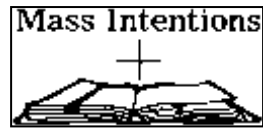





Recognizable Offering.....\$13,243.00
Loose Cash.....\$508.00
Total Weekly Offering.....\$13,751.00
Peter's Pence Contributions\$125.00
Mass Attendance July 1/2 341



July 10 - July 16
MondayBarbara Kirschten(liv)
Wednesday.....John Klesch(liv)
ThursdayAl Landry(+)
FridayPatrick Sheehan(+)
SaturdayWillis Henderson(+)
SundaySt. Peter Parishioners(8:00 a.m.)
.....Carmen Livoti(liv)(10:30 a.m.)


 **In Loving Memory** and lasting peace for all who have died, especially **Al Landry**, father of our parishioner Paul Landry. Pray for the consolation of his family as they mourn the loss of their loved one.

Special 2nd Collection for Bishop Elect Wack's Ordination
Next weekend, July 15-16, a special second collection will be taken up to help defray the cost for the ordination and installation of Bishop Wack. In order to accommodate as many as possible the diocese will be renting half of the Bay Center in Pensacola. Your generosity is deeply appreciated. If you are using electronic giving you can log on to your account and make a onetime gift or use an envelope in the pew, if you prefer.

"Real Love & Real Life" Catholic Chastity Program is presented by Family Honor **at St. Ann's Gulf Breeze** on Saturday, July 22, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. For parents, and their 7th and 8th grade child(ren). Topics discussed range from: communication skills and how to grow in virtue to fertility appreciation and how to set future goals that lead to a happy, healthy, and holy life. Cost \$40/family. Register asap: FamilyHonor.org For more info: Debra Hitpas (850)384-5070

Weekly Calendar of Events

- 7/10 Rosary after morning Mass
- 7/11 Bunco - 9:30 a.m.
- 7/12 Legion of Mary - 8:30 a.m.
- 7/13 Rosary after morning Mass
- 7/15-16 SRKH Wish List Drive

 The weekend of July 15-16, Around Town Ministry will collect donations for the **Santa Rosa Kids' House**. A "WISH LIST" will be sent through Flocknote with items needed such as clothing, house essentials, and food pantry. You may also view the list on the website or pick up a paper copy at the Hospitality Cart. Your support is most appreciated.



We are pleased to be able to offer a Special Needs faith formation class this coming year. We would like your help to identify if a need exists in our parish. If you have a child or know a child in St. Peter Parish who would benefit from this opportunity, we ask that you let us know by July 13th so that we may set up a plan to suit individual needs by the start of the school year. Please contact Susie Rushlau at dre@stpeter.ptdiocese.org or 581-7263

Got Faith? Love Jesus?
Are you willing to share this love & faith with others? Then we have an opportunity for you! We are ramping up for St. Peter Parish Religious Education Program (PREP). We need leaders to help guide others into a deeper relationship with Jesus. We will have classes for all ages and stages from **Pre-school Children's Liturgy, K-5th grade, Middle and High School Youth, to Adult programs**. Contact Susie Rushlau at dre@stpeter.ptdiocese.org or 581-7263 to find out more information about how you can answer the call to serve Him.



Liturgical Roles*

Weekend of July 15/16
5:00 p.m.
Altar Servers: Kevin Van Dorn
Extraordinary Ministers: Mary Van Dorn, Patty Shawbitz, Joanna Farnum, Angela Zangerle
Lectors: Eric Van Dorn, Ruth Sykes
Ushers: Mickey Shawbitz, Cora Podrang, Bob Flanagan
Greeter: Liz Simmons
Sacristan: Doug Hoover
Elijah Cup: Eric Van Dorn
8:00 a.m.
Altar Servers: Jack Risher, Savannah Risher
Extraordinary Ministers: Bobby Stockbridge, Paul Johansen, Susan Johansen, Nancy McCreary
Lectors: Paul Landry, Cindy Day
Ushers: Gary Jordan, Eden Carter, James Johansen
Greeter: Karlene Gentile
Sacristan: Jean Jordan
Elijah Cup: Eden Carter
Coffee & Donuts: Richard Kalie
10:30 a.m.
Altar Servers: Austin Wise, Micayla Colwell, Devony Ross
Extraordinary Ministers: Joe Davison, Pam Wall, Alicia Grecco, Rick Grecco, Barbara Russo
Lectors: Carolyn Alaniz, Warren Cabral
Ushers: Jim Wise, Brian Prescott, _____
Greeter: Terri Turnbull
Sacristan: Tom Lehmann
Elijah Cup: Rick and Alicia Grecco
Coffee & Donuts: Alicia and Barry Graham

Saint Peter Parish Prayer Chain: For prayer needs, contact Susi Evers at 664-9165 or email her at saintpeterparishprayerchain@gmail.com

Hospitalized Parishioners: If you or a family member are hospitalized, please call the Parish Office, otherwise we have no way of knowing who in our parish is there.

