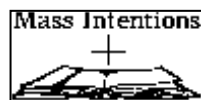






Recognizable Offering..... \$11,524.00
Loose Cash \$528.00
Total Weekly Offering..... \$12,052.00
Mass Attendance June 3/4 382



June 12 - June 18
Monday Msgr. Richard Lynch(+)
Wednesday Rick & Maria Beard(liv)
Thursday Owen & Vera Demoruelle(+)
Friday Bernadette Morrison(liv)
Saturday Ann Crouch(liv)
Sunday Ruth & Leo Bell(+)(8:00 a.m.)
..... **St. Peter Parishioners(10:30 a.m.)**

 **In Loving Memory** and lasting peace for all who have died, especially our parishioner **Catherine Gallagher**. Pray for the consolation of her family as they mourn the loss of their loved one.

 **Knights of Columbus Baby Bottle Drive**
The Knights will be collecting the filled baby bottles next weekend (Father's Day weekend). The Knights Annual Baby Bottle Drive benefits local right to life programs. Your support in continuing to make this a successful drive is greatly appreciated.


Saint Mary School is taking applications for a K-5 Music Teacher. Please call 243-8913 for more information. 

A GREAT BIG THANK YOU to all our VBS volunteers. You created a Mighty Fortress indeed and the children had a Mighty, Victorious, Fearless, Faithful & Powerful time! St Peter Parish is truly blessed to have such wonderful, creative people and terrific teens!



Weekly Calendar of Events

- 6/11 Most Holy Trinity Sunday
- 6/12 Rosary after morning Mass
- 6/13 Bunco - 9:30 a.m.
- 6/14 Legion of Mary - 8:30 a.m.
- 6/15 Rosary after morning Mass
- 6/18 Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Sunday
Father's Day

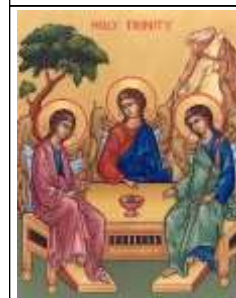
 **Young Adult Potluck & Game Night**
Tuesday, June 20th 6-8 p.m.
The Young Adult Ministries of St Mary and St. Peter parishes will be teaming up for a night of games, food and fellowship. Bring your favorite dish and board game to St. Peter Parish Center. Got Kids? No problem! Call/text Susie at (850)362-8066 soon to reserve your spot for childcare.



SAINT MARY SCHOOL OPEN REGISTRATION
Open Registration continues at St. Mary School. Contact them for scholarship and tuition assistance information at 850-243-8913, or stop by the school office from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m, Monday - Friday. Let them help you make a Catholic Education a reality for your child. Saint Mary Catholic School is a provider for Voluntary Prekindergarten. **Florida's Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program**, or VPK, is a free educational program that prepares 4-year olds for kindergarten and beyond. For more information contact the school at 243-8913. First day of school for 2017-18 school year will be August 8th.



Weekend of June 17/18
5:00 p.m.
Altar Servers: Paul Gagnon III
Extraordinary Ministers: Carrie Gagnon, Joanna Farnum, Patty Shawbitz, Louise Perreault, Al Perreault
Lectors: Paul Gagnon II, Eric Van Dorn
Ushers: Mickey Shawbitz, George Rushlau, Cora Podrang
Greeter: Pat Gossage
Sacristan: Stan Griggs
Elijah Cup: Gloria Mulligan
8:00 a.m.
Altar Servers: Alina Schorzman, _____
Extraordinary Ministers: _____, Maria Bridges, Joe Davison, Paul Johansen, Kathy Stockbridge
Lectors: Isabella Dornitz, Patti Dornitz
Ushers: Eden Carter, Cathy McKnight, _____
Greeter: Joni Flanagan
Sacristan: Jean Jordan
Elijah Cup: Gary and Jean Jordan
Coffee & Donuts: Stacie Schorzman
10:30 a.m.
Altar Servers: Killian Casey, Gannon Casey, Kadi Casey
Extraordinary Ministers: Luisa Martinez, Therese Sweeney, Jean Schlitt, Ray Schlitt, Tom Lehmann
Lectors: Terri Turnbull, Ana Livoti
Ushers: Mike Sweeney, Jim Wise, Brian Prescott
Greeter: John Fails
Sacristan: Bill Roth
Elijah Cup: Ron and Donna Fetter
Coffee & Donuts: Tom Blossman



In the Gospel of Matthew 28:19 we hear Jesus instruct his Apostles, "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." This is, of course, one of many references in Holy Scripture to the Holy Trinity which we celebrate on this Solemnity today. When we receive the Eucharist at Mass, we are receiving more than the body, blood, soul, and divinity of Jesus Christ; we are also receiving the Father and the Holy Spirit because they are all One. This concept of Three Persons in one God is surely a mystery beyond our comprehension. We take this belief on faith as part of our Catholic beliefs because our human brains can never fully understand it.

We received the Holy Spirit when we were confirmed, but we also received the Father and the Son. When we look at the Tabernacle which is in every Catholic Church throughout the world, we know that Christ is present, but the Father and the Holy Spirit are as well. They all dwell in heaven which means that our Tabernacle might be called a "gateway to heaven."
Do we think of all this when we come into the church, when we attend Mass? We should. The Holy Trinity is present there every hour of every day and every day of every month and every year. That is one of the reasons we need to attend Mass — to understand and celebrate the Holy Trinity.

