

“My heart's desire and prayer to God for them is that they may be saved.” Romans 10:1

Dear Friends,

Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen used to say often, “As goes the family, so goes society.” We do not need much explanation to see the truth of his words today. Because the Sacrament of Marriage is under so great an attack and married couples are greatly struggling, the moral fabric of society seems to be melting away before our very eyes. The fruit of this is seen in the great evils that are happening to the human person every day. We must return and hold fast to the Truth that Christ Jesus has revealed and that is safeguarded by His Church! This includes the Truth about the family, marriage, and human sexuality.

The annual Natural Family Planning Awareness Week begins today. This national educational campaign is sponsored by the United States Bishops and is observed from July 25 – 31, 2010. This year's theme is: *Trust: God has a plan for your marriage*. Everyone should know about Natural Family Planning methods and the teachings of the Church, which support their use in marriage. The dates of Natural Family Planning Awareness Week highlight the anniversary of Pope Paul VI's encyclical *Humanae Vitae* (July 25) which articulates the Catholic Church's teaching about human sexuality, conjugal love and responsible parenthood. The dates also mark the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne (July 26), the parents of the Blessed Mother. For further information, you can go to: [www.usccb.org/prolife/issues/nfp/nfpweek/index.shtml](http://www.usccb.org/prolife/issues/nfp/nfpweek/index.shtml). As one family I know testifies, ““We don't just like natural family planning, we love it. It isn't just achieving or avoiding pregnancy. It is really the way we live our life.” Let us open our minds and hearts to the gift of LIFE!

### For the Love of St. Peter School!

The latin phrase *Deus Providebit* aptly expresses the Church's perennial faith: God will provide. He always does! And the Lord has done so once again for St. Peter School. I am happy to announce what many parents have been waiting to hear: we have teachers! The new teachers hired to teach at St. Peter School for the coming year are:

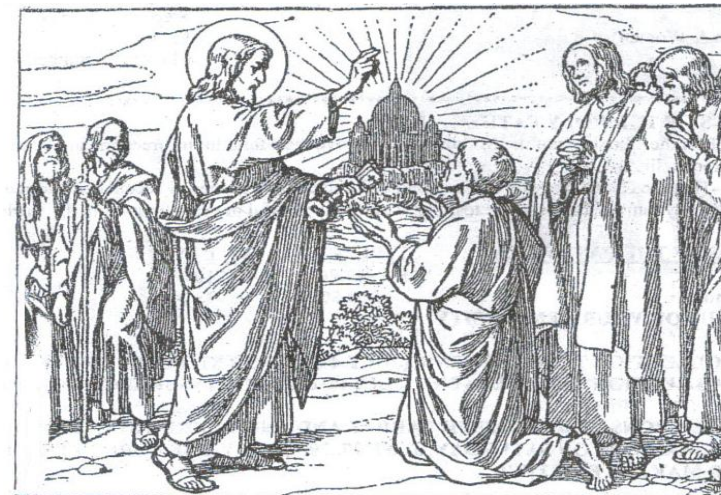
Pre-K	Ms. Lisa Guidry
Kindergarten	Ms. Allison Gaspard
First	Mrs. Jessi Broussard
Third	Mrs. Mary Ann Simon
Fourth	Ms. Crystal Patin
Seventh	Mr. Jason Seaux

Let us pray that the Lord will also provide for another great need we have: enrollment! I again encourage all parents in our parish to send their children to our school if they are able. Do not be afraid to contact me with your questions or concerns!

