

Saint Peter Parish

Cambridge, Massachusetts

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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.



Weekly Schedule September 13th - 21st

Saturday 13th	3:00 p.m. Adult Choir Practice (church) 5:30 p.m. French Community (church)
Sunday 14th	8:30 a.m. Youth Choir Practice (church) 10:15 a.m. Sunday Morning Small Faith Group (school library) 4:30 p.m. Adult Choir Practice (church)
Tuesday 16th	Boy Scouts (gym)
Wednesday 17th	7:00 p.m. AA (school cafeteria)
Thursday 18th	7:30 p.m. Parish Pastoral Council (parish center)
Saturday 20th	11:00 a.m. Car Wash Grade 8 (driveway) 3:00 p.m. Adult Choir Practice (church) 5:00 p.m. CONNECT WEEKEND (parish center) 5:00 p.m. Religious Education Registration (parish center)
Sunday 21th	ALL DAY CONNECT WEEKEND (parish center) 8:30 a.m. Youth Choir Practice (church) 10:15 a.m. Religious Education Registration (parish center) 4:30 p.m. Adult Choir Practice (church)

Mass Intentions

September 13th - 21st

Saturday 13th

4:00 p.m. Albertina & Mariano D'Amore

Sunday 14th

11:30 a.m. Dominic San Severino

5:00 p.m. Allen Hayes

Thursday 18th

8:00 a.m. Salvatore Sr. & Menica Robbio

Friday 19th

8:00 a.m. A. Paul & Mary F. Flynn

Saturday 20th

4:00 p.m. John J. Doherty

Sunday 21st

9:00 a.m. Robert Gough

11:30 a.m. Marie Tardiff

5:00 p.m. John Riley 1st Anniversary

Collections

September 7, 2014 \$9,740.00

Mail-ins Weekly \$50.00

Mail-ins Monthly \$250.00

Thank you for your generosity

Room or Apartment to Rent?

I am a mature woman who works in human services. I lived for many years at Our Lady's Guild House, a Catholic residence for women. My lifestyle is quiet and low key. I only occasionally have friends and family to visit. I am able to pay around \$700 per month (heat and hot water included). I need access to public transportation. If you are looking for a responsible tenant with excellent credit and personal references, please call or email me. Thank you.

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Assisting Clergy

5:00 p.m. Rev. Jim Keenan, SJ

MASS SCHEDULE

Vigil Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 5:00 p.m. Mass has resumed

Monday and Tuesday

No Prayer Service or Mass

Wednesday - Saturday 8:00 a.m. Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation

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

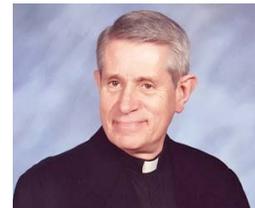
Sacraments

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

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 Kim Anthony, Lisette Barberio and all families and caregivers; for Helen G. Murphy who died this past week: 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: **office@saintpetercambridge.org** or **617-547-4235**.

From the Pastor's Desk



Next weekend throughout the Archdiocese a second offering is being requested. This is a collection for the Clergy Health and Retirement Trust. This Trust tries to ensure quality care for the medical and retirement needs of all Boston priests. Your generous support is earnestly requested. Envelopes for this collection are available at the doors of the church.

Please note the very important announcement in this bulletin about a fundraiser for the St. Vincent de Paul Society. I urge you to support this very worthwhile organization.

Next weekend be sure to check out our **Connect @** weekend after each weekend mass. Come down to the Parish Center and learn about Prayer and Education Offerings in the parish this year for adults, teens and young children.

I am happy to tell you also, that we have signed a contract with a company to **install air conditioning in the church**. I know the hot season is mostly gone, but it was worth waiting for this innovative proposal. Installation will begin in the fall. Thank you to those who have donated to this proposal. To date we have collected half of our hoped-for goal. That is \$25,000 of a hoped-for \$50,000. If you have not donated yet, please consider doing so. Thank you.

Interested in Becoming a Catholic or Learning More About the Faith?

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic faith? Perhaps you have been worshipping with us, but have never taken steps to become Catholic. Or perhaps you have joined us from a different denomination but are now being called to the Catholic Church. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, **RCIA**, is the process through which non-baptized individuals or those baptized in another denomination become members of the Catholic Church. This process is also available to someone who may have been baptized Catholic but has not received the sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation. To learn more about the RCIA program at St. Peter's please call Anna Molettieri at 617-547-4235 x17 or email at amolettieri@saintpetercambridge.org.

Theological Institute Open House Tuesday, October 14th

The Theological Institute at Saint John's Seminary will host an Open House for its Degree Programs (Master of Arts in Ministry & Master of Theological Studies for the New Evangelization) at 7:00 p.m., at 149 Washington Street, Brighton. Come and learn more about the opportunities at The Institute! Watch for more information at www.sjs.edu. Or call 617-779-4104

Do You Know Someone Who Can't 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 or illness. Eucharistic Ministers already bring the Eucharist to some of these people in their homes. 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 617-547-4235 x12.

Pope Tweets @Pontifex



Jesus is the good shepherd. He seeks us out and he stays near us even though we are sinners, indeed because we are sinners.

September 6, 2014

God's faithfulness is stronger than our unfaithfulness and infidelities.

September 9, 2014

Food Pantry Donations Needed

We are collecting much needed food for the Helping Hand Food Pantry in Cambridge. You may leave your donations in the collection baskets at the doors of the church. Thank you for your donations. Here is what the pantry needs:

Peanut Butter and Jelly



Dried beans

Pasta sauce

Pasta

Spaghettios type item



Soup & Crackers

Do You Like to Sing? Come!

