

Prayer For Hurricane Season

O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed your order and returned to its former quietude. You are still the Master of land and sea. We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no control: the Gulf, like a provoked and angry giant, can awake from its seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries, invade our land and spread chaos and disaster.

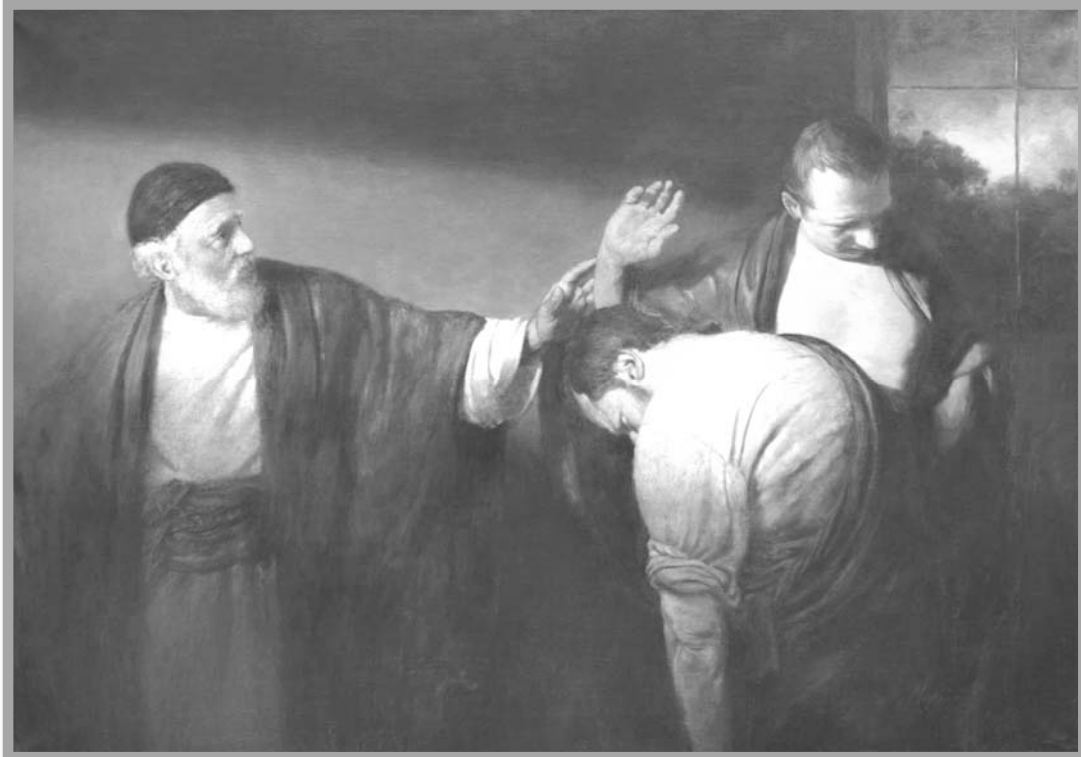
During this hurricane season we turn to you, O Loving Father. Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with the passing of time. O Virgin, Star of the Sea, Our Beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with your Son in our behalf, so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your Divine Son to reach heavenly Jerusalem where a stormless eternity awaits us. Amen.

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Please continue to pray for all affected by hurricanes



Holy Mass Schedule

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	5:15 p.m.
Wednesday	Noon
Thursday	5:15 p.m.
Friday	10:00 a.m. (Gueydan Guest Home)
Saturday	4:00 p.m.
Sunday	7:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.
St. David	8:30 a.m.

Confession:

Saturday 2:45-3:45 p.m. & 30 minutes before all other Masses or by appointment.

Baptism:

Arrangements made by the parents with the Pastor. Godparents must be Confirmed and practicing Catholics.

Marriage

Arrangements made by the couple with the pastor no less than 6 months before desired date.

Anointing:

Emergency calls are answered immediately; call office for Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick at home or in a hospital.

