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Mass Times:

Weekday Mass: Monday through Saturday: 8:00 a.m. Except Wednesday 8:30 a.m. Sunday Mass: Sat.: 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

Reconciliation:

Saturday 7:30-7:50 a.m., 3:30-4:30 p.m., or by appointment.

Sacramental Preparation:

Baptisms: Please contact the Parish Office to sign up for Baptism Class. *Weddings:* Please contact a St. Peter Priest at least six months in advance. *Sacramental Prearation:* Is offered through St. Peter School and the St. Peter Parish School of Religion.

R.C.I.A.: Please contact the Parish Office.

To Join St. Peter Parish:

Please phone the Parish Office at 217-222-3155 Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

Exodus 34:4b-6,8-9; 2 Corinthians 13:11-13; John 3:16-18

JUNE 4. 2023

The first reading describes the awe experienced by Moses as he encountered the Lord on Mt. Sinai. The Lord is in the "cloud of glory." No one was permitted to go with Moses. Moses confesses the unworthiness of his people, but asks the Lord to go with them. But, we may ask, how can we approach the awesome Lord? Even when he tells us that he is the God of love, who are we that we can come before him?

The answer is in the Gospel: We can approach the Father through the Son, for "God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son." He did not send the Son to condemn, but that all might be saved through him. If we have seen the Son, we have seen the Father. We can approach the Father through the Son who became one of us – like us in all things except sin.

But the Son has returned to the Father's glory. Still, we are not alone. He has sent the Holy Spirit into our hearts. The Holy Spirit makes present the Son; he unites us in the one Body of Christ, the Son.

The word translated "fellowship" in the second reading really means "union with." United in the Holy Spirit, we are united with each other and made one in Christ, through whom we can approach the Father.

Our spiritual life must be rooted in the mystery of the Trinity. Our prayer and worship are offered to the Father through the Son in the Holy Spirit with Mary and all the saints. Give glory to the Father through the Son in the Holy Spirit!

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The Parish of St. Peter Quincy, IL

~Mass Intentions~

June 5-11, 2023

- 5. Monday 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
- 6. Tuesday 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
- 7. Wednesday 8:30 a.m. Communion Service
- 8. Thursday 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
- 9. Friday 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
- **10. Saturday 8:00 a.m.** Alice Wavering Kemner & T.B. Kemner
- **10. Saturday 5:00 p.m.** Our Parish Family
- 11. Sunday 8:00 a.m. Joanne Schlepphorst11. Sunday 9:30 a.m.
- Penny Norton 11. Sunday 11:00 a.m.
- Zakery Haubrich

- Mass Schedule -

Monday-Saturday 8:00 a.m. Wednesday 8:30 a.m. Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., & 11:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday: 7:30-7:50 a.m. 3:30-4:30 p.m.

The Most Holy Trinity Solemnity, June 4, 2023

Dear Parishioners,

As we gather on this first Sunday in our month of June, the Church celebrates one of the mysteries of our faith that is the most difficult to understand, let alone try to explain, namely the Mystery of the Trinity. We profess a belief in a Triune, a God of three Persons: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. They are three Persons but one God. And we find this mystery very much present in all of our prayers as we begin each prayer with that sign of the Triune God, "in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." Let's just say that our God is a community of Persons and we are invited to share in that community through His graces and His activity in our lives.

We want to welcome to our parish our new transitional deacon, Rev. Mr. Jayke White. Being a transitional deacon, he is preparing himself for the priesthood in his final studies at St. Meinrad Seminary in Indiana. He will be with us through the summer months and I ask you to welcome him with open arms by introducing yourselves to him and making him feel at home with us. This final summer of his training will assist him in his journey to the priesthood. He will be preaching, baptizing, and assisting us at the Eucharist. Since we will be away this week on retreat, he will be having a Communion service that will include him proclaiming the gospel and preaching through the week. On behalf of all of us, I welcome Rev. Mr. Jayke White to our parish.

Since next weekend, June 10-11, is the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, we will be reintroducing to the parish Holy Communion under both species. Since Covid, we limited ourselves to receiving Christ under the appearance of bread only. But this weekend, we return to celebrating the Eucharist with our family being able to receive Holy Communion, both the Body and Blood of Christ. We need Eucharistic ministers and so I am asking all of our former ones to sign up for this ministry and once again participate in this ministry. For those who are still gun-shy receiving from the Cup, I remind you that you do not have to receive Holy Communion in this way. And please do not be critical of people who wish to receive from the Cup. After several years, it is good to get back to some normalcy in our celebrations. Whether one receives the Body of Christ and/or the Blood of Christ, one receives the whole Christ, Soul and Divinity. May each of us proclaim that glorious Amen, "So be it", when we hear those words, "the Body of Christ," and/or the "Blood of Christ. And let us be conscious of who we are receiving and show the reverence and respect that is due.