In His service,  
Fr. Vidrine

# St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

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“And so I say to you, you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church.” (Mt. 16:18)

<b>Staff</b>	Rev. Fr. Jason Vidrine, Pastor/Principal Leon Lejeune, Deacon Effie Broussard, Secretary Anna Mae Plaisance, Bookkeeper Christine Campbell, DRE Sheldon “Pic” Broussard, Custodian	<b>Confessions</b> Saturdays 3.00 - 3.45 pm & 30 min before all other Masses or by appointmer
<b>Office Hours</b>	9am - 4pm Mon - Thurs 9am - 12 noon Fridays	<b>Baptism</b> Arrangements made by the parents with Pastor. Godparents <u>must</u> be Confirmed and practicing Catholics.
<b>Holy Mass</b>	Monday No Mass Tuesday 5.15pm Wednesday 9.00am ( <i>Guest Home</i> ) Thursday 5.15pm Friday 8.15am Saturday 4.00pm ( <i>Anticipated</i> ) Sunday 7.00am 8.30am ( <i>St. David</i> ) 10.30am	<b>Marriage</b> Arrangements made by the couple with Pastor 6 months <u>before</u> desired dat
		<b>Anointing</b> Emergency calls answered immediately; call office for Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick at home or in hospital.

## HOLY MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

**Mon. 7/26 (NO MASS)****(St. Joachim & St. Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary)****Tues. 7/27 5:15 p.m. (ST. PETER CHURCH)****\*Preceded by Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help\***

Rachel Abshire (annv), Annie G. Rabalais (B'day), Dwayne Zaunbrecher (B'day 7/26), Billy Zaunbrecher, Proford Petry, Dec/Willie Petry f'ly, Dec/Joseph Zaunbrecher f'ly, Dec/L.C.Melancon f'ly, The Holy Souls, J.C. Broussard, Erin Krielow Lahr, Ezell & Michael Thibodeaux, Floyd, Eza & Anthony Touchet, Stanley Broussard, Whitney & Helen Thibodeaux

**Living:** Michael & April P. Defelice (w. annv), Willie Petry f'ly, Joseph Zaunbrecher f'ly, L.C.Melancon f'ly, Conversion/Sinners, Special Intention, Special Intention (S.T.), In Thanksgiving (S.T.)

**Wed. 7/28 – 9:00 a.m. (GUEYDAN GUEST HOME)**

Billy Zaunbrecher, Proford Petry, Dec/Willie Petry f'ly, Dec/Joseph Zaunbrecher f'ly, Dec/L.C. Melancon f'ly, The Holy Souls, Dwayne Zaunbrecher, Wilbur & Lucille Guidry, Paul O, Jr, Eula, Ronald & Sherman Trahan, Floyd, Eza & Anthony Touchet, Stanley Broussard, Whitney & Helen Thibodeaux

**Living:** La Grande Derangement/1775 Acadia Victims, Cheryl S. Duhon, Willie Petry f'ly, Joseph Zaunbrecher f'ly, L.C.Melancon f'ly, Conversion/Sinners, Special Intention,

**Thurs. 7/29- 5:15 p.m. (ST. PETER CHURCH)****(St. Martha)**

Ronda Lemaire (annv), Harriet Lemaire, Floyd, Eza & Anthony Touchet, Stanley Broussard, Whitney & Helen Thibodeaux

**Living:** Eulan & Ruby Richard (w. annv-60 yrs), Special Intention (S.T.), In Thanksgiving (S.T.)

**Fri. 7/30- 8:15 a.m. (ST. PETER CHURCH)****(St. Peter Chrysologus)**

Oneita Marceaux (annv), Billy Zaunbrecher, Proford Petry, Dec/Willie Petry f'ly, Dec/Joseph Zaunbrecher f'ly, Dec/L.C. Melancon f'ly, The Holy Souls, Kathy H. Mouton, Leroy Henry, Melissa LeJeune, Guy Ledoux & Dec. f'ly, Floyd, Eza & Anthony Touchet, Stanley Broussard, Whitney & Helen Thibodeaux

