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Dates to Remember

April 22/23-Eucharistic Ministers' Training
May 1-Last Day of Sunday School
May 7-Chastain on Tilson
May 8-Mother's Day Breakfast
May 12-Calendar Meeting
May 15-First Eucharist
May 21-Women's Council General Meeting
May 25-St. Peter Claver School Graduation
May 28-Haitian Mother's Day Celebration
June 3/4-Eucharistic Congress
June 19-Father's Day Breakfast
June 25-Haitian Father's Day Celebration
June 26-Parish Picnic



Saints Peter & Paul
CATHOLIC CHURCH

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 17, 2016

Eucharistic Ministers' Recertification

Eucharistic Ministers who's certificate expired or will soon expire should attend the recertification session on Friday, April 22nd at 7:00PM in the first classroom on the right. If you are interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister, please attend the training session on Saturday, April 23rd at 9:00AM. If you have any questions, contact Deacon Alfred Mitchell or Linda Giles. If you want to check your certificate's expiration date, check the notebook on the stand in the rear of the church.



Coming Soon: The Calendar Meeting

The Calendar Meeting has been scheduled for Thursday, May 12th at 7:00PM in the Parish Office. Parish organizations are requested to turn in a list of their events/meetings for July 2016-June 2017. Marie needs the lists by May 2nd. Any scheduling conflicts will be worked out at the Calendar Meeting.

Men's Club Meeting

All men of the parish are invited to attend the Men's Club meeting Monday at 7:30PM in the Parish Office.

2016 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

"Love Never Fails"

Thank you for your generous participation in the 2016 Archbishop's Annual Appeal. It is very important that your pledges are completed so that together, our parish will reach and, hopefully, exceed our goal. Once the pledge payments have surpassed our goal, all of the additional funds are returned to our parish for use in our ministries.

Parish Goal: \$43,000.00
 Amount Pledged: \$57,339.25
 Amount Paid: \$26,651.95
 # of pledges: 142
 (as of 4/12/16)

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<http://www.facebook.com/stspandp>

Parish calendar on website. Click on Events, then Calendar.

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April 17, 2016

Fourth Sunday of Easter

This Coming Week

Monday, 18th

Novena 6:30PM-Chapel

Men's Club 7:30PM-Parish Office (C)

Tuesday, 19th

Young at Heart 12:00PM-Parish Office (C)

Women's Council Board 7:00PM-Parish Office (C)

Wednesday, 20th

Bible Study 10:30AM-Parish Office (C)

Choir Rehearsal 6:00PM-Church

Women of Faith 7:00PM-Parish Office (C)

Thursday, 21st

Liturgy Committee 7:00PM-Parish Office (C)

Haitian Rehearsal 7:00PM-Church

Friday, 22nd

Adoration 9:00AM-Chapel

Eucharistic Minister Recertification 7:00PM-Classroom

Saturday, 23rd

Outreach 9:00AM-12:00-Price Hall

Eucharistic Minister Recertification 9:00AM-Church/Classroom

Sunday, 24th

Sunday School 10:00AM-Classrooms

RCIA Class 10:00AM-Parish Office (C)

St. Jude Circle Coffee & Donuts 10:00AM

Adult Enrichment 10:15AM-Classroom

Italy Trip Meeting 1:30PM-Classroom



Sacramental Schedule

Wednesday, 20th

9:00AM Louise Sconiers

Friday, 22nd

8:30AM Elias Dawood

Saturday, 23rd

5:00PM Lynn Patrice Ochoa, d'csd.

Sunday, 24th

8:30AM Veronica Moore-Daniels

11:30AM Dr. John T. Harper, Sr., d'csd.

4:00PM Victoria Volmar, b'day.

Catholic Home Missions Collection

The Catholic Home Missions Collection will take place next weekend. One way that this collection works to support home mission dioceses in the United States is by supporting seminarian formation in poor dioceses. The blessing of seminarians places a financial burden on these dioceses, because educating each seminarian costs \$35-40K per year. Your support is needed for these young men so that they might go back and serve their parishes. Please **strengthen the Church at home** by making a generous gift next weekend.

Earth Day Eve Exhibit

Sts. Peter Claver School would like to invite you to visit our "Lexicon of Sustainability" exhibit on Thursday, April 21st, 2:00-4:00PM. During the month of April, St. Peter Claver students are discussing the value of living more sustainably by hosting a Lexicon "pop up show". Stop by the school between the hours of 2 to 4PM on the 21st and discover how you can create a healthier and safe food system in America by becoming better informed about what you eat and buy! For more information, please go to <http://lexiconofsustainability.com/> or call SPC (404) 241-3063.

April 24th is Catholic Earth Day

In Laudato Si' (On Care for Our Common Home), Pope Francis recommends planting trees. He not only encourages this, but the Vatican has actually planted an entire forest in helping to make it the first carbon neutral country in the world. Please consider joining the Archdiocese of Atlanta in celebrating Catholic Earth Day by "Planting a Laudato Si' Tree" in your yard or at your business. For additional resources on what you can do to celebrate Catholic Earth Day and help care for creation, be sure to check out these two resources: <http://archatl.com/catholic-life/refreshtat/> or <https://files.catholiccharitiesusa.org/files/Earth-Day-Program-Guide.pdf?mtime=20160323103152>



HBCU Scholarship Award Opportunity

The DeKalb County Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. is awarding \$2500 scholarships to 2 deserving graduating seniors of DeKalb County high schools. Applicants must meet educational criteria, submit letters of recommendation, write an essay and be attending an Historically Black College or University (HBCU) in Fall 2016. The application deadline is April 22nd. For applications or questions, contact Dr. Kristina D. Carter: honorsandawards@lambdaepsilonomega.com

Apply for Scholarships

Do you have a student entering a Catholic high school or college in the 2016-2017 school year? KPCLA Court 313 is offering two book scholarships to deserving ninth grade students and college freshmen. Please contact Mrs. Jeannine Purvis at toye113@comcast.net for application information or the Parish Office. Completed applications are due by May 5th.

