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SATURDAY (ANTICIPATORY)

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OFFICE HOURS

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FRIDAY 8:00 AM-12 NOON

CONFESSION

SATURDAY 2:00 PM

WEDNESDAY 11:30 AM

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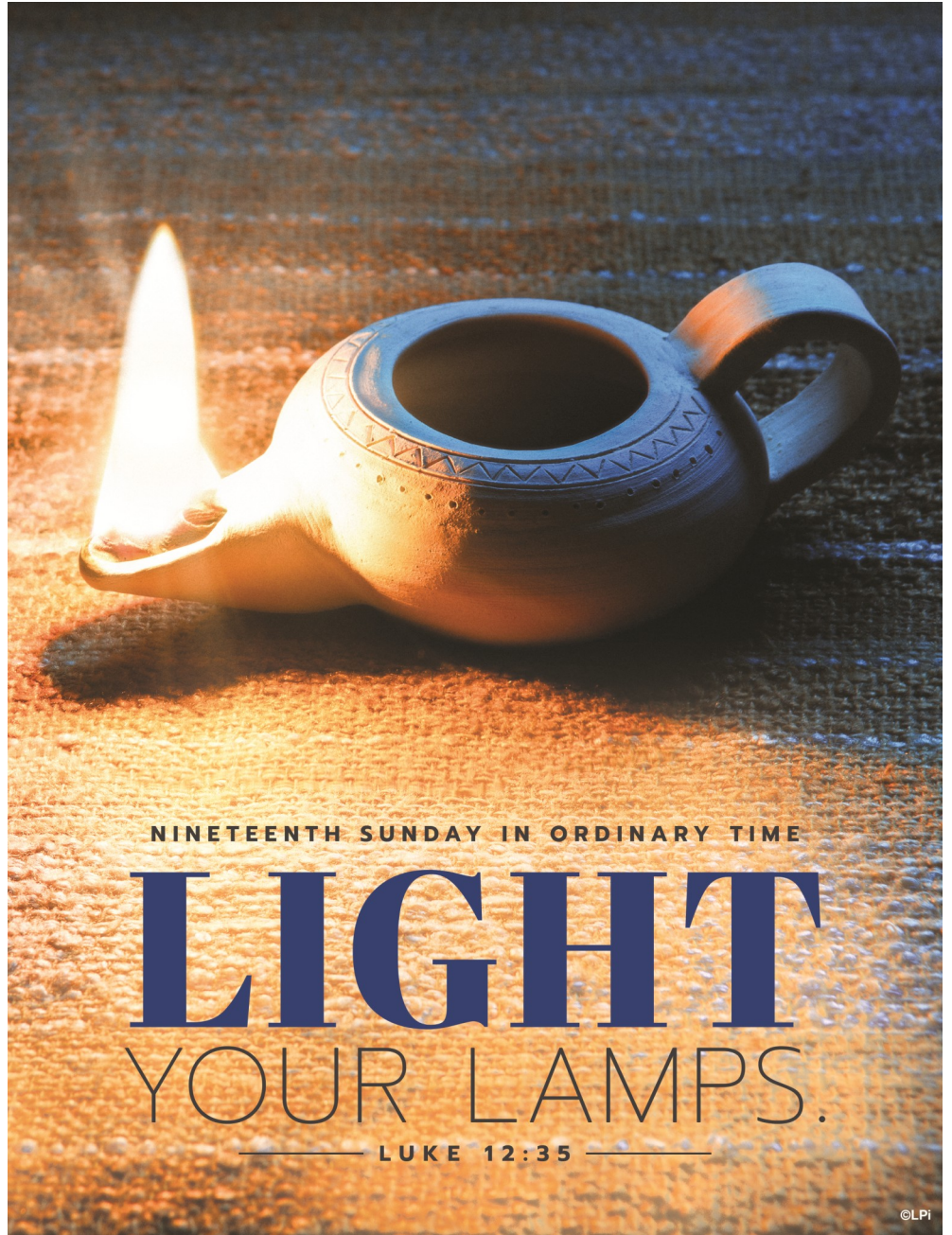


