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CATHOLIC  
CHURCH  
REED, KY**



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



**UNITED IN CHRIST, TO LOVE AND TO SERVE**

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**TURN YOUR  
CLOCKS  
BACK!**

**St. Peter Mass Time Change**

Daylight Saving time begins Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup>. The following Saturday night, **November 11<sup>th</sup>** St. Peter Mass time will change to 4pm.



**Congratulations**

Congratulations to the Robert Blair, Jr. family on the Baptism of Mabel Fern Blair on Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup>.

**Parish Council Meeting**

The St. Peter Parish Council will meet Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am.

**Breakfast Pot Luck**

St. Augustine Parish will have their monthly breakfast pot luck after Mass Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup> at 9am.

**Chili Supper Fall Fundraiser**

Angie Morris will be selling tickets for the Chili Supper Fall Fundraiser after all the weekend Masses at St. Peter this weekend.

**Parish Auxiliary Meeting**

The St. Peter Parish Auxiliary will meet Tuesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> at 6pm. All parishioners are welcome to attend.

**Thanksgiving Day Mass Schedule**

St. Augustine 6 pm November 22  
St. Peter 8 am November 23

**Louisville Shopping Trip**

The bus for the St. Peter Louisville Shopping trip to Simpsonville will arrive in the parking lot about 6:15am and will leave at **6:30am**. You are allowed to bring drinks and snacks. Glass containers are not allowed.

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

We want to welcome our visitors and new parishioners! Please introduce yourself to Fr. Jegin. If you have not registered, we ask that you complete a form found by the bulletins in the back of church, and return it to the office. We are glad that you are here to share the Liturgy with our community. Those who plan to move from our parish are requested to inform the office.

## Dear Friends in Jesus Christ,

An employee at a local company suffered from a superiority complex. She usually had a low level job and one day she got promoted to a higher position in the company with a cubicle of her own. That really increased her ego. While she was still getting settled, she saw a man approaching her work area. Suddenly, she took the phone and pretended to be attending an important call: "Yes, J.D", she said loud enough to be heard by the man waiting to talk to her. "Thank you J.D. for your kind wishes and I will take care of what you have asked me to do, right away." Now J.D. is the director of the company. After she hung up the phone she turned around and asked the man; "May I help you?" The man said- "I am sorry to bother you, I am here to hook up your phone." Jesus tells us, "whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and whoever humbles himself will be exalted."

Dear friends, life is not be acted, but it has to be lived fully. This is the reason we say, it is not important how long we live in this world, rather, it is important how meaningfully we live in this world. Jesus lived only 33 years in this world, and He showed us how to live meaningfully through His 3 years of public life. The greatest problem of today's world and our Holy Mother Church is that we don't have many lives lived or living in its fullness. So, through the Gospel, Jesus invites all of us to put an end to all our acting, and begin to live meaningfully by sharing God's love, Peace and Justice with everyone. To make our lives more meaningful, Jesus had left us with a secret formula in last weekend, i.e., "You shall love Lord, your God, with all your Heart, Mind and Soul and love your neighbor as yourself."

Yes, Jesus continues His verbal attack on the scribes and Pharisees for their hypocrisy, by reminding His disciples and people that "do not follow their example, but follow whatever they say, as a respect to their authority in the society." Because, they preach about good things, but do not practice them in their own lives. As we know, the scribes and Pharisees were the so called religious leaders, who were expected to guide the people to the light of life and God's love, but in reality they distanced people from the love of God and His Kingdom through their lives. Instead of liberating them from the burdens of their daily lives, the scribes and Pharisees actually kept them under the bondage again and again.

Dear friends, in one way or other we are all leaders in our own situations. Let us ask a personal Question- Is our leadership bringing goodness to the people and place where we are? Do our leadership, help others to experience God and know Him more-people like our life partners, brothers, sisters, relatives, friends, and kids? Remember, any action done without love of God is like the actions of the scribes and Pharisees. So Jesus says do not follow them.

Today we have people who follow politicians and their ideologies. We have people who follow big national & college basketball players, football players and many other successful players, and their life styles. We have people who follow film stars, and many other celebrities. But we don't have many people who follow Jesus and His values intimately. The so called invited ones, we Christians seem to be so busy. So, Jesus says "the harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few." So dear friends, the challenge before us today is - Make others to call you a saint during your life time, not after your death. Yes, Jesus is looking for good workers in our midst for His kingdom, are you going to be one of them?

**May the Good Lord Bless you.**

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### OCHS Baseball Fundraiser

J.R. Goetz is selling smoked hams as a fundraiser for OCHS Baseball. \$35 whole, \$40 sliced. Hams will be available for pickup on Wednesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> at Immaculate Cook Building from 11am-1pm. If interested call J.R. at 270-929-5165. Thanks for your support.

Special Collections	
Nov 19	Human Development
Nov 23	Parish Thanksgiving



### Let's Pray For Our Country!



A group of people are meeting each Saturday morning at 8:00am at St. Augustine Parish to pray the Patriotic Rosary for the United States of America. You are invited to attend--every Saturday or any Saturday that you can. This is important work!

### St. Peter's Church Fall Fundraiser

November 18<sup>th</sup>, Chili and Fixings, Hotdog Bar, Desserts, and open adult beverage area as well as soft drinks and snacks. Call all your family and friends and come out and support our parish family for a fun filled night, Cash prizes, 3 Bingo Coveralls with \$1,000 payout each game, 50/50 and door prizes. Get your tickets at the Parish Office or by calling Wes Morris (270-993-7519), Angie Morris (270-316-6761), April Fulkerson (270-314-6863), Lindsay Hagan (270-929-1792), Aerial Arvin (270-316-9896) or Nathan Grant (270-929-4533). Ticket cost is \$40 each.

