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**Congratulations Graduates!!**

*Abigail Paige Coomes, AHS & OCTC*  
*Hannah Marie Coomes, AHS & OCTC*  
Daughters of Chris & Rachel Coomes

*William Thomas Ebelhar, AHS*  
Son of Scott & Jenny Ebelhar

*Ava Elizabeth Martin, OCHS*  
Daughter of Jake & Tori Martin

*Adalyn Marie McPherson, OCHS*  
Daughter of Jason & Danielle McPherson

*Dane Randal Paris, HCHS*  
Son of Trace & Jacinta Paris

*Zachary Isaac Peerman, OCHS*  
Son of David & Becky Peerman

*Claire Olivia Pollard, AHS*  
Daughter of Mark & Kimberly Pollard

*Ava Lynette Settles, OCHS*  
Daughter of Nick & Cyndi Settles

Reception for First Communicants and Graduates will be  
May 3, after Mass at St. Peter. Everyone is invited!

*J.R. Goetz, UK College of Medicine*  
Son of Jimmy & Cindy Goetz

*Samuel McFarland, KY Wesleyan College*  
Son of Tom & Connie McFarland

*Maggie Mitchell, UK*  
Daughter of John & Cathy Mitchell

*Sam Mitchell, Bellarmine*  
Son of Rob & April Mitchell

**St. Peter Altar Flowers for the Month of May  
are Sponsored by Neil & Vicky Rudy**

**St. Augustine Monthly Potluck Breakfast**

Sunday, May 3 after Mass  
Bring a dish and join us for our monthly potluck breakfast  
and celebration of Mabel Blair's First Communion!

**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.

### Diaper Drive!!!!

In honor of all our parents who said yes to the precious gift of life St. Peter's Auxiliary will be hosting a diaper drive starting Mother's Day, May 10th through Father's Day, June 21st. We will be donating items collected to Care Net Owensboro. In addition to Diapers size N-5 they are also in need of wipes, Q-tips, thermometers, baby wash, and baby lotion. There will be an Amazon wish list available on St. Peter's website if you prefer to order and have something sent to the church. Thank you!

### Save the Date!

Catholic Kids Camp 2026  
June 8th,9th,&10th 5-7:30 pm  
Registration will start May 1st

### Annual Baby Bottle Boomerang

St. Augustine is partnering again this year with Marsha's Place Pregnancy Resource Center for their annual Baby Bottle Boomerang. Please take a bottle home with you to fill with change, bills, or checks. You can also go online and fill a virtual baby bottle at [www.marshasplaceprc.org](http://www.marshasplaceprc.org). The boomerang runs from Mother's Day to Father's Day. Return your bottle by Father's Day to be dropped off at Marsha's Place. Thank you.



### St. Augustine Ministry Sign-up Sheet:

During the month of May, there will be a sign-up sheet on the table at the front entrance of St. Augustine. The following ministries and the duties associated with those ministries are listed below and are available for those interested in donating your time and talent to help with mass if you are not already on the list and seeing your name in the bulletin:

- Altar Servers - light the candles before mass and assist the priest before and during mass as needed
- Lector - reads the mass readings and prayer intercessions
- Ushers - open the door for those attending mass before the start of mass and collect the weekly offerings during offertory

### Graduate Theology Open House announcement:

Seek God through study, prayer, and a tradition of hospitality. Laity are invited to join the online Open House for Saint Meinrad's Graduate Theology Program on Wed, May 13 at 6:30 PM CT. Discover how theology deepens faith and understanding. Learn more at [saintmeinrad.edu/openhouse](http://saintmeinrad.edu/openhouse). All are welcome.

### Institute for Sacred Music Chant Workshop

Spend a week exploring the music and theology of Hildegard of Bingen—composer, mystic, and Doctor of the Church. Led by expert faculty, this workshop integrates her music with liturgical prayer at Saint Meinrad Archabbey. May 17–22. Register today at [saintmeinrad.edu/sacred-music](http://saintmeinrad.edu/sacred-music).

### Online Donations for St. Peter 23 Users Already - Thank you!

Go to the parish website  
and click on the  
“Monetary Contributions”  
box and follow the prompts.  
Thank You!



