



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.

July 19, 2026

I WILL OPEN
MY MOUTH
IN PARABLES

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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.

OCIA

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults



OCIA classes begin Sunday, August 9, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at St. Williams Hall.

All are welcome, especially those who wish to become Catholic, complete their Sacraments of Initiation or learn more about the Catholic Faith.

Come and see where God may be calling you!

OCIA Sponsors Needed: We are seeking sponsors for the OCIA process to share their faith and personal experiences with our candidates. If you are interested in walking with those who are seeking to deepen their faith in Christ, please join us for an informative meeting on July 23 at 7:00 p.m. in St. Williams Hall. To attend or ask questions, please call Paul Hickey at 361-241-4576.



The Sanctuary Candle
Is Burning For
Patsy Cavazos
Happy Birthday!

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Parish 7/12/2026

Envelopes.....	\$9,856.00
Loose.....	\$845.90
Online.....	\$4,150.00
Other.....	\$20.00
Total.....	\$14,871.90

Scripture Readings

For the Week of July 19, 2026

Sunday	Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 or Mt 13:24-30
Monday	Mi 6:1-4, 6-8; Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 12:38-42
Tuesday	Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 12:46-50
Wednesday	Sg 3:1-4b; or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Thursday	Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Ps 36:6-7ab, 8-9, 10-11; Mt 13:10-17
Friday	Jer 3:14-17; Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13; Mt 13:18-23
Saturday	2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6; Mt 20:20-28
Sunday	1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52 or Mt 13:44-46

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Mass Intentions

July 22, 2026 - July 26, 2026

Wednesday

6:30 pm †Gilbert Garza Jr. - By Diaz Family
†Bertha, †Paul, & †Joe Cantu - By Leon & Jeanie Bazar

Thursday

8:00 am †Evelyn Martini - By Steve & Judy Jaksik

Friday

8:00 am Michael Betancourt (Happy Birthday) - By Jamie Betancourt

Saturday

6:00pm †Bertha, †Paul, & †Joe Cantu - By Leon & Jeanie Bazar
†Rey Aleman (1 Year Death Anniversary) - By Rose Aleman

Sunday

8:00 am †Jose G. Ramirez - By Family
†Robert C. Barrientes Jr. - By Esther Esquivel

10:15 am

†Mercedes Vega - By Dominican Sisters
†Modesta Rangel - By Dominican Sisters
†Maria De Jesus Garcia - By Dominican Sisters
†Victoria Angeles - By Dominican Sisters

12:00 pm

People of the Parish

6:00 pm

†Evelyn Martini - Steve & Judy Jaksik

Religious Ed Corner

Now Registering for 2026-2027

Sacrament Classes begin Sunday, August 9th
Faith Formation Classes begin on Monday, August 10th

Parents, please use the QR Code that applies to your family:

Returning
Students



New
Students



Please register early so we can begin planning our class sizes.
Sacrament Classes - \$30 per student

Confirmation is not Graduation

11th and 12th Grade Students who have received Confirmation, we have a class that will continue building your relationship with Christ and forming you in your faith. Register for this free Class.

Interested in forming young Catholics?
Contact Dcn Brian or the Parish Office.

Sacrament Classes for Grades 1 - 5 meet on Sundays at 9am
Grades 6 - 11 meet at 10:30am
Faith Formation Classes meet on Monday at 6:15pm - 7:15pm.

UPCOMING EVENTS

JULY	In-person Registration 9am - 2pm Religious Ed Bldg.
AUG	Catechist and Volunteers In-Service Day
AUG	First Day of Sacrament Classes
AUG	First Day of Faith Formation Classes



St. Peter Church BINGO!

*Come and support our church by
joining us for an afternoon of BINGO!*

Our Lady of Guadalupe Society will host a
Gift Card Bingo
on Sunday, July 19th
with all proceeds going to the church.



DOORS OPEN
1:30 PM



BINGO BEGINS
2:00 PM



**ST. WILLIAMS
HALL**

COST TO PLAY  **\$20 for 3 cards • \$10 for 1 card**
Play 20 Games!

 A limited number of presale tickets are now on sale and can be purchased at the Parish Office or from Our Lady of Guadalupe Society members after mass.

 Presale tickets purchased will be entered into a drawing for 2 door prizes.

 You can also purchase tickets for a 50/50 drawing as well as a Lottery Board drawing and you do not have to be present at the bingo to win.

 A concession stand will be available so come with an appetite!

Thank you for supporting our church! 

FAITH + COMMUNITY + GENEROSITY

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



The Knight's of Columbus Annual \$100 Dinner, Dance & Raffle will be held on Friday, August 21, 2026, from 7:00 p.m. to midnight at Alexia's Event Center. Each ticket admits you and one guest to the BBQ dinner and dance. Only 300 tickets will be sold.

Raffle Prizes include 1- \$5,000 winner, 1-\$1,000 Winner, 1 - \$500 winner and 20 - \$100 winners. The evening will also feature a silent auction, a 50/50 raffle and other on-site raffle opportunities. Tickets are available from any Knights of Columbus member.

The KC's are also seeking silent auction donations for the event. To donate an item, please call John Porche @ 361-533-0737 or email (fscc7290@gmail.com).

Money raised from this event goes towards helping the Knights of Columbus carry out the mission of Charity, Unity and Fraternity at St. Peter's.

NIGHT OF WORSHIP

ADORATION NIGHTS

SAT. JULY 25TH
7:30 PM

ST. PETER PRINCE OF THE APOSTLES CATHOLIC CHURCH



★ STRIKE OUT THE BLOOD SHORTAGE ★

ST. PETER PRINCE OF THE APOSTLES BLOOD DRIVE

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
SUNDAY, JULY 26	8:45 AM - 1:45 PM	3901 VIOLET ROAD

★ DONORS RECEIVE ★

- ✓ BASEBALL T-SHIRT
- ✓ A PAIR OF HOOKS BASEBALL TICKETS



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★ TO THE ★



VS.



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SATURDAY, AUGUST 2ND



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**WINNER ANNOUNCED
AT
BINGO
JULY 19TH**



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