



# Saint Peter the Fisherman Catholic Church

October 3, 2021 – 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

*Sunday:* - Communion Service  
FLOWERS

Susanne Maliski

*Tuesday Oct. 5* - Mass Intention – Joan Marder

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## PASTOR

Rev. Thomas S. Tully

**MASS SCHEDULE**  
Sundays 10:30 am  
Tuesdays 10:30 am

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Visit [spccnb.org](http://spccnb.org)  
for Masses at St. Paul

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Reconciliation before or after  
Tuesday's Mass.  
Mass for Holy Days 10:30 am

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The Parish Office is open  
10:00 am to 2:00 pm  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday

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Please contact the office for  
Baptisms, Marriages (at least six  
months notice), Funerals and  
Cemetery information.

## ❖ PARISH NOTES

The author of Genesis 1 wanted us to realize that human beings were creation's crowning image of God: the best saved for last. The author of Genesis 2 reflected more on who we can be for one another. Explained through the symbol of a couple, the story reflects on the fact that we become fully human through the communication that builds relationships.

Adam was nothing more than an animal guardian and gardener before he met Eve. Then, when each met the other as a thinking, speaking person, their lives became fertile. They realized they were uniquely made for each other. Learning to love, they grew in their likeness to their creator.

As Teilhard de Chardin would teach a few thousand years later, when Adam met Eve, creation was on its way back to its maker.

This was the scriptural backdrop on the day that some Pharisees tried to hook Jesus into a debate about the legality of dismissing a wife as if she were a worn-out coat or a troublesome piece of household furniture. Their question focused on what was "lawful."

While Jesus' teaching referred specifically to marriage, the idea underlying his response defended the inalienable dignity of all people and the fact that we are made for one another.

Some will hear today's Liturgy of the Word as a rationale for enforcing the letter of the law and setting limits to our ecclesial communion. Others may experience the grace of being caught up in the Genesis vision of humanity's potential for union with God and neighbor, or be challenged by Jesus' invitation to esteem each person as a unique gift of God.

Genesis 1 and 2 teach that God placed us in the midst of creation to enjoy and grow in communion with one another in the image of the Trinity. Jesus invites us to live into that truth for the rest of our lives.

Parish Office  
Geri LaBreck 252 249 3687

❖ **PARISH COUNCIL**  
Paula Valinoti 252 249 1655  
Council meets the 3rd Wed.  
of the month at 7:00 pm.  
Parish members are welcome.

❖ **PARISH COMMITTEES**  
**Advance Care Planning  
& Bereavement**  
Mary Lou Infinito 252 638 4980  
**Cemetery**  
Ed Yodlowski 252 249 1979  
**Communications/Bulletin**  
Darian Chasse 252 249 1707  
**Finance Council**  
Bill Michne 252 249 1175  
**Kitchen Guild**  
Sheila Dougherty 252 249 0560  
**Liturg**  
Margaret DeWire 252 249 1135  
**Parish Activities**  
Darian Chasse 252 249 1707

❖ **Pamlico County Fishes &  
Loaves Outreach 252 249 6181**  
Ray Ruppert 252 249 1162  
Rusty Ura 919 523 9642  
Food Truck - 1st Wednesday  
of the month. Volunteers needed.

❖ **DIOCESAN NEWS**  
Visit our Raleigh Diocese's  
website for current news at  
[www.dioceseofraleigh.org](http://www.dioceseofraleigh.org)

Low Gluten Hosts are  
available.



Please let an  
usher or the  
sacristan know  
before mass.

❖ **THE SPIRIT OF THE LITURGY**



In private, Jesus' disciples question him further about this teaching on divorce. It is to his disciples that Jesus lays out the implications of his teaching by explaining that remarriage after divorce is adultery. Jesus' teaching was more restrictive than the teaching of the Pharisees, which permitted remarriage. Jesus further distinguished his teaching from the cultural norms of his time by applying his words equally to men and women. Jewish culture permitted only that a husband may divorce his wife. Wives were not permitted to divorce their husband for any reason, including adultery.

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**Homebound !**

If you or someone you know is homebound that would like to receive communion - Please call the office 249-3687 so we can make arrangements.

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**Sunday Rosary**

9:55 before Mass *in the chapel.*  
*Come join us,  
everyone is  
welcome.*



**Prayer Requests**

Please keep all of the men and women in the armed forces and our allies who work daily to keep us free and those who have returned either broken of mind or body in your weekly prayers.

❖ **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Please keep the following parishioners, relatives and friends in your prayers throughout this week.

