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Dates to Remember

Aug. 19-Haitian Day of Recollection
Aug. 20-Confirmation Retreat
Aug. 20/21-Ladies' CRHP Renewal
Aug. 20/21 & 27/28-Sun. School Registration
Aug. 27-Women's Council Luncheon
Aug. 27-KPCLA All White Affair
Sept. 11-Sunday School Begins
Sept. 23-25-Women's Retreat
Sept 25-RCIA Class Begins
Oct. 1-Interfaith Summit on Violence
Oct. 8-Baptism Class
Oct. 8-Steak & Chicken Dinner
Oct. 15-Confirmation



Saints Peter & Paul
CATHOLIC CHURCH

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME AUGUST 14, 2016

Sunday School Registration

Sunday School Registration will take place the weekends of August 20/21 and 27/28. Registration forms will be available on the table in the narthex or online on the parish website. Sunday School begins September 11th at 10:00AM. If you have any questions about Sunday School, contact Gloria George-Patrick, Director of Religious Education, at the Parish Office.

2016 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

Parish Goal: \$43,000.00 Amount Pledged: \$67,123.22
 Amount Paid: \$46,291.32 # of pledges: 171
 (as of 8/8/16)

My dear friends,

57 years ago this month, the parish of Sts. Peter & Paul was established. The people who gathered for those early liturgies didn't have to worry about texting during mass and hunting Pokemons wouldn't have entered anyone's mind. Much has changed since then, but what has not changed is the gospel mandate left to us at the end of St. Matthew's gospel, "Go and teach all nations, baptizing them..." (Matt 28:19)

For over three decades, Mrs. Josie Mitchell has been our sentinel. In leading the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults at our parish, she has been a steady rock while those come to our doors asking questions and seeking answers. Because of her ministry, Miss Josie has held the hand of many who have sought the presence of Christ in the sacraments. We're a larger and BETTER parish because of her tireless witness and on behalf of all of my predecessors, I want to express my deepest gratitude to her.

The Book of Ecclesiastes reminds us that for everything there is a season. Every season is a season of change and growth for our parish, and so the torch passes. There are no words that could ever fully convey the debt of gratitude that the parish owes Josie for her steadfast ministry, but I would be remiss if I didn't say THANK YOU on behalf of the entire Peter & Paul community.

I would also like to say thank you to Mrs. Patricia Davis. She has accepted the invitation to chair the RCIA and while she has some serious shoes to fill, I know that with the support of the parish we will continue to welcome those who come to us seeking to explore and enter more fully into the beautiful gift that is our Catholic faith.

God Bless,
Fr. Bryan

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

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August 14, 2016

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

This Coming Week

Monday, 15th

Novena 6:30PM-Chapel

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

Tuesday, 16th

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

Wednesday, 17th

Choir Rehearsal 6:00PM-Church

Thursday, 18th

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

Haitian Rehearsal 7:00PM-Church

Friday, 19th

Adoration 9:00-10:00AM-Chapel

Haitian Day of Recollection 7:00PM-Church

Saturday, 20th

Ladies' CRHP Renewal Weekend-PH/PO

Outreach 9:00-12:00-Price Hall

Confirmation Day of Reflection 9:00AM-Monastery

Altar Servers 9:30-11:30AM-Church

Sunday School Registration after Mass

Sunday, 21st

Ladies' CRHP Renewal Weekend

Sunday School Registration after Masses



Stewardship-A Disciple's Response

August 7th \$12,185.06 Children's Offertory \$33.35
Parish Outreach \$1,553.41

What resources, talents, and abilities has God given me? Do I use them in service to others? How might I take the next step to become a more effective steward?



Readings for the Week



Monday, 15th The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Rev 11:19a;12:1-6a,10ab Ps 45:10-12,16 1 Cor 15:20-27

Lk 1:39-56 (not a holy day of obligation this year)

Tuesday, 16th St. Stephen of Hungary

Ez 28:1-10 (Ps) Dt 32:26-28,30,35cd-36b Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday, 17th

Ez 34:1-11 Ps 23:1-6 Mt 20:1-16

Thursday, 18th

Ez 36:23-28 Ps 51:12-15,18-19 Mt 22:1-14

Friday, 19th St. John Eudes

Ez 37:1-14 Ps 107:2-9 Mt 22:34-40

Saturday, 20th St. Bernard

Ez 43:1-7b Ps 85:9ab,10-14 Mt 23:1-12

Sunday, 21st Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 66:18-21 Ps 117:1-2 Heb 12:5-7,11-13 Lk 13:22-30

Altar Servers' Schedule

For 8/20-21/16

5:00PM Mass

Lynette Reid

Robin Reid

8:30AM Mass

Damian Ekpoudom

Utibeno Ekpoudom

McKenzie Fair

Janiece James

11:30AM Mass

Kazin Glenn

Christian Sharp

4:00PM Mass

Perpetue Auguste

Nayela Vilton

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

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

Betty Alberique, Lawrence & Jean Alce, Jean -Claude Augustin, Shawn Broussard, Faith Brown, Jerome & Lula Bullard, Ephraim Burrell, Stephanie Cooper, Ida Cruse, Phyllis Daniel, Patricia Davis, Marlon Dotson, Christine Edwards, Caroline Egbula, Nneka Eto, 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, Stanley & Roy Mayfield, Elsa McBean, Michelle McDonald, William O'Neal, Claudia Pierre, Josue Pierre, Lynette Reid, Charles & Emma Reynolds, Herve Romain, Lamercie Sanon, Audrey Shirley, Johnathan Sulton, John Sylvester, Sylvia Vialva, Justin Wiley, Marian Willingham, Roland Woods

Sacramental Schedule

Wednesday, 17th

9:00AM Joseph Jude Moore, b'day.

