

ST. PETER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 7TH, 2021



Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them, “Amen I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury.”

Mark 12:42

970-352-1060 (x1 FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES ONLY)

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MASS TIMES

SATURDAY (ANTICIPATORY)

4:00 PM * SIGNUP REQUIRED* AND 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

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY 10 AM-1PM

SUNDAY 8:00AM-12:15 PM

| | OBSERVANCES | READINGS | MASS INTENTIONS | CHURCH EVENTS |
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| Sunday November 7 | 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time; National Vocation Awareness Week Daylight Saving Time Ends | 1 Kings 17:10-16 Psalms 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 Hebrews 9:24-28 Mark 12:38-44 or 12:41-44 | 7:00 AM +Rose Pargas 9:00 AM David Ralston 11:00 AM +Elijah R. Mills 6:00 PM People of St. Peter | 8:00 AM-12:15 PM Gift Shop Open 8:00 - 11:30 AM Religious ED Classes |
| Monday November 8 | | Wisdom 1:1-7 Psalms 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10 Luke 17:1-6 | 12:10 PM +Denis Baustert | 1:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Begins 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Food Pantry Open |
| Tuesday November 9 | The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica | Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 Psalms 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17 John 2:13-22 | 12:10 PM All Souls Day Novena | |
| Wednesday November 10 | St. Leo the Great Pope and Doctor of the Church | Wisdom 6:1-11 Psalms 82:3-4, 6-7 Luke 17:11-19 | 12:10 PM +Gary MacDonald | 11:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 11:30 AM Confession 6:30 - 8:00 PM Youth Group 6:30 - 8:00 PM Adult Faith Formation |
| Thursday November 11 | St. Martin of Tours, Bishop; Veterans Day | Wisdom 7:22b—8:1 Psalms 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175 Luke 17:20-25 | 12:10 PM +Deacon Bill Hastings | 11:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Food Pantry Open 5:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Ends |
| Friday November 12 | St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr | Wisdom 13:1-9 Psalms 19:2-3, 4-5ab Luke 17:26-37 | 12:10 PM +Fr. Leo Smith | 12:30 PM - 3:00 PM Quilters Group |
| Saturday November 13 | St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin | Wisdom 18:14-16; 19:6-9 Psalms 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43 Luke 18:1-8 | 9:00 AM +Fr. Dorino DeLazzer 4:00 PM People of St. Peter 6:00 PM Robert Baumgartner III | 9:30-11:30AM Women Growing in Christ 2:00 PM Confession - Church |
| Sunday November 14 | 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time | Daniel 12:1-3 Psalms 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 Hebrews 10:11-14, 18 Mark 13:24-32 | | |

Bear Catholic Campus Ministry

Across from the President's Row

info @ BearCatholic.com

Upcoming Events

Sunday, November 7th

6:00 PM Mass at St. Peter

7:00 PM Dinner After Mass

Monday, November 8th

6:00-7:00 PM Talk on Mary-Campus Center

Wednesday, November 10th

7:00 PM Fully Alive-Campus Chapel

Thursday, November 11th

4:45-5:15 PM Adoration and Confession-Campus Chapel

5:15 PM Mass-Campus Chapel

7:00 PM Speaker Series (Speaker TBD)-Campus Center

Friday, November 12th

4:45-5:15 PM Adoration and Confession-Campus Chapel

5:15 PM Mass-Campus Chapel

Sunday November 14th

6:00 PM Mass at St Peter

7:00 PM Dinner After Mass

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PRAYER REQUESTS

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST

+Laura Archibeque, Staci Behne, Merle Gaspers, Victor Garcia, NJ King, Jim Krenzel, Peggy Martin, +Carla Martinez, +Florentina Milhorne, Rob Minner, +Tony Perez, Penelope Robinson, Gil Romero, Dorothy Ruzyla, Mike Shovlin, Stan Small, Ray Sobieski, Sonny Unrein, Joe Weurtz, Amy Yates, Joe Yates, Jim Yates

Women Growing in Christ

Our next gathering is Saturday, November 13th
at 9:45 am in the church basement.

