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Michelle Craddock

Edgar Cabrera

PARISH OFFICE HOURS (Summer schedule)

Monday—Thursday (closed Fridays for June/July)

8:30 am—4:30 pm

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

All daily masses in the Convent

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 8:00 am

Wednesday: Spanish Mass at 7:15 pm

Friday: No Mass

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

All weekend Masses in the Church

Saturday: 5:30 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am and 11:15 am

1:30 pm (Spanish)

ROSARY—IN THE CHURCH

1st Tuesday of each month: 10:00 am

Sunday: 8:30 am—8:50 am

CONFESSIONS—IN THE CHURCH

Saturdays: 4:30 pm—5:00 pm

Wednesday: 1st Wednesday of the month from 7:45 pm—8:30 pm or by appt.

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St. Peter Claver Catholic Church, Macon

Diocesan Webpage: www.diosav.org

Franciscan Webpages: www.hnp.org

www.beafranciscan.org

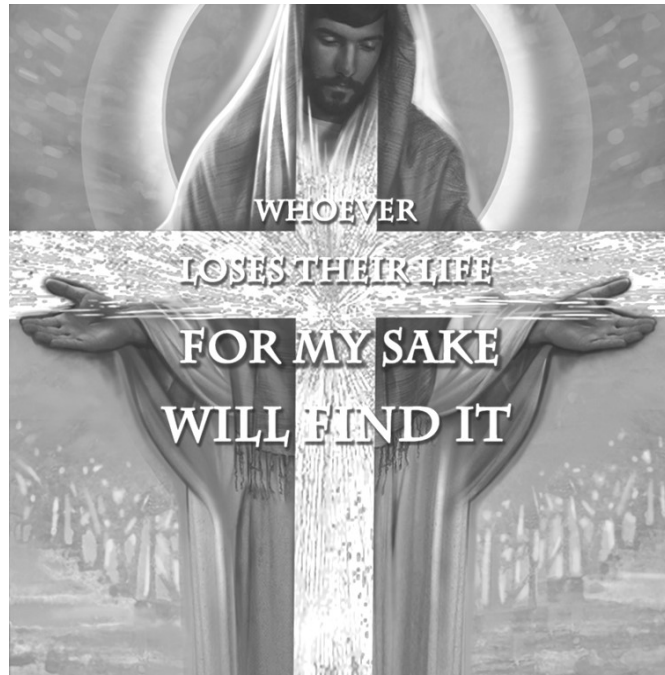
131 Ward Street, Macon, GA 31204

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St. Peter Claver Church

Year of Grace—July 2, 2017

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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THE RICHNESS OF LIFE IN CHRIST

Today we have the beautiful story of the woman promised a child, the wonderful exhortation about life in Christ, and a powerful instruction from Jesus. An embarrassment of riches? Not if we take Jesus' words about "welcome" to heart. The many challenges and blessings offered to us today by Elisha, Paul, and Jesus should be cause for rejoicing, and welcomed heartily into our lives. And, like the great treat that they are, they should be enjoyed and shared generously with others.

Today's reading from Romans was chosen very early in the liturgical life of the Church to be the sole apostolic instruction received by candidates for baptism at the Easter Vigil. This illustrates its importance as a core belief, and as a means of comprehending the story of the Resurrection. Christ's resurrection is not merely a story about something that he underwent once upon a time, but it is our story, the story of how we joined the other members of the one Body of Christ, the church. We were not only dead, but we were buried; not ultimately buried, but raised to eternal life with Christ.

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Important Dates

July 4th—10:00 am Bilingual Mass followed by a lunch in the JP II Social Hall

July 10th— V Encuentro Meeting— Breaking Barriers: 7:00 pm—8:00 pm John Paul II Social Hall

July 13th—V Encuentro Meeting— Integration of Youth in our Parish: 7:00 pm— 8:00 pm in the JP II Social Hall

July 18th—V Encuentro Meeting— Fundraising: 7:00 pm—8:00 pm in the MKD

July 20th — V Encuentro Meeting — Spirituality and Worship: 7:00 pm—8:00 pm in the Social Hall



2017

**Bishop's
Annual
Appeal**

Diocese of Savannah

Congratulations! We made our goal!

