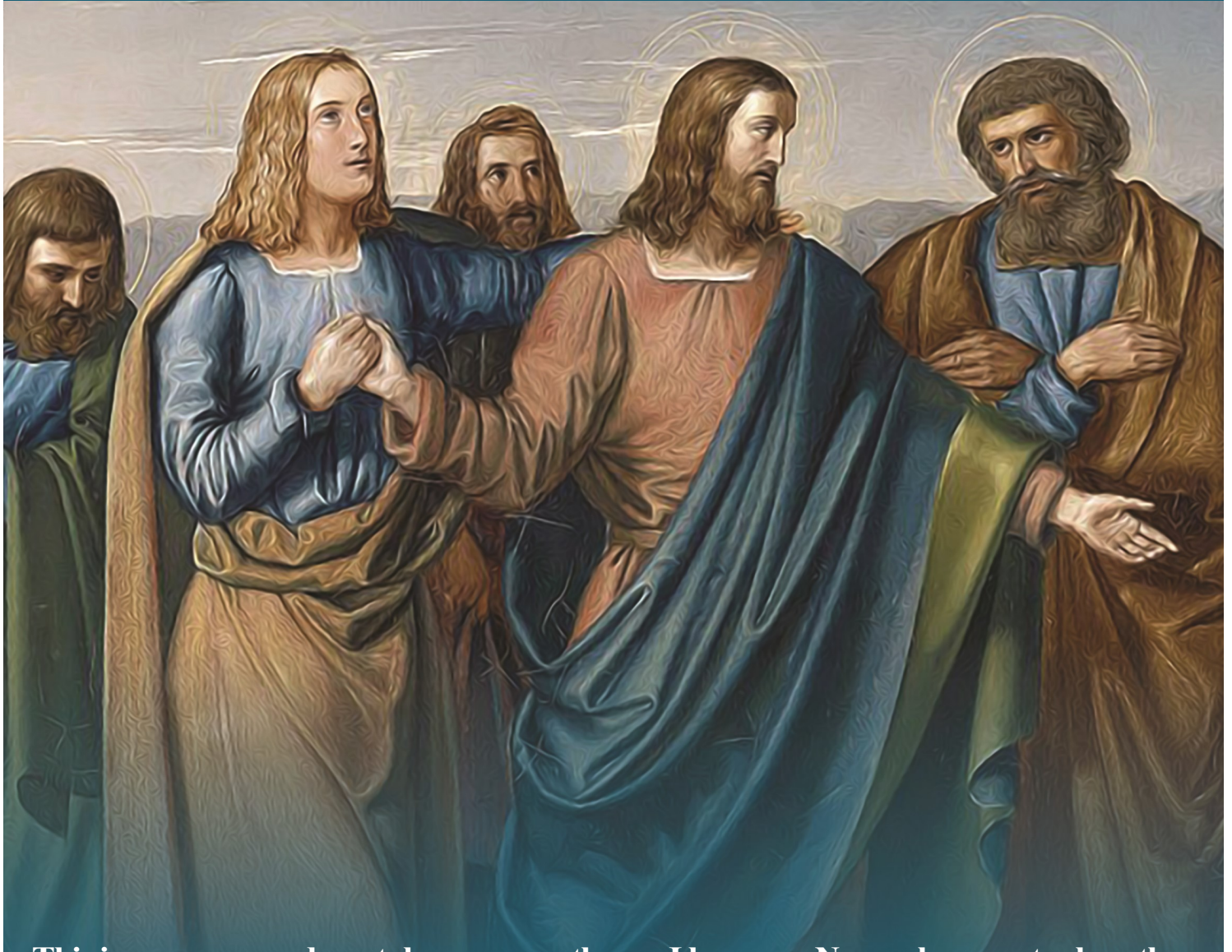


# ST. PETER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 9TH, 2021



**This is my commandment: love one another as I love you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends.**

John 15:12-13

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## MASS TIMES

### SATURDAY (ANTICIPATORY)

4:00 PM \* SIGNUP REQUIRED\*  
6:00 PM

### SUNDAY

7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 6:00 PM

### WEEKDAY

MON - FRI 12:10 PM  
SATURDAY 9:00 AM

## CONFESSION

SATURDAY 2:00 PM  
WEDNESDAY 11:30 AM

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

MONDAY 1PM  
THROUGH  
THURSDAY 5PM

## OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - THURSDAY 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM  
FRIDAY 8:00 AM - 12 NOON

