

As I have loved you, so you also should love one another. This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.

John 13:34-35

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Sunday of Easter

Saint Peter Parish

Cambridge, Massachusetts

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.

Saint Peter Parish

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MASS SCHEDULE

Vigil Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

12 Noon and 5:00 PM

(10:00 am Family Liturgy)

Monday 8:00 AM

prayer/communion service

Tuesday-Saturday 8:00 AM Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 - 3:45 PM

or by appointment

Assisting Clergy:

12:00 Noon Rev. Dan Harrington, SJ

5:00 PM Rev. Jim Keenan, SJ

Rev. Christopher Frechette, SJ

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

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FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:

Of course, we continue to pray for all whose lives have been so terribly impacted by the terrible events of last week. May God's Spirit bring healing and peace!

As our Easter celebrations continue, we are happy to celebrate with our young children who will receive Eucharist for the first time on the weekend of May 4 and 5. Celebrations happen on Saturday at 10:00 AM and also at the 4:00 PM Mass, and on Sunday at the 10:00 AM Family Mass. May these children and their families be often fed at the Table of the Lord.

Also, this coming week we are happy to welcome back BAY COLONY BRASS who will present their Spring Concert on Friday, May 3rd at 7:30 PM in the Church.

**Bay Colony Brass****Returns to St. Peter Parish****Don't miss a wonderful concert****Friday, May 3rd @ 7:30 in church**

Bay Colony Brass is a nonprofit all-volunteer organization. Admission to performances is FREE. Donations are suggested...and always very much appreciated.

END OF LIFE ISSUES

On this Sunday afternoon, April 28th from 3:00 - 4:30 PM in the Parish Center, we are planning the second session of a Panel Discussion format to talk about "end-of-life" issues. Panelists will be comprised of experienced professionals who will speak and then lead the discussion.

Week two will focus on the importance of making practical decisions in nature. Once you have considered the decisions that need to be made about these issues, how you go about making them known.

Week two will focus on:

- the writing of a will, a health care proxy and other legal documents
- telling family and friends about your wishes for end of life care, for a funeral and burial

Week two will be led by

Atty. George Killgoar, Sheila Hickey (Funeral Director)

and Fr. Lenny O'Malley (Pastor, St. Peter Parish)

This series is appropriate for both adults looking to make important decisions about these issues and also for adults who are now or will be caring for aging parents and relatives. We hope you will consider attending these two discussions. Please also extend the invitation to friends, neighbors and family members that might be interested in these topics.



Parenting in the Technology Age
May 1st at 7pm in the Parish Center
Cost: Free, but please RSVP

On May 1st at 7pm in the Parish Center, we are pleased to welcome guest speakers **Detective Joe Murphy from the Cambridge Police Department** and **Ms. Alexandra Donovan from the Cambridge Health Alliance**. Together they will give a talk aimed at parents of children who are using the internet and social media. Entitled, **“Parenting in the Technology Age,”** the talk will focus on **understanding technology and communication media** (such as Facebook, Skype, Google, texting, etc.), **identifying risky behavior of our children, and reinforcing healthy peer relationships.**

If you have ever wondered what your child is doing on their computer or phone and wished you knew more about it or whether you should be concerned, this talk is for you. We will learn about what types of things can go wrong, and how you as parents can be more informed, so you can prevent problems before they occur. A discussion of appropriate interactions online will provide clear examples of safe ways for children to make the best use of social media tools. This topic is relevant for all parents and caregivers, regardless what age your child is. All parents and caregivers are welcome to attend.

Please RSVP to kimberliewinter@comcast.net

First Communion News



On April 28th St. Peter Parish 2nd graders had their First Eucharist Retreat. Thank you to all who helped make this retreat a wonderful success.

The children of St. Peter Parish will receive their First Communion in a choice of three masses.