**Living:** Willie Petry f'ly, Joseph Zaunbrecher f'ly, L.C. Melancon f'ly, Conversion/Sinners, Special Intention

**Sat. 7/31- 4:00 p.m. (ST. PETER CHURCH)****(Anticipated – Eighteenth Sunday of the Year)**

Anthony Touchet (annv 8/1), Floyd & Eza Touchet, Stanley Broussard, Whitney & Helen Thibodeaux, Neelis & Gladys Adams, M/M Enis Touchet, Dec/Ernest Saltzman f'ly, Darlene & Larry Snell, Manson Abshire, Marcel Marquerite & Rene Julien, Melissa LeJeune, Wilson & Oneita Marceaux, Dec/ Alexon Cormier f'ly, Dec/Dupree Marceaux f'ly, Dec/M&M Leon Schexnider f'ly, Wilson & Elma Rose Smith, Helen LeBeouf, Jerry Cormier, Clarvey, Yolande, Buddy & Nora Coremier, M/M Freddie S. Broussard, Sidney, Dane & Tiffany Broussard, Lorette Theriot, Melvin LaCombe, Gavin Overley, M/M Sidney Lounsberry, M/M George, Barbara, Faye & Mildred Klein, M/M Wilfred Broussard Sr., Susan Earls, Robert Paul Francez, Percy Lapoint, M/M Guy Broussard, J.C. Broussard, M/M Ozone Guidry, Michael Sztroin, Jim Guidry, Mazie Dupree, Shirley Thompson, Kurt Istre, Charlie J, Lillian & Virgil Benoit, Alicia Istre, Harriett & Ronda Lemaire, M/M Jack Lemaire, Fred Cormier, George & Loretta Dowd, Hazel Hungerford, Carl Sonnier, Martin & Bernice Sonnier, Preston Broussard, P.J. Broussard III, Ernest Sr, & Lucille Hebert, Huland Breaux, Harry Jr. & Isabelle McDaniel, Rachel Abshire, Dec/M&M Dominic Abshire Sr f'ly, Frank Bourque, Betty Dillon, Sheldon Reese, Stanford Smith Sr, Leroy Henry, Kathy H. Mouton, Stacy Broussard Jr, Wilbert & Rene LeGros, Querie Richard, Delores Richard, Clifton Simon, Nelis Matthews, Holy Souls In Purgatory, Julius, Ruby & Allen Arabie, Joe, Clyde & Buddy Arabie, George Elliott, M/M Emile Guillory, M/M Armand Arabie, M/M

Theolus Simon, M/M Charley Elliott, Marie L. Boudreaux, Robert“Bruce” Broussard, Joseph & Ezia Sonnier, Fr. Alcide Sonnier, Ralph Jannise Sr, Eula Duhon, Linda Istre, Nicholas Olivier, Sheldon Simon, Karen Woods, Clyde Reese Sr., Dec/Henry Reese Sr. fly, M/M Ovie Abshire, Billy Zaunbrecher, Proford Petry, Dec/Willie Petry f'ly, Dec/Joseph Zaunbrecher fly, Dec/L.C. Melancon fly, The Holy Souls, M/M Jack Martin, Dec/Winchester fly, Erin “Krielow” Lahr, Ezell & Michael Thibodeaux, Lloyd Quartemont, Oscar, Eldie, Garland, Sarah, Michael & Ty Theriot, Mark LeBlanc, Bill & Theresa B. Fuqua, Clarence, Marie, Clarence Jr. & John A. Bertrand, Neelis & Faye Bertrand, Joe Bertrand, Rodney Stelly Sr., J.D. Simon, Joseph Simon, Lela Suggs, Dollie Brotherton, Alde & Obrey Bourque, Mark Smith, Melvin Mouton, M/M Exavier Lemaire, Percy & Hazel Lemaire

**Living:** Melanie Sarver (B'day), Special Intention (C.B.), Special Intention (MGG), Special Intention (C.J), In Thanksgiving (C.J.), Special Intention (S.T.), Willie Petry f'ly, Joseph Zaunbrecher fly, L.C. Melancon fly, Conversion/Sinners, Special Intention, In Thanksgiving (S.T.)