## ANGELIC ACCENTS GIFT SHOP

MONDAY - THURSDAY  
10:00 AM - 1:00PM  
SUNDAY 8:00AM-12:15 PM

	OBSERVANCES	READINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	CHURCH EVENTS
<b>Sunday</b> <b>May 9</b>	6th Sunday of Easter Mother's Day	Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48 Psalms 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 1 John 4:7-10 John 15:9-17	<b>7:00 AM</b> +Arcelia Brizal <b>9:00 AM</b> +Susie Martinez <b>11:00 AM</b> +Victor Gonzales <b>6:00 PM</b> +Mike Ruzyla	<b>8:00 AM - 12:15 PM</b> Gift Shop Open <b>We are no longer open after the 6 PM Mass</b>
<b>Monday</b> <b>May 10</b>	St. Damien de Veuster, Priest	Acts 16:11-15 Psalms 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b John 15:26—16:4a	<b>12:10 PM</b> +Maria del Carmen Rodriguez	<b>10:00 AM - 12:15 PM</b> Gift Shop Open <b>1:00 PM</b> Eucharistic Adoration Begins <b>1:00 PM - 3:00 PM</b> Food Pantry Open
<b>Tuesday</b> <b>May 11</b>	Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs; St. Pancras, Martyr	Acts 16:22-34 Psalms 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 John 16:5-11	<b>12:10 PM</b> +George Alcaraz	<b>10:00 AM - 1:00 PM</b> Gift Shop Open
<b>Wednesday</b> <b>May 12</b>	Cinco de Mayo	Acts 17:15, 22—18:1 Psalms 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14 John 16:12-15	<b>12:10 PM</b> +Marybeth Gerkin	<b>10:00 AM - 1:00 PM</b> Gift Shop Open <b>11:30 AM</b> Confession - Church <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> <b>LAST Youth Group</b> - Church
<b>Thursday</b> <b>May 13</b>	Our Lady of Fatima	Acts 18:1-8 Psalms 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 John 16:16-20	<b>12:10 PM</b> +Mother's Day Novena	<b>10 :00AM - 1:00 PM</b> Gift Shop Open <b>1:00 PM - 3:00 PM</b> Food Pantry Open <b>5:00 PM</b> Eucharistic Adoration Ends
<b>Friday</b> <b>May 14</b>	St. Matthias, Apostle	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26 Psalms 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 John 15:9-17	<b>12:10 PM</b> +Ramona Flores	
<b>Saturday</b> <b>May 15</b>	St. Isidore	Acts 18:23-28 Psalms 47:2-3, 8-10, 10 John 16:23b-28	<b>9:00 AM</b> Joseph J. Jelinek <b>4:00 PM</b> +Joe Tennesen <b>6:00 PM</b> People of St. Peter	<b>2:00 PM</b> Confession - Church
<b>Sunday</b> <b>May 16</b>	The Ascension of the Lord	Acts 1:1-11	Psalms 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9	Ephesians 1:17-23
				Mark 16:15-20

# YOUTH GROUP

**Wednesday, May 12th**

6:30 PM-8:30 PM in the Church

**This will be our last weekly youth group.**

The Summer schedule is still being put together.  
Stay tuned for the fun summer events coming your way!  
- David and Justyna

## Calling all Gardeners!

Do you have the gift of gardening? We are looking for people to care for our flower plots at St. Peter.

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO RESERVE  
YOUR PLOT.

**970.352.1060.**

*Keep our church the most beautiful in Greeley!*

## Bear Catholic Campus Ministry



A huge **thank you** for all of our parishioners who cooked a delicious meal this year for our Bear Catholic students. Sunday Mass and dinner are the largest weekly event for our ministry and you make it possible!

**Please pray for our  
graduating Bear Catholic students**

Miguel Araiza	Jonah Martinez
Cameron Beauchamp	Aaron Moreno
Aili Bundy	Clara Morgan
Michela Byrne	Matthew O'Burke
Kevin Cooney	Oluwatobi Ogunmodede
Chris Cordova	Iliana Perez
Hannah Hartley	Ashlynn Register
Emmanuel Hernandez	Emily Stringer
Mikayla Hraban	John Walsh
Alli Kopetzky	Noah Watters
Ellie Kruger	Kayla Wollan
Taylor Lupica	Isabelle Woloson

