

# ST. PETER'S PARISH

## THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### NOVEMBER 12, 2006

		<u>MASSES</u>				
MON	NOV 13	7:00pm	ALL SOULS			
TUE	NOV 14	8:00am	ALL SOULS			
WED	NOV 15	8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE			
THU	NOV 16	8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE			
FRI	NOV 17	9:00am	ALL SOULS			
SAT	NOV 18	8:00am	ALL SOULS			
		5:30pm	DAVID ARNOLD	*COLLECTION	\$15,000.00	\$14,229.50
SUN	NOV 19	7:00am	PARISHIONERS	*POOR BOX	\$ 702.00	\$ 288.50
		8:15am	CONRAD WEIGH	*BUILDING FUND MO. Total	\$ 4,009.00	230.00
		9:30am	SPIELMAN FAMILY LIVING & DECEASED	(Sappington Hall)		
		11:00am	JENNIFER HAKES			
		12:15am	INT OF JIM PUGH			
		5:45pm	CARRIE V LEE			

		<u>NOVEMBER 18 &amp; 19</u>			
		<u>MASS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVER</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER</u>
NOV 18	5:30pm		E & P GILL	LEVASSEUR & LARSEN	DEA MIKE/HOEHL/KENNEDY/C&J MILLER
NOV 19	7:00am		M & P RUBELING	LAWN & KUTLIK	J & K HAYES/ZARICH
	8:15am		M & P RATCHFORD	McDERMOTT & MILLER	BURR/GRABENSTEIN/M&P RATCHFORD WEAVER
	9:30am		GORDON & RILEY	GAUDLIP & THOMPSON	GRUODIS/KRUG/NAPLES/OHDE/PUGH
	11:00am		A & B RICE	SIMONS & WHITE	JONES/RUSSO/SCHABDACH/A & M WHITE
	12:15pm		GETSINGER & SCHRUMPF	PALMER & GETSINGER	J & V ABEL/SIMON
	5:45pm		YOUTH	YOUTH	YOUTH

#### CHURCH PROGRESS REPORT:

1. Hurray! We have obtained all the permits we need for building the church.
2. Pilings will be put in place the next two weeks.
3. Please stay behind fences for safety purposes if you go over to take a look at the progress.
4. The road to the cemetery will be closed to traffic during construction until further notice. You may of course walk to the cemetery.

**BALTIMORE BASILICA**, the first Cathedral in the Nation has been beautifully restored. It will be open for tours 9, 11 and 1pm, Monday thru Friday beginning Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>. If you are in Baltimore, it is well worth the time to stop in for a visit. The Basilica is located at the corner of Cathedral and Mulberry Streets.

**BLOODMOBILE – This Tuesday** 2-8pm at St. Peter's Parish Center, call Linda at 301-829-2888 or walk in.

**BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE:** During the month of November we will once more display the Book of Remembrance to remind all to pray for our deceased brothers and sisters.

#### THIS WEEK'S READINGS

1 KGS 17: 10-16; HEB 9: 24-28; MK 12: 38-44

#### NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

DN 12:1-3; HEB 10: 11-18; MK 13: 24-32

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED:** Lee Riggs, father of Larry Riggs; Margaret Presser, grandmother of Anita DiGregory

**THE LITURGY COMMITTEE** meets Monday, Nov. 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm in the Upper Room of the Parish Office Building.

**PASTORAL CARE** meeting will be Friday, Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> at 10am in the Library.

**THE RIGHT TO LIFE** meeting has been cancelled for Nov. 14<sup>th</sup>.

**"BREAKFAST WITH SANTA:** Mark your calendar for Saturday, Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9am–11am. Breakfast served from 9am-10am.

**IMMEDIATE OPENING for 9:30am Mass in the NURSERY.** Stand rule's require that two adults be present with the children at all times. There is also an opening for the 11:00am Mass in the Nursery starting in January. If you use the Nursery, or would just like to help out your parish, please call Laura at 301-898-5111 ext 13. Thank you in advance for your support.

**PARISH DIRECTORIES** will be distributed next weekend, Nov. 18 & 19, before and after all the Masses in the Fr. Gene Nickol room. Copies of the directory are available for everyone who had their portrait taken this summer. If you signed up to help with the directory distribution, you will need to be here 10 minutes before and after Mass. If you have any questions, please call Phil Burr 443-604-0508/Mary O'Connor 310-865-3029.

**PERPETUAL EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** Please come pray in the Lord's Eucharistic Presence. Daylight visiting hours 7am-7pm. **We have immediate openings for a 1am alternate Sunday into Monday morning;**

**4pm Tuesday.** Call Linda 301-829-2888 or Diane 301-898-0833 if you can take an hour.

**OUR ADORATION COMMUNION BREAKFAST** will be Sat., Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>, after the 8am Mass in the Parish Center. We will have sign-ups in the Chapel and anyone who is not involved in our Adoration effort and who would like to come may RSVP Linda at 301-829-2888 by Dec. 1<sup>st</sup>. Fr. John will be our celebrant and speaker.

**THE SUPREME COURT** is hearing arguments on the Partial Birth Ban. Let us pray that this Ban will be upheld.

**PRAY WITH THE HEART PRAYER GROUP** will meet this Wednesday, November 15<sup>th</sup>, 7:30pm for Adoration, Rosary and Prayer in the Adoration Chapel.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** Family Breakfast today at the Olive Leaf Café' in the Twin Arch Shopping Center in Mt. Airy, MD 9:45am, adults \$10 and children under 16 eat free. ...Officer meeting on Tuesday the 14<sup>th</sup>, 7:30pm, Thrift Shop Office. ...Thanks to all that made our efforts at the parish bazaar a great success. ...First degree at St. Ignatius parish center on Monday the 20<sup>th</sup>, 7pm for candidates. ...Second degree of St. Ignatius on Wednesday the 29<sup>th</sup>, 7:30pm for candidates. ...Fourth degree meeting at St. Michaels has been changed to November 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm. ...Please note that breakfast with Santa has been changed to Sat., Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup>. Make your New Year's Eve party celebration plans now. See the flyer in today's bulletin for information. The council has reserved two tables. ...Ladies, you can now be an official part of the Knights at St. Peter's by joining with other lady knights. Call Theresa DiSipio, president of our newly formed ladies auxiliary, 301-829-1893. ...For more council information visit us at [st.peterskofc.home.att.net/](http://st.peterskofc.home.att.net/)

**NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE:** St. Peter's and the Knights of Columbus will be co-sponsoring the New Year's Eve Dance, [here](#) at the Sullivan Room (Parish Center) on Sat., Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>, 8:30pm-1am. Champagne toast and balloon drop at midnight! Dance to the sounds of "Ted and Tom", featuring classic rock and country. Tickets are \$35 per person to include lite fare, beer, wine, soda and pastries, coffee and juice served at 12:30am. Tickets are on sale at the Parish Office. Buy your tickets early – first come, first serve. Make checks payable to Knights of Columbus - Council 13290.

**T.O.R.C.H.** (Traditions of Roman Catholic Homes) meet at St. Peter's, Sappington Hall, Tues, Nov. 14<sup>th</sup>, 7pm. Primarily focused on homeschool issues, TORCH discussions also encompass child rearing issues, catechesis of the young, family values, and related issues. Contact Barbara Countryman-Mochi @ 301-865-4885.

**ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER-** Just a reminder that Electronic Funds Transfer, or EFT, is a dependable and easy way to give your weekly donation to St. Peter's. You can set up for once a month giving on the 1<sup>st</sup> or 15<sup>th</sup> of each month, or you can choose bi-monthly giving on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> of the month. EFT allows St.

