



Angels

Bethlehem star

three wise men

The Holy Family includes:

Joseph

Mary

Jesus

Evelynn Hickey, St. Peter School, Grade 2



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### Assisting Clergy

5:00 PM Rev. Jim Keenan, SJ  
Rev. Javier Montes SJ

### MASS SCHEDULE

Vigil Saturday 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday 9:00 and 11:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Monday 8:00 a.m.  
Prayer and Communion Service

Tuesday - Saturday 8:00 a.m. Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation  
Saturday 3:00 - 3:45 p.m. or by appointment

### Sacraments

To schedule Baptism, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick, or for any question you may have, please visit our website or call the Parish Office.

**Website** [www.saintpetercambridge.org](http://www.saintpetercambridge.org)

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### WE PRAY FOR

Those who are having a difficult time in their lives; the imprisoned and the addicted; the hungry and the homeless; those who suffer abuse at the hands of another; for Nancy F. Gardner, Janet Carney, Rita McGillvary and John E. Ferdinand Jr. whose funeral Masses were celebrated here this past week For Fr. Dan Harrington, Richard St. Denis and all families and caregivers; and for all who have asked for our prayers. The names of those for whom we pray will be on our prayer list for a period of 4 weeks. If you wish to keep any name in the bulletin for a longer period, please email or call the parish office. [saintpetercambridge.org](http://saintpetercambridge.org) or 617-547-4235.

**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:**

On behalf of the entire Staff – let me wish you, your family and loved ones, a very Blessed, Holy and Happy Christmas Season!

This is a Season to celebrate and be renewed in hope and joy. Hope – is that virtue that expresses a confident trust in God and God's promises. We know God is faithful to God's Word. Joy – is that virtue whereby we rest secure in the love and promise of God that we are loved and that God wants to share eternity with us. We offer special prayers for all of our parishioners and all of the Saint Peter extended family this Christmas Season. May the joy and peace of Christ fill our hearts and minds, and may we share that peace and joy with others!

**“New” Ministry: Greeters**

We are launching a new ministry of greeters at St. Peter's. At the start of this endeavor we will focus on Christmas, Holy Week and Easter. The commitment is minimal. This ministry is a wonderful way to act out our welcome statement. It is perfect for individuals or families to do together. This would entail greeting parishioners and visitors at the doors prior to liturgy and handing out the worship aid. Interested? Give it a try! Contact Anna Molettieri at [amolettieri@saintpetercambridge.org](mailto:amolettieri@saintpetercambridge.org).

**Harvard Square Meals Program**

The Harvard Square Meals Program provides a three course sit down meal to approximately 100 guests every Thursday evening at Christ Church on Garden Street. The program has many volunteers. During times when college students are away, they have an increased need for volunteers. This past summer, parishioners of all ages assisted through the summer months. This January we will be helping again. The commitment would be from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. We are hoping to send 10 volunteers each week. If you would like to help, please contact Anna Molettieri at [amolettieri@saintpetercambridge.org](mailto:amolettieri@saintpetercambridge.org) or 617-547-235x17.

***CLERGY BENEFIT TRUST  
COLLECTION 12-22-2013***

Every Christmas, Catholics across the Archdiocese of Boston join together to honor and thank our priests. Your gift to the Clergy Funds helps to ensure the highest quality of care and quality of life programs that provide for the health and well-being of our 638 active and senior priests. Remember priests such as our Pastor Reverend Leonard F. O'Malley, and the following Senior Priests Reverend Charles D. Logue, Reverend Richard J. Craig, Reverend Maurice P. Meade, Reverend William J. Carrigg, Reverend Monsignor Francis J. McGann and Reverend Monsignor Joseph T. Alves who have made a meaningful difference in your life, and consider honoring him/them with a generous gift to the Christmas collection. Our priests have been there for us in our time of need. Now, it's our turn to care for them when they need us. Thank you in advance for your generous and prayerful support of our priests.

If you are enrolled in our parish electronic giving program, choose Funds: Christmas: Clergy Benefit Trust or visit [www.clergyfunds.org](http://www.clergyfunds.org) to participate in this effort. On behalf of the priests who will benefit from your generosity this Christmas, we thank you for your support.