As of June 21st St. Peter Claver Parish has paid \$34,770 to the Bishop's Annual Appeal! Another \$12,340 remains in pledges paid monthly. So if all pledges are honored, we will have given \$47,110! That's \$5,400 over our target. 123 parishioners made a sacrificial gift. That's almost 1/3 of our parish. Thank you for supporting the important ministries of the Diocese in Middle Georgia—Fr. Bill!

Target	Pledged	Paid on Pledge	Pledge Balance	One-Time Payment	Total paid on pledge and One-Time Payment	% of Target	# of Families	# Donors	% Participation
\$41,673	\$22,960	\$10,620	\$12,340	\$24,150	\$34,770	83%	377	124	32.89%

St. Peter Claver Church—Weekly Offertory	
Offertory 6/24-25/2017	\$ 7,055
Year to Date Offertory	
Offertory Budget Fiscal Year (7/1/2016—6/30/2017)	\$518,092
Offertory Budget through 6/25/2017	\$509,575
Offertory through 6/25/2017	\$534,843
Additional Collections	
Masses	\$ 30
Poor Box and Candles	\$ 20
Father's Day	\$ 5
St. Vincent de Paul Fund	\$ 80
Priest Retirement	\$ 10
Capital Improvement Fund	\$ 51
Funeral Fund	\$ 321

Online Giving

To create your online account, visit our website at
<https://www.spccmacon.org>, or our Facebook page at
<https://www.facebook.com/StPeterClaverMacon/>

Today's Readings

First Reading — Elisha promises a baby son to the hospitable woman (2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a).
Psalm — For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 89).
Second Reading — We shall live in newness of life as Christ was raised from the dead (Romans 6:3-4, 8-11).
Gospel — Whoever gives but a cup of cold water to another will surely be rewarded (Matthew 10:37-42).

Readings for the Week

Monday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc-2; Jn 20:24-29
Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-12; Mt 8:23-27;
Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-13; Mt 8:28-34
Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8
Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Ps 106:1b-5; Mt 9:9-13
Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-6; Mt 9:14-17;
Sunday: Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14;
Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30

Elizabeth Ministry

Cassandra Howe, Patricia Holcomb
Call the Parish Office if you are expecting a child so that we may pray for you!




July 4th Bilingual Mass

10:00 am in the Church
Lunch in the John Paul II Social Hall following the Mass

Summer Schedule

The Parish Office will be closed on Fridays during the months of June and July.
Monday, July 3rd and Tuesday, July 4th: Parish Office closed
Friday, July 7th: Parish Office will be open

Second Collection today:
To Replace Church and Convent Roofs
(Previously Capital Improvements Campaign).
No Second Collection next Sunday.
Thank you for your generosity.

Prayer Line (478) 743-1454

Marion Wintons, Clara Mahoney, Xavier Green, Patricia Poole, Beverly Wimberly, Phyllis Dietrich, Sophie Lee, Angela Manson, Shirley James, Ellen Massey, Garren Bartell, Mary Pioli, Marge Hillig, Brenda Critch, Annie Burnell, Glenn Tomey, Greg Slocum, Fr. Gerard Critch, Emma Patterson, Anne James, Andrew Dudley, Attracta Sudiskis, Curtis Williams, Allie Rose Beach, Tom Bridges, Jack Jenkins, Clare Miller, Joanne Lynn, Ethan Rimando, Terry Kelly, Alma Johnson, Mary Francis Kozel, John Toliver, Billue Family, Gina Beach, Leon Blue, Doris McDonald, Denise Williams, and Zelita Washington.

Please call the parish office at (478) 743-1454 if you wish to add a name.

