are welcomed to attend. Thanks!

St. Peter Picnic Schedule Reminder

Friday, July 20th, 2018

8:00 am - Set up stands
1:00 pm - Cut up vegetables
5:00 pm - Cut up meat

Saturday, July 21st, 2018

7:00 am - Debone meat
7:00 am - Start cooking burgoo
8:00 am - Start pits for chicken, mutton and pork

Saturday Additional Items

2:00 pm - **ALL** workers for **any** stand report to your stand
3:00 pm - Workers will eat (Debbie Edelen and Lisa Clary will be selling worker tickets)
4:00 pm - Serve to the public and booths open
7:00 pm - Mass at St. Peter's. After Mass - begin cleanup of booths, stands and trash pickup on picnic grounds

Sunday, July 22nd, 2018

8:00 am - Finish clean-up of picnic grounds.

We count on your presence and help as always

Study The Book of Galatians

Begins the week of September 10th for 8 weeks at Immaculate Parish. You may attend one of the 2 hour sessions - either 10am or 6:30 pm. Sign up be contacting Diane Willis at: dwillis@immacualateparish.org, 270-683-0689 or signing up on Facebook at "The Immaculate" Events.

You Can Help Your Marriage

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue...or have you jus stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriage. This program has helped thousands of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the August program beginning with a weekend on August 17, 2018 call the Family Life office at 270-683-1545 or visit the website at: www.retrouvaille.org.



**St. Augustine Ministries
Stewards for Sunday, July 22nd**

Servers

07/22 8am Sam Mitchell
and John Boeglin

Lector

07/22 8am Rosemary Murphy

Eucharistic Ministers

07/22 8am Linda and Sonny Evans

Gifts

07/22 8am Rob Mitchell Family

Ushers For The Month Of July

8am Sonny and Linda Evans

Cleaner

Stanette Blair
July 15 thru July 28

**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

July 15th thru July 22nd

Sunday - Fifteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

-8am - Mass at St. Augustine - Daniel Blair
-9:30am - Mass at St. Peter - People of the Parish

Monday - Fifteenth Week In Ordinary Time

-8am - Mass - The Cecil and Igleheart Familites

Tuesday - Fifteenth Week In Ordinary Time

-8am - Mass - Anita Mitchell

Wednesday - Fifteenth Week In Ordinary Time

-8am - Mass - Living/Deceased members of the Eddie Johnson family

Thursday - Fifteenth Week In Ordinary Time

-8am - Mass - Father Pat Thompson
-6:30pm - St. Augustine Parish Council Meeting

Friday - Fifteenth Week In Ordinary Time

-8am - Mass - Lee Ann Schrecker

Saturday - Fifteenth Week In Ordinary Time

-4pm - St. Peter Picnic
-7pm - Mass at St. Peter - Everett Russell

Sunday - Sixteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

-8am - Mass at St. Augustine - Mary Catherine Elder
-9:30am - Mass at St. Peter - People of the Parish

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY



Walter and Kathy Wolfe

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Tony Cain 07/18

**An Accounting of Your
Stewardship of Treasure**

Weekly Budget \$1,403.85

Actual Collection: July 8th

Sunday Collection \$1,215.00
Picnic Relief 100.00

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK †

Dee Anna Booker, Sr. Michael Bridget, Rethia Bumgardner, Shelia Byrne, Barbara Connor, Tonya Crabtree, Alan Ebelhar, Jennifer Ebelhar, Stella Fogle, Delbert Fulkerson, Robin Hardesty, Mason Jackson, Nicholas Jackson, Fr. Jegin, Mack Lacer, Leslie LeClure, John Patrick Martin, Paula Mayfield, David Medley, Margie Merimee, Ralph Mitchell, Angie Park, Kenny Pendleton, Steve Raley, Randall Schwartz, Chris Settles, Barbara Smith, Juanita Spalding, Karen Strode, Baron Vanover, Betty Wathen, Bill Young, Lillian Young.



Monday.....Isaiah 1:10-17; Matthew 10:34-11:1
Tuesday.....Isaiah 7:1-9; Matthew 11:20-24
Wed.....Isaiah 10:5-7, 13b-16; Matthew 11:25-27
Thurs.....Isaiah 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Matthew 11:28-30
Friday.....Isaiah 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Matthew 12:1-8
Saturday.....Micah 2:1-5; Matthew 12:14-21
Sunday.....Jeremiah 23:1-6; Ephesians 2:13-18; Mark 6:30-34

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 week-end 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.