**Sun. 8/01 7: 00 a.m. (ST. PETER CHURCH)**

Anthony Touchet (annv), Stacy Broussard Jr, Clobule & Clifton Simon, M/M Curley Broussard, Brady Cormier, Nick & Doris Hensgens, Glady & Peter Trahan, Crip Bertrand, Ernest & Dorothy Dyson, Aldis, Marie & Craig Broussard, Wanda Broussard, Don Linscombe, “Bee” Petry, Eddie & Rene LeJeune, Raoul & Mildred Broussard f'ly., M/M Wilbur Guidry, Dwayne Zaunbrecher, M/M C.P. Zaunbrecher, M/M Fernand Vidalier, M/M Laurence Rung, M/M Clomere Vidalier, Rodney Stelly Sr, Neelis & Faye Bertrand, Joe Bertrand, M/M Joe Stelly, Cloma Stelly, M/M Freddy C. Broussard, Joseph Simon, Obrey & Alde Bourque, M/M Luke Dugas, M/M Cleophas Bertrand, Edgar Vincent, Alton Sr, Palmea & Mervin Breaux, Doris Lougon, Crystal Kibodeaux, Rowan & Bubba Laseter, Shirley & Larry Thompson, Frank & Ida Thompson, M/M Joe, Wilfred, Julian, Fred & Billy Zaunbrecher, M/M Nolan & Paul LeBlanc, Dec/A.J. Troups Sr. fly, Dave & R.J.Kibodeaux, Anese LeJeune, Dec/Aclan Guidry Sr. f'ly, M/M Diacles Weekly, Terry Weekly, Mary Jean Hebert, M/M Nolan & Curtis Abshire, J.C. Hebert, Allen Pego, Cynthia Alford, Rodney & Jimmy Simon, M/M Oscar Hungerford, Sidney, Eva, Gurthia & Joan Quebodeaux

**Living:** Pro Populo (For the people of St. Peter Parish)

**Sun. 8/01 - 8:30 a.m. (ST. DAVID CHAPEL)**

Dec/St. David Ladies Altar Society, M/M Harry & Clifford Meaux, M/M Fernand Vidalier, Ednor Leonard, Junior & Doris Richard, Sidney Gaspard, Cassidy Elliott, Melissa LeJeune, Roy & Rexine Guilbeaux, Dec/Robert Trahan Sr f'ly, Dec/Leodais Bonin f'ly, Lawrence & Carol Spaetgens, Russell & Hazel Primeaux, Steve Reed, Guy Ledoux & Dec f'ly, Gilmar Sr, Anna, Gilmar Jr, Curtis, Allen & Daniel Landry, Nicole Campbell, Jerry & Claudia Lezak, Bert, Anna Mae & Johnny Darbonne, Kathy H. Mouton, Leroy Henry, Dec/Emick Melancon f'ly, Charles Hensgens Jr.

**Living:** Mem/St. David Ladies Altar Society

**Sun. 8/01- 10:30 a.m. (ST. PETER CHURCH)**

Eugene Walters (annv), Violet Walters, Gavin Overley, Linus Touchet, Loify & Eldie Woods, J.D. Simon, Joseph Simon, M/M Rene Trahan, M/M Oday Simon, Dora & Paul Fruge, Dec/Dallas Bonin Sr f'ly, M/M Edmond LeBeouf, Yolande Broussard, Lawrence “Cato” Broussard, Jason Woods, Neelis & Elia Woods, Guillian & Laura Pousson, Jim Lemaire, Patti Gayle, Harris Vallo, Leroy Petry, Loretta Manceaux, Duci, Steve Jr, Arnold & Theresa Meaux, Rodney L. Broussard, Stacy Broussard Jr, Dec/V.D. Breaux Sr f'ly, Drozan, Bertha & W. J. Benoit, Curtis & Salina Venable, George Beller, Frank & Adaline dePerrodil, Minice & Hilda Foreman, M/M Placide Weekly, Shelton Benoit, Eldie Broussard, Allanna Mayer, Warren, Lunia & Darryl LeJeune, Troy Richard, L.J. & Nolia Theriot, Phoebe Thibodeaux, Hilda R. Duhon, Telismar & Vergie Richard, Elbe Richard, Bozo & Myrna R. Kibodeaux, Betty M. Hebert, M/M Leo & Eugene Meaux, M/M Whitney & Andrus Hebert, M/M Owen & Robert Lounsberry, M/M Jimmy LeJeune, Reese, Rita, Maylen & Horace Broussard, Edward & Ina Istre, M/M Teonis, L.J. & Bobby Simon, Sean Simon, Brenda S. Bourque, Michael Sensat, Vernes, Thomas & Cason Trahan, Audley & Tim Badon, Eugene, Madeline, Ronald & Dana Broussard, Gavin Overley

