

ST. PETER'S PARISH

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 13, 2007

		<u>MASSES</u>			
MON	MAY 14 7:00pm	MOTHER'S DAY SPIRITUAL BOUQUET			
TUE	MAY 15 8:00am	VIRGINIA SWEITZER			
WED	MAY 16 8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE			
THU	MAY 17 8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE			
FRI	MAY 18 9:00am	MOTHER'S DAY SPIRITUAL BOUQUET			
SAT	MAY 19 8:00am	BERTRAM KING			
	5:30pm	MOTHER'S DAY SPIRITUAL BOUQUET	*COLLECTION	\$15,000.00	\$14,190.28
SUN	MAY 20 7:00am	JANET MORRIS	*POOR BOX	\$ 702.00	\$ 561.40
	8:15am	JULIUS & JENNY RUBIS	*BUILDING FUND MO. Total	\$ 4,232.00	230.00
	9:30am	MOTHER'S DAY SPIRITUAL BOUQUET	(Sappington Hall)		
	11:00am	INT OF MARY ELLEN SIDDOWNAY			
	12:15pm	PARISHIONERS			

		<u>MAY 19 & 20</u>		
		<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER</u>	
MAY 19	<u>MASS</u> FIRST COMMUNION			
	10:30am	E & P GILL	WAGNER	JONES & SCHABDACH
	1:00pm	E & P GILL	GAUDLIP	J & E SADLER
MAY 19	5:30pm	SCHRUMPF & SHERRICK	NAU	DEACON MIKE/H & K FORD
MAY 20	7:00am	DECKERT & DIGREGORY	SMELLER & GRIBEN	J & K HAYES/VAUGHAN
	8:15am	BOLGER & REITZ	McDERMOTT & POSKA	BURR/GRABENSTEIN/POLLOCK
				POTOTSCHNIK/WEAVER
	9:30am	BISHOP & FEUZ	THOMPSON & CLEMONS	BISHOP/CONKO/GRANT/PUGH/SIMONS
	11:00am	GORDON & MERKEL	MOXLEY & BALLANTINE	JONES/RUSSO/SCHABDACH/A&M WHITE
	12:15pm	DENNING & GETSINGER	ROLFS & GETSINGER	MARLEY/J & E SADLER

NEXT WEEKENDS SECOND COLLECTION is for Catholic School Education.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

ACTS 15: 1-2, 22-29; RV 21: 10-23; JN 14: 23-29

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

ACTS 7: 55-60; RV 22: 12-20; JN 17:20-26

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED: Lillian Pasquarette, wife of Mike Pasquarette, Fr. John Delclos

THE LITURGY COMMITTEE meets Monday, May 14th at 7:30pm in the Parish Office Building.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE & Youth Catechists (6-12 grade) meet Tuesday, May 15th in the Parish Center rooms 3-5.

ST. PETER'S FAMILY FUN NIGHT Saturday, June 2nd at 7:00pm at the **J Bar W Ranch – pro bull riding event**, 10530 Green Valley Road in Johnsville. One dollar from each ticket sold that night will be donated to the Church Building Fund. Join us for an evening of fantastic family entertainment.

PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS: St. Peter's Parish Council Nominees for 2007 are: Ginny Abel, Bill Baer, Phil Burr, Eileen Division, Mike Horrigan, Bob Maloney, Stephen Nagy and Colleen Rourke. Please get to know our candidates before the election on May 19th & 20th. Enclosed in today's bulletin (yellow flyer) is a synopsis for their qualification and affiliation with St. Peter's.

VOLUNTEERS are needed to help with our Annual Yard Sale on Saturday, June 2nd. Help is needed prior to the

event on Tuesday, May 28th – Friday, June 1st, to sort and price donations. If you'd like to help, call Laura.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Saturday, June 2nd – Yard Sale 8am-2pm

Saturday, June 2nd – Eastern Shore Chicken Barbecue take-out dinner 11am-7pm

Saturday, August 25th – Annual Auction 9am til

YARD SALE & AUCTION: We are now accepting items for the June Yard Sale and August Auction. Please make sure your yard sale items are CLEAN, workable and saleable. Please do not use our parish for a trash can or county dump. Auction furniture items must be approved by staff. Please call Laura 301-898-111 x 13.