Dot Banks	Madeline Labetti
Joshua Bonner	Everleigh Mahoney
Meg Bradford	Claire McGeehan
Bette Brown	Janine Peterson
Elizabeth Brown	Michelle Prigge
Mary Cancel	Jordan Ramon
Ray Cancel	Patrick Reynnolds
Billy Creech	James Richardson
Joseph D'Angelo	Larry Richardson
Sheila Flaherty	Sharon Rogan
Dru Foster	Michael Sharkey
Joan Ferzetti	Shirley Staab
Karen Halloway	Alice Sontag
Dot Hagerman	Rev. Thomas Tully
Donna Heatherington	Dennis Vagnone
Ruth Hewett	John Valassis
Juan Hisada	Nicholas Ward
Tony Innocenti	Georgia Mae Webb
Eileen Kelly	Arthur Wikander
	Liz Williams

**Prayer list.** *If you wish to have your name or the name of a family member added to the list, please e-mail or call 249-3687, Geri in the parish office. Names removed from the bulletin list will be placed on the prayer list located in the Chapel.*

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**MASS CARDS**

Mass Cards are available in the Church vestibule on the literature rack and the Church Office. Please follow the instructions found with the cards.



*The Future of Catholicism is a subject that should be of interest to every Catholic--young or old, male or female, cradle or convert, white, black or Hispanic.*

*On Sunday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 3:30 pm in the Sanctuary of Saint Paul Catholic Church, New Bern, the parish will be presenting a Bicentennial Event: "The Future of Catholicism – What Can We Expect in the Next 50 Years?"*

*Our program will feature two renowned experts on this subject: **Thomas P. Gaunt, S.J.**, Executive Director of the Center for Applied Research in the Apostolate (CARA) in Washington, DC, and **Monsignor Michael Clay**, current pastor of St. Francis of Assisi Church in Raleigh and former associate professor and department chair of Pastoral Studies at The Catholic University of America in Washington, DC.*

*This program will give attendees a perspective from an up-close/personal point of view as well as illustrate expectations from a regional, national and even worldwide point of view. It's a program you won't want to miss! We expect a lot of dynamic discussion to take place!*

*Come join us! We're sure you'll come away with a better idea of what the Catholic Church is going to look like in the future.*

WHEN DID YOU GET MARRIED.....  
2016 - 2011 - 2006 - 2001 - 1996 - 1991 -  
1986 - 1981 - 1976 - 1971 OR BEYOND????

Please plan to have your Marriage Blessed at the 2021 Wedding Anniversary Celebration at Saint Peter the Fisherman on Sunday, October 31, 2021, at 10:30 Mass.

There is a Sign-Up Sheet in the Lobby.

Looking to donate for hurricane relief,  
have a look at,  
Eight Days of Hope  
<info@eightdaysofhope.com>

Second Collection this Sunday is for Pamlico Fishes and Loaves Outreach, PCFLO. Please be as generous as you can with our less fortunate neighbors.

**Offertory Baskets**  
are in back of the church for our collections.

*Last Sunday Offerings*  
Regular collection. \$1526.

## **Food Truck is this Wednesday, October 6**

Set up 8:30  
Truck arrival around 9:30  
Please come and help, many hands are needed.



If possible please bring a wheelbarrow.

### **BULLETIN**

*Announcements for the bulletin are due by Friday, one week prior to the publication date.  
Email: darianchasse@gmail.com*

## Saint Peter the Fisherman Cemetery

Our sacred place of Remembrance, Comfort and Hope for all members of our Parish Community. For information please contact the Parish Office at 252 249 3687.



Changes to your address, email or phone # please call Geri at the Church Office at 252-249-3687 or email: [stpeteronc@embarqmail.com](mailto:stpeteronc@embarqmail.com)

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**We collect aluminum cans to recycle.** This money goes to the upkeep of our cemetery. Leave cans in the kitchen in the can marked "Aluminum Cans"

**BRYANT FUNERAL HOME**  
and CREMATIONS  
52 Bryant Street  
Post Office Box 99  
Alliance, NC 28509  
Patrick K. Bryant  
President (252) 745-4966

**HANDYMAN SERVICES**  
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**Sunday 10-3-21**

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2201 Neuse Blvd.  
New Bern, NC 28560  
252 637 3181

**Landing Nursery**  
1800 Lee Landing Road  
Reelsboro  
252 745 5093  
cell 252 617-7705

**First Reading**  
*Genesis 2:18-24*  
**Responsorial Psalm**  
*Psalm 128*  
**Second Reading**  
*Hebrews 2:9-11*  
**Gospel Reading**  
*Mark 10:2-16*

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**675-8586** a parishioner

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**WELCOME!** Our parish is a living entity where God interacts with His people. We welcome you to register with Saint Peter the Fisherman Catholic Church, where you will find warmth and hospitality in a spiritually nourishing environment. As a registered parishioner, you will be kept abreast of current information, opportunities and receive a free monthly subscription to NC Catholic, the Diocese of Raleigh magazine. Registration forms can be found on the table in the lobby. If you have any questions, please call the church office (252-249-3687) during office hours. If you are visiting us today, please introduce yourself after Mass!

**LEAVING THE PARISH!!** PLEASE let us know. We would love to have a forwarding address, if you choose. If you have a Cemetery site then it is essential to give us a forwarding address.