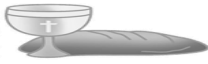


Pray for our Military

Virous Caston, Brittaní Caston, Russell Hill II,
Tony Cervantes, Angel Gomez, Mishell Sonntog,
Gary Oñate, Christine Petty, Tom Petty,

If you have a loved one serving in the U.S. Armed Forces, assigned overseas, please call Marilyn Robinson at the Parish Office to add his or her name to our prayer list and please call us to let us know he/she has returned safely.

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



Saturday, July 1

5:30 p.m. - For the people of the parish

Sunday, July 2

9:00 a.m. - For the people of the parish

11:15 a.m. - For the people of the parish

1:30 p.m. - Jamie Gomez, +RIP (Hernandez Family)

Monday, July 3 - 8:00 am — Deceased Daughters of Charity

Tuesday, June 4 - 8:00 am — For the United States of America

Wednesday, July 5 - 8:00 am — Open

Thursday, July 6 - 8:00 am — Open

Friday, July 7 - No Mass

Saturday, July 8

5:30 pm - Peggy Moran McGurl, +RIP (J. & C. Moran)

Please contact the Parish Office at (478) 743-1454 to schedule Mass Intentions.



Altar Servers

Let's go bowling!

Altar Servers for ALL Masses:

please join us for a fun afternoon of bowling and pizza at the new

Pin Strikes Macon Entertainment Center

4318 Sheraton Drive, Macon

478-812-8655

(this IS NOT GOLD CUP ON PIO NONO)

on Wednesday, July 19th

beginning promptly from 2:30 - 4:30.

Hope to see all Altar Servers there

for a great time!

Contact Edgar Cabrera or Joel Reott

if you can attend.



These are the dates for our upcoming parish V Encuentro Meetings:

Breaking Barriers

Date 1: Monday, July 10 in the JP II Social Hall Time: 7-8 pm

Date 2: Monday, August 7 in the JP II Social Hall Time: 7-8 pm

Integration of Youth in Our Parish

Date 1: Thur. July 13 in the JP II Social Hall Time: 7-8 pm

Date 2: Tues. August 15 in the MKD Gym Time: 7-8 pm

Fundraising

Date 1: Tuesday July 18 in the MKD Gym Time: 7-8 pm

Date 2: Thursday August 10 in the MKD Gym Time: 7-8 pm

Service to the Needy

Date 1: Tuesday July 25 in the JP II Social Hall Time: 7-8 pm

Date 2: Thursday August 24 in the JP II Social Hall Time: 7-8pm

Spirituality and Worship

Date 1: Tuesday July 20 in the JP II Social Hall Time: 7-8 pm

Date 2: Thursday August 29 in the JP II Social Hall Time: 7-8 pm

You only have to attend one of the two meetings for a specific topic.

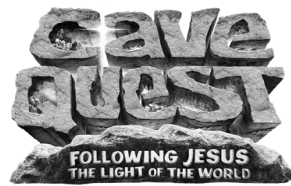
We have two dates available for each topic so that in case you can't make one date, hopefully you can make the other.

Yearlong Campaign to Replace Church and Convent Roofs

An inspection over a year ago, recommended that the convent and church roofs be replaced as soon as possible. They were both deemed in poor condition. While no exact date was given, it seems that the roofs would need to be replaced before the summer of 2018. In consultation with the Diocesan Construction and Properties Office, bids were requested. Depending upon which bids are selected the cost for both buildings is between \$70,000 and \$110,000. The church roof is less difficult but the convent roof is slate and more complicated.

I waited until we made our BAA target before making this request. It is my plan to rename the "Capital Improvement Collection" to "New Church and Convent Roofs" (first Sunday monthly). In fact, if you use stewardship envelopes you will notice this change in your July-August envelopes. My plan is to dedicate this collection to partially cover the costs of these two urgently needed roofs. It is my desire that within a year or so we will raise half the total cost, so that the parish can minimize new debt to the diocese. Presently, we are on track to pay off our school preschool building (2003) debt within three years. That balance is just under \$70,000 and we pay \$1,700 principal and \$300 interest to the Diocese each month. Thanks to your generosity the parish now has a three month emergency fund in our savings. As late as the fall of 2015 we had no cushion! I am hesitant to deplete our emergency fund to pay for the roofs. Whatever we can raise by God's grace and your generosity will determine how much money we will need to borrow from the Diocese. In the fall I plan to meet with our finance council to determine whether we are better off paying off old debt, spending our emergency fund and how much new debt would be advisable.