## PRAYER REQUESTS

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST  
CONTACT US IF A PERSON'S NAME CAN BE TAKEN OFF LIST

Alan Alter, Zane Alter, Chris Aughe, +Michael Barker, Staci Behne, Eleazar and Jennie Bermea, Leonora Bock, Luce Bonar, Kathryn Bonar, Warren Burnam, Corrina Cantrell, Conny Casarez, Mike Cervi, +Maria del Carmen Rodriguez, Frani Castaneda, Lydia Castillo, Ed Clark, Tommy Debrock, Ed Endres, Bill Farmer, Randy Farmer, +Jeffrey Felice and Norma Felice, +Deirdre Forgue, Kay Fortner, Mary Fox, +Jack Garcia, Steve Garcia, Victor Garcia, John Gerkin, Keri Gerkin, Preston Gifford, +Mark Gonsior, Jose and Carmen Gonzalez, +Victor Gonzales, Denise Gustafson, Mike and Penny Guttersen, the Guttersen Family, +Sandra Haag, +Deacon Bill Hastings, Jean Hawkins, Patricia Hawley, Norman Helleman, Veronica and +Gary Herbolsheimer, Susie Hergenreter, Freddie Hernandez and family, Margaret Hernandez, Vernie, Jack, Debbie Hill and the Hill Family, Tammy Hughes, Whitman Jones, +Mary Margaret Kauffman, Burt Keberlein, Carol Khun, Jean Koch, Nick Koch, Mary Kosmicki, Carolyn Lafferty, +John Limon, Lee Lind, Alicia Lopez, +John Luna, Garrett Mardesen, +Manuel Martinez, Maria and Family, Nick Martinez, John McGuire, John and Yoli Muniz, Cam McKenney, NJ King, Scott Miller Family, Peter Mongan, Donna Olson, Marcelina Osorio, Carmen and Alvin Padilla, Helen Pape, Carlos Pena, Robert Perez, Apolinar Ramirez, Carrie Robinson, Joel Redman, Suzanne Reilly, +Shawn Reynolds, Junior Rodriguez, +Maria Romayor, Marianne Rossi, Andrea and Aaron Romero, Gil Romero, Jackie Rowe, Ryan Ruppel, Olga and Ramon Salazar, Kendall Scheiderer, Barbara Schafer, +Tyson Schaffer, Mildred Skonksner, +Joe Solis, Mary Solis and family, Bob and Lorene Steele, Janet Swanson, +Joe Tennesen, +Daniel Torres, John, Phil and Veronica Underland, Sonny Unrein, +Raymundo Lopez Vicente, Kathryn Wager, Charles L. Webb, Lisa Weisbeck, Rick Whitmus, Tamara Wilkinson, Geraldine Williams, Erik Wunder, Joe Yates



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**Our meetings return to the  
1st and 3rd Mondays of the month**

**Our next meeting:**

**Monday, May 17  
6:30 PM in the Church Basement**



# Are you 55 or older?

You're invited to the inaugural meeting of  
**ST. PETER'S SENIORS**

Wednesday, May 26th at 1:00 PM  
in the Church Basement

This will be our first meeting.  
Come help us get organized: Bring a friend!

For questions or more information  
please call Cathie 970-412-8621

**Don't forget your mask!**



MONDAY - THURSDAY 10:00 AM -1:00 PM  
SUNDAY 8:00AM-12:15 PM

**NOW CLOSED AFTER THE 6 PM MASS**

**MAY SALE: 25% OFF ALL THINGS MARY**

**PICTURE FRAMES, STATUES, PALLET PICTURES,  
MEDALS, ROSARIES**



**ARCHBISHOP'S**  
CATHOLIC APPEAL

Extend the mercy and compassion of Jesus Christ and his mother by making an online gift to the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal today; and know that your donation will help those in their time of greatest need. To make an immediate impact on our faith community visit [www.archden.org/givetoday](http://www.archden.org/givetoday) or call 303-867-0614.

## Masses to Return to the Church on Pentecost!

All Sunday Masses will return to the church beginning Sunday, May 23rd. The 4:00 PM and 6:00 PM Masses on Saturday will remain in the parish hall with social distancing. We will provide further details when they are available.

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**RE REGISTRATIONS WILL OPEN ON JULY 1  
TO REGISTERED PARISHIONERS**

**Classes start Sunday, August 15th**

Note: Parents must attend FFF and RCIC with their children

RE Year 1—2nd Grade  
Reconciliation Prep

RE Year 2—3rd Grade  
1st Communion and  
Confirmation Prep

Family Faith Formation—4th Grade and up  
for children baptized Catholic who need to complete  
Sacraments of Initiation

RCIC  
For children who are not  
baptized  
(Ages 7 and older)

RCIA  
For adults who are not  
baptized or baptized in  
another Christian denomination

## New Class this Year!

### ADULT FAITH FORMATION

For adults who are baptized but have not received  
Confirmation and/or First Eucharist

**AND**

For any adult who wants to learn more about their faith!

