

ST. PETER'S PARISH

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 2, 2007

		<u>MASSES</u>			
MON	SEPT 3	9:00am	INT OF KELLY CAPRENTER		
TUE	SEPT 4	8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE		
WED	SEPT 5	8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE		
THU	SEPT 6	8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE		
FRI	SEPT 7	9:00am	PRO-LIFE INTENTION		
SAT	SEPT 8	8:00am	BRUNO MARCHAND		
		5:30pm	SPECIAL INTENTION		
SUN	SEPT 9	7:00am	INT OF MYRTLE CARLIN		
		8:15am	ANNA MAE WATKINS		
		9:30am	FRANCIS DEITZENBACH		
		11:00am	PARISHIONERS		
				*COLLECTION	GOAL
				\$15,480.00	\$14,952.35
				*POOR BOX	\$ 673.00
				*BUILDING FUND MO. Total	\$ 6,326.00
				(Sappington Hall)	266.25
				*The Cardinal William Keeler Fund	\$2,299.05

NO 12:15pm MASS

		<u>MASS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVER</u>	SEPTEMBER 8 & 9	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER</u>
SEPT 8	5:30pm		E & P GILL		LAWRENCE	DEA MIKE/H & K FORD
SEPT 9	7:00am		M & T RUBELING		HAYES	MEUSE/VAUGHAN/ZARICK
	8:15am		RILEY & SHERRICK		McDERMOTT & POSKA	M & T TERRELL/D&S WILKS
	9:30am		A & B RICE		GAUDLIP & MYLES	BAER/GRUODIS/KRUG/OHDE/PUGH
	11:00am		DiGREGORY & FEUZ		LILLY & WAGNER	DEA MIKE/A&M DiGREGORY/DOUDS/GRIMES
						KENNEDY/J&C MILLER/J&E SADLER
						SCHABDACH

LABOR DAY is Monday September 2nd – Offices will be closed.

THRIFT SHOP- will be closed next Monday, Sept 3rd, for Labor Day.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

SIR 3: 17-29; HEB 12: 18-24a; LK 14: 1-14

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

WIS 9: 13-18b; PHLM: 9-17/LK 14: 25-33

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED: Angeline Gualtieri aunt of Maria Feuz

MARK YOUR CALENDARS to attend St. Peter's Annual Outdoor Mass and Parish Picnic on Sunday, September 9th at 11am. **(NO 12:15PM MASS THAT DAY).** See bulletin insert for additional information.

JOIN FELLOW PARISHIONERS AND MSGR. JOHN on an adventure filled tour of Eastern Europe; Budapest, Prague, Poland and Slovakia, September 15th-26th, 2008. Price of the trip is \$2,949, not to include taxes and tips. See upcoming bulletins for more information or call Laura to inquire.

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE AND 3 DAY TOUR IN IRELAND INCLUDING OUR LADY OF KNOCK SHRINE – June 18th-June 29th, 2008 – cost is \$2,365, air fare, accommodations, breakfast, dinner and guide included. Call Priscilla if interested, 301-898-5111 x13.

TEEN MUSIC GROUP: The Teen Music Group will be starting up again this fall. Our first rehearsal will be Fri., Sept. 21st from 4:30pm - 6:00pm in the Parish Center. PLEASE contact Sherri at joeandsherri@comcast.net or 410-635-2496 if you are a teen who would like to participate in this group. We play once a month at the 12:15 mass. I need singers and musicians. If you were

part of the group last year and want to be again, I still need you to contact me so that I can be sure we have enough participants. Looking forward to a great year in music!

