



# St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Church

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**VERY  
REVEREND  
RAJU D. THOTTANKARA  
PASTOR**

**DEACONS:**  
Allen Cicora  
Eluterio Farias  
Brian Holden

**WEEKEND MASSES:**  
Saturday: 6:00 PM  
Sunday: 8:00 & 10:15 AM  
12:00 PM and 6:00 PM

**Confessions** are heard on  
Saturday from 4:30 - 5:30 PM  
and by appointment.

February 22, 2026

## FIRST SORROWFUL MYSTERY



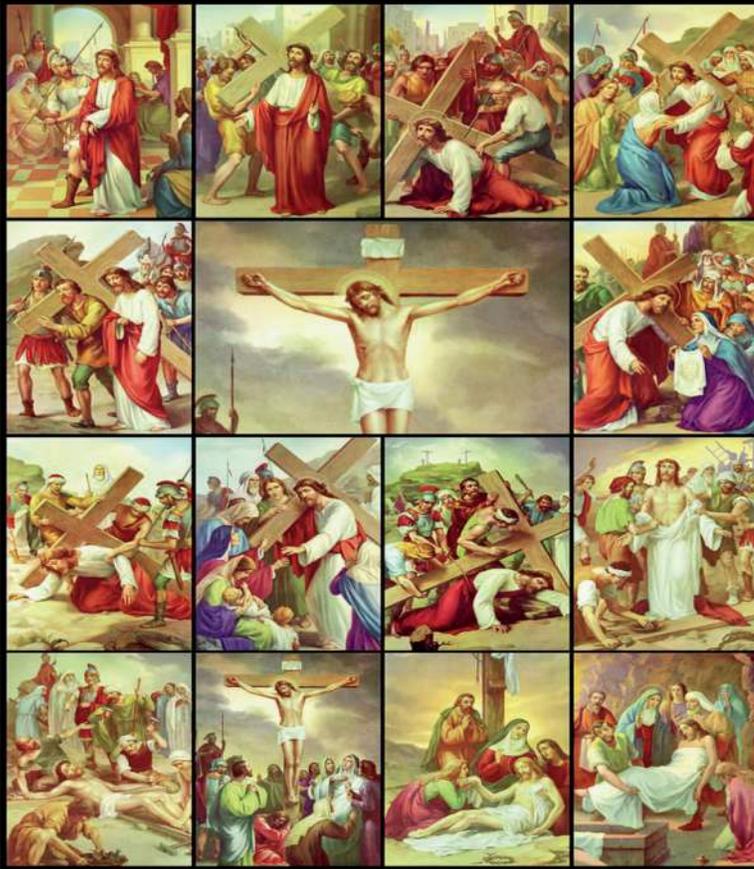
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

*The Agony in the Garden*

©Diocesan / Christ at Prayer on the Mount of Olives - Noel Coypel, 1705

## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Catholic Church  
is a welcoming community dedicated to promoting  
a devout life of prayer and teaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ  
through living the sacraments in a spirit of generous service.



February 25, 2026 - March 1, 2026

- Wednesday**  
6:30 pm †Margaret Mekush - By Jo Ella Menn  
†Jose G. Ramirez - By Family
- Thursday**  
8:00 am †Margaret Mekush - By Jo Ella Menn
- Friday**  
8:00 am †Alexandria Cano Castro - By Chano Rodriguez
- Saturday**  
6:00 pm †Estela Salinas (5th Yr. Death Anniversary)- By Family  
†Jimmy Smith - By Millie & Doodle Jarnagin  
†Florencio Espinosa - Olga Almeida  
Matthew Nolan (Birthday) - By George & Fredda Martin  
Juli Cali (Birthday) - By George & Fredda Martin
- Sunday**  
8:00 am †Richard Trevino - By Bill Lekosky  
†Margaret Mekush - By Arlene Burns
- 10:15 am †Amado E. Salinas Jr. - By Chano Rodriguez  
†Maria R. Rodriguez - By Chano Rodriguez  
†Beatrice Gains - Gerald & Nancy Mooney  
†Jorge A. Garcia - By Chano Rodriguez  
†Joe Davis - By Chano Rodriguez
- 12:00 pm †Maximiliano Arrieta (14 Yr. Death Anniversary) - By  
Estella & Family  
Alexandria Cano Castro - By Chano Rodriguez
- 6:00 pm People of the Parish

St. Peter Prince of the Apostles  
Stations of the Cross will be prayed every  
Friday during Lent @ 6pm.

**St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Parish**  
**2/15/2026**

Envelopes.....	\$8,659.00
Loose.....	\$566.87
Online.....	\$3,220.00
Other.....	\$.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$12,445.87</b>

**Readings for the Week**

- Sunday** Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17; Rm 5:12-19 or  
5:12, 17-19; Mt 4:1-11
- Monday** Lev 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mt 25:31-46
- Tuesday** Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Mt 6:7-15
- Wednesday** Jonah 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32
- Thursday** Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8;  
Mt 7:7-12
- Friday** Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8; Mt 5:20-26
- Saturday** Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48
- Sunday** Gn 12:1-4a; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22; 2 Tim 1:8b-10;  
Mt 17:1-9

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The Sanctuary Candle  
Is burning for  
Cantu Family  
Blessings  
By: Mary Lou Cantu

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WHEN YOU GIVE  
**ALMS**

WHEN YOU  
**PRAY**

WHEN YOU  
**FAST**

YOUR FATHER WHO SEES  
WILL REPAY YOU

# ST. PETER PRINCE OF THE APOSTLES

## BLOOD DRIVE

SUNDAY, MARCH 22  
8:45 AM - 1:45 PM  
LOCATION:  
3901 VIOLET ROAD

FREE LONG SLEEVE SHIRT!

**Bubba's 33**

Appointments are recommended & walk-ins are welcome.

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# St. Peter's YOUTH GROUP

Wednesday Feb. 25<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm

## PRE-DCYC GATHERING

ALL TEENS REGISTERED FOR DCYC ARE INVITED TO ATTEND. COME JOIN US FOR SOME GAMES, MUSIC AND FELLOWSHIP. LEARN THE DANCES AND SONGS. MEET NEW PEOPLE AND GET READY FOR AN AWESOME EXPERIENCE.

## PIZZA AND SNACKS WILL BE PROVIDED INVITE YOUR FRIENDS

# YOU'RE INVITED TO THE DAUGHTERS OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES COURT #2630 FAMILY DINNER & DANCE

## IT'S TIME TO FIESTA

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2026  
ST. MATTHEW'S PARISH HALL  
7:00 PM TO 10:00 PM

ST. PETER PRINCE OF THE APOSTLES  
3901 VIOLET RD.  
CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS 78410

COME IN YOUR FIESTA ATTIRE!

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