**Wednesday evenings beginning August 18th  
6:30 PM-8:30 PM**

No time to nap...  
Baby Bottles are BACK!



Happy Mother's Day!

**2021**

## BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

**Pick up a bottle  
Fill it with coins, cash, or checks  
Return on Father's Day**

**MAKE A DIFFERENCE!**

*Resource Center*  
PREGNANCY | STD SUPPORT

## Fr. Tomas's Weekly Reflection

In every generation-beginning with the Apostles-Jesus teaches us the mystery of man's union with God. The fundamental dimension of this mystery is the realization of the presence, closeness and love of God who is the Father. Man's response must be expressed in confident submission to this love.

In the second stage, experiencing the mystery of the relationship between man and God revolves around the person of Jesus Christ. He, who is the One Mediator for our salvation, prays in us to the Father, through his Spirit, and sacrifices himself for us. Through his life-in words and deeds-Jesus teaches us to recognize and follow the Father's plan, so that *none is lost except the son of destruction. As the Eternal, only-begotten Son, Jesus gives everything back to the Father and directs everyone to the Father by entering the depths of God's love. This is emphasized in the words of Jesus' prayer: Holy Father, keep them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one just as we are one.*

The third stage of growing our relationship with God is the task of discovering again and again, over and over, that it is God who loves us first and offers his graces in all our reality, in everything that makes up our lives. In his prayer Jesus bring us the image of God who works by transmitting the Word that is truth, by keeping us safe and protected against evil, by offering us the fullness of joy, and by sacrificing His only-begotten Son for us, that we may be sanctified in the truth.

Finally, every authentic encounter between God and man implies that we don't keep him to ourselves, but we go out into the world, into relations with other people. And that is not without challenges, as Jesus states: *the world hated them, because they do not belong to the world any more than I belong to the world.*

This is the truth about our relationship with God the Father, shown by words and deeds of his Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. The truth in which Jesus wants us to be consecrated. However, we experience every day that the world carries within it a tragic ambiguity of truth: your truth against my truth; truth of the Church and truth of the state; truth of moral life and the truth of the skewed idea of freedom. Meanwhile Jesus assures us that there is only one truth: God's word is truth.

## STEWARDSHIP CORNER

### Love One Another

In today's Gospel, Jesus commands his disciples, whom he calls "friends," to love one another as he loves them. Jesus uses the word "love" as a verb or a noun nine times. He also employs the word "command" or "commandment" five times. His command to love one another is explicit. Those who understand the depth of Christ's love for us have reason to be joyful. We are called to be stewards of this loving friendship; to love one another as Jesus loves us. Do we give serious attention to what this love requires of us? What is the price of this friendship with the Lord? Are we willing to pay this price to keep Christ's friendship?



## Congratulations



*May 8, 2021 Sacrament Recipients*

### Received the Sacrament of Confirmation

Erik Banuelos Serrano	Hilaria Jimenez
Lana Berning	Patryk Leśnicki
Leah Berning	Paulina Leśnicki
Gabriela Diaz	Clarissa Meza
Alfredo Gomez	Rodrigo Meza
Zayden Gonzales	Yanexi Meza
Juan Haro Flores	Yahaira Ramos Ocon
Reginaldo Haro Flores	Eduardo Ruiz

### Received the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion

Anabeyah Alaniz	Alexander Lynch
Jose Alaniz	Alondra Macias
Brianna Gardea	Juan Macias
Aiyana Gordo	Jacob O'Hare
Abel Jimenez	Carlie Serrano
Aimee Jimenez	Daniella Serrano



# FROM MAY 23RD SUNDAY MASSES AT ST. PETER'S RETURN TO THE CHURCH!

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**7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM and 6:00 PM Masses on Sundays will be celebrated in the main church**

- There will be no restrictions regarding the number of people present in the church
- There will be no restrictions regarding distancing in the church
- We ask you to remain as much as possible in your “bubble” and not mingle unnecessarily with others
- Please don't come too early nor stay late after Mass, because the church will be sanitized between Masses
- The offertory will be collected by the ushers in the pews
- We will distribute the Holy Communion in the procession form, down the main aisle, with one Minister distributing on hand only (ambo side), and the other distributing on hand or on tongue
- If you prefer your space and keeping distance, you may choose to participate in Mass from the church's basement, communion will be distributed to you there