PERPETUAL EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Please come pray in the Lord's Eucharistic Presence. Visiting hours are 7am-9pm. **We have immediate openings for a 6pm Friday; 2pm third Saturday monthly; 5pm Sunday and midnight Monday into Tuesday.** Perhaps you could take one hour monthly or sub for an hour. Call Linda 301-829-2888 or Diane 301-898-0833 if you can take an hour.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS for the **Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, Corpus Christi Sunday, June 10th**. Procession of the Blessed Sacrament after 12:15pm Mass to conclude with Benediction under the Pavilion followed by a picnic. More details at a later date.

PRAY WITH THE HEART PRAYER GROUP will meet this Wednesday, May 16th at 7:30pm for Adoration, Rosary and Prayer in the Adoration Chapel.

THE RED CROSS BLOODMOBILE will be at St. Peter's Parish Center Tuesday, June 12th, 2-8pm. If you are 17 (16 with parent) 110lbs and in good health you may give this life saving gift. Call Linda for info or to schedule 301-829-2888.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Business meeting this Tuesday, Agenda includes the election of council officers for 2007-08, corporation officers, and our council budget. Plan on attending! Happy Mother's Day to all of our Mom's. ...First Communion Ushers Practice on Thursday the 17th, for Sir Knights and First Communion service on Saturday the 19th. ...First degree on Monday the 21st at St. Ignatius, 7pm for candidates. ...Fourth degree election next Thursday the 24th at St. Michaels, 7:30pm. Sir Knights are encouraged to attend and to vote for our two candidates for chair offices, Jim Conko for Pilot and Bob Droter for Faithful Navigator.For more council information visit us at st.peterskofc.home.att.net/

THE GARDEN WHEELBARROW was a great fundraising success for our Right to Life and Gabriel Projects – THANK YOU all for your generosity! Our grand winner was Kathleen Kicherer and we raised over \$700.00! Our special thanks to Tom and Cheryl Stanley for their generous contribution of the wheelbarrow.

DO YOU HOME-SCHOOL YOUR CHILDREN? Are you looking for a little bit of help or an opportunity to teach? Then plan to attend our informational meeting at St. Joseph's Church in Taneytown, MD on May 16th at 6:30pm. We (a group of local, Catholic home-schooling mom's) are getting together to present a Catholic hybrid coop for grades 7 through 12 that will meet two days a week. We have been planning the details for over a year and plan to be up and running for the September 2007 – June 2008 school year. We are currently seeking to fill grades and the following part-time teaching positions: Algebra, Spanish, French, Latin, Geometry and 7th grade history/literature. If you are interested in teaching home-schooled children in a classroom environment a few hours per week and/or you need a little bit of help with those middle and high school classes – please consider coming to the meeting. For more information contact Grace Huffer at 410-756-5655.

ABOUT OUR PRAYER LIST: Our prayer list will be updated regularly. If you wish to remove or add a name, please contact the office. To protect privacy, names will be included on our prayer list only if they are submitted by a relative or by the person requesting prayers

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK- Theresa Pirrone, Robert Flaherty, Glen Morrison, Mary Hunt, Jason Bates, Joseph Pirrone, Marilyn Hall, Steve White, Orlando Rea, Harry Blanchard, Krystyna Cichocki, Anne Neher, Larry Mauceri, Fred Moxley, Tom Weedon, Louis Webb, Kenny Jordan, Chris Roby, Denis Ellis, Dolores Sperlein, Sandy O'Donnell, Anna Tomalis, Justin Offutt, Connor Rutledge, Robert Young, Marjorie Jones, William Schreehagen, Msgr. Art Valenzano, Fr. John Carter, Tom Arnold, Fr. Wayne Funk, Lee Fredge, Dorothy Hart, Lillian Garnett, Carla Carlson, Jones Family, Faith Frazier, Myrtle Carlin, Tina Hemmer, Jim Jennelle, Georg Scott, Theresa Johnston, Carolyn Kolega, Ruth Bellamy, Arlo Cummins, Thoreson Family, Rose France, Kayla Zeillinger, Agostina Rossi, Steven Nagy, Jim Pugh, Elizabeth Mason, Mike Drunet, Lydia Cook, David Foster, Neil Petroski, Katherine Kent, Ruth Seilhamer, Rosita Berger, Kirsten Bowman, Joey Offutt, Mary Shaw, Pat Wallace, Ellen Michalski, Tom McKoy, Kathy King, Ann Fowler, Don Fowler, Jr., Bill Kiser, Rachel Dombroski,