I am willing to discuss this matter with interested parishioners. I may call on some of you to form a Buildings, Maintenance and Planning Committee. There have been changes in our neighborhood and we will need to look at long term planning and possible land acquisition. I am grateful for your support of our parish; some of your support has been generational! I am trying to be a good steward to our beautiful, but aging campus. Thank you for the confidence you have placed in me. - *Father Bill*



At CAVE QUEST VBS we will explore the rock-solid foundation of Jesus' love. Our week will be filled with playing games, making amazing crafts, learning new songs and making new friends. VBS will be July 10 through 14. We will start at 8:30 a.m.

and finish at 12 noon. VBS it is for children ages 3 through rising 6th graders.

In order for our VBS program to be a success we will need your help! We need lots of adult volunteers to help with teaching, supervising, and feeding the children. Adults need to be VIRTUS certified. Also, teens, please consider helping with this one week program. It is lots of fun and a great way to get your community service hours. For more information please contact Petra at 788-6386.

Forms to register for both students and volunteers are available in the Narthex and on our website at: www.holyspiritmacon.org.

Please register your children by July 1st!

June and July 2017 Mass Schedule

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2 9:00 am Mass 11:15 am Mass 1:30 pm Spanish Mass 3:00 pm Hispanic Teen Group	3 8:00 am Daily Mass in the Convent	4 No 8:00 am Daily Mass 10:00 am Bilingual Independence Mass-lunch to follow	5 8:00 am Daily Mass in the Convent No 8:20 am School Mass 7:15 pm Spanish Mass No Confessions	6 8:00 am Daily Mass in the Convent	7 No Daily Mass	8 5:30 pm Mass
9 9:00 am Mass 11:15 am Mass 1:30 pm Spanish Mass 3:00 pm Hispanic Teen Group	10 8:00 am Daily Mass in the Convent	11 8:00 am Daily Mass in the Convent	12 8:00 am Daily Mass in the Convent No 8:20 am School Mass No 7:15 pm Spanish Mass No Confessions	13 8:00 am Daily Mass in the Convent	14 No Daily Mass	15 5:30 pm Mass

CAMP COUGAR ROARS ! WEEK FOUR: Fitness Fun



Coach Susie Gardner, Mercer University Lady's Basketball Coach, visited our summer camp during Fitness Fun week. She read her newly published book; *1, 2, 3 TEAM* to our campers. Coach Gardner's purpose in writing the book was so children could learn how to be a team player at a young age. **Thank You Coach Gardner!**



St. Peter Claver Catholic School
Camp Cougar
 June 5th - July 14th
 7:30 am - 5:30 pm
 \$125 per week
www.spccatholicsschool.org/summercamp

MINISTERIO HISPANO

Oficina Hispana

Edgar Cabrera
Leslie Miller
478 741-9916

Misas en Español

Domingos: 1:30pm
Miércoles: 7:15pm

Reuniones Juan XXIII

Lunes: 7:00pm a 9:00pm en el
Salon Social

Estudio Bíblico

Miércoles: 7:45pm en el
Salon Social

Grupo de Niños y Niñas

Quinto a Octavo Grado

Jueves: 7:00pm a 8:30pm en el
Salon Social

Grupo de Evangelización

Viernes: 7:00pm

Visitan familias en sus casas

Grupo de Jóvenes

Domingos 3:00pm - 4:15pm en
El Salon Social

Charlas Pre-bautismales

Primer y Segundo Domingo
del mes de 11am a 1pm en el
Segundo piso de la Oficina

Programa de Catecismo

Niños y Jóvenes

Domingos: 11:30am - 1:00pm
Septiembre a Mayo

RICA- Adultos

Adultos que necesitan recibir los
Sacramentos de Iniciación

Domingos: 11:30am a 1:00pm
Septiembre a Mayo

Sacramento de Matrimonio

Llamar a la oficina para
hacer cita con
Padre Bill McIntyre, OFM

Sacramento de La Penitencia y Reconciliación

Confesiones en la Iglesia, el
primer miércoles del mes de
7:45pm a 8:30pm.