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	OBSERVANCES	READINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	CHURCH EVENTS	
Sunday August 10	19th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Wisdom 18:6-9 Psalm 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 Luke 12:32-48	7:00 AM +Weldon Oden 9:00 AM +Sue Asche 11:00 AM ++Gianna, Mary, and Alexis Morel 6:00 PM People of St. Peter	8:00 AM-12:30 PM Gift Shop Open	
Monday August 11	Saint Clare	Deuteronomy 10:12-22 Psalm 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 Matthew 17:22-27	12:10 PM +Jessie Morales	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Begins 1:00 PM Food Pantry Open	
Tuesday August 12	Saint Jane Frances de Chantal	Deuteronomy 31:1-8 Deuteronomy 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12 Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14	12:10 PM Jake Lightle	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open	
Wednesday August 13	Saint Pontian Saint Hippolytus	Deuteronomy 34:1-12 Psalm 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17 Matthew 18:15-20	12:10 PM Father's Day Novena	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 11:30 AM Confession	
Thursday August 14	Saint Maximilian Kolbe	Joshua 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17 Psalm 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 Matthew 18:21-19:1	12:10 PM Theo Munkel 6:00 PM +Michael Guttersen, Sr.	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM Food Pantry Open	
Friday August 15	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Revelation 11:19A; 12:1-6A, 10AB Psalm 45:10, 11, 12, 16 1 Corinthians 15:20-27 Luke 1:39-56	7:00 AM +Erik Wunder 12:10 PM +Tony Garcia 6:00 PM +Michael Guttersen, Jr.		
Saturday August 16	Saint Stephen of Hungary	Joshua 24:14-29 Psalm 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11 Matthew 19:13-15	9:00 AM William & MaryAnn White, Dawn Young, Elizabeth Cozard, Mercy Olivas, Noah Baez 4:00 PM +Ron McKenzie	2:00 PM Confession	
Sunday August 17	20th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10	Psalm 40:2, 3, 4, 18	Hebrews 12:1-4	Luke 12:49-53

Fr. Tomasz's Weekly Reflection

Today's Scriptures speak directly to the heart of anyone who has ever waited – for healing, for direction, for answers. Who among us hasn't cried out in difficult moments, "Lord, when will You act?"

We hear Jesus say in Luke 12:32, "Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom." This gentle encouragement reminds us that God's promises are not empty. But His timing? Ah – that's where our faith is truly tested. In the Letter to the Hebrews, we're shown the shining legacy of Abraham and Sarah, who journeyed far from their homeland without knowing their destination, clinging to nothing but God's word. "Faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen." Though they did not live to see every promise fulfilled, they walked patiently, trusting the One who is eternally faithful. And in the Book of Wisdom, we hear of the Israelites who, with hearts tethered to divine promises, held on through the night of waiting – believing that deliverance would surely come.

Let us be honest: Waiting is hard. It tests our spirit and stretches our trust. But faith is not simply believing in the outcome – it is believing in God Himself, even when the path is uncertain. Even when the promise feels delayed. We are not called to be passive in this waiting. Jesus reminds us to "be dressed ready for service and keep your lamps burning," like servants expecting their master. This is not anxious waiting – it is hopeful readiness. It means living each day as if the promise might be fulfilled tomorrow, even if it takes a lifetime.

Patience rooted in faith does not mean resignation. It means surrender to love. God's plan, mysteriously beautiful, unfolds not according to our timeline, but His. And what a comfort that is. For it means we are guided not by chaos, but by grace. So, if you are waiting for healing, for reconciliation, for purpose, take heart. You stand in the company of saints and pilgrims. Faith is your lamp in the night. Patience is the path and God is both the destination and the companion.

Never forget: He is faithful. His promises are true. And everything, even the waiting, is part of your story with Him. As the Book of Wisdom reminds us, "the saints secretly shared the same good things" – and so do we. Even now. Even in the waiting.



FAITH FORMATION Classes

**Registration for Non-Parishioners
begins on August 11th.**

Come to the office to register.

Registration ends August 22nd
Classes begin the week of September 7th

We have groups available for children, adults, baptized, and non-baptized. No matter where you are at in your faith journey, we have something for you!



VOLUNTEERS Needed

Prayerfully consider how God might be calling you to help guide children, teens, and adults in their faith.

**Remember: God doesn't call the qualified,
He qualifies the called.**

There are many volunteer opportunities for your time and talent.

Visit stpetergreeley.org/volunteer
or call Justyna at 970-939-5872



Meet Our Newest Staff Member

Edith Rosales is our new Religious Education Coordinator. Recently moved to Evans from Platteville, Edith and her husband have been married for almost 20 years and have three children. She has experience working as an administrative assistant in the medical field. Edith also enjoys hiking and other outdoor activities and spending time with her family.

Welcome Edith!



Parish Ministries

Feed the Bears

Sign up to make a Sunday night meal for our college students following the 6:00 PM Mass.



