

VERY
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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.

November 2, 2025

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Church

3901 Violet Road, Corpus Christi, TX 78410 Parish Office: 361.241.3249 Religious Education Office: 361.241.3249 www.stpeterprince.net Fax: 361.241.0533



The Solemnity of All Saints

"I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die." John 11:25-26

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed



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.

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed The Church Suffering

One of the most beautiful aspects of our Catholic faith is the Communion of Saints. Whether it be the Church Militant still fighting the good fight here on earth, or the Church Suffering enduring their final time of purification in Purgatory, or the Church Triumphant rejoicing with our Lord in heaven, we are all united together in faith. We are one Church, united in the mysteries of the passion, death and resurrection of our Lord.

What makes this reality so beautiful is our ability to pray for one another, no matter what state of life we find ourselves in. Those on earth can pray to lessen the time in purgatory of one of their brothers, and those in Purgatory can offer up their sufferings for those on earth. Those in Heaven can pray for both those on earth and those in Purgatory. It is an incredible circle of love and care that won't end until Christ comes again.

Today we celebrate the Church Suffering. It is a day to remember "those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith." In other words, all of our departed brothers and sisters who have been baptised in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Since our souls must be completely cleansed before entering the heavenly banquet, many of us will be required to endure this time of purification. Others will be permitted to undergo great hardships here on earth and be cleansed through them, with the aid of the

Sometimes we may wonder why our aunt suffers from alzheimers, or why our grandfather must continue to live through the discomforts of old age. We may wonder why our nephew was allowed to get in that car accident or our own child had to endure the after affects of a burst appendix. But all of these trials, when lived with faith, can be opportunities for purification for ourselves and others. "Offer it up" is no longer a cliche, but rather a reminder to direct our minds and hearts to God during times of difficulty.

Today, let us pray for all the souls in purgatory, that they may soon gaze upon the glorious face of our Saviour, and may they in turn pray for us, that we may one day join them in Heaven.

Tami Urcia



The Sanctuary Candle
Is burning for
Israel Cavazos
Birthday
By: Patsy Cavazos

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Parish 10/26/2025

Envelopes	\$8,131.00
Loose	
Online	\$4,985.00
Other	
Total	\$13,951.75

Readings for the Week

Sunday Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Rom 5:5-11 or

Rom 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40

MondayRom 11:29-36; Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36; Lk 14:12-14TuesdayRom 12:5-16ab; Ps 131:1bcde, 2,3; Lk 14:15-24WednesdayRom 13:8-10; Ps 112: 1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33ThursdayRom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14; Lk 15:1-10FridayRom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Lk 16:1-8SaturdayRom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11;

Lk 16:9-15

Sunday Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17;

Jn 2:13-22

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Mass Intentions

November 5 - November 9, 2025

Wednesday

6:30 pm All Souls Day

Thursday

8:00 am All Souls Day

Friday

8:00 am All Souls Day

Saturday

6:00 pm All Souls Day

Sunday

8:00 am All Souls Day

10:15 am †Andrea Flores (Dec. Birthday) - By Chano Rodriguez

†Ernestina Barrera - Ricardo & Elma Barrera

†Dolores Torres - By Elena Lara

Guadalupe Gomez (Happy 95th Birthday) - By Gil & Martha Gomez

12:00 pm †Lily Pena Cook - By Mom & Dad

†Mary Thottankara - By Jo Ella Menn

†Ottie Zieger & †Don Cox - By Lil & Carol

†Leonora Mapa - Heminigildo, Sennen & Dorris Mapa

6:00 pm People of the Parish

CORRECTION FOR MASS INTENTIONS DATED OCTOBER 29 - NOVEMBER 2, 2025

Wednesday

6:30 pm †Joseph Eugene Fey - By Jo Ella Menn

Thursday

8:00 am †Secundino Martinez - By Family

†Laura Andrade - By Zuniga Family †Johnny Zuniga - By Zuniga Family

Friday

8:00 am †Amalio Salinas (Dec. Anniversary) - By Chano Rodriguez

Saturday

8:00 am †Mary Thottankara - By Mike Sandroussi

6:00 pm †Robert Lichtenberger - By Family

†Gerardo Diaz - By Evelyn Martini

Sunday 8:00 am

All Souls Day

10:15 am All Souls Day

12:00 pm All Souls Day

6:00 pm All Souls Day

ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The subject for the Adult Lecture Series for Thursday, November 6 is: "Early Church fathers and the Blessed Virgin Mary." It will be presented by Deacon Vincent Stark and Julie Stark, Masters in Theology. This very interesting presentation will take place in St. Williams Hall at 7pm.

The video series continues in the Religious Ed. Bldg., on





FOR MORE INFORMATION - 361.241.3249



Morgan Festival Gift Card Bingo

The Altar & Rosary Society will be hosting a **GIFT** CARD BINGO at our Morgan Festival on Saturday, November 8th with all proceeds going to the church. Bingo will begin at 2:00pm in St. Williams Hall with over 20 gift cards being awarded. Cost to play will be \$10 for three cards or \$5 for one card. The first 25 people to come in will receive a free "Early Bird" card! A "Sweet Shop" will also be available.

Knight's Corner

Council will be taking advance orders for fully smoked whole briskets to be cooked and picked up the day of Morgan Fest (Saturday, November 8) at the BBQ pit. \$150 per brisket. Contact any KC member or call 361-533-0737 or email fsec7290@gmail.com with your order. Payment required at time of order. Cash, check or Venmo accepted. Briskets may be picked up between 3 and 7pm.

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles

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The Altar Server Ministry and the Religious Education Volunteers invite you to come have fun at our booths!

OUTDOOR GAMES

CATHOLIC ARTS & CRAFTS



Saturday, November 8 12:30pm - 9pm



OUTDOOR GAMES

- Football toss
- Horse Shoes
- Corn Hole
- Pina Pona
-) Jenga
- Connect Four

CATHOLIC ARTS & CRAFTS

Ornament Painting 12:30pm, 3:30pm, 6:30pm

Rosary Making 1:30pm, 4:30pm, 7:30pm

All Saints Block 1:30pm, 4:30pm, 7:30pm



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St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Morgan Fest Drawing, November 8, 2025 \$5.00 per ticket or 5 tickets for \$20.00

Prizes

1st Prize - \$3,000.00 Gift Card (1 Winner) 2nd Prize -\$1,000.00 Gift Card (1 Winner) 3rd Prize - \$500.00 Gift Card (1 Winner) 4th Prize - \$100.00 Gift Card (7 Winners)

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