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### ***MASS SCHEDULE***

*Vigil Saturday 4:00 PM*

*Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM*

*12 Noon & 5:00 PM*

*(10:00 am Family Liturgy)*

*Monday & Tuesday 8:00 AM*

*prayer/communion service*

*Wednesday-Saturday 8:00 AM Mass*

### ***Sacrament of Reconciliation***

*Saturday 3:00 - 3:45 PM or by appointment*

*St. Peter School*

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*Rectory*

*31 Buckingham Street*

*Cambridge, MA 02138-2297*

### ***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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**dev@saint-peter-school.org****Assisting Clergy:****12:00 Noon****Rev. Dan Harrington, SJ****5:00 PM****Rev. Jim Keenan, SJ****Rev. Tom Massaro, 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.

**New Website: [www.saintpetercambridge.org](http://www.saintpetercambridge.org)****Email: [office@stpetercamb.org](mailto:office@stpetercamb.org)****Telephone 617-547-4235****Fax 617-547-1525****FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK**

I want to keep you updated on the Pastoral Planning Initiative underway in the Archdiocese. In addition to what I have already reported to you there is a new piece of information.

Last Friday, Anna Molettieri and I attended a meeting and were told that the proposed "joining of parishes" for us would be Saint Peter and Saint John, both here in Cambridge. Saint Paul, Harvard Square, stands alone, and the other Cambridge parishes would be joined together. (Please remember that all parishes remain independent entities, but the "joined parishes" would be serviced on one Pastoral Service Team.)

Also, please remember that all of this is in a consultation phase now, so that eventually a recommendation can be made to the Cardinal. Implementation of all of this will most likely take 3 or 4 years to complete.

All presently available information (rationale, criteria for "joinings", and proposed joining of parishes for the whole Archdiocese can be viewed at [2012Planning.org](http://2012Planning.org)

**Film Viewing and Discussion:**

Come join us as we view *Scenes from a Parish*, a documentary film by award-winning filmmaker James Rutenbeck, which chronicles four years in the life of St. Patrick Parish in Lawrence, Massachusetts. This film offers a glimpse into one parish's experience as it explores how to reconcile ideals of faith and the gospel message with the realities of today's changing and diverse culture. The film looks at the stories of the pastor, Fr. Paul O'Brien, various parishioners and the building of the Cor Unum Meal Center. A video trailer can be found at <http://www.scenesfromaparish.com>.

Please join us on Sunday, January 29<sup>th</sup> from 2-5 p.m. (we will conclude in time for those who wish to attend the 5 p.m. Mass). We will view the film and have opportunity for discussion. Refreshments will be served. So that we can plan the refreshments accordingly kindly RSVP to Anna Molettieri at [amolettieri@stpetercamb.org](mailto:amolettieri@stpetercamb.org) or at 617-547-4235 x17.

## **From the Pastoral Associate:**

### **Why Catholic? Small Group Offerings:**

Join us as we look closely at Christian Prayer this Lent. Small groups of 8-12 participants will be meeting for 6 weeks during Lent beginning the week of February 19<sup>th</sup>.

The time offerings are as follows:

Sundays 11 a.m.– 12:00 p.m. in the School Library

Sundays 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. in the Parish Center

Tuesdays 9 a.m. – 10:30 p.m. in the Parish Center

Tuesdays 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. in the Parish Center

Thursdays 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. in the Parish Center

To sign up for one of these sessions, please fill out a sign up form available at the doors of the church and return it to the parish office or contact Anna Molettieri at [amolettieri@stpetercamb.org](mailto:amolettieri@stpetercamb.org) or by phone at 617-547-4235 x17.

## **Dare to Dream Auction “Forever Young”**

Please join our community as we enjoy a valentine themed evening of laughter and fun while raising money for Saint Peter School. On Saturday, February 11, 2011 at the Sonesta Hotel in East Cambridge, Saint Peter School will hold its Ninth Annual Dare to Dream Auction. We are pleased to announce our Honorary Chairperson for this year’s event who is our own Alumni, a Saint Peter Parishioner, a Past Parent, and our esteemed Parish Photographer, Barbara Sullivan. Our professional auctioneer is Kathleen Kingston. The night’s itinerary is: 6pm – 7:30 pm Silent Auction, Cocktails & Hors d’oeuvres, 7:30pm – 9:00 pm Dinner and Live Auction, followed by entertainment and dancing till 11pm. All proceeds benefit the children of Saint Peter School.

There are many ways to contribute: consider donating to the silent or live auction, no item too large or too small or by attending the event.

Place an advertisement in this year’s auction program book, whether it is to highlight your business, send well wishes to the St. Peter Community or in memory of a loved one.

Buy your raffle tickets to support the St. Peter School; additional tickets are available at the school office or by calling 617-547-0101 ext 30.