Office Hours:

Monday: Closed
Tues-Thurs 8am-3pm
Friday-8 am-Noon
Lunch: Noon- 1pm

Saint Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

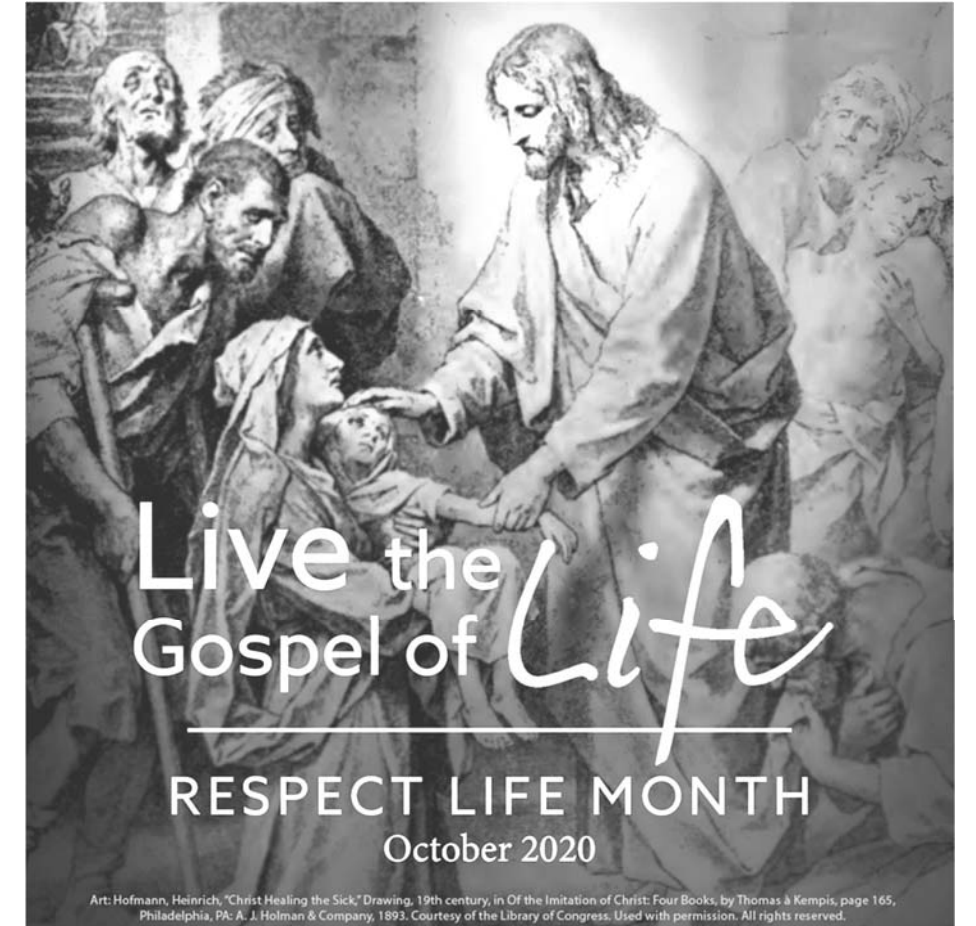
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September 27 2020 Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Respect for Life Rosary at St.
Peter Catholic Church

Sunday, October 4 at 2:00pm

PRAYER FOR SEMINARIANS

O Lord Jesus Christ, great High Priest, I pray that you call many worthy souls to your holy priesthood. Enlighten the Bishop and Vocation Director in the choice of candidates, the Spiritual Directors in molding them, and the professors in instructing them. Lead the seminarians daily in your unerring footsteps, so that they may become priests who are models of purity, possessors of wisdom, and heroes of sacrifice. May they be steeped in humility and aflame with love for God and man, apostles of your glory, and sanctifiers of souls. Mary, Queen of the Clergy, pray for us. Amen

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.



September

- 27. Alex Lancon
- 28. Jacob LeBlanc
- 29. Bret Lee
- 30. Calvin Lemaire
- 1. Reverend Patrick Broussard, director
- 2. Reverend Blake Dubroc, Director of vocations

September

- 27. Reverend Floyd Calais
- 28. Reverend James Callahan, SJ
- 29. Reverend Christopher Cambre
- 30. Reverend Corey Campeaux
- 1. Pope Francis
- 2. Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

Offerings

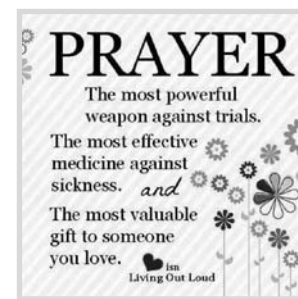
First Collection

St. Peter \$ 962.00
 St. David \$ 150.00

Second collection next week end is for the reduction of the church loan.