2016 Eucharistic Congress

Dates: June 3rd-4th

Location: Georgia International Convention Center

2000 Convention Center Concourse, College Park 30337

Directions & schedules are on the Archdiocese's website:

<http://congress.archatl.com>

Volunteers are needed. Contact May Barron at (404) 243-0869 or use the information on the Archdiocese's website.

STARVE WARS! at the Eucharistic Congress

Three billion people around the world live in poverty and face hunger on a daily basis. The Catechism reminds us that "the Eucharist commits us to the poor" (ccc 1397), so this year we will kick off the Archdiocese of Atlanta's Eucharistic Congress with a Friday morning meal packing event—STARVE WARS! We are seeking 650 volunteers of all ages to help pack 100,000 meals to go to the impoverished developing country of Burkina Faso in Africa. The event will take place Friday, June 3rd at the Georgia International Convention Center in College Park. There will be two sessions, 9:00-10:30AM & 11:00AM-12:30PM, both taking place in Hall A of the Convention Center. In order to be more inclusive, the first session will have Spanish, French, Vietnamese & American Sign Language interpreters and the second session will be set up to accommodate those living with disabilities. Space is limited and registration is required to participate. STARVE WARS! is a collaborative effort of the Archdiocese of Atlanta's Justice & Peace Ministries, Catholic Relief Services, Helping Hands, and the people of the Archdiocese of Atlanta. For information or to make a donation to support this event, contact Kathy Montag, CRS Capacity Building Specialist, at kmontag@archatl.com.

Haitian Corner

Les sept paroles de Marie dans la Bible(Part2).

Deuxième parole.

C'est ainsi qu'il faut comprendre **La Deuxième Parole de Marie à l'Ange** : « Voici la Servante du Seigneur, qu'il me soit fait selon ta parole ! (Le 1, 38).

C'est la vive flamme de l'amour qui transforme et ça va beaucoup plus loin que l'amour qui consent, car le consentement pourrait n'être que sur un point.

Mais Marie ne dit pas seulement : j'accepte ceci ou cela, Elle se livre au plein gré de l'action divine, ayant parfaitement bien saisi que le mystère de sa Maternité Divine c'est une transformation qui prend son être totalement.

L'Esprit-Saint, dès lors, peut survenir en Elle et le Verbe de Dieu peut s'incarner en son sein virginal pour la plus grande Gloire de Dieu et pour le salut des hommes.

Notre existence, frères et sœurs, prend une toute autre allure quand à l'exemple de Marie et en communion d'âme avec Elle, nous nous livrons à l'action de l'Esprit-Saint, quand nous lui laissons la liberté de nous transformer selon son bon plaisir...

Alors, quand il y a cela, je veux dire quand le cœur est complètement transformé, la vive flamme de l'amour qui brûle en lui peut se communiquer.

Stewardship-A Disciple's Response

April 10th \$9,097.74 Children's Offertory \$56.29

Catholic Relief Services \$1,381.31

"No one could show me where my soul might be; I searched for God, and He eluded me; I served my neighbor, and I found all three."
—Ernest Crosby

Thank You

The family of Dr. John T. Harper, Sr. thanks the community of Sts. Peter and Paul for all expressions of sympathy during our bereavement. A special thanks goes to those of you who attended and/or participated in the Mass of Christian Burial and Committal. We love you.

Agnes, J.T., and Angela Harper

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the sick of our parish and those who have asked for our prayers, especially:

Lawrence & Jean Alce, Jean-Claude Augustin, Shawn Broussard, Porscha Bryant, Jerome & Lula Bullard, Ephraim Burrell, Stephanie Cooper, Ida Cruse, Phyllis Daniel, Patricia Davis, Christine Edwards, Nneka Eto, Mary Flournoy, Teresa & Joseph Ford, Elaine Galbreath, Michelle Giles, Sharon Giles, Bromley Gittens, Laura Hassell, Pierce Hawkins, Mayreais Honore, Brittany Ivory-Brown, Joseph Mario Jean-Louis, Darnell Kelly, Dale Lomax III, Andrea Lys, Elsa McBean, Barbara McElrath, Dianna Menefield, Claudia Pierre, Josue Pierre, Grace Powers, Charles & Emma Reynolds, Linda Robinson, Herve Romain, Lamerice Sanon, Audrey Shirley, Johnathan Sulton, John Sylvester, Sylvia Vialva, Merlyn Walker, Justin Wiley, Marian Willingham

Readings for the Week



Monday, 18th

Acts 11:1-18 Pss 42:2-3;43:3-4 Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday, 19th

Acts 11:19-26 Ps 87:1b-7 Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday, 20th

Acts 12:24-13:5a Ps 67:2-3,5-6,8 Jn 12:44-50

Thursday, 21st St. Anselm

Acts 13:13-25 Ps 89:2-3,21-22,25,27 Jn 13:16-20

Friday, 22nd

Acts 13:26-33 Ps 2:6-11b Jn 14:1-6

Saturday, 23rd St. George

Acts 13:44-52 Ps 98:1-4 Jn 14:7-14

Sunday 24th Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 14:21-27 Ps 145:8-13 Rv 21:1-5a Jn 13:31-33a,34-35