Dinners are held September-December for the fall semester

To sign up, visit bearcatholic.com and click on the "Give" tab. Thank you for your generosity!

Bear Catholic Campus Ministry For UNC and Aims Students

Mass on the Grass

Sunday, August 24th at 6:00 PM
at Garden Theater on UNC's Campus

After Mass we will have a procession back to the campus center where dinner will be provided by the Knights of Columbus.

There will be no 6:00 PM Mass at St. Peter on this day.



Corporate Communion

August 31st at 11:00 AM Mass
St. Mary Catholic Church
Rosary at 10:30 AM

We will attend the going-away reception for Fr. Crispin after Mass (no brunch at the Eaton Country Club)

ASSUMPTION *of the blessed virgin Mary*

Thursday, August 14th	Friday, August 15th
Anticipatory Mass at 6:00 PM	7:00 AM 12:10 PM 6:00 PM

Baptism Class



If you are a parent or godparent of a child to be baptized, our next class is

Monday, August 11th at 6:00 PM

The class is offered for fluent English speakers.

Spanish classes are offered at Our Lady of Peace.

Call the office to sign up 970-352-1060

Youth Group

Fall Kick-Off

Thursday, September 11th 6:30 PM-8:00 PM

At the rectory

All 6th-12th graders are invited to join us!

Moms Group

Upcoming Meetings

Confession for Moms

Wednesday, August 13th at 11:00 AM
in the office

Fellowship and Prayer

Wednesday, September 10th at 10:00 AM
In the church basement
(confession available at 11:00 AM)

Thursday, September 18th at 6:30 PM
In the parish hall

**Text STPETERMOMS to 84576
to join our contact list**

ST. PETER'S SENIORS

**Our next meeting is Wednesday, August 20
1:00 PM in the church basement**

Call Cathie 970-412-8621 for more information

PRAYER REQUESTS

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST

Jorge Alanis, Brian and Matthew Berning, +Miles Flagg, Cathy Gigliotti, Kevin Keberlein, NJ King, Rob Minner, Arthur and Charice Morel, Michael Morel, Chris Schneller, Ruben Sendejo, Luis Temblador, +Mia Torrez, Karen Trainer

We want to hear from you!



Each fall our priests present a preaching series during the homily at Mass. This year's teaching (beginning the weekend of September 6-7) will be based on your questions.

What would you like to know about the faith or the Church? Have you ever wondered "Why do we do that?" or "Why do we believe that?" Submit your questions online or write them on paper and drop them in the question box in the foyer.

Young Adult Group

Co-Ed Bible Study
Mondays at 7:30 PM at the youth center

Hike at Mount Evans
Sunday, August 17th

Praise and Worship at St. Peter
Thursday, August 28 at 7:00 pm

Contact Katelyn Mendoza
970-691-1449
katelyn.mendozaweiss@outlook.com

Text STPETERYA to 84576 to join our contact list on Flocknote.

Public Announcement of Upcoming Marriage

I publish the Banns of Marriage between **Jose Luis Zapata Orozco** and **Eva Nohemi Rodriguez Olivas**, and I bid your prayers on their behalf.

If you know of any just cause or impediment why these two persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, please report it to the parish office: 970-939-5872

ST. PETER FOOD PANTRY

We are in need of the following items:

Canned fruit	Rice	Peanut butter
Canned chicken	Syrup	Canned pasta meals
Individual cereals	Sugar	Pancake Mix
Mac & Cheese cups	Beans	Baking Mixes
Ramen noodles	Crackers	Granola bars/snacks

We are grateful for your continued generosity!



Bear Catholic Golf Tournament

Saturday, September 13

Register at
[bearcatholic.com/
golf-tournament](http://bearcatholic.com/golf-tournament)

Around the Area



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SEEK Conference 2026 Not Just for College Students!

January 1-5, 2026 in Denver

SEEK is a 5 day conference filled with speakers, breakout sessions, Mass, confession, concerts, fun, and more! Open to everyone, not just college students. Event Pass includes admission to all conference events as well as lunch for each full day of the conference.

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Young Saints-in-Training



Luke 12:32-48

Answers to Assumption Cross-Word: Across: 4.be 5.He 6.Mary 7.sing 9.Assumption 13.out 15.raise 17.love 19.womb 20.total 21.go Down: 1.Jesus 2.sin 3.saint 4.by 8.Son 10.soul 11.pure 12.imitate 14.tomb 16.ev'il 18.now 20.to

Jesus tells us to be prepared for when He comes back. We don't know when that will be so we should always be ready.