Renee White, Katie Frey, Shannon Obermeyer, Rob Compton, Jaime Statler, Heidi Burt, Lindsay Wilson, Baerbel Cooper, Regina Galie, Lisa Baird, Richard Post, Margeaux Slack, Joani Gaiss, Julie Woods, Gemma Wease, Ted Beddow, Richard Lady, Nancy Habicht, Matt Cissel, Linda Seifert, Rita Boyd, William Klipper

PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH: For continued mild weather so that the church construction may continue unimpeded and for the safety of the construction workers as they prepare to erect the steel.

St. John's Catholic Prep Basket Bingo – Fri., June 8th, doors open 5:30pm, games begin 7pm, \$15 pre-sale, \$18 at the door. Tickets call Judy Ballenger 301-831-7265.

MOTHER SETON SCHOOL REGISTRATION, 100 Creamery Rd., Emmitsburg. Call 301-447-3161 for inquiries, tours and application materials. Or visit www.mothersetonschool.org.

ST. JOHN REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL- Openings are still available in K-8th grades, waiting list for Pre-K. More info call 301-695-9358, next testing date for grades 1-8 is May 22nd.

BRICK CAMPAIGN – Orders are being taken for inscribed bricks for the school's memorial brick garden. Bricks are \$500 and funds raised will help reduce the school's debt. For a brick order form, call the Development Office at 301-695-9358 or the school's website at www.sjracs.org.

BASKET BINGO – Friday, June 1st at 7:30pm at SJRCS McElroy Hall. Tickets are \$15 in advance, \$20 at the door.

5K RACE on May 26th register ASAP. Website www.sjracs.org or www.active.com or call Lisa Hickman 301-473-4535.

ST. KATHERINE DREXEL will host an Art Auction on Friday, May 18th, 7:30-10:00pm in McElroy Hall. Marlin Fine Art will provide over 150 pieces of art. There will be a silent auction, live auction and door prizes. Join fellow parishioners for wine, hors d'oeuvres and fellowship, for info contact 301-360-9581.

CATHOLIC FAMILY EXPO...June 28-July 1: The annual EXPO at the Baltimore Convention Center is an exciting event for ALL Catholics combining fun, fellowship, information and spiritual renewal, over 50 speakers and 100 exhibitors. Mass and keynote by Archbishop Donald Wuerl of Washington, DC. Thursday will be exclusive home schooling day, Friday evening Marriage Renewal Retreat, Mass and confessions everyday. Speakers include marriage therapists, relationship experts, business executives, life coaches, priests, educators, parents and many others. Visit www.catholicfamilyexpo.org.

COME AND SEE VOCATION: Hospitality weekend, June 22-24th at the Bon Secour Provincial House, Marriottsville, MD. During that weekend, women are invited to explore the possibility of religious life through spending time with the sisters and other interested women in group discussions, shared prayer and community. An optional tour is available Fri., June 22nd, 1-4pm (pre-registration is required), for more info call 1-877-742-0277.