Los cristianos
reciben el perdón
de Dios por sus
pecados.



Decimotercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

2 de julio de 2017

Lo mismo ustedes,
considérense muertos al pecado
Y vivos para Dios en Cristo Jesús,
Señor nuestro.

— Romanos 6:11

Reflexiones para la homilía

La primera lectura nos cuenta la historia de una mujer que hizo sitio en su casa para acoger a un caminante. No se dice que la mujer supiese que era un profeta. Eliseo simplemente pasaba por allí. La mujer le ofrece lo que tiene: un cuarto para descansar y comida para reponer las fuerzas. La ley de la hospitalidad es una antigua en muchas culturas y también en la cultura hispana. Es un valor que no hay que perder sino cultivar y reforzar.

Las palabras de Jesús en el Evangelio nos dan la razón profunda por la que la hospitalidad se convierte, para el cristiano, en algo más que una norma o tradición. Jesús nos dice que recibir al que se acerca a nosotros, abrirle nuestra casa y nuestra amistad, es como recibirle a Él; esa es la clave. Jesús mismo es el que pasa por delante de nuestra puerta y nuestra vida. Jesús es quien nos llama y nos pide albergue.

En nuestro mundo, la hospitalidad se está perdiendo. Vemos a los otros, los desconocidos que son la inmensa mayoría como una amenaza a nuestra tranquilidad y nuestra paz. Los periódicos están llenos de noticias de asesinatos, robos y otras fechorías. La televisión nos trae imágenes alarmantes casi a diario. Todo contribuye a crear un ambiente en el que desconfiar del desconocido es lo más natural. Valoramos mucho quizá demasiado nuestra seguridad, nuestra paz y nuestras cosas. Terminamos comprando alarmas y armas para protegernos, y poniendo vallas alrededor de nuestras casas. Las naciones hacen lo mismo; se refuerzan las fronteras y los ejércitos se arman hasta los dientes. No nos damos cuenta de que así no hacemos más que evidenciar nuestra propia inseguridad y, al final, provocar más violencia. De algún modo, nos parecemos a los animales que atacan porque tienen miedo.

Jesús nos invita a no vivir tan centrados en nosotros; a eso se refiere cuando dice que debemos "perder nuestra vida". Jesús nos pide que dejemos de mirarnos a la punta de nuestra nariz, a nuestros problemas, y abramos la mano al vecino. Nos encontraremos con personas que tienen problemas parecidos a los nuestros, y descubriremos que juntos podemos ser más felices que separados por barreras y con armas. Desde nuestra fe, sabemos que la persona que tenemos enfrente, por amenazador o diferente que parezca, es nuestro hermano; es Cristo mismo. ¿Le esperaremos con un arma en la mano?



Celebremos el día de la Independencia Martés, 4 de Julio Misa Bilingüe 10am

Celebremos juntos como comunidad de San Pedro Claver, la Independencia de Estados Unidos. Tenemos un reconocimiento a las personas que han obtenido la ciudadanía americana.

Después de la misa hay un almuerzo y cake en el Salon Social.

Todos estan invitados, los esperamos!!

Aviso Importante:

La Oficina Parroquial estará
cerrada los días: **Lunes 3 de
julio y Martes 4 de julio.**

Estaremos para servirles:
Miércoles 5 de julio a
Viernes 7 de julio
de 9am a 5:00pm



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V Encuentro aprobado por el Papa Francisco

Ya tenemos las fechas confirmadas para las cinco necesidades de nuestra parroquia. Los invitamos a todos para que se animen y vengan a participar en las sesiones.