Saturday, May 4th at 10:30 am

Saturday, May 4th at 4:00 pm Mass

Sunday, May 5th at 10:00 am Family Mass

Calendar of Events

Weekly Schedule April 28th - May 5th

- Sunday** 9:15 am Youth Choir practice, 11:15 am Religious Education classes (school), 3:00 pm End of Life Issues - Part 2 (parish ctr.), 4:00 pm Contemporary Adult choir practice
- Tuesday** 6:00 pm Boy Scouts (gym), 7:00 pm Tuesday Evening Small Faith Group (parish ctr.)
- Wednesday** 8:00 am Parent Association Meeting (parish ctr.), 7:00 pm AA meeting (school café), 7:00 pm Parenting in the Technology Age (parish ctr.)
- Friday** 7:30 pm Bay Colony Brass concert (church)
- Saturday** **10:30 am First Communion**, 3:00 pm Traditional choir practice, **4:00 pm First Communion** 6:00 pm French Community Mass
- Sunday** 9:15 am Youth Choir practice, **10:00 am First Communion & May Procession**, No Religious Education classes, 4:00 pm Contemporary Adult choir practice

Mass Intentions

Collections

Weekend of April 27/28

- Saturday** 8:00 AM Kelly King Mui Wong
4:00 PM James F. Riley
- Sunday** 8:00 AM James Wallie
10:00 AM Joseph & Donalda Sears -
Memorial Mass
5:00 PM John Harney

Week of April 29-May 3

- Tuesday** 8:00 AM Baby DiMilia
- Friday** 8:00 AM Bishop Riley Benefactors

Weekend of May 4/5

- Sunday** 8:00 AM John & Mae Cloherly
10:00 AM Keith W. Perleberg
12:00 Noon Josephine Auterio
5:00 PM Mary Saccoccia -
1st Anniversary

Weekly Offertory April 20/21 \$6100
Thank you for your generosity.

WE PRAY FOR : those who are having a difficult time in their lives; for the imprisoned and the addicted; or the hungry and the homeless; for those who suffer abuse at the hands of another; For all families and caregivers; and for all who have asked for our prayers.

Names will be placed on list for a period of 4 weeks. If you wish to keep names in bulletin for a longer period of time please contact the parish office by emailing office@saintpetercambridge.org or calling 617-547-4235.



BIBLE RESEARCH

See what you can discover for yourself about the background to the readings.

This Sunday's readings are taken from four of the books which make up the Bible: Acts, Psalms, Revelation, and the Gospel according to John.

See if you can find out how many books there are in the Bible. How many are there in the New Testament, and how many in the Old Testament?

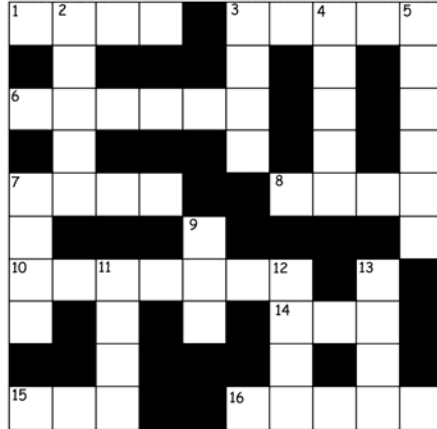
Discover what the difference is between the Old and New Testaments.

Finally, who decided which books should be included in the Bible, and when was this decision made?

CROSSWORD

(Most answers are in today's readings)

CLUES ACROSS 1. He travelled with Barnabas 3. Opposite of dark 6. Lack of food causes this 7. Opposite of coldness 8. These people expelled Paul from their territory 10. One _____ under God (plural) 14. Jesus and the Father are this 15. It gives great heat 16. God will lead us to this in heaven; another word for splendor



CLUES DOWN 2. Paul received this violent rudeness from hostile Jews in Antioch 3. A title for God 4. A spiritual gift from God 5. Lack of water causes this 7. This completes an arm 9. Great happiness 11. Similar to a city 12. The spiritual part of a person 13. Every one of these will be wiped away

A PICTURE TO COLOR

GOSPEL READING: JOHN 10, 27-30

