



# Saint Peter the Fisherman Catholic Church

*February 9, 2020 – Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

MASS INTENTIONS

Michael O'Neill

Altar Flowers for Michael O'Neill by Lynn O'Neill & Dana Los

❖ **PARISH NOTES**

Jesus teaches that his disciples are to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world.

Following upon the teaching of the Beatitudes, Jesus uses the now familiar metaphors of salt and light to describe the life of discipleship. We take salt and light for granted in our society, but these commodities were more precious in ancient cultures. Just as now, salt was used in Jesus' time for flavoring, as a preservative, and as a healing agent. Similarly, the widespread use of electricity in the modern world makes us less aware of the value and importance of light in our lives.

Still, our familiarity with this passage from Matthew's Gospel speaks well to the abiding power of the imagery that Jesus presented. Jesus' call to be salt for the earth and light for the world powerfully states our mission as Church and as Christians. Our commitment to social justice flows from the exhortation that Jesus gives us in today's Gospel. Some of the activities that this commitment leads us to are given more concrete expression as the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy. When we feed the hungry, clothe the naked, console those who mourn, and so on, we show ourselves to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world. When we do these things with the community of faith, the Church, we are indeed acting as "a city set on a mountain" that cannot be hidden!

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## PASTOR

Rev. Thomas S. Tully

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Rob Schmid

## MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays 10:30 am

Tuesdays 10:30 am

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

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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 Office

Gerri 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**

Eileen Miles 252 249 2302

### **Kitchen Guild**

Sheila Dougherty 252 249 0560

### **Liturgy**

Margaret DeWire 252 249 1135

### **Parish Activities**

Darian Chasse 252 249 1707

### **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](http://www.dioceseofraleigh.org)

### PRAYER FELLOWSHIP

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

### ❖ THE SPIRIT OF THE LITURGY

**Reflect, today, upon  
this duty that you have  
been given by  
Christ. Reflect upon  
the calling you have  
been charged with to  
make a difference in  
the lives of  
others. When others  
grow in faith and love  
as a result of your  
presence in their lives,  
you are fulfilling this  
most basic command of  
Christ. Commit  
yourself to being the  
salt of the Earth so that  
this world of ours will  
be a better place, filled  
with the flavor of the  
Kingdom of God**

### CHURCH ACCESS

Are you a parishioner who  
would like access to the  
church to pray or meditate or  
need access to perform a  
volunteer service for the  
parish when the Church is  
normally closed, If so, see  
Gerri during normal business  
hours and she will give you a  
FOB that will give you access  
to the Church from  
7:00 am - 7:00 pm every  
day of the week.

### THERE IS A NEED FOR

Sacristans (prepare the altar  
before Mass), Ushers, and  
Altar Servers. Please call Carol  
Glorioso at 252 249-2404



### 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.

Paul Banks  
Bette Brown  
Mary Cancel  
Sheila Flaherty  
Dru Foster  
Susan Fromm  
Karen Halloway  
Dot & Peter Hagerman  
Elizabeth Hebert  
Juan Hisada  
Tony Innocenti  
Betty Mesaros

John Moran  
Nancy Norris  
Larry Richardson  
George Pawlikowski  
Peggy Richards  
Pamela & Robert Ross  
Michael Sharkey  
Shirley Staab  
Sigrid Walker  
Nicholas Ward  
Georgia Mae Webb  
Lorraine Weeks

**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,  
Gerri in the parish office. Names removed from  
the bulletin list, it will be placed on the prayer  
list located in the Chapel.*

### Sunday Rosary

This week at

9:55 before Mass in the chapel.

*Come join us, everyone is welcome.*

### Low Gluten Hosts are available.

Please let an usher or the sacristan know  
before mass.



Lilliana Gody Celebrated her second Birthday last Sunday

**Valentine Lobster Dinner**  
Sunday, February 16<sup>th</sup>  
At 2:00 pm



*Remember to bring your tools and something to drink. Also, bring a desert to share.*



**Mary Lou leading the first session of Advanced Care Planning**

**Next Session of Advanced Care Planning Series**  
**St. Peter the Fisherman WEDNESDAY**  
**at 2:00 pm February 12<sup>th</sup>.**

*Advance Care Planning Education (ACP) – What you Need to Know*  
*A free series*

**For REGISTRATION:**  
Call - Geri LaBreck - (252) 249-3687

The decorating/flower committee is looking for volunteers. Responsibilities are flexible and varied. If flower arranging once a month or assisting with our seasonal displays is appealing, we have a spot for you. We are always in search of new faces with fresh ideas and helping hands.  
Contact, Dottie Gallagher 671- 0516  
[dotagall@gmail.com](mailto:dotagall@gmail.com)

We invite you to donate *Altar Flowers* 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 posted in lobby.

Collections Last Sunday

Offertory \$ 2,674

Second collection will be for capital improvements

Remember we collect aluminum cans to recycle. This money goes to the our cemetery upkeep. Leave cans in the kitchen in the can marked "Aluminum Cans." Thank you for your support of our cemetery.

**BULLETIN**  
*Announcements for the bulletin are due by Friday, one week prior to the publication date.*  
Email:[darianchasse@ymail.com](mailto: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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<p><b>BRYANT FUNERAL HOME</b> and CREMATIONS</p> <p>52 Bryant Street Post Office Box 99 Alliance, NC 28509</p> <p>Patrick K. Bryant President (252) 745-4966</p>	<p><b>HANDYMAN SERVICES</b></p> <p>RESIDENTIAL REPAIRS and UPGRADES</p> <p><b>DAVID BROOKMAN</b> P.O. BOX 489 - ORIENTAL NC 28571 252 670-9647 email: brookmandl@icloud.com</p>
<p><b>Cotten Funeral Home &amp; Crematory</b></p> <p>2201 Neuse Blvd. New Bern, NC 28560 252 637 3181</p> 	<p><b>Landing Nursery</b></p> <p>1800 Lee Landing Road Reelsboro 252 745 5093 cell 252 617-7705</p>
<p><b>ASE</b> Foreign &amp; Domestic Auto Care (252) 249-1312</p> <p><b>DIVERSIFIED AUTO &amp; TIRE</b> Professional Auto Services Discount Tire Center</p> <p>David Drexler ASE Certified Master Tech. 8287 Hwy 306 S. Arapahoe, NC 28510</p>	<p><b>Francisco Arreola</b></p>  <p>Lawn Mowing, Yard Cleaning Tree Trimming &amp; Pressure Washing</p> <p>675-8586 a parishioner</p>

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)

### Readings for February 9

Isaiah 58:7-10 (73A)

Psalm 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

1 Corinthians 2:1-5

Matthew 5:13-16

### 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!