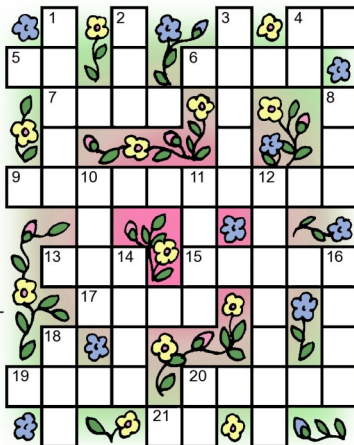
Help these children find their way to Jesus!

Assumption Cross-Word

We celebrate Our Lady's Assumption into Heaven this Friday, August 15th.

Across:

4. God chose a holy young woman to _____ His mother.
5. _____ wanted her to be perfect.
6. Her name was _____.
7. We _____ hymns about her.
9. Today we celebrate her _____ into Heaven.
13. God took her body _____ of the tomb
15. so He could _____ it up into Heaven.
17. She had lived a life of _____ for God.
19. "Blessed is the fruit of thy _____, Jesus."
20. Mary had given herself as a _____ sacrifice to God.
21. When we die, we hope to _____ to Heaven too.



Down:

1. She was the mother of _____.
2. Mary never committed any _____.
3. She is the greatest _____ in Heaven.
4. She proved her love of God _____ her obedience to His will.
8. Her _____ was God.
10. Mary's _____ went straight to Heaven
11. because she was so _____ and free from the stain of sin.
12. We should try to _____ her virtues.
14. God would not permit His mother's body to decay in the _____.
16. Mary's obedience to God overcame the _____ of Eve's sin.
18. _____ Mary is in Heaven with her Son.
20. We will try _____ love and obey God like Mary did.

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Catholic Teaching on Salvation (Last Week) Modern Church History part 1 Modern Church History part 2 (Next Week)

- Typically the modern era is considered to begin around the 1700s with the Renaissance and Enlightenment.
- Catholic author George Weigel describe modernity as "societies characterized by the decline of aristocratic authority based on inherited power and land-based wealth...the sharp differentiation of religious and political authority...industrialization, urbanization, and mass education; social mobility; popular participation in government...rise in life expectancy; and a vast expansion of leisure time available to everyone."
- In other words, governments became more democratic with elected officials rather than royalty or nobility inheriting power, and religious and political power began to separate. Up until the modern era, the Catholic Church had been prominently involved in political affairs, but this was about to change.
- Much of the land of Italy was ruled by the pope, called the Papal States. Popes Gregory XVI and Pius IX believed that the life of the Church depended on having control of the Papal States, which ended up not being true.
- The French Revolution was largely a rebellion against the Church being in charge of France's government. Philosophers like Voltaire believed that the Church was the enemy of freedom, justice, and reason.
- "Throughout continental Europe, the formation of the modern nation-state was typically undertaken against the Catholic Church." (Weigel)
- The Ultramontanism movement in France sought to fight against the Enlightenment and wanted a renewal of the union of the Church and the state.
- Eventually the Church lost control of the Papal States and ended up with a small section of Italy known as Vatican City. But George Weigel argues that "the demise of the Papal States would prove to be the essential condition for the possibility of the papacy exercising politically effective moral authority in the twentieth century."
- The First Vatican Council in 1869 defined papal infallibility as relating to only formal declarations of the pope concerning matters of faith and morals.

—source: *The Irony of Modern Catholic History: How the Church Rediscovered Itself and Challenged the Modern World to Reform*
by George Weigel

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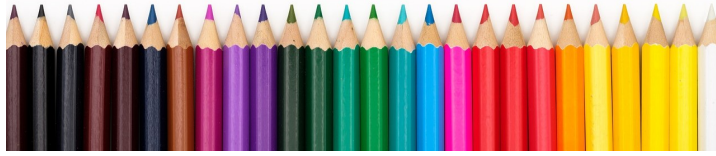
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STEWARDSHIP CORNER

In today's Gospel reading, Jesus concludes his teaching about those who are "faithful and prudent stewards" with that classic stewardship teaching: "Much will be required of the person entrusted with much, and still more will be demanded of the person entrusted with more." Christian stewards recognize that God is the ultimate source of their gifts, talents, resources and aptitudes, and that God wants them to use these varied gifts in his service. This week might be a good time to reflect on our God-given gifts. Are we using those gifts to serve the Lord? If Christ came back to us unexpectedly tomorrow, would we be able to give a full accounting of how we have exercised stewardship over these gifts?



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