WE WILL WATCH A VIDEO ON ST. JOSEPH.

PLEASE BRING A BREAKFAST ITEM TO SHARE.

For questions contact Susan LaBonde 970-353-3342

ST. PETER FOOD PANTRY

We are in need of the following items:

Crackers Pasta Sauce Canned Fruit

Juice Rice Peanut Butter

Pop-top Canned Meals

We are grateful for your continued generosity!

ST. PETER'S SENIORS

Our next meeting is November 17th.
We will be gathering with the St. Mary Seniors.
Potluck after the 11:30 am mass at St. Mary.
Bring a dish to share.

Don't forget to buy your Christmas Tea
tickets in the gift shop. \$15.00 per person
The tea will be on December 15th at 1:00 pm

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

YOUTH GROUP

Middle School and High School

Wednesdays 6:30 PM-8:00 PM
In the Youth Center



Angelic Accents Gift Shop

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY

10:00 AM-1:00 PM

SUNDAY 8:00 AM-12:15 PM

STOP BY TO SEE ALL THE NEW CHRISTMAS ITEMS!

Cookies and snack mix
from the St. Benedict Sisters

New puzzles from Vermont Christmas

Boxed Christmas cards

And much more!

THANKSGIVING

FOOD BOXES

Pick up a paper bag and/or a list at the entrances of the church. Purchase Thanksgiving food items and return them to the church by November 22nd.

Thank you for your generosity!

We need turkeys! Bring your frozen turkeys to the office during office hours.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Love, Trust, and Gratitude in Giving to God

Jesus points out to his disciples the poor widow who has just dropped two simple copper coins into the temple treasury. He then delivers a teaching on stewardship. Despite her poverty, the poor widow in today's Gospel does not refuse God her generosity. Out of her desperately impoverished life she contributes to an earthly institution to give God glory and praise. It is not the monetary value of the gift that was important, but the love, trust and gratitude expressed through the gift. The Gospel asks us similarly compelling stewardship questions: What do we value? In what or whom do we place our trust? How do our own contributions to our community of faith reflect our generosity toward God?

We are Hiring

Director of Development for Bear Catholic Campus Ministry

- Full time position with benefits
- Will report directly to the Pastor and is responsible for advancing the mission of Bear Catholic through fundraising and marketing

Director of Liturgical Music

- Part time position
- Will coordinate with Pastor to plan, direct, oversee, and manage all activities and operations related to liturgical music including weddings, funerals, and Holy Days
- Able to proficiently play the piano as well as accomplished vocal skills

For more detailed descriptions and to apply
stpetergreeley.org



Knights of Columbus Informational Potluck

Have you ever thought of
becoming a Knight?

Bring your questions, comments, and thoughts to a
"No pressure" informational potluck
Friday, November 19th at 6:30 PM
Greeley Knights of Columbus Hall
2600 6th Avenue

RSVP to Jerry Steffen, Greeley Knights
Membership Director: 970-978-7350
Or email thegreeley6@aol.com

ANNUAL SEMINARIES' APPEAL

NOVEMBER 6TH-7TH

This weekend, all Catholics are being asked to support the Annual Seminaries' Appeal. Your gift is an investment in the future of our Church while also encouraging our seminarians on their daily path to priesthood. Please visit archden.org/futurepriests to donate today. Thank you!

**Thanks to your generosity, St. Peter's donated
\$5,000 to the Appeal!**

National
VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK

November 7th-13th, 2021

Please ask Our Lord for more dedicated, holy priests, deacons, and consecrated men and women. May they be inspired by Jesus Christ, supported by our faith community, and respond generously to God's gift of vocation."

PUTTING YOUR ASSETS TO WORK FOR THE LORD

Put your life-long, hard earned assets to work for the Lord. A planned gift to the Lord acknowledges that we are simply stewards of all that God has provided.

If you would like to leave the Church in your will or to learn more about how The Catholic Foundation can serve you, please give Deacon Steve,

Lisa or Joshua a call at
303-468-9885.