I have shared with you in previous columns our plans for the future expansion here at St. Peter Church. This basically includes more space for people to use. We hope to open up our basement of the Church, including all of the rooms, for a type of parish hall. To make that possible, we will be hoping to build a cafeteria which will be connected to the school so that our students will only be leaving for Church and nothing else. This provides an element of security for us. On the upper level of the cafeteria will be more classrooms, which we are in need of desperately. The lower level will include storage space, something we always need. Right now nothing is cast in stone but we are only dreaming what could be done.

Mark Your Calendar

Monday, June 5: 8:00 a.m. Communion Service Only

Tuesday, June 6: 8:00 a.m. Communion Service Only

Wednesday, June 7: 8:30 a.m. Communion Service Only Ladies Cursillo 1:30 p.m., Fr. Bauer Prayer Rm

Thursday, June 8: 8:00 a.m. Communion Service Only

Friday, June 9: 8:00 a.m. Communion Service Only

Saturday, June 10:

Sunday, June 11:

Fr. Leo's column continued..

As many of you know, I turn 75 next May and will then have to submit my letter of resignation as pastor to the Bishop. Do I have to do this building project? The answer is no, but I have heard people since I got here complaining about lack of meeting spaces, or the kids eating below the Church. It would be nice to offer space for funeral dinners without having to kick our kids from the gym on those days. Then as we continue to dream, one of the things that our Catholic schools need is a new gym that would accommodate our junior high as well as help QND with their athletic programs. Right now we are renting space just to practice. This is badly needed for the area. So we enlisted the Steier group, a Catholic fundraising group to do a feasibility study to see what is possible. As I said, nothing is concrete. We are looking at possibilities and thinking outside the box. I ask your prayers, love, and support. Why would I undertake such a project? Because it will make St. Peter parish and school even more attractive and inviting for people. More details will be forthcoming. Just preparing you.

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE: A little girl wanted to know what the United States looked like. Her dad tore a map of the USA from a magazine and then cut it into small pieces. He told her to go to her room and see if she can put it together. After some minutes she returned and handed the map correctly fitted and taped together. The dad was surprised and asked how she had finished so quickly. She said "on the other side was a picture of Jesus and when I put him back then our country just came together."

Project Rachel

Help for women and men to heal from the pain of abortion. For assistance call 1-877-RACHEL-5.

Reporting Allegations of Child Sexual Abuse

To report allegations of sexual abuse of a minor by clergy or other church personnel -- even if it is in the past --Individuals are encouraged to call the Diocese's Child Abuse Reporting and Investigation number at (217) 321-1155. Individuals may also contact Illinois Department of Children and Family Services Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.25.ABUSE.

Leaving Your Catholic Legacy

The Diocese parishioner's guide to planned gifts information is available. There are hand outs on the table in the narthex.



WEEKLY COLLECTION

	<u>May 28</u>	Total to Date
Loose Collections	\$1,175.77	\$53,188.98
Regular Collections	\$31,465.40	\$1,337,529.33
Annual School Fund	\$6,446.00	\$428,895.74
Holy Days		\$59,942.80
Totals	\$39,087.17	\$1,879,556.85
Total Budget Goal	\$32,000.00	\$1,536,000.00
Difference	\$7,087.17	\$343,556.85

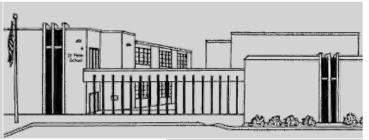
Diocesan Collections

Catholic Cemetery: \$180.00 Communications: \$75.00 Retired Diocesan Priests: \$1,211.00

Haiti Sister Parish Collections

Collected \$1,345.00

The School of St. Peter



Week of June 4, 2023 A Message from Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh

"St. Peter School provides a quality education built on Catholic values and teachings."



The morning and afternoon preschool students are "off to kindergarten" as they graduated from St. Peter Preschool on Wednesday, May 24. Students, parents, teachers and administration celebrated this special event with the students. The students sang special songs for visiting family members.

We wish to thank Miss Hannah Klingele for her time spent as the para educator for the students. She will be taking on a new "teaching" position at Faith Assembly of God Church next school year.



