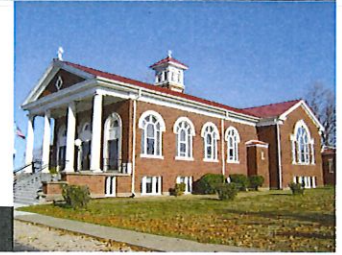


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Parish Mission with Fr. Corey Bruns

The call of a Christian is ultimately to love as God loves. At times, that's easier said than done. Diocesan Director of Vocations, Rev. Corey D. Bruns will preach a three-day Lenten parish mission digging into our call to love God and his people more deeply through the lens of our universal vocation to holiness. Please join us at St. Peter of Alcantara February 23-25, 2026 at 6:30pm. Tuesday, February 24, there will be a reception to follow.

Stations of the Cross

The Way of the Cross will be each Thursday evening at 5:30pm during Lent beginning February 19 and continue through March 26 at St. Augustine and each Friday evening at 5pm at St. Peter's beginning February 20 through March 27, 2026.

St. Peter Lenten Fish Fry

St. Peter of Alcantara Men's Club will be having Lenten Fish Fries on these Fridays: Feb. 27, March 6, March 13, March 20, and March 27. Food service 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, March 27. Contact the parish office for more information.

Lenten Long John Silver's Fundraisers

Long John Silver's is providing a fundraiser for both parishes on Lent Fridays. Please tell the cashier that you are here to support the church before you pay! At the end of Lent 2026, they will provide the churches with 20% kickback of the sales flagged as church. St. Augustine is set up at the Henderson Long John Silver's and St. Peter is set up at the Parrish Ave. Long John Silver's.



March 8, 2026
2:00am set clocks
forward 1 hour

St. Augustine Potluck Breakfast

Sunday, March 1, 2026
Everyone is invited!

Parish Council Nominations

This weekend is the deadline to turn in parish council recommendations. Thank you to everyone who has served and continue to serve on our councils.

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.

**St. Augustine Chili Supper/Bingo/Cook-off/
Half Pot Details**

-Saturday, 03/07, eat at 6:00pm, doors to the parish hall open at 5:30pm.
-\$10 gets you a regular bowl of chili, a hot dog, a dessert, and drink
-Cook off samples are 5/\$5
-Bingo tickets are 3/\$10
-Big Half pot tickets are \$10 each and on sale now from any Altar Society member.
-The food and supply donation list is on the side table at church. Thanks for your generosity with any donations you are able to contribute!

Chili Cook-off!

This year at the St. Augustine Chili Supper on 03/07 we're trying something new. There will be a chili cook-off. There's a \$10 entry fee, and you must fix 6 quarts of your chili. The last day to enter is 02/24. A cash prize of no less than \$50 will be given to the winner. Please let Shelley Payne know if you would like to enter your chili into the contest.

Chili Supper Half Pot Update

The pot is up to \$3,430.00 as of 02/18 at noon. See any Altar Society member to buy your ticket or simply reach out to Anna Dee Raney or Sherry Schwartz.

Parish Lenten Penance Service

The Lenten Penance Service for both parishes will be held at St. Augustine on Tuesday, March 10, at 6:00pm. Let's prepare our hearts to celebrate this Easter season!

Community Lenten Penance Services

February 23	6:00pm	Mount St. Joseph
March 10	6:00pm	St. Augustine, Reed
March 11	6:00pm	St. Martin, Rome
March 12	6:00pm	St. Alphonsus
March 19	6:00pm	St. Sebastian, Calhoun
March 23	6:00pm	Immaculate Parish
March 24	6:00pm	Precious Blood
March 29	2:00pm	St. Stephen Cathedral

Faithful Citizen Scholarship

The application process for St. Augustine's Faithful Citizen Scholarship 2026 is now open. All Catholic high school seniors who plan to attend a trade school or college/university following high school graduation are encouraged to complete an application and have it back to the St. Augustine parish office at St. Peter by April 1, 2026. Students must reside in either Henderson or Daviess Counties and be in communion with the Catholic Church. Two \$1,000.00 scholarships will be awarded by May 1, 2026. Applications are located at the entrance tables of church.

Youth 2000

Youth 2000 signups are underway. The dates this year are March 13-15 at Brescia University. Applications are available at the entrances to church. The cost is \$65 per person aged 13-30. All money and applications must be turned into the parish office no later than Sunday, February 22. If you have any questions, please reach out to Kimberly Pollard or Shelley Payne.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK †

ST. PETER: Jennifer Ebelhar, Dr. Gabrielle Hart, Melody Cecil, Ann Canary, Mary Beth Clark, Bruce & Phyllis Schrecker, Steve Moss, Jennifer Blair, Cindy Coomes, David Bailey, Johnny McFadden, Star McKay, Judy Keller, Justin Blandford, and Anna Carol Murphy.

Note: Names will be purged every 3 months unless otherwise advised.