The
CATHOLIC
FOUNDATION

Thank you

The Diocese of Kabinda in Africa thanks
St. Peter for our \$2,400 donation which will
purchase two motorcycles for their priests.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Sunday, November 21st at 11:00 AM Mass
Practice: Tuesday November 16th, 6:00-7:00 PM

**Audition for solo parts
for Christmas Eve Mass**
Tuesday November 30th 6:00-7:00 PM

For more info, contact Tomoko Creed
tomoko.creed@gmail.com

Fr. Tomasz's Weekly Reflection

To give up the last penny is not only to give up on the desire to be in charge of our lives, but even more to let go of the illusion that we possess any kind of value on our own. In order to become priceless in God's eyes, we must shake off our illusions that we can do something without Him, or that we are better than others. Sometimes we have to get rid of the little we gave, to learn that renunciation is multiplication. The widow of Zarephath was not blessed with the abundance of flour and oil until she gave the last cake to Elijah.

But that same can be said about the spirit, whose arrogance manifests itself in the trust in our spiritual progress. God the Father said to St. Catherine of Siena: "Do you know daughter, who you are and who I am? If you know these two things you have beatitude in your grasp. You are she who is not, I AM HE WHO IS." The proud, because of their great desire to experience reverence and praise, often pretend to possess what they do not have: intellectual superiority, erudition, accomplishments, acquaintance with famous people, virtues of spirit and conscience, wealth, beauty, etc. On the contrary, those who are truly humble, for the sake of even greater humiliation, attribute to themselves faults that they do not have, so as not to receive the respect or recognition, which are more dangerous temptations than those of the flesh.

Two coins are really not much, but we have to give God even as little as that, remembering that in the parable of the talents, the third servant could not give up even one talent, although the others gave up five and two. Sometimes God gives us talents so that we can give glory to Him by renouncing them, which is something greater than gaining glory for ourselves by using them. Everything that is good in us belongs to God; we have nothing of ourselves and we are nothing. This is why we need to be vigilant, take care of every minute flaw, while they are still minute, lest they grow. Both holiness and sin begin with the little things which later lead to the greater: good or evil.

Once we are humbly deprived of everything, we will face the last temptation: admiration for our own humility. To desire praise for humility is a perversity and the destruction of humility. The widow from the Gospel reading and the one from Zarephath were both penniless. This is a turning point in their spiritual lives. Deprivation. Starvation. Jesus did the same by donating the last drop of blood for each of us. He also gave up his glory when He was judged and declared to be the worst blaspheme, possessed by Beelzebub. He did not fight for his reputation. As St. Thomas Kempis said: "Do not think that you have done good, if you do not consider yourself the worst of all."

Are you in high school or older and want to learn more about discernment, the seminary, and the priesthood?

**Join us for a
St. Andrew Dinner**

With Fr. Ryan O'Neill

Vocations Director at St. John Vianney Seminary
and also our former Parochial Vicar!

**NOVEMBER 15TH, 2021 IN THE PARISH HALL
6:00 PM-9:00 PM**

**Women's
Advent
Retreat**



**Led by the
Sisters
of Life**

Saturday December 18th 8:30 AM-2:00 PM

**Begin with a rosary and Mass
Potluck lunch-bring a light dish
Share your favorite Christmas tradition
Register online stpetergreeley.org
or call the church office. Cost is \$20.
Bring a friend!**



Help Needed!

Catholic Charities Cold
Weather Shelter in Evans is
in need of Shelter Associates!

Part time, 7 1/2 hour shifts at 6:00 PM or 1:30 AM

Salary range \$15.87 to \$17.87 per hour with
bonuses at Christmas and in the spring. Possibility of
long term employment with Catholic Charities.

Please call Mark Howey (970-616-8612) or Holly
Craft (970-616-8609) for more info and to apply.



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Our meetings are now on Sundays!

**Next meeting is Sunday, November 21st at
10:00 AM at the school**

**We will be working on our BIBLE BASICS PATCH
Come join us!**