Please pray for the following:

- Cindy, Larry Benoit
- Tabby Broussard Benoit
- Dallas, Dru, Kaitlyn C.
- Tammy Broussard Cormier
- Jessica V. Fluitt
- Dexter, Sydne Harris
- Leona Hebert
- Felicia, Karina, Lance, Landon, Margaret,
- Walter Joliette, Jr., III
- Willie Mae, Wilson LeJeune
- Alexis, Donald "Bubba", Henry LeMaire
- Wayne LeMaire
- Jules Martin
- Mabel Martin
- Chris, Kilee Ned
- Billy Portie
- Sidonia Primeaux
- Aimee Sonnier
- Hubert Suire
- Cena Mae, Floyd Zaunbrecher



Think, O God, of our friends who are ill, whom we now commend to Your compassionate regard. Comfort them upon their sickbed and ease their suffering. We beg for deliverance, and submit that no healing is too hard for the Lord, if it be His will. We therefore pray that You bless our friends with Your loving care, renew their strength, and heal what ails them in Your loving name.
 Thank you Lord

What is the justice of the Lord?

Since the Fall, man has accused God of being at fault. When we are not blaming God, we blame each other. What is it in man that we cannot take responsibility for our actions? It is sin. Society seems to be preoccupied with avoiding responsibility for itself. Everyone seems to blame everyone else for their problems. The only way out of this way of thinking is to give judgment to God. If we let God be the Lord, we are free to live, even with our imperfections.

Make me know your ways.

The enemy of God fooled us into believing that we can make our own way. There is no way for us to live without reference to God and our neighbor. We accuse God of fault because God's ways do not correspond with our ideas. We accuse others of fault because their ways are not what we want. Are we without fault that we can judge our brother? It is true that sometimes others treat us unjustly, but it is never true that God treats us unjustly. Therefore we need God's help who alone can view our situation justly.

God teaches us about sin through His Word. He also allows us to experience the consequences of our actions. Through consequences, we are meant to measure our actions and turn to God. Learning from the pain of sin is more difficult than learning from God. That is why the psalmist says, "teach me your ways." It is a request to learn from God rather than through the consequences of sin.

The context of the first reading from Ezekiel is that of personal responsibility. The chapter begins quoting a proverb, which God rejects. The proverb indicates that children suffer the guilt of their parent's sins. God says that it will not be so. Children will not be held personally responsible for their parent's sins; that is, they will not be guilty of that sin. God insists that the sinner suffers for his own sin. God also indicates that He desires not the death of the sinner, but his conversion. We have been hearing in weeks past about God's justice. This Sunday, we encounter more directly God's mercy. God's mercy is different than ours. It is more patient than we, but God's mercy also still serves justice.

Scripture is often used to suggest that God does not hold anyone accountable for their sins. People say that God is loving and so he does not want to punish. It is true that God does not want us to suffer, but it also is true that because He loves us, he allows us to suffer the consequences of our choices. The purpose is to motivate us to change. Through suffering, we discover that our way brings sadness, whereas God's way brings hope and joy. This is the lesson which sinners received from John the Baptist. It is what we receive in an even greater way through the gospel. The test for all (sinners, repentant sinners, those well on the path of holiness, et al.) is do we continually submit ourselves to the Lord or is conversion an event well in the past. Conversion is a daily process. We often drag our feet or even think ourselves superior, not needing conversion. God is patient with us. I hope that we all encounter the word of the Lord and respond to it.

It is imperative that you know that God sees every one of our actions. All of our actions are weighed. Scripture tells us that even slight sins are noted. God is not out to get us. However, because he is a just God, there must be an accounting for sin, and if we insist on accounting for them without the mercy of Jesus, then He will give us what we ask.