### St. Peter's Pictures of Remembrance

Please bring in your pictures of your deceased loved ones and leave them on the front window ledge to the right of the altar from October 28<sup>th</sup> thru November. The Church recommends that we remember our dear ones, and pray for them particularly during the entire month of November.

**St. Augustine Ministries  
Nov 12**

**Servers:**

Henry & Claire Boeglin

**Lector:**

Rob Mitchell

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

Dee Ann Booker & Angela Peerman

**Gifts:**

Larry Schwartz Family

**Ushers:**

Larry & Joseph Schwartz

**Church Cleaners:**

Connie McFarland, Nov 5 - 18  
Debbie Merrime Nov 19- Dec 2

**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**

**Nov 5 - 12**

**Sunday - *Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time***

- 8am Mass @ St. Augustine - Elizabeth Ann Connor
- 9am Potluck Breakfast @ St. Augustine
- 9:30am Mass @ St. Peter - People of the Parishes
- 10:30am Faith Formation Classes
- 10:30am Parish Council Meeting @ St. Peter

**Monday -**

*Office Closed*

-8am Mass @ St. Peter - Phillip Johnson

**Tuesday -**

-8am Mass @ St. Peter - in Honor of St. Philomena

**Wednesday -**

*Office Closed*

-8am Mass @ St. Peter - Jean Settles

**Thursday - *The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica***

-8am Mass @ St. Peter - Vivian Fischer

**Friday - *St. Leo the Great***

-8am Mass @ St. Peter - Nannie Mae Aull

**Saturday - *St. Martin of Tours***

*Veterans Day*

- 6:30am Louisville Shopping Trip
- 8am @ St. Augustine the Patriotic Rosary

-3pm Confessions @ St. Peter

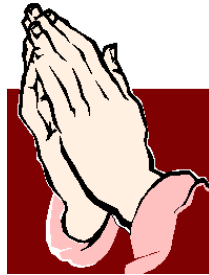
-4pm Mass @ St. Peter - Clifford Hall

**Sunday - *Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time***

- 8am Mass @ St. Augustine - Herman Head
- 9:30am Mass @ St. Peter - People of the Parishes
- 10:30am Faith Formation Classes



**November is the month  
of The Holy Souls in  
Purgatory**



**Happy Anniversary**



Rob & April Mitchell, 11/05  
Paul & Jane Johnson, 11/10



**Happy Birthday**

Bless All Members of the Parish

**An Accounting of Your  
Stewardship of Treasure**

Weekly Budget	\$1,403.85
Actual Collection:	Oct 29
Sunday Collection,	820.00
St. Vincent de Paul,	5.00

**Please continue to pray for the following  
Parishioners & Friends:**

Daniel Blair, Sophia Blair, Dee Anna Booker, Sr. Michael Bridget, Rethia Bumgardner, Shelia Byrne, Betty Cecil, Barbara Connor, Tonya Crabtree, Richard DeMar, Shirley Dunn, Alan Ebelhar, Stella Fogle, Delbert Fulkerson, Robin Hardesty, Mason Jackson, Nicholas Jackson, Fr. Jegin, Mack Lacer, Leslie LeClure, Paula Mayfield, David Medley, Margie Merimee, Anita Mitchell, Ralph Mitchell, Angie Park, Kenny Pendleton, Fr. Pike Powell, Fr. Richard Powers, Steve Raley, Randall Schwartz, Chris Settles, Barbara Smith, Eddie Smith, Juanita Spalding, Betty Wathen, Lori Winstead, Sam Winstead, Bill Young, Lillian Young, Mike Young

**Readings for the Week**



- Monday ..... Rom 11:29-36; Lk 14:12-14
- Tuesday ..... Rom 12:5-16b; Lk 14:15-24
- Wednesday ..... Rom 13:8-10; Lk 14:25-33
- Thursday ..... Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17;  
..... Jn 2:13-22
- Friday ..... Rom 15:14-21; Lk 16:1-8
- Saturday ..... Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Lk 16:9-15
- Sunday ..... Wis 6:12-16; 1 Thes 4:13-14; Mt 25:1-13

**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 lischrecker@stpeterofalcantara.com.



### Faith Formation Class Schedule

November 5	10:30am
November 12	10:30am
November 19	10:30am
November 26	10:50am
December 3	no class

### Disciples Response Fund

The Families that have not responded to the DRF letter from the Bishop, are kindly requested to respond as early as possible. Any questions on DRF please contact your Parish Office.

### Up Coming Events

Nov 5	9am	Potluck Breakfast - SA
Nov 11	4pm	Mass Time Change - SP
Nov 18	6pm	Chili Supper Fall Fundraiser - SP
**SA - St. Augustine		**SP - St. Peter

### OCS Raffle Tickets

Owensboro Catholic Schools are selling \$5 raffle tickets to win tickets to attend the **University of Kentucky Wildcats Basketball** game against the Virginia Tech Hokies on **Saturday, December 16<sup>th</sup> 2017!**

This package includes: Two tickets for the game (lower arena, section 16 row V seats 7 & 8). One night's stay at the Hilton, Downtown Lexington (within walking distance). \$50 gas card and \$50 restaurant card. **Drawing will be held Friday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at noon** at OCS Central Office. **Tickets may be purchased at Owensboro Catholic Schools Central Office or any OCS Campus location.** (License org 0000100)

### Adoration

On December 3<sup>rd</sup>, every family in the Diocese is requested by Bishop Medley to gather in their respective parish for an hour of Adoration, praying for Evangelization from 2pm to 3pm. So please save the date and prepare yourself to Adore the Lord as one family.

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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.