Rompiendo barreras

Fecha 1: Lunes, 10 de julio en Salón Social de 7-8 pm
Fecha 2: Lunes, 7 de agosto en Salón Social de 7-8 pm

Integración de la juventud en nuestra parroquia

Fecha 1: Jueves 13 de julio en Salón Social de 7-8 pm
Fecha 2: Martes 15 de agosto en el Gimnasio de 7-8 pm

Recaudación de fondos

Fecha 1: Martes 18 de julio en el Gimnasio de 7-8 pm
Fecha 2: Jueves 10 de agosto en el Gimnasio de 7-8 pm

Servicio a los necesitados

Fecha 1: Martes 25 de julio en Salón Social de 7-8 pm
Fecha 2: Jueves 24 de agosto en Salón Social de 7-8 pm

Espiritualidad en nuestra Parroquia

Fecha 1: Jueves 20 de julio en Salón Social de 7-8 pm
Fecha 2: Martes 29 de agosto en Salón Social de 7-8 pm

Tenemos dos fechas para cada necesidad en caso que no pueda atender a la primera puede asistir a la segunda.

Invitación para todas las Parejas Casadas ó que desean contraer el "Sacramento del Matrimonio"

Hay un Taller sobre los 5 Lenguajes del Amor, **será el Sábado 5 de Agosto, en la Biblioteca de La Escuela, de 9am a 4pm** y será impartido por Marina y Nelson Quintanilla ellos son miembros de la Iglesia Sagrado Corazón de Warner Robins. El Grupo de Parejas de nuestra parroquia que estan encargados de dar charlas matrimoniales estarán apoyando en la organización.



Las Parejas que estan interesadas en asistir, pueden inscribirse con Armando y Josefina Pérez ó llamar a la oficina hispana.

Nuestra cultura

La hospitalidad es una cualidad de la gente en la mayoría de los países iberoamericanos; es también un distintivo del verdadero cristiano. Cuando damos de nosotros y de lo que tenemos a otros con generosidad, esa entrega representa una ganancia y esa ganancia es la recompensa del justo.

Para la Reflexión:

¿Estoy abierto al diálogo y al encuentro con los demás?
¿Me siento amenazado por los que son diferentes de mí o piensan de otra manera?
¿Qué me dice Jesús en el Evangelio? ¿Qué actitudes tengo que cambiar para actuar como cristiano?

Colecta de la Comunidad Hispana Domingo 11 de junio: \$ 646.00



Campaña Anual del Obispo 2017

47 familias hispanas se comprometieron a dar su aportación de \$100.00 para apoyar a la Campaña del Obispo. La Comunidad Hispana ha prometido un total de \$4,500.00 en aportación. Los feligreses hispanos hemos recaudado \$2,075.00 en 4 meses (marzo a junio). Nos quedan dos meses para poder cumplir nuestra meta.

El Domingo 30 de Julio, es ultimo domingo del mes y colectaremos los sobres para apoyar a la Campaña del Obispo. Los que todavía no han aportado tienen todavía dos meses mas para cumplir con su compromiso.

Gracias por apoyar a los ministerios de nuestra Diócesis de Savannah.

Padre Bill McIntyre, OFM



Visita de la Abogada Jennifer Moore a San Pedro Claver

El domingo 9 de julio, después de la misa estará la abogada para darnos información mas detallada sobre Cómo prepararnos en caso de deportación? También va tramitar poder legal por el costo de \$25.00.

Los interesados en tramitar poder legal deben traer los siguientes documentos: pasaporte, licencia, certificado de nacimiento ó tarjeta de identificación.



Felicidades a Reynaldo y Nanzy por contraer el Sacramento del Matrimonio

El pasado domingo 25 de junio, la comunidad Hispana celebramos con alegría la boda de Reynaldo y Nanzy.

Nuestro parróco Padre Bill, OFM, presidió la misa.