Tuesday	09-29	5:15 p.m.	St. Peter Church
Mass Intention:	Harold, Hattie (AOD, Jane, Nelis Matthews, <i>Living:</i> Billy, Laurel Portie		
Wednesday	09-30	Noon	St. Peter Church
Mass Intention:	Dwayne, Wayne, C.P. Zaunbrecher family, Lucille, Wilbur Guidry		
Thursday	10-01	5:15 p.m.	St. Peter Church
Mass Intention:	Eulan, Jane, Mary, Querie (AOD 9-16) Richard and deceased members of Richard/Cormier families, special intention, Rose Benoit, Dennis Boulet, Cleveland, J.C. Hoffpauir, Olampe, Oliver Marceaux, Irene, O'Neil, Oza Nunez, Arlene, Lester, Robert Potier, Jr., Sr., Richard Taber		
First Friday	10-02	6:00 p.m.	St. Peter Church
Mass Intention:	Dwayne, Wayne, C.P. Zaunbrecher family, Lucille, Wilbur Guidry		
First Saturday	10-03	8:00 a.m.	St. Peter Church
Mass Intention:	World Peace		
Mass Intention:		4:00 p.m.	St. Peter Church
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arnold, Duci, Steve, Jr., Theresa Meaux • Irvin, M/M Wilfred Broussard, Sr., Marvin Compton, Susan Earls, Jude Fluitt, Robert Paul Francez, Barbara, Faye, Francis, George, Henrietta, Jim, Lenia, Mildred, Bob, Pat Klein, Cathy Langley Betty, Percy LaPoint, M/M Sidney Lounsberry, Carrie Walpole • Joseph "Buster", Wanda, Kathleen LaPointe, Ryan (Bubba) Laseter, Buford, Dorothy Marceaux, Agnes Suire, Lola Tuiller • Huland, Rachel Breaux • Renee' Benoit • Kathryn M. Hatch, Nolan LeBlanc family, Dorothy, Ellis Touns family, Joseph Zaunbrecher family • Anna Mae, Bert, Johnny Darbonne, Karl, Dr. Reno Petry • Carole Badon • Dwayne, Wayne, C.P. Zaunbrecher family, Lucille, Wilbur Guidry • Priscilla "Titter" Carlson • Evelyn Landry • William Hardee, Logan LeMaire • Leona Bertrand • Eula, Milton Breaux, Alexon Theriot family, Larry, Cindy Benoit • B.D., Janet (BD 10-19) Simon • Helen, Jim, Richard Hardy, Ellis, John D., Lorena Istre, Robert Ortego • Henry Suire, Jr (BD 10-01), Lucilla Miller (BD 10-03) • Crip, Edith Bertrand, B.B., Evelyn Breaux, Aldis, Marie, Bernice, Jane, Clevenis, Eriste, Craig, Brenda, Robert P. Wanda, Wilfred "Blanc" (AOD 10-13) Broussard, Joe Gaspard, Johnnie B. Hebert, Ryan Henry, Ruby, Wallace Istre, Donald, Shawn Linscomb, Jo Ann, Jules, Wayne Martin, Albay, Anite Thibodeaux • Tuffy Benoit, Dane Broussard, Dolores Hebert, Melissa, Patricia, Rodney LeJeune Jr., Sr., Ray Lee Myers 		
Sunday	10-04	7:00 a.m.	St. Peter Church
Mass Intention:	Deceased Vance Benoit family, deceased Alexon Cormier family, Jerry Cormier, M/M Elly Fuselier, Freddie, Helen LeBeouf, Melissa LeJeune, Darrell, Wilson, Oneita Marceaux, deceased Dupree Marceaux family, deceased Leon Schexnider family, Caina, Martha, Elma, Wilson Smith		
		8:30 a.m.	St. David Chapel
Mass Intention:	Kalix Broussard, Billy, Josie Duhon, Bill Jr., Marie, William Greene, Sr., Elias, Edward, Gussie, Guy, Lori, Roberta LeDoux, Lelia, Lovelace, Robert, LeMaire, Belle, Nick Noel, Noelie, Romeal Trahan		
		10:30 a.m.	St. Peter Church
Mass Intention:	Parishioners of St. Peter Church		

Missalettes may be taken home to keep
on a first come first served basis
Missalettes should not be left
in church due to Covid-19.
Please see an usher for a missalette.

The Fatima Rosary

Will be prayed on
Saturday, October 10 at Noon
In City Hall Park
For the intentions of our
country. In case of rain, it will be
held under the
front cover of church
Please make every effort
To attend



September 27

The Scriptures are shallow enough for a babe to come and drink without fear of drowning and deep enough for theologians to swim in without ever reaching the bottom.

- St. Jerome (347-420), Theologian, Confessor, Feast Day September 30