ATTENTION ADULT CHOIR MEMBERS and those who would like to join the choir: Our first mass back as a group will be the outdoor mass on Sept. 9th at 11:00am. If you plan to sing/play for that event, please come to the rehearsal on Thurs., 9/6 in the Parish Center at 7:15pm. If you don't want to join the choir as a permanent member but would like to sing with the group for the outdoor mass, please come to the rehearsal – we'd love to have you. To become a member of the adult choir, please call Sherri in the office or email her at joeandsherri@comcast.net for details. We are in need of singers and musicians and now is the best time to join! "Sing praise, play music; proclaim all his wondrous deeds!" (Psalms 105:2)

PERPETUAL EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Please come pray in the Lord's Eucharistic Presence. Visiting hours are 7am-9pm. **We have openings for a 10am Tuesday; 6pm alternate Fridays; 4am (part time) Saturday and 12 noon Saturday or if you want to be a substitute.** Please consider a weekly or monthly hour. **We really need some generous people to consider taking one of these offered times of prayer. Thank You!** For more info contact Linda 301-829-2888 or Diane 301-898-0833.

CATHOLIC BISHOPS Urge Amnesty International to Restore Its Neutral Position on Abortion: Cardinal Renato Martino, president of the Pontifical Council for Justice & Peace, who recently said that "If in fact Amnesty International persists in this course of action,

individuals and Catholic organizations must withdraw their support, because in deciding to promote abortion rights, Amnesty International has betrayed its mission."

ST. PETER'S PRO-LIFE EVENT: Mark your calendars for Friday morning, Sept. 14th, 10am in the Parish Center. Renown pro-lifer and man of vision, Randall Terry will be here to inspire us with an important Pro-life message. Please come and enjoy this talk by a great man of faith. Fellowship and light refreshment to follow. (The 9am Mass and Holy Hour will proceed this event.)

PREGNANT? Don't know where to turn. Birthright of Frederick can help you find the help you need, call 301-663-0111.

RIGHT TO LIFE – Looking for someone to organize October's Life Chain. If interested call Angie Martin at 301-898-0871. Thank You!

PRAY WITH THE HEART PRAYER GROUP will meet this Wednesday, September 5th at 7:30pm for Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary and Prayer in the Adoration Chapel.

ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER: Just a reminder that Electronic Funds Transfer, or EFT, is a dependable and easy way to give your weekly donations to St. Peter's. You can set up for once a month giving on the 1st or 15th of each month, or you can choose bi-monthly giving on the 1st and 15th 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 ext. 11.

THANK YOU: The **Food Pantry** would like to thank all the parishioners of St. Peter's for all your generous donations of foods. At this time our pantry is well stocked.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Council social meeting on Tuesday at 7:30pm, Sappington Hall. ...Fourth Degree Officer Installation to be held at St. Peter's after the 5:30pm Mass on Saturday, Sept. 8th, dinner social to follow in Sappington Hall. All are welcome to attend. Come and support council members Jim Conko, Pilot and Bob Droter, Faithful Navigator. ...Our council is sponsoring the youth activities at the parish picnic next Sunday the 9th. Men are needed to supervise activity areas for an hour during the picnic. Bring your family and join in on the fellowship of family enjoyment. Help is also needed for the snow cone booth and funnel cake stand. RSVP to chairman Bob Droter. ...Council Calendars and State Charity Car Raffle tickets should have arrived at your home this past week. Please consider participating in this most worthy fund raiser. ...Candidates, our next induction ceremony, First Degree is on Monday evening the 17th at St. Ignatius parish center on MD Rte. 80. Candidates are to arrive at 7pm. Current candidates will be contacted by a member of our membership committee. ...Thanks to all that made our participation in the parish auction a success. ...The first draw of our SIX DRAW BUILDING FUND RAFFLE will take place on Sunday the 9th. ...For more information about becoming a member and council information visit us at ...Visit our website at st.peterskofc.home.att.net/ Bulletin Editor, Bob Droter, PKG 301-865-4565.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK- Theresa Pirrone, Robert Flaherty, Glen Morrison, Mary Hunt, Jason Bates, Joseph Pirrone, Marilyn Hall, Steve White, Harry Blanchard, Larry Mauceri, Tom Weedon, Chris Roby, Denis Ellis, Sandy O'Donnell, Anna Tomalis, Justin Offutt, Connor Rutledge, Robert Young, Marjorie Jones, Msgr. Art Valenzano, Fr. John Carter, Tom Arnold, Fr. Wayne Funk, Dorothy Hart, Lillian Garnett, Carla Carlson, Faith Frazier, Myrtle Carlin, Jim Jennelle, Georg Scott, Theresa Johnston, Ruth Bellamy, Arlo Cummins, Rose France, Kayla Zeillinger, Steven Nagy, Elizabeth Mason, Mike Drunet, Lydia Cook, David Foster, Neil Petroski, Ruth Seilhamer, Rosita Berger, Kirsten Bowman, Joey Offutt, Mary Shaw, 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, Joani Gaiss, Julie Woods, Gemma Wease, Nancy Habicht, Linda Seifert, Rita Boyd, William Klipper, Gini Madine, Scott Zerr; Colleen Dean, Andrew Illig, Bill Oliver, Dick Puerzer, Cameron Perrus, Pat Harlow, Christina DiGregory; Kelly Carpenter; Charlotte Ratcliffe; Lisa Mintmier; Maureen Sevec, Nelson McClure, Rosalie DeCesare; Charles Crotty, Leah Smarsh, Rich Pargo, William Spittel

PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH: For the safety of the construction workers working on the church.

ST. JOHN REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL has an opening for a **full-time maintenance assistant**. Hours are 3:00 to 11pm, Monday thru Friday. Duties include minor maintenance, security, and event set-up tasks. Experience in building maintenance is preferred. Fax resume to Karen Smith or Jim Ulmer at 301-695-7505.

RENEWING LOVE: A 10 week nondenominational bible based seminar for all women who wish to grow in God's Love and enhance their spiritual, personal and family lives. Topics include Beginning Creative Change, Clearing Offenses, The Art of Conversing and more. Morning Class: St. Timothy RCC, 8651 Briggs Ford Rd., Walkersville, Tuesdays, Sept. 4-Nov. 6, 9:30-11:30am, baby sitting available. Evening Class: Dearbought Community Club House, 100 Eli Ct., Frederick, Thursdays, Sept. 13-Nov. 15, 7:00-9:00pm. To register and for more information call: Carol Loss, 301-676-6988.

CATHOLIC READING & NEWS ON THE WEB: Want to know more about the Faith in a hurry!? There are two invaluable resources at your disposal! www.catholicculture.org, for any degree of curiosity about the Faith; and www.cwnews.com (Catholic World News), for news about the church in the world.

ADOPTION FAIR at Our Lady of the Chesapeake in Pasadena, MD for families on Sept. 9th, 1-4pm. For women in crisis, couples desiring to parent, children in need of homes, adoption can be God's grace and mercy to them in their time of need. The fair is sponsored jointly by the Respect Life Ministry, the Elizabeth Ministry and the Wellness Ministry of the parish. There will be many representatives from the community including Catholic Charities and other domestic and international adoption agencies. For more information visit the parish web site at www.olchesapeake.org

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, Bishop McNamara Council #1622, will sponsor an Open Golf Outing Monday, Oct. 22nd to Benefit Frederick County Catholic Education. All proceeds will be distributed directly to our Frederick County Catholic Schools.

ATTENTION CATHOLIC BOY SCOUTS & LEADERS – Campout for Catholic Scouts at Camp Sinoquipe Oct. 5th-7th, 2007, food provided. The Campout meets the **Ad Altare Dei** retreat requirement and Scouts can earn additional patches. For more information access website at www.mason-dixon-bsa.org. To RSVP please call Rob Storer 301-797-3023 or email stor@seniorglobe.org.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