Upcoming Meetings

March 2 - St. Augustine Altar Society at 6pm
March 15 - St. Peter Parish Council at 11am
March 18 - St. Peter Parish Auxiliary at 6:30pm
March 19 - St. Augustine Parish Council at 6pm

2025-2026 Faith Formation Schedule

Class Time 8:45am-9:45am

February 22, 2026	Faith Formation Class
March 1, 2026	Faith Formation Class
March 8, 2026	Faith Formation Class
March 15, 2026	Faith Formation Class
March 22, 2026	Faith Formation Class

St. Augustine Altar Flowers

Anyone who would like to sponsor altar flowers for loved ones for a specific week, the cost is \$100 per week. Please reach out to Sherry Schwartz for more details.

OCIA

OCIA "Order of Christian Initiation of Adults" is for anyone interested in joining the Catholic Church or is simply curious about the Catholic faith. Meetings for this season will be held in St. Peter's Parish Hall on Tuesday nights at 6:30pm. The next meeting is February 24, 2026. If you or someone you know is interested, please invite them to join us. All are welcome!

Grace Marriage

Any couples wanting to be notified when Grace Marriage Year 3 is set to begin, please reach out to the parish office to be connected to a facilitator.

Christmas Home Tour 2026

St. Peter Parish Auxiliary is looking for a chairperson for the 2026 Christmas Home Tour. There are 3, maybe 4 houses already signed up for this year. Please contact Sandy Settles if you are interested. Also, thank you to Sandy Settles for chairing this event for the last two years.

2026 St. Augustine Events Calendar

March 7 - Chili Supper, Bingo and Half-Pot
April 18 - Ladies' Day
May 17 - Graduation Mass
May 31 - Fr. Will's Ordination Anniversary Dinner
June 7 - Altar Server Appreciation Breakfast
September 26 - St. Augustine Reverse Raffle 2026
November 15 - Community Thanksgiving Dinner

Knights of Columbus

Father Connor Council 6101

Regular Meeting - March 3rd - 6PM
Sausage Making - March 7th
Lenten Fish Fry - March 27th

St. Augustine Ministries

Stewards for March 1st

Servers:

3/1 - 8:00am - Zachary Peerman & Jaxon Cecil

Lector:

3/1 - 8:00am - Julie Lee

Sacristan:

3/1 - 8:00am - Larry Schwartz

Gifts:

3/1 - 8:00am - Timothy Coomes Family

Ushers:

3/1 - 8:00am - Kathy Wolfe & Connie Williams

Weekly Flowers:

3/1 - LENT

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY 22ND THRU MARCH 1ST

Sunday - The First Sunday of Lent

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

Monday - Lenten Weekday

8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Carl Millay*
6:30pm - Parish Mission at St. Peter

Tuesday - Lenten Weekday

No Mass
6:30pm - Parish Mission at St. Peter with Reception

Wednesday - Lenten Weekday

6:00pm - Mass at St. Peter - *Joe Bill McKay*
6:30pm - Parish Mission at St. Peter

Thursday - Lenten Weekday

8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Hugh Cecil*

Friday - Lenten Weekday

8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Private Intention*
Weekly Adoration 8:30am - 3:30pm at St. Peter
5:00pm - Stations of the Cross at St. Peter
5:30pm - St. Peter Fish Fry

Saturday - Lenten Weekday

8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine - *Bruce Head*
8:30am - Confessions at St. Augustine
3:00pm - Confessions at St. Peter
4:00pm - Mass at St. Peter - *People of the Parish*

Sunday - The Second Sunday of Lent

8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine - *Rachel McNulty Higdon*
9:00am - St. Augustine Potluck Breakfast
10:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Frank & Catherine Fogle*

An Accounting of Your Stewardship of Treasure

Weekly Budget	2,292.00
Actual Collection:	Feb. 15, 2026
Sunday Collection	4,619.00
Maintenance	40.00
First Offering	5.00
Mandeville, Jamaica	20.00

Happy Birthday



Amanda Hundley 2/23
Walter Wolfe 2/26

Happy Anniversary



Jim & Patty Hanley (57 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, Bill Williams, Bruce & Phyllis Schrecker, Jennifer Blair, Lois Payne, Donna Lamb, Phyllis Thorsen, Judi Simon, Jim Hanley, Jim Buley, Cindy Melton, and Brenda Ralph.

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Daily Mass Readings

Monday.....	Leviticus 19:1-2,11-18; Matthew 25:31-46
Tuesday.....	Isaiah 55:10-11; Matthew 6:7-15
Wednesday.....	Jonah 3:1-10; Luke 11:29-32
Thursday.....	Esther C:12,14-16,23-25; Matthew 7:7-12
Friday.....	Ezekiel 18:21-28; Matthew 5:20-26
Saturday.....	Deuteronomy 26:16-19; Matthew 5:43-48
Sunday.....	Genesis 12:1-4a; 2 Timothy 1:8b-10;
.....	Matthew 17:1-9

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 1 - St. Peter's Cemetery Fund
March 8 - Infirm Priests of the Diocese
March 15 - Catholic Relief Services
March 22 - Easter Flowers

In Memory

The United States flag that is flying at the Church at this time was given to St. Peter's in memory of Herman Head. The flag was draped on his casket at the visitation service on September 25 and September 26, 2016. Herman served in the US Army in the 1960s during the Vietnam era. Please continue to pray "Eternal rest grant to him, O Lord. Let perpetual light shine on him." Thank you for remembering Herman.
Sr. Julia Head, OSU

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. Augustine and 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.