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**ST. PETER OF  
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**St. Augustine Potluck Breakfast**

Sunday, March 1, 2026  
Everyone is invited!



March 8, 2026  
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 at St. Augustine and each Friday evening at 5pm at St. Peter's. Everyone is encouraged to participate.

**St. Peter Lenten Fish Fry**

St. Peter of Alcantara Men's Club will be having Lenten Fish Fries on these Fridays: 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.

**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 Supper Half Pot Update**

The pot is up to \$4,080.00 (which makes the payout amount \$2,040.00) as of 02/25 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!

**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.

### Community Lenten Penance Services

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

### 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.

### Holy Week Schedule

Holy Thursday Mass	6PM	at St. Augustine
Good Friday		
-Solemn Way of the Cross	3PM	at St. Augustine
-Good Friday Services	6PM	at St. Peter
Holy Saturday Easter Vigil	8PM	at St. Augustine
Easter Sunday	8AM	at St. Augustine
	10AM	at St. Peter

Looking for some folks to join the Choir for HOLY SATURDAY VIGIL SERVICE at St. Augustine. Come join us! Please let Stanette Blair or Sr. Alicia know if you are interested. Let's make a joyful noise for God and for our new members joining the Church this Easter!



### 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.

### 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.

### Haley McGinnis Life & Legacy Expo

Saturday, March 14, 2026 10:00am - 12:00pm  
519 Locust Street, Owensboro, KY 42301

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With our trusted community partners, including experts in estate planning, elder care, hospice, senior services, and funeral arrangements, you'll discover the resources you need to navigate life's next chapter with confidence. Whether you're planning for yourself or supporting a loved one, this event is designed to answer your questions, ease your worries, and provide a clear path forward - all in a warm, welcoming environment.

### 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, and Justin Blandford.

*Please pray for the repose of the soul of  
Anna Carol Murphy.*

### 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**

March 1, 2026	Faith Formation Class
March 8, 2026	Faith Formation Class
March 15, 2026	Faith Formation Class
March 22, 2026	Faith Formation Class
March 29, 2026	<b>Last Faith Formation Class</b>

### 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 March 3, 2026. If you or someone you know is interested, please invite them to join us. All are welcome!

### Lenten Resources

Help yourself! There are Magnificat Lenten Companion booklets as well as a CRS Rice Bowls available at the church entrances for each family to take home.

### 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 8th**

**Servers:**

3/8 - 8:00am - Garrett Peerman & Jaxon Cecil

**Lector:**

3/8 - 8:00am - Zachary Peerman

**Sacristan:**

3/8 - 8:00am - James Michael Eblen

**Gifts:**

3/8 - 8:00am - Barry Eblen Family

**Ushers:**

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

**Weekly Flowers:**

3/8 - LENT

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

**MARCH 1ST THRU MARCH 8TH**

**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*

**Monday - Lenten Weekday**

8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Joan Wimsatt*

6:00pm - St. Augustine Altar Society Meeting

**Tuesday - Lenten Weekday**

No Mass

6:30pm - OCIA at St. Peter

**Wednesday - Lenten Weekday**

6:00pm - Mass at St. Peter - *Margaret Fischer*

**Thursday - Lenten Weekday**

8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Dot Cates*

5:30pm - Stations of the Cross at St. Augustine

**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 - *Ben Blair*

8:30am - Confessions at St. Augustine

3:00pm - Confessions at St. Peter

4:00pm - Mass at St. Peter - *Stacy Wright*

5:30pm - Chili Supper & Bingo at St. Augustine

**Sunday - The Third Sunday of Lent**

8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine -*Bob & Janette Warren*

10:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *People of the Parish*

An Accounting of Your Stewardship of Treasure

Weekly Budget	2,292.00
<b>Actual Collection:</b>	<b>Feb. 22, 2026</b>
Sunday Collection	2,156.00
Mandeville, Jamaica	155.00

**Happy Birthday**



Steve Byrne 3/4  
Herman Miller 3/6  
Jeff Raley 3/7

**Happy Anniversary**



Rudy & Nancy Ritter (37 yrs.)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK †**

**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.

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



**Daily Mass Readings**

Monday.....	Daniel 9:4b-10; Luke 6:36-38
Tuesday.....	Isaiah 1:10,16-20; Matthew 23:1-12
Wednesday.....	Jeremiah 18:18-20; Matthew 20:17-28
Thursday.....	Jeremiah 17:5-10; Luke 16:19-31
Friday.....	Genesis 37:3-4,12-13a,17b-29a; Matthew 21:33-43,45-46
Saturday.....	Micah 7:14-15,18-20; Luke 15:1-3,11-32
Sunday.....	Exodus 17:3-7; Romans 5:1-2,5-8; John 4:5-42

**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](http://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.