**Evening Prayer, Adoration and Benediction**

**Please note we will meet the Fourth Wednesday in January, the 22nd. at 7:00 p.m.** February we will resume gathering on the third Wednesday of each month, from 7:00-8:00 p.m. in the church. The service will begin with the day's Evening Prayer from the Church's Liturgy of the Hours, including a Scripture reading and a brief homily. The Blessed Sacrament will then be exposed for silent Adoration, followed by Benediction. No experience with these forms of prayer is needed: full worship aids will be provided. Deacon Tim O'Donnell will lead the service. Please join us for this prayerful time to be with the Lord.

## Weekly Schedule -December 22nd - 29th

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| <b>Sunday</b>    | 8:30 a.m. Youth Choir (church)<br>10:15 a.m. Sunday Advent Readings Discussion (parish center)<br>10:15 a.m. NO Religious Education Classes (school)<br>11:30 a.m. Bishop Hennessey will celebrate Mass<br>4:00 p.m. Adult Choir (church) |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | 6:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (school gym)   |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | 7: 00 p.m. AA Meeting (school café)   |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | 3:00 p.m. Traditional Choir (church)  |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | 8:30 a.m. Youth Choir (church)<br>10:15 a.m. No Religious Education Classes (school)<br>4:00 p.m. Adult Choir (church)  |

*Mass Intentions*

*Collections*

### Weekend of December 21st -22nd

Saturday 4:00 p.m. No Intention Scheduled  
Sunday 9:00 a.m. James Wallie  
11:30 a.m. Theodore Auterio Jr.  
5:00 p.m. Gray Family  
Deceased Family Members

December 15, 2013 \$3,916.00

*Thank you for your generosity*

Mail-ins Monthly Offertory - \$845.00

### Week of December 23rd - 27th

Thursday 8:00 a.m. Margaret & Charles  
McLaughlin, Ted & Helen Joyce and Bobbi Green

### Weekend of December 28th - 29th

Saturday 8:00 a.m. No Intention Scheduled  
Saturday 4:00 p.m. No Intention Scheduled  
Sunday 9:00 a.m. Edward F. Leary,  
Margaret Wrenn -Leary, Edward M. (Ned) Leary  
Brenda Leary -Aquino  
11:30 a.m. Corrine Bolton  
5:00 p.m. Michael & Maggie Flaherty

## ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS HAPPININGS

VISIT OUR WEB SITE:

[www.saintpetercambridge.org](http://www.saintpetercambridge.org)

Click on Seasonal Happenings

### Do You Know Someone Who Cannot Attend Mass?

There are people among us — parishioners, family members, neighbors, and friends — who would like to join us at the Eucharistic table, but are prevented from doing so by disability, illness or lack of transportation. Eucharistic Ministers from St. Peter's already bring the Eucharist to some of these people in their homes, and in nearby nursing or assisted living facilities. If you know of anyone who is homebound or otherwise unable to come to Mass, and who would like to receive the Eucharist, please let us know by calling the parish office at 617-547-4235 and requesting a Eucharistic minister to bring communion to him or her.

### **Christmas Mass Schedule**



#### **Christmas Eve - Tuesday, December 24th**

**No 8:00 a.m. Mass**

Caroling for 20 minutes preceding each Mass

4:00 p.m.      6:00 p.m. Family Mass

12:00 Midnight

**Children please bring a bell to ring!**

#### **Christmas Day - Wednesday, December 25th**

**No 5:00 p.m. Mass**

9 a.m.              11:30 a.m.

**Note: No 5:00 p.m. Mass Christmas Day**

All Masses feature congregational singing led by a cantor and accompanied by organ, piano, strings and brass.

#### **Parish Ministry Party**

*(invitations will be mailed out)*

**Sunday, January 5, 2014, 2:00 p.m.**

in the Parish Center

A light lunch and desserts will be served

#### **Dinner and Discussion**

***How Do We Live Our Faith?***

January 26, 2014      6:00 p.m.

Parish Center

Join us for dinner and a discussion about living out our faith in the modern world. Three parishioners will share their perspectives and experiences. Please call or email Bob Flaherty to let us know that you are attending.

617-547-4235 x16 or  
rflaherty@saintpetercambridge.org



#### **New Year's Day**

#### **Mass Schedule**

**Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God**

**Wednesday January 1st**

**9:00 a.m.**

#### **Feast of the Epiphany**

**January 4th-5th Weekend**

Saturday 4 p.m. Mass

Sunday Masses

9 a.m.    11:30 a.m.    5:00 p.m.

#### **Emmanuel**

#### **"God Is With us!"**

Advent Scripture Talks

Please join us for a casual gathering when we will review and preview the weekend's readings in this season of great hope and expectation.