**Living:** Helen Morgan, V.D. Breaux Sr f'ly

St. Peter Parish Life  
Knights of Columbus  
Ladies Altar Society  
Catholic Daughters

Bereavement (Chairman)  
Altar Servers (Boys)  
Sacristans (Girls)  
Adoration Chapel  
Right to Life  
Cursillo (Men & Women)  
DRE  
Al-A-Non

To Participate Please Contact

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Patsy Woods 536-6296  
Stephanie Breaux 536-6967  
Fr. Vidrine 536-9259  
Christine Campbell 536-9258

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**INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER – JULY 2010**

General- That in every nation of the world the election of officials may be carried out with justice, transparency and honesty, respecting the free decisions of citizens.

Missionary – That Christians may strive to offer everywhere, but especially in great urban centers, an effective contribution to the promotion of education, justice, solidarity and peace.

OFFERINGS OF THE PAST WEEK

Offertory

ST. PETER

\$3,372.25

ST. DAVID

\$554.43

THANK YOU!!! PLEASE DON'T SKIP A SUNDAY OFFERING; IT MAKES A HUGE DIFFERENCE!!

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND (JULY 24-25) IS FOR ST. PETER SCHOOL

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND (JULY 31-AUG. 1) IS FOR THE CHURCH LOAN.

**DIVINE MERCY CHAPEL:** Adorers needed for Tuesdays 12:00 noon-1:00 p.m., Fridays at 12:00 noon – 1:00 p.m. and 8:00-9:00 pm. Please consider spending one hour with Jesus. Call Patsy Woods at 536-6296.

**RCIA PROGRAM:** Are you or someone you know interested in joining the Catholic Church? Are you a Baptized Catholic who has never received the Sacrament of Confirmation? If you answered “yes” to either of those two questions, contact Christine Campbell at 536.9258 or 536.6138 to register. Classes will begin in September.

**ATTENTION PARENTS OF CCD STUDENTS!** – Registration for children entering 1<sup>st</sup> through 10<sup>th</sup> grades will begin Tuesday, August 10<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, August 12<sup>th</sup>. First time registrants should bring proof of Baptism/First Communion Certificates. Children previously registered may send fee of \$20 per child plus \$10 for each additional child (checks made payable to St. Peter Church) with child/children’s name and grade they are entering. Also 11<sup>th</sup> grade students attending schools outside the parish who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation should register at the parish office. Payments should be mailed to Christine Campbell, St. Peter Church, P.O. Box 28, Gueydan, La. 70542. **PLEASE NOTE!** Because books need to be ordered and rosters made, a late fee of \$10 will be added for each child who is not registered on time. (Office hours are 9:00 a.m.-Noon and 1:00p.m.-4:00p.m.) If you have any questions, please call St. Peter Church Office at 536.9258.

**SPONSOR A CHILD FOR ST PETER SCHOOL:** If you are interested in helping a needy child have the benefit of Catholic Education at St. Peter School, please call the office to inform Fr. Vidrine.