SUFFERING FROM ABORTION – Experience the healing love of Jesus Christ on a Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat May 18-20 in Baltimore. The retreat will combine discussions, spiritual exercises, reconciliation, a Memorial Service and a Mass of Resurrection. Participation is strictly confidential and offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God's love, forgiveness and compassion. For more information or to register call Denise or Deacon Frank 1-800-286-4224. The cost is \$150.00 for meals, private room and all retreat materials. If you have a financial burden, assistance is available. Contact us for additional information

TRAVELING CATHOLICS: For nationwide Mass times go to www.masstimes.org or call 1-800-527-7846.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

May 13, 2007

ADULT MINISTRY

- **BAPTISM PREP CLASSES** - For parents meets June 13 or July 11 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).
- **BUS TRIP TO BASILICA in BALTIMORE** – Bus will be leaving St. Peter's parking lot May 15 at 9:15 am promptly. Please be here no later than 9:00 am. We will be returning by 4:30 pm.
- **SPOUSES OF CATHOLICS** – Are you a non-Catholic who married to a Catholic and have questions about the faith or our practices? Consider joining us for the RCIA Inquiry classes that will be held once a month beginning Tuesday, June 12 at 7 pm in the Birch Library. These sessions are a good opportunity for those who are considering joining the Catholic Church, but have questions that need answering. Call Carolyn at 301-898-5111 x 14 for more information.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION – Registration for 2007-2008 is forthcoming. Mark your calendar for the first day as Sunday, September 23rd & Monday, September 24th.**
- **FIRST COMMUNION INFORMATION:**
 - Practice dates & times:
 - First Communion, Saturday, May 19th @ 10:30AM – Practice will be held on **Friday**, May 18th @ 6:45PM.
 - First Communion, Saturday, May 19th @ 1:00PM – Practice will be held on **Friday**, May 18th @ 7:45PM.
- **VBS 2007 REGISTRATION IS HERE! – Avalance Ranch:**
 - Monday Evening, June 25th 6:30PM Kick-Off prayer service & potluck picnic
 - 9AM – 12Noon – Tuesday, June 26 – Friday, June 29
 - Help Wanted . . . PLEASE!
 - 4 Year old program
 - All **volunteers must** be STAND approved!

STAND TRAINING

Is required for any individual (age 18 or over) having substantial contact with children.

Next Session

Contact Anne Mason with any questions. 301-898-5111 ext. 17

YOUTH MINISTRY

- **REGISTRATION for 2007-2008 is forthcoming for grades 6-12.**
- **SPONSOR A YOUTH FOR STEUBENVILLE:** If you would like to support a teen who wants to go to this awesome Catholic Youth Conference, please send money into the office c/o Dawn Miller. The cost is \$100 per teen – any amount will help!
- **APPALACHIA:** Mark your calendar – July 15th – 20th. Cost is \$60 & is due by June 12th.
- **ADULT VOLUNTEERS FOR APPALACHIA:** Any adult planning to join us this summer for Appalachia, please come to a team meeting on Tuesday, May 15th @ 7PM in Birch Library.
- **APPALACHIA / STEUBENVILLE MEETING:** Tuesday, June 12th from 7-8PM in Sappington Hall.
- This meeting is for anyone going on either trip.
- **SPY BAND IS LOOKING FOR A KEYBOARDIST & BASSIST TO JOIN OUR GROUP.** Call Dawn for an audition @ 301-898-5111 ext. 15.
- **YOUTH MINISTRY PERMISSION SLIP:** Is now available on-line @ the St Peter's web-site www.stpeter-libertytown.org/youthministry.html download it & save it for all future events.

2007 Vacation Bible School

June 25 - June 29



Begins on Monday evening June 25th with a opening prayer service & picnic @ 6:30PM.

Time: 9:00AM - 12:00PM (Tuesday - Friday)

**Location: St. Peter the Apostle Church
Sullivan Hall**

Ages: 4 through 8th Grade

Cost: \$15 per child / \$30 per family of 3 or more

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- **Ages:** All children in the preschool section must be 4 years of age by June 1, 2007.
 - **Fee:** \$15 per child or \$30 per family of 3 or more. (Covers the cost of materials, snacks, program, building maintenance, etc.)
 - **Volunteers needed:** Adult & Teen volunteers are needed. Contact Anne Mason @ 301-898-5111 ext. 17. (*Special discount for volunteers. Fee: \$10 per child / \$20 per family.*)
 - **Registration:** Forms available in the office during business hours or register & provide banking information on-line at our secure web site www.stpeter-libertytown.org
 - **Closing Date:** Registration will close by June 1, 2007.