Friday, 19th

8:30AM Ladies' CRHP

Saturday, 20th

4:30PM Confessions

5:00PM Joseph Marty, b'day.

Sunday, 21st

8:30AM Barbara Belmont, b'day.

11:30AM Fatimah Dawood, b'day.

4:00PM Mrs. Noel Jean Louis, d'csd.

How Would You Like to Become a Catholic?

Have you been attending Mass here for a while, and would like to learn more about Catholicism? Are you yearning to receive Communion with everyone else? If you feel called to join the Catholic Church, the process for that is called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). RCIA class begins Sunday, September 25th at 10:00AM in the Parish Office. There are no sign-ups, just come as you are.

Annual Steak & Chicken Dinner

Tickets are on sale now for the annual Men's Club Steak and Chicken Dinner Saturday, October 8th, beginning at 6:30PM in Price Hall. We are asking everyone to participate in this event by either purchasing a ticket or selling some. Please join us as we dine in, dance, and enjoy listening to some magnificent musical selections. Take-outs will be available. See Fred Maxwell or any member of the Men's Club, or purchase your tickets at the Religious Shop.

GRACE Scholars: Pre-Register Now!

It is time to pre-register for 2017 tax credits. Visit gracescholars.org and select one of the pre-registration buttons in the middle of the homepage. You can pre-register online or print a paper form and send it to GRACE. Pre-register today and enjoy the peace of mind that you are ready for 2017. New donors are welcome! For more information, please call (404) 920-7900 or email ask-grace@gracescholars.org.

Marriage Encountered Enrichment Invitation

Marriage Encounter couples are invited to an enrichment program that will provide practical ideas for "living mercy" in our marriage, our family and our wider community. Three Marriage Encounter couples from the community will share their personal examples of living mercy, as well as the challenges they have faced. Date: Saturday, August 27th. Time: 12:30-4:30PM, the enrichment will include time for group sharing, dialogue and fellowship. Where: St. Andrew Parish in Roswell, with childcare provided. The cost is \$10 per couple and reservations can be made on the website at www.WWMEatlanta.com.

Fr. Greg Boyle Program at St. Thomas More

Sunday, August 21st at St. Thomas More in Decatur, Jesuit Fr. Greg Boyle will celebrate the 5:30PM Mass. At 7:00PM, Fr. Boyle will speak in Mulhern Hall on Homeboy Industries, which trains and employs former gang members in a range of social enterprises and provides social services to over 10,000 people annually.

Welcome Ministers

Are you interested in joining a ministry? Why not join our Welcome Ministry. Anyone from sixth grade to elderly is accepted. Our only requirements are reliability and commitment. If you are interested, call Maria Mora at (404) 296-8188.

Notes from The Catholic Foundation

Making gifts of real estate: Do you own a home or vacation home that you no longer want or need? Did you know you can donate the property to The Catholic Foundation and receive a nice tax deduction? We sell the property and give the proceeds to your parish endowment fund or ministry of your choice. For more information, please contact Juliet Greco at The Catholic Foundation: (404) 497-9440 or jgreco@cfnga.org.



August Retreats at Ignatius House

August at Ignatius House! Don't let your desire slip away, come for a day or come and stay! Explore the love of God and experience silence on retreat at this sacred place of quiet and peace. Register and reserve your space. August 17th, Day of Reflection "Saint Bernard of Clairvaux," director Lay Cistercian Carl McColman; August 11th-14th, Three Night Ignatian Silent Retreat, Spiritual Director Bob Fitzgerald. Register by website www.ignatiushouse.org or phone (404) 255-0503.

Thanksgiving Mass in Honor of St. Teresa of Calcutta's Canonization

Please join the Missionaries of Charity on Tuesday, September 6th for a Mass to thank God for the Canonization of St. Teresa of Calcutta, founder of the Missionaries of Charity. The Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated at 12:10PM at the Cathedral of Christ the King, 2699 Peachtree Road, Atlanta 30305. A light reception will follow in Kenny Hall. All are welcome to share in the joy!



St. Peter Claver's School Corner

SPC is happy to be back in session and grateful for our growth in enrollment - 17% increase for our 16-17 school year! God, His Angels, and St. Peter Claver are all smiling on us! We are currently seeking a part-time Music Teacher at SPC to lead music classes for students in Pre-K through 8th as well as plan, coordinate, and conduct liturgical music for weekly Masses or prayer services. Qualified candidates possess a bachelor's or master's degree, current certification, and a commitment to Catholic education and mission. Interested candidates are asked to submit a resume and cover letter via email to Principal Greenwood at sgreenwood@spc-school.org or fax same to (404) 241-4382.

St. Peter Claver School is accepting applications for Substitute Teachers for the 2016-2017 school year. Resumes and interest letters may be emailed to Principal Greenwood at sgreenwood@spc-school.org or faxed to (404) 241-4382

St. Peter Claver School also seeks a staff member for our ESP (Extended School Program) Mondays through Fridays, 3:30-6:30PM. A perfect part-time job for a college student or retiree. Interested candidates, please call Principal Greenwood at (404) 241-3063.