Avisos:

1. **Virgen Peregrina:** si desea la visita en sus hogares, pueden hablar con Ruth Santiago.
2. **Fotos de la Primera Comunión:** ya están a la venta los cds por \$5.00
3. **Catecismo:** a partir del domingo 9 de julio, vamos a empezar a registrar a los niños, jóvenes y adultos que necesitan sus sacramentos.

Upcoming Ministry Schedules July 8-9, 2017

Date	Time	Sacristans	Altar Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday	5:30 pm	Kiernan	B. Haynes — A W. Griffin — C	Cheeves Kiernan	Kiernan, Kiernan
Sunday	9:00 am	Howard	J. Beers — A J. Pless — A K. Pham — C	Hillig Mattman	Howard, Jones
	11:15 am	Stroupe	A. Lauer — A J. Howell — C J. Bonbrake — A J. Bonbrake — C	McKowen Russell	Stroupe, Stroupe



St. Vincent de Paul Society

The Food Pantry is in need of the following donations: pasta, pasta sauce, canned meats, macaroni and cheese, juices, cereals, canned fruit, soups, and rice. Toiletries such as (food stamps do not cover these items): toothpaste, toothbrushes, bar soap, and toilet paper.



Family Advancement Ministries

... helping families move ahead.

Our hours of operation are Mondays from 10-12, Tuesdays-Fridays 9-12.

Anyone interested in volunteering please call 745-7165 and ask to talk to the office manager, Chris McKowen.

Our Website:

www.familyadvancementministries.org

WEAR Your dollar makes change.

464 First Street, Macon, GA 31201
Monday-Saturday, 11 to 7 p.m.

Want to shop somewhere your DOLLARS make CHANGE in your community? Try saving a LOT while doing a LOT at WEAR, a thrift store boutique located in downtown Macon! All of WEAR's profits benefit Daybreak, a project of Depaul USA. WEAR has two levels of thrifty shopping, with a bunch of ladies clothes, a kid's corner, and a man cave. Stock up for the summer at a fraction of the cost, knowing that dollar you spend is helping our less fortunate neighbors.

Look Good, Do Good, Shop WEAR!

Learn to CROCHET at FAM

We meet on the third Tuesday of the month at 10:00 am at FAM's Orange Street site. June 20th is the next session. Supplies will be provided.

Thank You

The Strange and the Billue Families would like to thank everyone for their letters and cards of comfort, flowers, kind gestures, sympathy and support.

Daybreak Donations

The Council of Catholic Women will coordinate donations of **laundry detergent (HE), spray disinfectant, and bleach** to DAYBREAK.

We are inviting parishioners to place high energy efficient detergent in the food donation bin. The CCW will deliver detergent to DAYBREAK weekly. For additional information please call Juanita Hubbard [478 471-6642](tel:478-471-6642).

Donations of sugar, coffee, white socks, paper towels and toilet paper are also welcome.

July Wedding Anniversaries

Henry and Zina Leslie (34)
James and Charlene Stallings (58)
Edsel and Cynthia Pitts (47)
Marcus and Mollie Germann (17)
James and Catherine Christy (37)
Richard and Barbara Strange (46)
Brian and Leann Murphy (7)
Aurico and Angela Hill (24)
James and Catherine Christy (37)

May God Continue Blessing You!

Name _____
Street _____
City _____ ZIP _____
Phone _____

Please check:

_____ Wish to register _____ Moving out of Parish
_____ Change of Address _____ Want Tithing Envelopes
_____ Temporarily Away (I will call Parish Office upon return)

Drop this completed form in the Sunday Collection Basket.

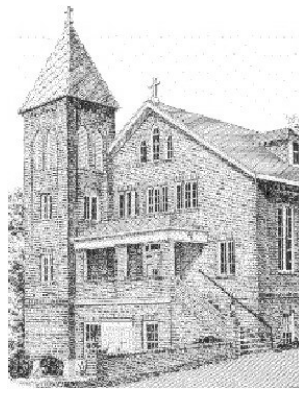
Diocese of Savannah webpage:
www.diosav.org

U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops
webpage: www.usccb.org.

Traveling information:
www.masstimes.org

Bible Study

Meets on Thursdays, at 6:00 P.M., in the
JOHN PAUL II SOCIAL HALL



Parish Office (478) 743-1454

Office Hours

Monday—Friday: 8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

Summer Hours (June—July):

Monday - Thursday: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Parish Office will be closed on Fridays

Registration for Parish and School

REGISTER – We are very glad you are here at St. Peter Claver. If you would like to make St. Peter Claver your home Parish, please complete a Parish Census Form (available in the parish office and vestibule in back of the church) and either mail or place in offertory basket at Mass. Persons wishing to transfer membership from another Catholic parish are also asked to complete a census form.

REGISTER FOR ST. PETER CLAVER SCHOOL—Our school accommodates children from K3 through 8th grade. If you would like to register your child in our school, please call (478) 743-3985.

Sacraments

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM AND ANOINTING OF THE SICK— Please contact the parish office at (478) 743-1454.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE – Please contact a Friar at least 1 year prior to the wedding date. Please call the parish office: (478) 743-1454.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE – 4:30 to 5:00 p.m. Saturdays or by appointment.

HOLY ORDERS (RELIGIOUS LIFE) – Anyone who thinks God might be calling them to priesthood or religious life please speak with one of the Friars or Sisters.

Abuse Hotline Number

1-888-357-5330. Copies of the policy on sexual abuse of minors is available online at:
www.diosav.org/childyouthprotection.

ILLNESS IN OUR PARISH FAMILY

Is someone in your family or our Parish in the hospital or homebound? Please call 743-1454 and let us know.

VISITORS

We welcome you to St. Peter Claver Church. Thank you for worshipping with us and please come again.

RCIA

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic Church? Are you just curious about what Catholics believe? Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic? Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

For information please contact
Deacon Dave Hayden at 912-414-6706 or email
him at dvhayden13@gmail.com.

You may also call the parish office.
We are meeting on Wednesday nights.

Knights of Peter Claver –

meet the third Sunday of every month at
10:00 am in the Parish Office
conference Room.

Knights of Peter Claver

Ladies Auxiliary –

meet the first Sunday of every month at
10:00 am in the JP II Social Hall.

Ministries

Parishioners wishing to become
Sacristans, Eucharistic Ministers, or Lec-
tors, please contact the Parish Office at
(478) 743-1454.

Offertory Envelopes

If you are a member, and would like to
start utilizing Offertory envelopes, or if
you are not a member and would like to
join our Parish, please complete the
form included in this bulletin and drop it
in the offertory, or the mail, addressed
to Marilyn Robinson at the Parish
Office.

Mission Statement

St. Peter Claver Church is a multicultural and well-integrated Catholic Parish graced with the gift of God's presence. Together as church we form a faith community where no one just adds up to the number but everybody is important because we cherish the potency and gift of everyone. It is our desire to constantly nourish our faith in the soil of God's Word and at the table of the Eucharist, to be a credible witness of God's presence in the world and each other's companion on our journey of faith.

Legacy

Please consider St. Peter Claver Church in your will. Please contact Fr. Bill or use these words: "I give, devise and bequeath to St. Peter Claver Church, Macon, GA, (insert percentage of estate or specific dollar amount) to be used where the need is greatest (or provide designation for bequest.)" *Where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.* –Mt. 6:21

VIRTUS

The VIRTUS "Protecting God's Children for Adults" is required for all who provide either paid or volunteer ministry in our Diocese who in the course of their ministry come into contact with minors. This includes parish ministries such as **Sacristans, Lectors, Ushers, and Eucharistic Ministers**. Space is limited and **registration is required by registering online at www.virtusonline.org**. **If you do not have access to a computer, please call the Parish Office at (478) 743-1454 and our Parish Staff will assist with your online registration.**

Bulletin/Announcements

Deadline:

At 12:00 noon on Monday,
for the next weekend.

Submissions should be emailed to
Marilyn Robinson at:
stpeterclaver@cbi.mgacoxmail.com