Peter's to be more accurate in budgeting monthly expenses. If you are interested in more information, please call Liz at 301-898-5111 x11.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK-** Theresa Pirrone, Robert Flaherty, Glen Morrison, Mary Hunt, Edward Gilvey, Robert Harington, Jason Bates, Joseph Pirrone, Marilyn Hall, Steve White, Orlando Rea, Harry Blanchard, Krystyna Cichocki, Danielle Poole, Paula Cooper, Sharon Gould, Anne Neher, Larry Mauceri, Fred Moxley, Richard Hanna, Tom Weedon, Louis Webb, Kenny Jordan, Kim Miller, Chris Roby, Denis Ellis, Danielle Kline, Donna Jacobs, Dolores Sperlein, Sandy O'Donnell, Anna Tomalis, Florence Bannister, Michael Seifert, Mary Souder, Charles Guarnieri, Justin Offutt, Craig Rice, Connor Rutledge, Jennifer Zeiner, Emily Candaffio, Karen & Jessica Connery, Patricia Huffer, Ben Lanman, John Reilly, Dan Hodges, Robert Young, Tom Caponiti, Kathryn Delaney, Eddie Vaughan, baby Mathis, William Schneehagen, Doris Savage, Marjorie Jones, Msgr. Art Valenzano, Fr. John Carter, Tom Arnold, Fr. Wayne Funk, Lee Fredge, Beverly Dean, Dorothy Hart, Lillian Garnett, Carla Carlson, Jones Family, Faith Frazier, Myrtle Carlin, Tina Hemmer, Jim Jennelle, Georg Scott, Fred Schaub, Theresa Johnston, Carolyn Kolega, Ruth Bellamy, Sylvia Prieto, Laurie Mullican, Susie Collins, Arlo Cummins, Thoreson Family, Rose France, Charlie Zampino, Kayla Zeillinger, Agostina Rossi, Steven Nagy, Andrew Shurney, Jim Pugh, Elizabeth Mason, Thelma Baltzell, Mike Drunet, Lydia Cook, David Foster, Norman Fraley, R. Humphrey Cissel

**PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH:** For continued mild weather so that the church construction may continue unimpeded.

**HAVE YOU EVER THOUGHT ABOUT BEING A DEACON IN THE CHURCH?** Even if it is a far off idea or something you may do 10 years from now, come now to discover how best to discern. The Division of Clergy Personnel is hosting 3 information sessions: St. John the Evangelist, Columbia, MD, Wed., Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>, 7-9pm; St. Mary the Assumption (Govans), Baltimore, MD, Sun., Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>, 2-4pm; St. Joseph Parish, Hagerstown, MD, Tues., Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> 7-9pm. RSVP Cindy Orr 410-547-5550.

**IN JULY PRESIDENT BUSH vetoed HR810** which passed both the House and Senate and would have allowed federal tax dollars to fund embryonic stem cell research. If you would like to thank the president for opposing our tax dollars in this research you may use the white House comment line at 202-456-1111 or 202 456-1414 or find info at [www.whitehouse.gov/ontact](http://www.whitehouse.gov/ontact).

**"GETTING READY FOR THE HOLIDAYS when you are Missing a Loved One"** sponsored by Single Again Ministry will be at St. Timothy's Catholic Church, Walkersville on Friday Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm. Pastoral counselor Debra Morlier will lead the presentation. Call 301-662-6121 for more information.

**CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR** Sat., Nov. 25<sup>th</sup>, 9am-3pm. In the social hall at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Thurmont, MD. For more info please call Betty 717-642-6375.

**LIGHTEN UP! Whole-Community Celebration with Doug Brummel**, Friday, Dec. 1, 6:47pm Sharp! Be There! St. Ann, Hagerstown. Think Red Skelton Show, Carol Burnett Show, Saturday Night Live (rated G) with a faith filled twist! Expect the unexpected. FREE! For more info call Karen Gullace 301-733-0410 ext, 21, email [kgulace@stannchurch.com](mailto:kgulace@stannchurch.com).