THANK YOU

We wish to extend an enormous thank vou to the staff members that will not be joining us for the coming school year: Mrs. Elise Hanafin - 2 years as 7/8 Science; Mrs. Kristin George (pictured) 8 years as our preschool 3 year old teacher; Mrs. Amanda Miller (pictured) - 1 year full-time substitute for 3rd grade; Mrs. Sue Beswick (pictured)-1 year kindergarten para: Miss Hannah Klingele-1 year as para for 4 year old preschool: Mrs. Lindsay Holtschlag-1 year as Kindergarten para. We also thank Mrs. Julie Simons and Mrs. Sara Bradfield for their extensive substituting for the school year.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Wednesdays from 9:00-3:00 p.m. (There will be some Wednesdays that we will not be open. Continue to check the bulletin for updates or call before stopping by to ensure we are in the office.)



Kindergarten Teacher Aide Opening

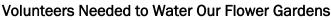
St. Peter School is accepting applications for a part-time Kindergarten teacher aide position daily from 7:45-12:45 Monday-Friday for the 2023-2024 school year. Applicants should have experience with young children. Responsibilities include working one-on-one with children, assisting the classroom teacher with instruction, and supervision. Qualified applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and references to Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh, St. Peter School, 2500 Maine Street, Quincy, IL 62301.

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Grab a date and join us for an afternoon of fun and fellowship at 57 & Vine (located at Pointe D'Vine Vineyard & Venue - 267 Hwy 57). Sip, savor and socialize with fellow parishioners. Refreshments for purchase include wine, beer and a full snack menu. Check out: pointedvine.com/tasting-room/ for more information.





Have an hour on a Tuesday or Thursday this summer to water the flower gardens on the church/school campus? These can be service hours for any highschooler. Would also be grateful for any adult. Contact Maureen Schuering for information at 217-257-2489.

Totus Tuus Summer Camp!

You don't want to miss Totus Tuus Summer Camp! Watch silly skits, be with friends, and make some new ones, all while growing deeper in your faith! All students going into 1st-12th grade (23-24 school year) will have the opportunity to sign up for this great Catholic experience. The location this summer is at St. Francis, but St. Peter Parish is co-hosting, so sign up today! Camp this year is from June 11—June 16. For more information or to register online, please visit: https://forms.gle/PtZUHtCC4D79mYqS7 Can't register online? Paper forms can be found in the school and parish offices and in the narthex.

An Invitation to College Graduates:

We would like to recognize parishioners who are graduating from college this spring. Information will be printed in the June 11 bulletin. To be included, please <u>legibly</u> print the information below and return it to the Parish Office by Monday, June 5. Or email this information to **church@cospq.org**. **Thank you!**

