



Saint Peter the Fisherman Catholic Church

May 5, 2019 3rd Sunday of Easter

MASS INTENTIONS

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PASTOR

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MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays 10:30 am

Tuesdays 10:30 am

The third Tuesday of the month
Mass is at the Grantsboro
Nursing home.

Visit spccnb.org

for Masses at St. Paul

Reconciliation before or after
Tuesday's Mass.

Mass for Holy Days 10:30 am

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

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

❖ PARISH NOTES

Today, we witness the scene of Jesus' last earthly meal and encounter with his disciples. It all began when seven disciples decided to go fishing. Whether it was an attempt to return to normal life or a symbol of mission, John makes it clear that they started while it was night. That may be a good time for fishing, but it is never a good time in the Gospel of John because for John, Jesus is light. Of course, they had no success. At dawn, the risen Jesus appeared on the shore. Just as he had earlier asked Mary Magdalen in the garden why she was weeping, he asked the disciples if they had had any success. In response to their "no," he suggested an alternative that brought in almost more than they could handle. In response, Peter dressed himself, abandoned his nets and boat, and jumped into the water. On the shore, he met Jesus who awaited them with bread and fish, the same food they had once shared with a multitude near that very lake when they first traveled with him. If the food was meant to jog their memory, much more so the charcoal fire where Peter encountered Jesus.

Peter was warming himself by it while he denied knowing Jesus. At this fireside, Peter would encounter Jesus as never before. Jesus never mentioned Peter's failings, and Peter made no apologies or excuses. For Jesus, reconciliation was not a matter of guilt, blame or penance, but an opportunity for transformation. Three times Jesus asked Peter, "Do you love me?" The first time, Jesus specifically asked if Peter loved him "more than these," perhaps referring to Peter's preference for being first. At this point, Peter would not claim priority. He simply answered, "You know that I love you." This was Peter's confession. Standing humbled before Jesus, knowing that Jesus was fully aware of who he was and everything he had done, Peter acknowledged his weakness and claimed his source of strength. He needed to say no more than, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." In response, Jesus made no mention of the past. As he had done with everyone he healed or forgave, Jesus looked to the future and gave his forgiveness and grace by entrusting Peter with his mission. When Jesus had appeared among the disciples in the locked room, he commissioned them to forgive. Now, as Peter learned what divine forgiveness meant, Jesus commissioned Peter to feed and tend his sheep.

Parish Office
Geri LaBreck 252 249 3687

❖ **PARISH COUNCIL**
Ray Ruppert 252 249 1162
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
Darlan Chasse 252 249 1707

Facilities Management
Don DeWire 252 249 1135

Faith Formation

Finance Council
Eileen Miles 252 249 2302

Kitchen Guild

Liturgy
Margaret DeWire 252 249 1135

Parish Activities
Darlan Chasse 252 249 1707

Parish History

Social Ministries
Bill Miles 252 249 2302

Planning & Development
Bill Miles 252 249 2302

❖ **Pamlico County Fishes &
Loaves Outreach**
Bill Miles 717 887 0157
Eileen Miles 717 309 3959
Food Truck - 1st Wednesday
of the month. Volunteers

❖ **DIOCESAN NEWS**
Visit our Raleigh Diocese's
website for current news at
www.dioceseofraleigh.org

❖ **THE SPIRIT OF THE LITURGY**

Monsignor Gerald L.
Lewis Award for
Excellence in Teaching.



Laurie Huger, (center)
third grade teacher at Our
Lady of Lourdes School in
Raleigh and the recipient of
the 2018- 2019 Lewis
Award.

Altar Flowers

We invite you to donate flower
arrangements in memory of a
loved one, to celebrate a birthday,
anniversary, baptism, or any
special occasion or church feast.
Donations and the occasion will
be noted in the bulletin and post
in the lobby. Please contact the
office 249-3687.

****Please take note****

Confessions will be heard in the
chapel, on the 4th Sunday of
each month, after Mass at 11:45



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 for 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.

Mary Cancel	Scott Lovendahl
Teri Ferris	Donna Mannion
Sheila Flaherty	Mike McGovern
Susan Fromm	George Pawlikowski
Hubert Godwin	Peggy Richards
Karen Halloway	Robert Ross
Eddie Harmon	Lillian Solby
Peter Hagerman	Eleanor Taylor
Juan Hisada	Charles Toler
Tony Innocenti	Velma Toler
Lorraine Weeks	Nicholas Ward
Jason LeBrun	Georgia Mae Webb
Harry Levin	

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. When a name is
removed from the bulletin prayer list, it will
be placed on the prayer list located in the
Chapel*

Low Gluten Hosts are available.

Please let an usher or the sacristan know
before mass.

This Sunday Rosary

For the Unborn

9:55 before Mass in the chapel.

*Come join us,
everyone is welcome.*



Thank you to all who helped with making our alter beautiful and Dot Gallagher who organized it. Please remember to take home your Easter flowers.

PLEASE NOTE: We can't accept cans to be recycled, to help with cemetery expenses, unless someone comes forward to replace Shawn who has done this for years. This is the only income for the cemetery. If interested, please see Laura Mitchell.

Give it some thought...

We are in need of a few more Acolytes and Sacristans for Mass. Please see Marg DeWire or call 249-1135.



PRAYER FELLOWSHIP

follows Sunday Mass. Join in for a few minutes of group prayer for those needing God's intercession.

Please remember the Bishop's Annual Appeal.

If you haven't considered a pledge yet, please give it some thought. It funds many needed programs in the diocese.

Food Basket This Sunday
Please bring non-perishable food items for those in need.
Place them in the basket under the table in the lobby.

Volunteers Needed

We have several openings for heading up parish committees. We have Faith Formation, Kitchen Guild and our Parish History all in need of someone to put some time in. You don't need any experience, and you will help with our parish functioning well. If you need more info before considering, please call Ray Ruppert 249-1162, he will guide you through what is entailed with each one.

Offertory \$ 1,267

Second collection \$ 219

BULLETIN

Announcements for the bulletin are due by Friday, one week prior to the publication date.

Email: darianchasse@ymail.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.



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

Readings for May 5

Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41
Psalm 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13
Revelation 5:11-14
John 21:1-19

MASS CARDS

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❖ ARE YOU NEW TO OUR PARISH?

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!