Here at Saint Peter Parish the music ministry helps to enhance the liturgy through song. Music is provided at all weekend Masses. A good way to participate in the Liturgy is through our music program. All choirs are open to anyone who wants to join and there are no auditions. *You do not need to read music or have any previous choral experience to participate!*



Simply a willingness to sing is required.

Please see the Music Director, Doreen Gulledge, before or after any weekend Mass, or call or email her to join or learn more. 617-547-4235 x18 dgulledge@saintpetercambridge.org

Peace Vigil

Praying for God to Bring Peace to People With Depression and Those Close to Them

24-week Vigil for Peace on Wednesdays from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Drop in at St. Luke Church for Silent Prayer and be a part of the Peace Vigil's 15th hour. Come for a few minutes or for longer, any time between 5:30 and 6:30 p.m.

St Luke Church

132 Lexington Street in Belmont

CONNECT@ST PETER'S WEEKEND

September 20th and 21st - Parish Center

How to

Participate Learn Grow in Faith

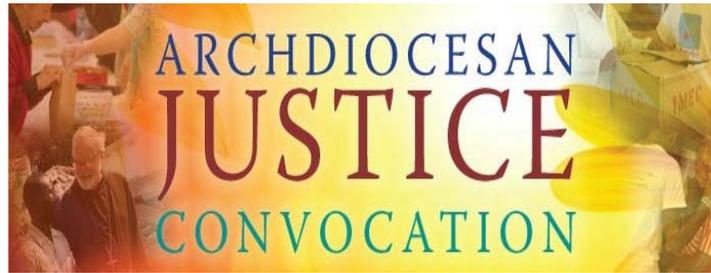
Join us after each Mass in the Parish Center the weekend of September 20th—to reconnect with other parishioners and connect with new ones. It's an opportunity for everyone to connect their lives with the parish and the Lord. We will have displays of our many parish ministries and faith formation offerings and how you can participate. It's also the time to learn about and register children for our First Eucharist and Confirmation preparation programs and religious education.

We always want to hear from you—about your needs, desires, and suggestions. As our mission statement says, *We are here to welcome and serve you.*

Religious Education Grades K - 10

1st Eucharist, Reconciliation and Confirmation

The primary place where children learn about and experience their faith is in their homes. Their primary educators are their parents and adult caretakers. Our education program is designed as a shared undertaking between children, parents, and the parish. We offer educational programs for grades K - 10 and to prepare children to receive the Sacraments of Eucharist, Reconciliation and Confirmation. Children traditionally receive Eucharist and Reconciliation in Grade 2 and Confirmation in Grade 10. We also prepare children beyond these ages. Grades K - 5 meet Sunday mornings from 10:15 - 11:15 a.m., beginning September 28th. Middle and high school students meet monthly on Sunday evenings from 6 - 7:15 p.m. To learn more about these programs and for registration materials and calendars, join us at [CONNECT@STPETER'S](#) weekend, September 20th and 21st (details above); visit our web site saintpetercambridge.org (Faith Formation tab); or email or call or email Bob Flaherty, Director of Faith Formation: rflaherty@saintpetercambridge.org, 617-547-4235 x 16,



**SOCIAL JUSTICE – A PASTORAL PRIORITY
FOR THE NEW EVANGELIZATION**

Saturday, October 25, 2014, 8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Archdiocesan Pastoral Center, 66 Brooks Drive, Braintree, MA 02184-3839

Registration Cost: \$20, including coffee, tea, snacks, and convocation materials

Space is Limited - Register Early!

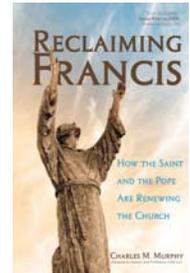
To register online, please visit <http://tinyurl.com/m5j8d7x>

For more information, please contact Patricia Dinneen at 646-236-0983 or pdinneen@verizon.net

Saint Peter Parish Reads

Reclaiming Francis

St. Peter Parish welcomes you and all parishioners to its first community-wide read. We have selected the book *Reclaiming Francis* by Monsignor Charles M. Murphy – looking at the lives of St. Francis and Pope Francis – and planned activities that relate to the book. Come and learn more about St. Francis, Pope Francis and what it means to us.



Everyone is welcome to participate in any event whether or not they have read *Reclaiming Francis*. If you would like to read the book, copies can be purchased for a reduced price after parish Masses starting September 20th. They are also available from Ave Maria Press.

Watch for further information in the Bulletin as well as the parish website, www.saintpetercambridge.org

St. Vincent de Paul Fundraiser



Men and Women of our Parish Chapter will be participating in a “Friends of the Poor” walk on Saturday, September 20th, to raise funds and promote awareness of their efforts on behalf of individuals in need. Thanks to **Armando Paolo** for serving as the Walk’s Honorary Chairperson.

The Parish Chapter distributes food vouchers to those in need as well as helping with more significant needs. We also provide scholarships at our school, contribute to the Harvard Square Meals Program, and respond to wider appeals and needs.

You can help by sponsoring the walkers for any amount you choose. Checks made payable to “St. Peter Conference/Society of Vincent de Paul” (with 2014 Walk on the Memo line) may be left in the Church Collection Boxes, the weekend collection basket, or brought or sent to the parish office. The Archdiocesan St. Vincent web site also offers online donation possibilities - www.svdpboston.com.

Thank you for whatever you can do!