For more information check out our website [www.saint-peter-school.org/gala.shtml](http://www.saint-peter-school.org/gala.shtml)

**Special thanks to our Auction’s Major Sponsor:  
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186 Concord Ave, Cambridge, MA 02138**

# Catholic Schools Week

## From the Principal's Desk:



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Today is the start of Catholic Schools Week and we have much to celebrate!! At Saint Peter School our enrollment is strong! We have many students from our local communities of Cambridge, Somerville and Belmont but we are also enrolling students from more distant communities of Medford, Malden, Woburn, Boston, and even as far away as Billerica, and Brockton. We have also enrolled families who are with us from across the United States and even from across the world – countries such as Chile, Korea, and Singapore. Saint Peter School is truly a wonderful community of families!

St. Peter School has a strong academic program and this is evidenced as our eighth grade students are currently being accepted at both local Catholic high schools and other private high schools. Saint Peter School truly has an excellent reputation among all area schools!

However, in addition to a strong academic program we have a strong commitment to teaching our children faith and values. Faith and values are taught as part of our religion program but are also taught at every moment throughout the day as teachers remind students how to be caring and concerned members of the St. Peter School community. Additionally, we have our Virtue of the Month program where we specifically focus on one particular virtue each month, another reminder to the students on how they can continue to be good role models in their classrooms and in their families.

Our school building and all of the classrooms are in excellent shape as we plan each year to paint and repair a number of classrooms. In particular, we spent extra time this past summer adding to the already-up-to-date computer technology in the Hoff Technology Center. Enhanced technology instruction has also been added this year in the middle grades.

For all that is happening at St. Peter School, I am grateful to the many “Caring Hearts” that make it possible. I am grateful to the caring hearts of the teachers and staff who are dedicated to working with our children each day to ensure that they are experiencing the best possible education. I am grateful to the Caring Hearts of the parents who entrust their children to us and respond to any requests that we make. I am also grateful to the Caring Hearts of our many donors who generously support us in a multitude of ways. I am especially grateful to our advancement director Karen Trainor who ensures that we reach out to our many donors in a number of different ways. She has developed a very successful Advancement Program. I am also most grateful to our pastor, Father Lenny O’Malley, who supports us in so many ways!

I encourage you to come visit our school at our Open House this Thursday, Feb. 2 from 9AM until noon. We will have students and parents giving guided tours and we will also have myself and Mark Smith, the Director of Admissions, available to answer any questions that people might have.

Bernadette Leahy  
Principal

**Weekly Schedule  
January 29th - February 5th**

- Sunday** 9:15 am Youth Choir, Religious Education classes immediately following 10:00 am Mass, 1:00 CYO Basketball (gym), 2:00 pm "Scenes from a Parish" documentary film (parish ctr.), 4:00 pm Adult choir practice
- Tuesday** 6:00 pm Boy Scouts (school)
- Wednesday** 8:00 am Parent Association meeting (parish ctr.), 7:00 pm AA (school cafe)
- Thursday** **9:00 am - 1:00 pm St. Peter School Open House**
- Friday** **First Friday Coffee immediately following 8:00 am Mass (parish ctr.),** 5:30 pm CYO Basketball 7:00 pm Courage Meeting (parish ctr.)
- Saturday** 4:30 pm French Community (parish ctr. & church)
- Sunday** 9:15 am Youth Choir, Religious Education classes immediately following 10:00 am Mass, 11:00 am RCIA (parish ctr.), 1:00 pm CYO basketball, 4:00 pm Adult choir practice,



**Weekend of January 28/29**

- Saturday 8:00 AM James Wallie
- 4:00 PM William (Billy) Maher
- Sunday 8:00 AM Joseph Flaherty
- 10:00 AM Peggy Enright & Daniel Harrington
- 12:00 Noon Grace C. Harrington
- 5:00 PM Carmella Long

Weekend of January 21/22 \$4854  
Mail-ins \$580.00

Thank you for your generosity.

**WE PRAY FOR:** those who are having a difficult time in their lives; for the imprisoned and the addicted; for the hungry and the homeless; for those who suffer abuse at the hands of another; For Eleanor Bosco, Joan Boyt, Janet Finn Reardon, and 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 calling 617-547-4235 or email: [office@stpetercamb.org](mailto:office@stpetercamb.org)

**Week of February 1 - 3**

No Intentions Booked

**Weekend of February 4/5**

- Saturday 8:00 AM Chester Gajewski
- 4:00 PM Helene Flynn Horney Anniversary
- Sunday 10:00 AM Phyllis Ann Marie Cullen
- 5:00 PM Michael Riley - Birthday Remembrance  
Julia Brown & Linda Mahtesian



**First Friday Coffee  
February 3rd**  
immediately following  
8AM Mass  
in the Parish Ctr.

The parish community is invited to a morning gathering each month with coffee and refreshments. All are welcome.

**Middle School Religious Education  
CHANGE of Date:**

In order to accommodate students and families wishing to watch the Superbowl, we will not have class on Sunday February 5<sup>th</sup>, we will meet instead on Sunday February 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.