Peggy Arpin, Cindy Benoit, Derek Benoit, Margie Benoit, Seth Robert Benoit, Jo Ann Bernard, Hank & Madeline Bourque, Laura D. Breaux, Terrance (T-Bud) Breaux Jr, Selena Brooks, Anita Broussard, Brenda Broussard, Mary Ann Vidrine Broussard, Robert Broussard, Buck Campbell, Melvin Carter, Josh Castille, Angela Daniels Chambless, Alex Clostio, Gavin Comeaux, Blanche Cormier, Stanford Cormier, Joseph Darbonne, Earline Conner Doucet, Macyn Douget, Mary Duhon, Jane Edwards, Michael Elliott, Warren Faulk, Greg & Kristy Fox, Slade Cannon Fox, Autumn Futch, Linda Garrie, Lisa Gaspard, Velta Gaspard, Marie-Reine, Oneil, Ubald & Ulysse Grondin, Myrtle Guidry, Olite Guidry, Roland Guidry, Sandra Guidry, Gerald Hebert, Leona Hebert, Martha Hebert, Rayland Hebert, Loretta M. Hoffpauire, Birdie Lege Istre, Lance Jolivet, Henrietta Klein, Robert Lacombe, Fr. Wayne LeBleu, Raymond Leger, Jeanette LeJeune, Myrline LeJeune, Charlene Lemaire, Jade Lemaire, Patrick Lemaire, Bailey Leon, Christopher Maury, Carley Marceaux, Darryl Marceaux, Myrtis Marceaux, Blake McDaniel, Charles McDaniel Sr, Dianne McKim, Gwen McKim, Monita Meaux, Ronnie Mouton, Warren Mouton Sr, Daniel Petry, Skylar Pharris, Randy Plaisance, Lester Potier, Hillman Primeaux, Russell J. Primeaux, Wanda H. Primeaux, Eulan Richard, Ruby Richard, Marilyn Roche, Kendall Saltzman, Anna Mae Sarver, Ethel Seagraves, Kaylie Segrera, Bobbie Smith, Harry “Chubby” Smith Jr, Randi Sonnier, Findly St. Ann, Margaret Trahan, Dwight Vincent, Fidelis L. Vincent, Morris Watson, Cathy Williams, Frankie B. Whitford, Wayne Worley, Bill Zaunbrecher, Special Intention (R. B.), Special Intention (K.B.), Special Intention (H.D. & F.J.), Special Intention (A.H.), Special Intention (J.B.C.), Special Intention (M.G. G.), Special Intention (C.C.)

**ST PETER SCHOOL REGISTRATION** for the 2010-2011 year is open for grades Pre-K through 8th. St. Peter’s believes that the keys to success are Faith, Knowledge and Unity. St. Peter School does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin in admissions. For more info, go to www.spsgueydan.org.

**ST PETER SCHOOL ANNUAL SOFTBALL TOURNEY** – July 30 -Aug. 1st. Coed Teams \$15.00 a player and receive T-Shirt. Teams may register with Stacy Dupree 536-0074 or 523-2508. **COME TO SUPPORT ST PETER SCHOOL! LET’S PLAY BALL!!!!**

**HOLY MASS FOR HURRICANE PROTECTION TO AIR AUGUST 1<sup>ST</sup>**

Mass for protection at the beginning of Hurricane Season that was celebrated by Fr. Vidrine in May here at St. Peter Church will be aired on Sunday, Aug 1st (1st Sunday in August) on KATC (Channel 3) at 10:30 am.

**HOLY MASS FOR OUR MILITARY BY BISHOP MICHAEL JARRELL** in support of families whose loved ones are serving in Iraq and Afghanistan will be celebrated on Thursday, August 12, 2010 at 6:30pm- St. Michael Catholic Church, Crowley, sponsored by the West Region of the Diocese. The purpose of this Mass is to lend support to families with loved ones who are currently serving military assignments in Iraq and Afghanistan. Prayers will be offered for all men and women who are presently serving or have served in the military. All are invited to attend Mass with a small reception to follow in parish hall. For questions, contact: Janeth Harrington (337) 258-0073.

**PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS THIS WEEK- JULY 26-AUGUST 1**

*(Listed below are the priests for whom we are asked to pray daily)*

July 26 - Rev. Fr. Joseph Alexander 29 - Rev. Fr. Chester Arceneaux  
27 - Rev. Fr. Anthony Anala, SVD 30 - Rev. Fr. Jules Arceneaux  
28 - Rev. Msgr. Robert Angelle 31 - Rev. Fr. Michael Arnaud  
Aug. 01 - Pope Benedict XVI

**Daily prayer for Priests:** *Eternal Father, we lift up to You these and all the priests of the world. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. Mold them into the likeness of Your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen*