November 19, 2023 Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



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WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE Monday-Friday: 8:00 am & 12:03 pm

PRIEST ON THE PORCH (CONFESSIONS) Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday: 10:30 am - 11:45 am

IN CONFESSIONAL

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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18 4

Michael Henry
THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ians 4:13-18 • Matthew 25:1-13 <i>Pro Populo</i> † Hardy Jose Bates Lopez Stephanie & Dan Worthen David & Christian Cepeda & † Lloyd Dulle 4-57, 62-63 • Luke 18:35-43 † Allen Dale Secrist Stanley & Delores Farris Family
PRESENTATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY 9:1-10 † Thomas Perkins Greg & Jeff Brucks
ST. CECILIA, VIRGIN AND MARTYR 19:11-28 † Nancy Franke † Ray & Lorraine Roling
ST. CLEMENT I, POPE & MARTYR; ST. COLUMBAN, ABBOT, BLESSED MIGUEL AGUSTIN PRO, PRIEST AND MARTYR 20-25 † Delbert Krummen NO MASS - THANKSGIVING DAY
ST. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs
7 NO MASS NO MASS
† Darrell Rehagen
OUR LORDJESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE inthians 15:20-26, 28 • Matthew 25:31-46 <i>Pro Populo</i> † Jerry & Sally Heislen † Mary Bonnot † Ed Fields

Attention all ushers. The Mass count during the weekends is to remain in effect until July of 2024 in all parishes, including ours by the request of the Diocese for pastoral planning. Please be diligent in keeping track of Mass attendance numbers.

TO BE AN "ACTIVE" CATHOLIC STEWARD MEANS:

To Pray: that is, attend Mass faithfully in the parish on weekends and Holy Days.

- To Participate: that is, to use one's time and talents to strengthen the parish community and advance the Gospel.
- To Sacrificially Give: that is, pledge and remain current on a tithe of financial first fruits to support the life and ministries of the parish. The goal is 8% to the parish and 2% to other worthy charities.

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THIS WEEK AT ST. PE		
Sunday, November 19, 2		
9:00 am - 4:00 pm	Day of Community Care, Selinger Gym	
12:00 pm	Gabrielle Lee Schaefer Baptism, Church	
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Hispanic Community Welcome Party for Priests,	
	Msgr. Hoog Hall.	
Monday, November 20,		
9:00 am - 8:00 pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Chapel	
5:00 pm - 9:00 pm	St. Ann Quilters, Scout Room	
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Cub Scount Den #5 Meeting, Msgr. Hoog Hall	
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21,	2023	
9:00 am - 8:00 pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Chapel	
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Social Hour with Bingo, Msgr. Hoog Hall	
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm	School Advisory Council Mtg., SSND Room	
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Finance Council Mtg., SSND Room	
6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	Schola Cantorum Rehearsal, Church	
Nednesday, November	22, 2023	
	THE BLESSED SACRAMENT	
NO SCHOOL OR PSR		
PARISH OFFICE CLOS	ED	
HURSDAY. NOVEMBER 23	3, 2023: THANKSGIVING DAY	
8:00 am	Mass	
NO EXPOSITION OF 1	THE BLESSED SACRAMENT	
PARISH OFFICE CLOS	ED	
RIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2	022	
NO MASSES	JZ5	
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25		
5:15 pm - 7:00 pm	Hispanic Practice, Selinger Gym	
Sunday, November 26, 2		
12:00 pm	Genevieve Irene Remmert &	
2.00	Margaret Rosalie Remmert Baptisms, Church	
3:00 pm	Emma Marie Tapia Baptism, Church	
THANKSGIVING DAY PRAY	ER	
Lord, we thank you		
for the goodness of our people		
and for the spirit of justic	-	
that fills this nation.		
We thank you for the bea	auty and fullness of the	
-	-	
and and the challenge o		
-	ork and our rest	
We thank you for our wo		
We thank you for our wo for one another, and for		
We thank you for our wo for one another, and for We thank you, Lord:	our homes.	
We thank you for our wo for one another, and for We thank you, Lord: accept our thanksgiving a	our homes. on this day.	
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We thank you for our wo for one another, and for We thank you, Lord: accept our thanksgiving We pray and give thanks Amen.	our homes. on this day. through Jesus Christ our Lord.	
We thank you for our wo for one another, and for We thank you, Lord: accept our thanksgiving o We pray and give thanks Amen. <u>BISHOP MCK</u>	our homes. on this day.	