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS**  
**November 19, 2006**

**ADULT MINISTRY**

- **BAPTISM PREP CLASSES** - For parents meets December 13 from 7 – 9 PM in the Birch Library. You need only one godparent and this person must be Catholic; to have celebrated Confirmation; is at least 16 years of age, and is practicing the faith (attending mass each week and celebrating the sacraments).
- **NEW HORIZON'S UPCOMING EVENTS:**
  1. **Christmas Party, Dec. 13, at 11:30** a.m. in Sullivan Hall. Party is catered by *A Cut Above* caterers. Cost of Christmas dinner is \$17/person. **Reservations must be made by Dec. 4.** Call Margaret for this dinner reservation at 410-635-8301. Bring a generic, wrapped gift of \$10 or under for our gift exchange after dinner. Sing-A-Long and piano recital will follow the gift exchange.

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**

- **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**
  - **Sunday classes:** There is **NO** Sunday class on **November 26<sup>th</sup>**.
  - **Monday classes:** 11/20, 11/27.
- **CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:**

*Reminder – this is geared specifically for children ages 4 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade. As we would love to have the younger children for reasons of safety we ask that children under the age of 4 please remain with their parents or use the Sunday nursery. Thank You.*
- **HOME MODEL:** Don't forget to send in your Unit One Chapter Review & Organizer.

- **SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION:**
  - Reconciliation Family - Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup> from 9AM – 1PM.
  - Reconciliation Service – Tuesday, February 27<sup>th</sup> @ 7PM.
  - Eucharist Preparation – March 6, 13 or 20<sup>th</sup> – please call to register.

**STAND TRAINING**  
*Is required for all adults having substantial contact with children. If you have any questions regarding STAND contact Anne Mason @ 301-898-5111 ext. 17.*



**YOUTH MINISTRY**

- **ALL YOUTH MINISTRY MEETS TONIGHT!**
- **XLT:** Meets Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 8:30PM @ St Katherine Drexel.
- **CONFIRMATION:**
  - † **Letters have been sent** – money & information sheet were due by Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>. If you did not receive a letter, please contact Stacy in the REC @ 301-898-5111 ext. 18.
  - † **Confirmation Retreat:** February 16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup>

# Adventures in Acts beginning January 2007!!

Continue on the journey from the *Great Adventure Bible Study* with this 20-week study of *Acts of the Apostles* and the story of the earliest days of the Church. This study completes *The Great Adventure* foundation series by showing how Christ's work continues through you and me in the Church today. Here's where you "find yourself in the Story" that you learned in the Bible Timeline Study.

Although it will be helpful to have completed the *Great Adventure Bible Study*, it is not necessary to participate in this glorious study of the Church "back in the day."

You have two options for class times: Monday mornings or Wednesday evenings!! Classes begin the week of January 8, 2007. This study is just in time for your New Year's resolution to do something amazing for yourself. Here's what you can expect:

- ☞ an exceptional bible study that truly helps you to get to know the scriptures;
- ☞ excellent teaching each week by Jeff Cavin's, an engaging teacher extraordinaire;
- ☞ thought-provoking, weekly, at-home study;
- ☞ lively small group discussions that help you deepen your faith life
- ☞ meeting new people as you share faith and hospitality
- ☞ work...yes, you will be spending time at home studying and reflecting on each week's topic, but the fruits are well worth the effort!!

Class Times: All classes are held in Sullivan Hall (parish center)

Mondays, 9 – 11 a.m. - January 8 through June 4

Wednesdays, 7 – 9 p.m. - January 10 through June 4

All that you need to begin the Adventure in Acts is a bible and the Study Set binder (cost \$35). Please register using the form below:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Select Class Time: Monday a.m.  
Wednesday p.m.

**Make a \$35 per person check payable to: St. Peter's Church**

**Mail registrations to: Carolyn Nolan, P.O. Box 278, Libertytown, MD 21762**

**Questions: Call Carolyn at 301-898-5111 x 14 or E-mail at:**

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