**4:00 PM and 6:00 PM Saturday Masses will continue to be offered in Parish Hall**

- 4:00 PM Mass on Saturday will continue to be offered by sign up, and with the current restrictions, to keep those at risk safe
- We will continue to stream the 4:00 PM Mass on Saturday on our website and YouTube channel



# Good Ol' Days

Parish Family Picnic



*Sunday June 6th 2021, 10am - 3pm*

10 am Mass at Lincoln Park followed by a Eucharistic Procession back to St. Peter Catholic Church. Lunch to be served and games to be played upon arrival.



Tickets Include:

- Pulled Pork Sandwiches & sides
  - Lemonade & Iced Tea
  - Dessert
- (Bring your favorite to share)



12pm - 1:30pm

The Greeley Fire Department will be on hand with one of their fire engines.



## Games

*12:30pm - 3 Legged Race\**

*1pm - Duck Duck Goose*

*1:30pm - Protect the Pope*

*2pm - Potato Sack Race*

*2:30pm - Tug o' War\**

*\* - sign ups encouraged but not required.*

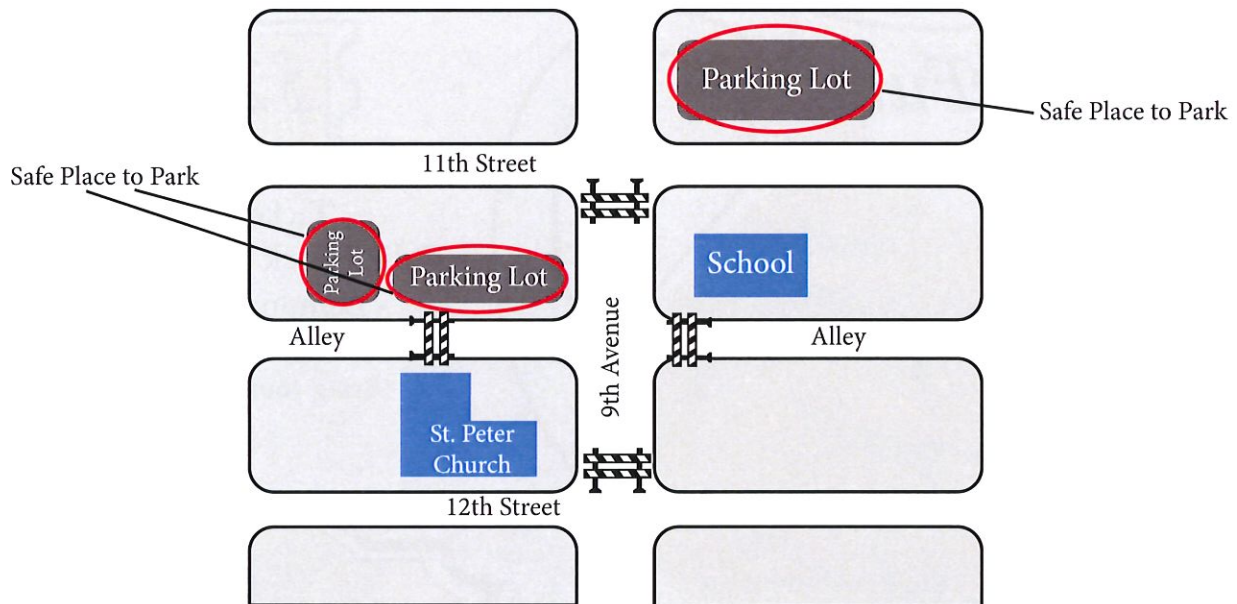


# What's the Game Plan?



## Where to Park?

With this new event we figured a clear laid out plan would be helpful. The idea would be to park near the church in safe to park areas which we have labeled on the map below. You can park in other legal spots as well, these are just larger lots that will have less impact on our neighbors. Please park near the church then walk down to Lincoln Park for Mass at 10am. After Mass participate in the Eucharistic Procession back to the church. That way your car is close when the event is over. If you are unable to walk, please feel free to drive to the park for Mass, please park in a legal spot.



## Where do I take my desserts?

Please drop off your dessert at the parish kitchen, anytime between 11am - 3pm on Saturday (June 5th) or before the 10am Mass (June 6th) in order for our team to get them ready to serve. Please label any dishes or utensils that you would like returned clearly with your name. You must pick them up after the event or they will be considered donations.