through our Lord Jesus Christ risen from the dead. Por nuestros familiares, amigos y bienhechores de nuestra comunidad que han pasado de este mundo al otro, para que puedan alcanzar una participación en la felicidad eterna por medio de nuestro Señor Jesucristo

resucitado de entre los muertos.

		November 19, 2023	
	Mu	ISIC FOR NOVEMBER 18 & 19, 2023	
	Readings:	Heritage Missal, page 249	
	Mass Settin	g: St. Frances Cabrini	
	Processiona	I: The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns (Gather #414)	
	Offertory:	We Walk By Faith (Gather #680)	
	Communior	n: Draw Near (Gather #935)	
	Recessional	: Now Thank We All Our God (Gather #636)	
	LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 25 & 26, 2023		
	Extraordina	ry Ministers of Holy Communion	
	5:15 pm	David Ahlvers, Aaron Grothoff,	
		Mark Rehagen	
	7:00 am	Jennifer Godwin, David Kiesling,	
		Pat Seifert	
	9:00 am	Elaine Paschal, Greg Rackers,	
	L B. P. B. B. B.	Stephanie Worthen	
	11:00 am	Mary Hegeman, Phil Pitts, Stephen Stark	
	Readers		
	5:15 pm	Kenny Payne	
	7:00 am	Jane Maurer	
	9:00 am	Greg Mihalevich	
	11:00 am	Taube Wurst	
	Ushers		
	5:15 pm	Dan Smith Lynn Struemph, Volunteer	
_		Requested	
	7:00 am	Kaleb Godwin, Carolyn Ousley,	
	1.022.024	Harold OUsley, Brian Zerr	
	9:00 am	Mike Abbott, Kyle Moreland,	
		Ivan Schmidt	
	11:00 am	Pat Dudenhoeffer, Richard Mosha,	
		Phil Pitts	
	Altar Server	S	
	5:15 pm	Joey Jones, Brooklynn Lute,	
		Madison Stieferman, Shawn Stock	
	7:00 am	Pheona Godwin, Tobyas Godwin	
	9:00 am	Anabelle VanOvershelde, Cash Warner,	
		Matthew Worthen	
	11:00 am	Greg Cizin, Volunteers Requested	
	Cantors & N	lusicians	
-	5:15 pm	Elizabeth Huber - Cantor	
	14 1941	Nicholas Liese - Organist	
d	7:00 am	Dena Harre - Cantor	
		Nicholas Liese - Organist	
	9:00 am	Nicholas Liese - Cantor	
		Nicholas Liese - Organist	
	11:00 am	Volunteer Requested - Cantor	

Nicholas Liese - Organist

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

BAPTISM

Parental preparation is required for a child to be baptized. Please plan to attend the required class prior to your child's birth. Sessions are usually held once a quarter. Please call the Parish Office to sign up.

FIRST RECONCILIATION/HOLY COMMUNION, AND CONFIRMATION

Registered parisioners are encouraged to register for preparation for the sacraments. For more information regarding catechesis for children in grades 1 - 8 who do not attend a Catholic school please contact Theresa or Roger Backes at rbackes6@aol.com.

HOLY MATRIMONY

The first step in planning a wedding at St. Peter is to contact the Pastor. You may call to check available dates beforehand, but the wedding can only be scheduled after approval by the priest and at least a minimum of six months prior to the proposed wedding date. Any Catholic being married needs to have received the Sacrament of Confirmation.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you are preparing for surgery, please let our priests know before you go to the hospital.

CATHOLIC INQUIRY AND FAITH FORMATION (FORMERLY R.C.I.A.)