### Upcoming Meetings

May 7 - St. Augustine Finance Council at 6pm  
May 11 - St. Augustine Altar Society at 6pm  
May 11 - St. Peter Catholic Kids Camp Meeting at 6pm  
May 17 - St. Peter Parish Council at 11am  
May 20 - St. Peter Parish Auxiliary at 6:30pm  
May 21 - St. Augustine Parish Council at 6pm  
May 31 - St. Peter Picnic Meeting after Mass

### St. Augustine Altar Flowers

This week's altar flowers are sponsored by the Altar Society.

### 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 May 5, 2026. If you or someone you know is interested, please invite them to join us. All are welcome!

### 2026 St. Augustine Events Calendar

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

### ODYC 2026

Owensboro Diocesan Youth Conference: All Things New  
Owensboro Convention Center November 20-21  
More Information to Come

### Diocese of Owensboro Catholic Youth Leadership Institute

A year-long formation program designed to equip Catholic youth with the skills, faith formation, and leadership experience to serve their parish, school, and community. Program Overview - September: In-person Orientation Day, October-March: Monthly online formation sessions, April 30-May 2: Overnight Retreat at Gasper River and Program Conclusion

Who can apply? Rising 10th -12th grade youth.

How to apply.

Step 1: Fill out an application.

Step 2: Ask a leader to fill out a recommendation.

Deadline to apply: July 15, 2026

Upon acceptance, there is a \$200 fee to participate in this program. Partial scholarships are available upon request.

Questions <https://forms.gle/57SFkasnYTXCo1Qs6>

Please contact Charlie Hardesty at the Diocese of Owensboro. [charlie.hardesty@pastoral.org](mailto:charlie.hardesty@pastoral.org) 270-683-1545

**St. Augustine Ministries**

**Stewards for May 10th**

**Servers:**

5/10 - 8:00am - Zachary Peerman, Jaxon Cecil & Henry Eblen

**Lector:**

5/10 - 8:00am - Dee Anna Booker

**Sacristan:**

5/10 - 8:00am - Shelley Payne

**Gifts:**

5/10 - 8:00am - Jerry Johnson Family

**Ushers:**

5/10 - 8:00am - Dee Anna Booker & Angela Peerman

**Weekly Flowers:**

5/10 - Taylor Stone

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

**MAY 3RD THRU MAY 10TH**

**Sunday - Fifth Sunday of Easter**

8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine - *Bob & Janette Warren*  
 9:00am - St. Augustine Potluck Breakfast  
 10:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *People of the Parish*  
 11:00am - St. Peter Reception for First Communicants and Graduates

**Monday - Easter Weekday**

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

**Tuesday - Easter Weekday**

No Mass  
 6:30pm - OCIA at St. Peter

**Wednesday - Easter Weekday**

6:00pm - Mass at St. Peter - *Dot Cates*

**Thursday - Easter Weekday**

8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Hugh Cecil*  
 6:00pm - St. Augustine Finance Council Meeting

**Friday - Easter Weekday**

8:00am - Mass at St. Peter - *Private Intention*  
 Weekly Adoration 8:30am - 3:30pm at St. Peter

**Saturday - Easter 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 - *Joe Bill McKay*

**Sunday - Sixth Sunday of Easter**

8:00am - Mass at St. Augustine - *Jeannie Millay*  
 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>Apr. 26, 2026</b>
Sunday Collection	2,427.00
Catholic Home Missions	100.00

**Happy Birthday**



Linda Evans 5/6

**Happy Anniversary**



David & Becky Peerman (7 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, Brenda Ralph, Rick Coomes, Nancy Ritter, Regina Bennett, Kathy Boone, and Peggy Potempa.

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

**Daily Mass Readings**

Monday.....	Acts 14:5-18; John 14:21-26
Tuesday.....	Acts 14:19-28; John 14:27-31a
Wednesday.....	Acts 15:1-6; John 15:1-8
Thursday.....	Acts 15:7-21; John 15:9-11
Friday.....	Acts 15:22-31; John 15:12-17
Saturday.....	Acts 16:1-10; John 15:18-21
Sunday.....	Acts 8:5-8,14-17; 1 Peter 3:15-18; John 14:15-21

**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**

May 17 - Communications  
May 31 - St. Vincent de Paul  
June 28 - Peter's Pence  
July - Picnic Meat Collection/Picnic Relief

**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.