Saint Peter Parish Prayer Chain: For prayer needs, contact Susi Evers at 664-9165 or email her at saintpeterparishprayerchain@gmail.com

Hospitalized Parishioners: If you or a family member are hospitalized, please call the Parish Office, otherwise we have no way of knowing who in our parish is there.

In Your Daily Prayers, Please Remember our parishioners who are deployed and:

Monday Johanna Adam*, Charles Cummings*, Steve Lange, Al Landry

Tuesday Lynn Graham*, Tori Roth, Mary Eichler, Hiram Alaniz, Danny Labatte

Wednesday Gordon Pritchard*, Ken and Bette Dellner*, Caroline Frederick, Barbara Kirschten*

Thursday Gene and Pam Bauchwitz*, Robert Welniak, Connie Jordan, Lucille Kesler, Clare Van Zelfden

Friday Lloyd Biehl*, Doug Babiak*, Sharon Lewis, Shannon Anderson, Steven Jordan

Saturday Peter Adam*, Mary Anyel*, Dan Brenton*, Rick Zern*, Harper Spear

Sunday Ann Hart, Kimberly Arnold and unborn twins, Samara Gillespie

*Indicates our parishioners.
Please call the church office if you or a family member can be removed from this prayer list.

June 11, 2017
Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity
Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9
2 Cor 13:11-13
Jn 3:16-18

Salvation's Cost

In the painting *The Trinity With the Dead Christ*, we see a meditation on the Trinity in a hidden moment. Rather than paint the moment when Mary takes her Son into her arms, Ludovico Carracci painted the moment when the heavenly Father receives the spoils of his Son's battle for the salvation of humanity.

The dark colors communicate the pathos and drama. The Father's head turns away in grief even as he offers the Son. He reverently holds him yet almost fears to touch his pierced hands. See how much love God shows in allowing the Son to go to the cross, in sacrificing one beloved child to gain life for all his others.

Theology struggles to balance the truth of a loving, caring God the Father with the appreciation that he is unable to suffer as we do. Yet Carracci focuses on that popular intuition that the Father and the Spirit suffered the death of the Son. In this painting, we can reflect on what our salvation cost the Trinity and how much love they show in sending the Son to die. God suffers when you suffer and wishes to console and protect you, even if, as a good Father, he doesn't remove the suffering.

Faith teaches us that God willed his only begotten Son to suffer and die to save humanity. This divine decision manifests justice and mercy. It shows not only that God actually required satisfaction for our sins but also that no one but a God-man could offer a suitable sacrifice. Because he was God, Christ could offer an



Piece: *The Trinity With the Dead Christ*, circa 1590
Artist: Ludovico Carracci
Location: Pinacoteca, Vatican Museums

infinite satisfaction for our infinite offenses. Because he was man, he could offer a man's satisfaction for humanity's sin.

—Fr. Mark Haydu, LC

For Reflection

Which person of the Trinity do I most easily relate to—the Father, Son, or Holy Spirit?

"God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life" (John 3:16).

Calendar

Monday

June 12
Weekday
2 Cor 1:1-7
Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday

June 13
*St. Anthony of Padua,
Priest and Doctor
of the Church*
2 Cor 1:18-22
Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday

June 14
Weekday
2 Cor 3:4-11
Mt 5:17-19

Thursday

June 15
Weekday
2 Cor 3:15-4:1, 5-6
Mt 5:20-26

Friday

June 16
Weekday
2 Cor 4:7-15
Mt 5:27-32

Saturday

June 17
Weekday
2 Cor 5:14-21
Mt 5:33-37

Sunday

June 18
*The Most Holy
Body and Blood
of Christ*
Dt 8:2-5, 14b-16a
1 Cor 10:16-17
Jn 6:51-58

Dear Padre,

What is the proper way to recite the Our Father at Mass? Should we hold hands, lift our hands up, or pray to ourselves?

Among many ancient religions, it was common to extend one's hands toward heaven while praying. This practice has continued in the Mass, where the rubrics indicate that the priest should extend his hands at certain points, including during the Our Father.

The celebrant represents all the people with this gesture. When there are concelebrating priests, the rubrics ask them to also extend their hands in prayer during the Our Father. But the invitation to hold one's hands up in prayer stops there. The deacon is expressly forbidden to hold his hands up

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in prayer. There is no particular gesture assigned to the rest of the congregation.

Some may be holding hands, some lifting their hands, some standing with arms crossed. The variety of postures is not a problem in itself. When people become distracted or judgmental of others because of the various postures, it becomes

a problem. Our focus should be on the prayer, not on how my neighbor is standing.

As a rule of thumb, I suggest doing what the rest of the congregation does. As stated in the "Order of the Mass" written by the Bishops' Committee on the Liturgy in 2003: "The people are called as members of an organic whole, not as disparate individuals. A Christian assembly that worships 'with one heart and soul' (Acts 4:32) naturally moves toward and consciously chooses a common posture as a sign of its unity. Such common posture 'both expresses and fosters the intention and spiritual attitude of the participants'" (28). The gestures at Mass are not as important as the essence of the Mass, and part of that essence is our unity in the body of Christ. That should be our main concern.

Rev. Gary Lauenstein, CSSR
Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org

A Word From Pope Francis

"The Father creates all, he creates the world; Jesus saves us; and the Holy Spirit? He loves us! And this is Christian life: talking to the Father, talking to the Son, and talking to the Holy Spirit."

—Homily, the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, May 26, 2013