Inquiry sessions for those interested in joining the Catholic Church and receiving the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and the Holy Eucharist begin in September. Please contact Deacon Ric Telthorst at (573) 690-0730 or deacontelthorst@gmail.com for more information.



Congratulations to Gabrielle Lee Schaefer who was baptized into the faith on November 19, 2023.

Not Yet a Parishioner of St. Peter?

If you are interested, please complete the registration form found on our parish website at www.saintpeterjc.org

COMMUNITY MEAL

St. Peter Catholic School will be hosting a community meal for those in need in the Jefferson City Area. There will be a Free Spaghetti Dinner on Monday, November 27, 2023 from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm in the Selinger Centre Gym.

To-go meals are available from 11:30 am - 1:00 pm at Catholic Charities, Samaritan Center and the Salvation Army. Contact Mark Veit at mveit@stpeterjc.org for info.

WEEKEND MASS COUNT

Our parish is composed of 1,710 registered households or 3,933 souls. We are the third largest parish in the Diocese of Jefferson City. Our beautiful church seats 570 adults. Our 5 weekend Masses can hold 2,850 people. We had <u>1,035</u> people attend Mass this past weekend. The breakdown is as follows:

5:15 pm - 347 7:00 am - 136 9:00 am - 225 11:00 am - 235 1:00 pm - 92

THANKSGVING DAY MASS SCHEDULE IN JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI

8:00 AM	ST. PETER'S			
9:00 AM	CATHDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH			
9:00 AM	IMMACULATE CONCEPTION			
GIVE THANKS TO GOD AND				
ATTEND HOLY MASS				

VOCATIONS

Please pray for the men who are studying and discerning a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life. Please pray for:

> Mr. Gabriel Eckstein Pontifical College Josephinum

THE EUCHARIST



Adoration with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is Monday-Thursday beginning at 9:00 am and ending at 8:00 pm. Additional adorers and substitutes are needed to ensure that every hour has at least two adorers. There is an open hour on Tuesday at 6:00 pm and First Friday Vigil on Thursday at 10:00 pm. Sign up to spend an hour with Jesus at adorationpro. org/saintpeterjc. Questions? Contact Claudia Galbraith at 573.220.6693.

Please Note: There will be no Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on the following days:

Wednesday, November 22, 2023 Thursday, November 23, 2023 Monday, December 25, 2023 through January 1, 2024.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will resume on Tuesday, January 2, 2024.

DIALOGUE WITH DIGNITY: HOW DO WE RESPOND TO GUN VIOLENCE IN AMERICA?

Date: Tuesday, Nov. 21st Time: 6:30 – 7:30 PM Where: Pleus Hall, Immaculate Conception Parish, Jefferson City

All parishioners and the faithful are invited to participate in immaculate conception's first dialogue with dignity forum. These dialogues will discuss in christian charity alternative viewpoints on major issues facing our country. The goal is not a false or forced consensus but respectful consideration of different perspectives.

Former federal prosecutor and IC parishioner, Larry Miller, will review responses currently under consideration and answer questions of "How do we respond?" and "Are there steps governments can take to protect us?" Followed by questions and comments from attendees facilitated by parishioner Mary Winter.

PSR BREAKFAST • POINSETTIA SALE • RAFFLE

The PSR program will be having a breakfast on Sunday, December 4 from 7:30 am to 11:00 am in the Msgr. Hoog Hall. There will also be raffle. More details coming soon!

The PSR students are taking orders for poinsettia plants. The plants come fresh from the greenhouse and will be available for pickup

on Sunday, December 3 from 8:00 am to 11:00 am in the Msgr. Hoog Hall. Proceeds will go to the Samaritan Center. The PSR program has provided birthday bags (cloth bag, cake pan, cake mix, frosting, birthday candles and napkins) to them each year from the proceeds of this fundraiser. Please plan to purchase your poinsettias from the PSR program and support this worthwhile cause. Please download the form from our website at saintpeterjc.org and send the filled out form to the parish office with your check, or you can pay online. For questions, please contact Roger and Theresa Backes at 573.690.3835.