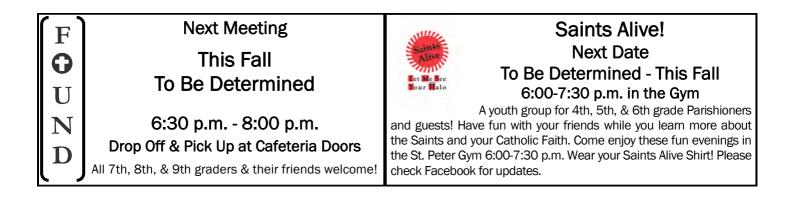
Name of Graduate: _____

Degree Received / Major: _____

Name of College: _____

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Baptisms Violet Rae Parker, daughter of Ryan & Katrina (Rodeffer) Parker,	Welcome! Please welcome to our parish family
and Wyatt Lee Wade, son of Nathaniel Wade & Paige Amburn,	Travis & Alysha Giesing, and their daughter, Lilah!
were made children of God through the reception of the sacrament of Baptism on Saturday, May 27, 2023.	Men's Cursillo #361
Communion Services instead of Masses the Week of June 5 The priests will be on retreat June 5-9 so we will not have a Mass those mornings. Instead Deacon Jayke White will have a communion service each day.	Men's Cursillo #361 will be held June 22-25 at the Franciscan Retreat Center in Quincy. During this three-day experience, those attending pray together, celebrate the Eucharist, listen to talks given by priests, religious and laypersons, and share the fellowship of Jesus Christ and each other. It provides a casual and relaxed experience in a Christian community. Cost of the weekend is \$165.00 with lodging and all meals provided. Applications must be in by June 18. For more information or to receive an application please call Dwight/Barb Seeley at 217-224-5615 or go to www.quincycursillo.com and "applications" and print one.
Social Concerns Collection Social Concerns is collecting toilet paper, laundry detergent, dish soap, cleaning supplies, body wash & feminine products this weekend, June 3-4 for the 1st Sunday collection for the Ladies of Charity. Containers will be located in the Narthex. Thank you!	
St. Peter Picnic - Save The Date St. Peter Picnic will be held Saturday, August 26, 2023, 5:00 p.m Midnight. 50/50 raffle, silent auction, basket raffle, beer, wine, food, games for all ages, \$5,000 in cash prizes.	Seasonal Grounds Help Needed The Roman Catholic Cemetery Association is looking for seasonal grounds help. If interested please talk to the Superintendent at Calvary Cemetery. Junefest is June 3
Live band Brushville 8:00-11:30 p.m. Adoration Chapel Hours Openings Hours that need an Adorer for the Adoration Chapel are as follows: Tuesday: 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on the 1 st , 3 rd , 5 th of the month, 11 a.m. to noon, 1 p.m. to 2 p.m., 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., 4 p.m. to	St. Dominic Junefest, June 3, 5:00 p.mMidnight. Food & drinks, games, entertainment "Heresay" playing 7:30- 11:30 p.m., youth talent performances, bingo, Game Town for kids, basket raffle, raffle (\$2000 in cash prizes!), silent auction, 50/50 and more. St. Francis Parish Picnic is June 10 St. Francis Solanus Parish will hold its annual Parish Picnic on Saturday June 10, 5:00 p.m. to Midnight. The picnic will host a variety of food and beverages, live music, cash raffle, silent auction, basket raffle, dunk tank, kids' games, train ride, bounce houses and more. The Heidelberg Band will play from 5:30-7:30 p.m. and The Gentlemen will take the stage from 7:30 p.m11:30 p.m. We hope to see you there!
 5 p.m., 10 p.m. to 11 p.m., 11 p.m. to midnight Wednesday: Midnight to 1 a.m., 1 a.m. to 2 a.m., 2 a.m. to 3 a.m., 3 a.m. to 4 a.m., 4 a.m. to 5 a.m., 7 a.m. to 8 a.m., 8 a.m. to 9 a.m., 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on the 1st week of the month. Friday: 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. on the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 5th weeks of the month. Saturday: 1 a.m. to 2 a.m., 2 a.m. to 3 a.m., 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. on the 1st, 2nd, 4th, 5th week of the month, 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. on the 4th week of the month 	
Mary Voorhis at 217-653-3127 or call or text Gina Wolf at 217-257-9966 with questions or to fill an hour. We absolutely would love to have you be an Adorer with our group! We always have room on our sub list also if that fits your schedule better. Mass Times While Traveling	Quincy Notre Dame Job Opening Quincy Notre Dame has the following job opening for the 2023-24 school year: Full-Time English/Language Arts Teacher. Qualified candidates should send a cover letter, resume and two letters of reference to Mark McDowell, QND Principal, at mmcdowell@quincynotredame.org.
On vacation and want to find the Mass times for the nearest church? The oldest and best place to find Mass Times is at MassTimes.org.	TEC June 10-12 Welcoming all 16-21-year-olds and older! Great River TEC has a retreat coming up June 10-12, 2023. In a three-day weekend of TEC, you can experience being part of a vibrant, loving, and supportive faith community in which the friendship of Jesus Christ becomes a real possibility that makes sense. Please contact Colleen Schlipman 217-653-3567 operationaldirector@greatrivertec.org for questions. To learn more or register please go to www.greatrivertec.org/tec
Please keep the following in your prayers: ~Kristopher Schreacke ~Elias Erd ~Lilli Foster ~Amy Seibert ~Hunter Hildebrand ~Isabella Benner ~Natalie Meyer ~Theresa Althoff ~Steve Hull ~Bennic Haubrich ~Dan Dailing ~Matt Mast	
~Bonnie Haubrich~Dan Dailing~Matt Mast~Alden & Joyce Shipp~Norma Johnson~Ted Kemner~Joan Wilson~Julie Eftink~Jo Buckley~Priscilla & Bill Morrison~Sue Hildebrand~Ian Mehaffy~Kathy Schuckman~John & Barb Meyer~Ken Wolf~Lorna Shade~Donna Schutte~Anonymous~Michael Mason~Cindy Barner~Diane Zoller~Valerie Fox Ortball~JoAnn Schaefer~Diane Zoller~Debra Sparrow~Michelle & Dustin HoustonTo have a name added to this list, please call the Parish Office at 222-3155 or email church@cospq.org.	QND Cheer Camp QND Cheer Camp will be held July 24-27. Camp will be nightly from 6-8 p.m. (rain or shine) at QND, 1400 S. 11th, in front of the school. Camp is open to children 3 years old to 8th grade. Check-in begins at 5:15 p.m. on Monday. \$40 per camper, \$35 for each additional child in same family. Cost includes camp, t-shirt, snacks & dinner on Thursday 5-6 p.m. Campers will perform at 6:30 on Thursday. For more information contact Coach Grace Peters at: petersgra96@gmail.com







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