September 2, 2007

ADULT MINISTRY

- **BAPTISM PREP CLASSES** - For parents meets September 12 or October 10 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).
- **THINKING ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC?** Our weekly instructional classes have begun and are on Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. If you are interested in attending the classes, please call Carolyn at 301-898-5111 x 14 to register.
- **REVELATION BIBLE STUDY** – You may obtain your study guides in the Fr. Gene Room after all the masses this weekend. Classes begin this week: Tuesday, Sept. 5 at 9 a.m. and Wednesday, Sept. 6 at 7 p.m. All classes are held in Sullivan Hall.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS –**
 - **Registration Information:**
 1. Link for the on-line registration is <http://www.stpeter-libertytown.org/index.htm> Please make sure to include payment with your on-line registration via EFT or by mailing check.
 2. Address for mailing registration is St. Peter's, attn: Stacy Johnston, PO Box 278, Libertytown, MD. 21762
 - **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DATES:**
 - † **Opening Session:**
 - September 23rd (Pre-School – Grade 2)
 - September 24th (Grades 3-5)
 - † **Home Program:**
 - Parent Meeting on Tuesday, September 18 @ 7PM in Sullivan Hall.
 - † **Sacramental Preparation:**
 - If your child is preparing for Reconciliation & Eucharist in 2008 . . . join us for the 1st of several required parent sessions on Tuesday, September 25th @ 7PM in Sullivan Hall.

- **Catechist News:**
 - † **September 10 @ 7PM:** New Catechist Orientation
 - † **September 16 @ 9:30AM Mass – Catechetical Sunday:** All catechists and families are invited to celebrate the “new” year with Mass and a reception.
 - † **September 17 @ 7PM** – “All” catechist staff meeting to begin our year.
- **Help Wanted:**
 - † **Hospitality:** We need help with the catechist reception – join us as we say “thank you” to our volunteers. Call Anne for details.
 - † **First Grade:** We need an adult willing to teach Grade 1 @ 11AM. You will be trained & nurtured throughout the year!
- **Choristers:** The St Peter's Children's Choir is soon forming. Please pick up a flyer from the foyer & return to Judy Smarsh, Music Ministry office @ St Peter's. Membership is open to boys and girls who are in grades 3 -8. We meet on Monday's from 5:15 – 6:30 PM in the Parish Center. Call Judy with any questions @ 301-845-2698.

STAND TRAINING

Anne Mason - Coordinator
Is required for any individual (age 18 or over) having substantial contact with children. Contact your coordinator for training details.

YOUTH MINISTRY

- **REGISTRATION for 2007-2008 is here for grades 6-12. See registration information under Children's Ministry. AP JR SPY & AP SPY alternative is available again this year.**
 - † First night of Youth Ministry @ St Peter's is September 16th.
- **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** For all levels of Youth Ministry. All youth ministry volunteers, 18 years or older must be STAND certified before they can begin helping. Please call Harry for more information. .
- **Catechetical Sunday:** September 16 – All Youth Ministers, catechists & assistants and their families join us @ 9:30 Mass for commissioning and a breakfast reception to follow.
- **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.

St Peter Parish
Religious Education Registration
Mail completed registration to:

St. Peter's Attn: Stacy Johnston - PO Box 278, Libertytown, MD 21762 (301) 898-5111

Date: _____

Family: _____

Home Phone: _____

Address: _____ Mom/Dad Work: M _____ D _____

Emerg. Phone: _____

Email: _____

Custodial Parent, if different from above: _____ School: _____

Rel Ed mailing to additional address? If so, state: _____

Both Parents Catholic? Y N

NOTE: Must be 4 by 9/1/07 to be eligible for PreSchool

Child	Birthdate	Sex	Grade	Session	Sacr. Program?
Sacrament Recvd and Date: Baptism <i>Catholic?</i> Eucharist Penance Confirmation					
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Special Needs: medical, learning disabilities, physical disabilities:

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NOTE: If any of your children were baptized outside of this parish, and you have not already supplied us with a copy of each child's baptismal record, you will need to supply a copy for our files.

Tuition due: \$ _____ Tuition Pd: \$ _____ Signature: _____