ADVENT SUNG VESPERS

Each of these first three Sundays of Advent, we cordially invite you to join us at St. Peter's in Downtown Jefferson City (216 Broadway) for a pre-Vespers concert at 5:00pm, immediately followed by sung Solemn Vespers at 5:30pm. Together, these events should last around an hour.

Public and common prayer by the people of God is rightly considered to be among the primary duties of the Church. For centuries, the Church has prayed in this manner through the Liturgy of the Hours, also known as the "Divine Office." In the Liturgy of the Hours, the Church offers to God a sacrifice of praise, that is a tribute of lips acknowledging His name – it is the voice of the bride (the Church) addressing her bridegroom (Christ); it is the very prayer that Christ Himself, together with his Body, addresses to the Father in Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs. (General Instruction of the Liturgy of the Hours, §1 & §15)

GIVING TREE: We will again be hosting our annual Advent Giving Tree online. Supporting the needy in our community by providing some Christmas joy.

We will have two trees with food and money ornaments and links to the signup page for family gifts this year. We are again using SignUp.com for our Giving Tree ornament and volunteer organization. Link will be posted soon. It will go live the first week of November. Be on the lookout for information about when to go to the site and choose your "ornaments!" You will sign up online to choose your "ornament." If you do not have

access to the internet, you can call the Parish Office and our staff will help you sign up and tell you what is needed.

For added safety and convenience, you can even shop online for your "ornament" and have the gifts shipped directly to the Parish Office! No need to get out to go the store or even to drop off the gifts. You will need to note on the shipment what the gift is for, or email outreach@saintpeterjc.org with information about your shipment so that we can properly mark the gifts as they come in.

Volunteers will be needed to help wrap gifts that are shipped in and to help distribute gifts. This year, there will be contactless delivery of gifts and food to recipients' vehicles. Please note your desire to help with this ministry on your Parish Stewardship Commitment Form!



ST. PETER DAY OF COMMUNITY CARE (formerly known as World Day of the Poor): Again this year, we will be taking dinner out to those in need. Our dinner is planned for Sunday, November 19.

- Meat for the meals has been donated and the Knights of Columbus will prepare it. Thank you!
- Sides: If you have signed up to bring food for or help with funeral luncheons, you will be contacted directly to help with this meal. The link to SignUp online is https:// signup.com/go/fFLmHik. Please bring contributions to the meal (in disposable containers) to Selinger Centre gym by 1:00 pm on Sunday, November 19.
- The meals and first aid/toiletry bags will be transported to distribution sites and given to those who come visit our tables.
- Volunteers are needed to help assemble, transport and distribute meals and bags.

We truly appreciate the generosity of our parish family, and hope that you will participate in these worthwhile works of charity this holiday season!

SUPPORT AFTER ABORTION FOR MEN

Base Camp is an open-forum, weekly discussion group for men who have been impacted by abortion. The group meets Tuesdays at 11:00 a.m. Each week, men will be invited into the conversation as we discuss abortion, healing, authentic masculinity and other issues that plague men today. Attendees can remain anonymous or not. The group is led by Greg Mayo, Men's Healing Strategist for Support After Abortion and author of "Almost Daddy: The Forgotten Story."

THE CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL (CSR) WEEKEND IS NOVEMBER 18-19.

Due to printing delays beyond our control, our parish's Catholic Stewardship Renewal weekend has been pushed back to the weekend of November 18-19. More information will be shared in the coming weeks.

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SEEK 24 Conference registration is open for January 2024 in St. Louis.

Why attend a conference for college students? FOCUS (Fellowship Of Catholic University Students) offers a Making Missionary Disciples Track which is designed for diocese, parishes, and individuals.

For more information, contact Annie Raymer at the parish office at araymer@saintpeterjc.org or call her at (573) 636-8159 ext. 417, or go to seek. focus.org.





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> Speakers: Millie Aulbur, Stephanie Rankin, Mary Winter, Jeanne Livers, LeAnn Korsmeyer

> > REGISTRATION DEADLINE MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20 Email: RegisterAriseEvent@gmail.com Call or Text: Diana (573) 645-2040 LeAnn (573) 690-2882

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