December 22nd in the Parish Center

10:15—11:15 a.m.

#### **THE CATHOLIC TV NETWORK CHRISTMAS PROGRAMMING**

It's that time again! **CatholicTV** will intersperse Advent and Christmas Programming with their regular schedule throughout December and especially from Monday, December 23rd through Thursday, December 26th . All day Christmas Eve, Christmas Day and December 26th, CatholicTV will become **ChristmasTV** for 72 hours of non-stop specials. Join us to celebrate the birth of the Savior!

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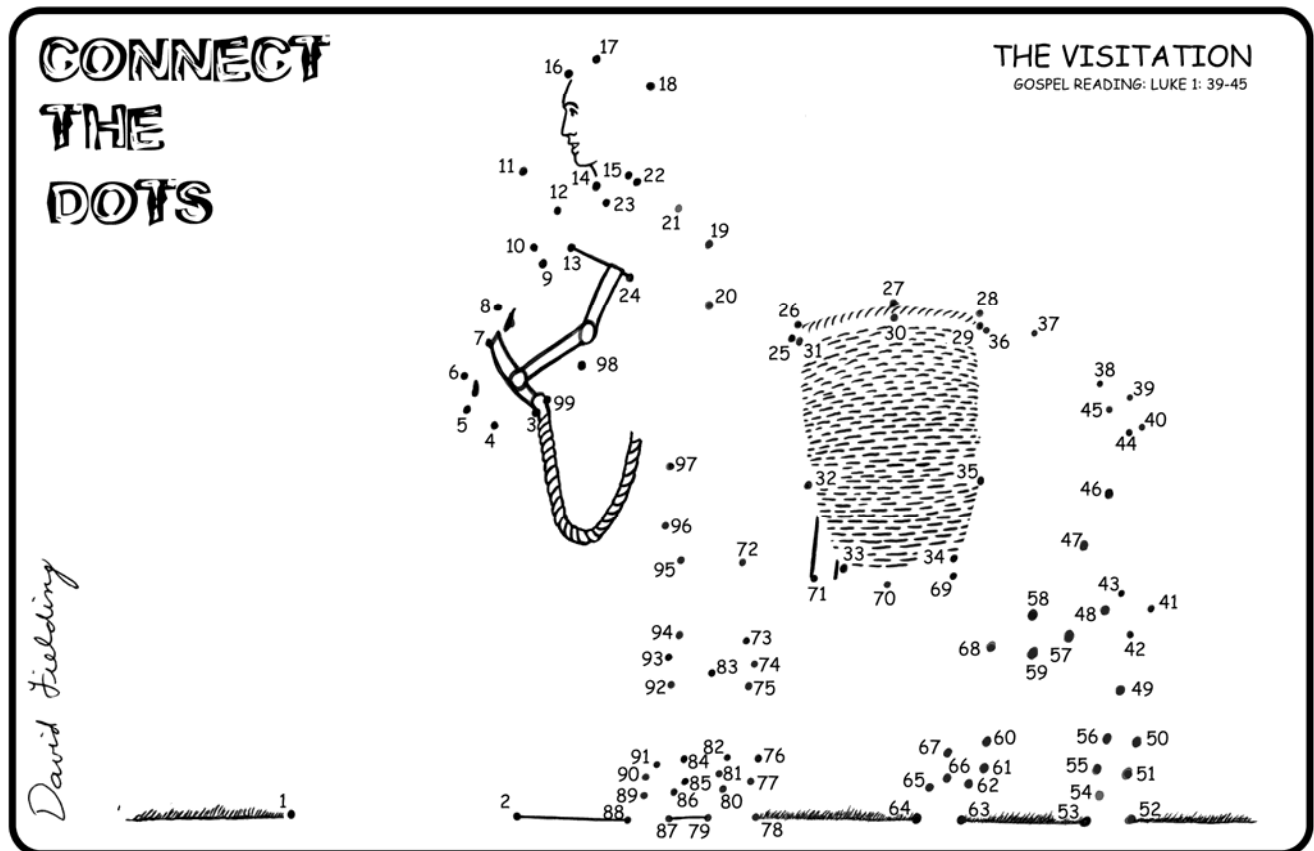
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# Welcome!

No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church,  
No matter what your current family or marital situation,  
No matter what your current personal history, age, background, race, etc.,  
No matter what your own self image,  
You are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected here at Saint Peter Parish.  
We are here to welcome and serve you.



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