2007 Vacation Bible School

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Groups



AVALANCHE RANCH



REGISTRATION FORM

Family Name			
# Attending Potluck Supper			
Address			
City			
State/Zip			
Phone			
Child's Name	Age	Grade (Fall 2007) - Preschoolers must be 4 by June 1, 2007	Allergies / Special Needs
Emergency Contact		Emergency Contact's Phone #	
Yes I would like to volunteer to assist in VBS!		Phone # to contact you.	
Yes my teen would like to volunteer to assist in VBS!		Age of teen	
On-Line Registrations must be paid via EFT - please provide Bank Routing number, Account Number, name on account & amount authorized to transfer.			
Account Name	Routing Number	Account Number	Amount authorized.

By checking this box - I authorize St. Peter's to transfer the above amount from my bank account.

“REMEMBER THE DRIVE TO THE BEACH, AS YOU CROSS OVER THE BAY BRIDGE, AND THE SMELL OF THE ROADSIDE CHICKEN STANDS GRILLING CHICKEN WITH THAT SPECIAL “MOP”... YOU CAN RELIVE THAT EXPERIENCE RIGHT HERE IN LIBERTYTOWN.”

**EASTERN SHORE CHICKEN TAKE OUT DINNER
SATURDAY, JUNE 2ND 11:00 AM-7:00 PM**

SPONSORED BY THE ST. PETER’S LADIES CLUB

HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH OUR ANNUAL YARD SALE



MEAL INCLUDES:



¼ CHICKEN, BAKED BEANS, COLE SLAW, AND ROLL

WHITE MEAT DINNER (BREAST AND WING) - \$7.50

DARK MEAT DINNER (THIGH AND DRUMSTICK) -\$7.00

(BEVERAGES AND DESSERTS ALSO FOR PURCHASE)

**ALSO AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE DURING YARD SALE HOURS: DANISH,
SOUPS, HOT DOGS, BAKED GOODS, BEVERAGES**

**COME ENJOY THE YARD SALE AND STAY FOR LUNCH
PICNIC TABLES AVAILABLE FOR USE**

**TAKE HOME SOME CHICKEN DINNERS FOR AN AFTERNOON FAMILY
PICNIC...**

**PLAN TO ATTEND THE 5:30 PM MASS THAT SATURDAY AND THEN
ENJOY A CHICKEN DINNER ON THE PICNIC TABLES WITH YOUR
FELLOW PARISHIONERS**

**DRIVE BY AND PICK UP SATURDAY NIGHT DINNER FOR THE FAMILY
AFTER A HARD DAY OF YARD WORK OR AFTER THE SATURDAY
LEAGUE GAMES**

MOST IMPORTANTLY, SUPPORT YOUR PARISH FUNDRAISERS

ALL PROFITS ARE FOR THE BULIDING OF THE NEW CHURCH

Spring Cleaning??

Help Make St. Peter's Yard Sale a Success!

SATURDAY, JUNE 2nd 8 AM-2PM

Donate your unwanted treasures.



**Remember ... "One man's junk is another man's
treasure"**

(But Please, No Real JUNK)



Things to Donate

**Most anything including the kitchen sink.....
Household items, kitchen, bath and garage items IN GOOD
CONDITION. Moderately used house and lawn furniture. Moderately
used & working appliances, stereos, computer equipment (current
models), tools, construction materials, craft supplies, holiday
decorations, toys, games etc... No obsolete computers or exercise
machines please.**

**Items can be dropped off in the red shed by the Parish Office Building
anytime or arrangements can be made for pickup if really necessary.**

**Thinking of having a Yard Sale yourself? Consider renting booth space
at St. Peter's June 2nd Yard Sale for only \$15.00. Our Yard Sale is well
advertised and well attended.**

**A friendly reminder: This is a parish fundraiser with all proceeds going
the new church fund. If your items belong in the trash, please do not
donate them. It costs the parish time & money
to haul away unusable items All Donations are tax deductible.**

**Volunteer help is needed on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday,
May 30th, 31st, and June 1st to sort and price items. This is a
good volunteer opportunity for retirees and stay at home
parents. Help is also need the day of the sale. Call Laura to**

volunteer or to rent a space at 301-898-5111, ext.

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