In Your Daily Prayers, Please Remember our parishioners who are deployed and:

Monday Johanna Adam*, Steve Lange, Clare Van Zelfden

Tuesday Tori Roth, Mary Eichler, Hiram Alaniz, Danny Labatte

Wednesday Gordon Pritchard*, Ken and Bette Dellner*, Barbara Kirschten*

Thursday Gene and Pam Bauchwitz*, Robert Welniak, Connie Jordan, Lucille Kesler

Friday Lloyd Biehl*, Doug Babiak*, Sharon Lewis, Shannon Anderson

Saturday Peter Adam*, Mary Anyel*, Rick Zern*, Harper Spear

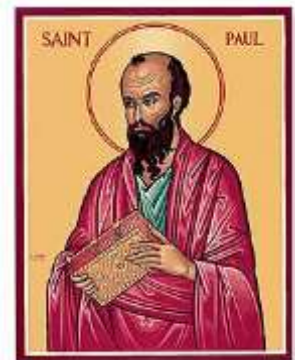
Sunday Ann Hart, Samara Gillespie, Jennifer Draper

*Indicates our parishioners.

Please call the church office if you or a family member can be removed from this prayer list.

Does the Holy Spirit dwell within you? If you are a baptized and confirmed Catholic the answer is a resounding "yes." However, a better question might be "Is the Holy Spirit alive within you?" We are all gifted with the Holy Spirit, but how we respond to that gift varies immensely from one person to another. **St. Paul says as much in the Second Reading from his letter to the Romans. Paul says, "Whoever does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to Him. If the Spirit of the one who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, (He) will give life to your mortal bodies also." This produces a number of other questions for us as Catholics.**

Given that the Spirit is within us, but does the Spirit guide us to Jesus? Are we prepared to be more like Jesus? Are we willing to be His disciple? And especially, is the Spirit working in our hearts? It is there for each of us, to strengthen us and fortify us and to be with us always. However, we have to accept and embrace that fact. Living a life of stewardship is one of the ways we can do that. As our Bishops have told us in their pastoral letter on stewardship, **"Stewardship is how you respond to Jesus' call to discipleship and holiness."** It is a challenge for sure, but it is within the grasp and the capability of each of us. We may have to work at it, but if we trust in God it is most definitely possible.



Our Parish COMMUNITY

July 9, 2017

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Zec 9:9-10

Rom 8:9, 11-13

Mt 11:25-30

Childlike Faith

Humble souls have a special ability to see things. We exclaim, "Out of the mouth of babes" when kids say the darnedest (and most profound) things (Matthew 21:16 and Psalm 8:2-3). What their uncluttered minds can catch and express with blatant honesty can be refreshing and funny.

Jesus enjoys this simplicity as well. He rejoices because, while "the wise and the learned" have rejected his preaching and mighty deeds, the childlike have embraced them. They are not afraid of the implications; they simply are amazed, impressed, and accept that no one but God could do such things. Perhaps this is why angels are often painted like little children!

Jesus can speak of heavenly mysteries because he is the Son. The Father and he are one and share in the fullness of knowledge. Christ sits in glory surrounded by cherubs and angels, yet comes down to reveal what the Father has given him. Let's embrace all of his revealed word with childlike faith and not just pick and choose what suits us.

Another characteristic of little children is unending energy. It comes partly from their age but also endures because they don't waste energy worrying or thinking about things they cannot control. They don't plan, project, or prioritize.



Piece: *Mystical Presence and Christ in Glory*, 1571
Artist: Marco dal Pino (Marco da Siena)
Location: Pinacoteca, Room XI, Vatican Museums

They live in the grace of the present. We will find that as we live simply and give our burdens to Jesus, we live more rested, peaceful lives. Let's take on his childlike humility, which makes the burdensome easy and light.

—Fr. Mark Haydu, LC

For Reflection

How can I yoke myself to Jesus, my Lord and king?
What burdens, stressors, or disappointments can I hand over to God this week?

"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest"
(Matthew 11:28).

Calendar

Monday

July 10

Weekday

Gn 28:10-22a

Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday

July 11

St. Benedict, Abbot

Gn 52:23-35

Mt 9:52-58

Wednesday

July 12

Weekday

Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a,
17-24a

Mt 10:1-7

Thursday

July 13

Weekday

Gn 44:18-21, 25b-29;
45:1-5

Mt 10:7-15

Friday

July 14

St. Kateri Tekakwitha,
Virgin

Gn 46:1-7, 28-30

Mt 10:16-25

Saturday

July 15

St. Bonaventure, Bishop
and Doctor of the Church

Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a

Mt 10:24-35

Sunday

July 16

Fifteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time

Is 55:10-11

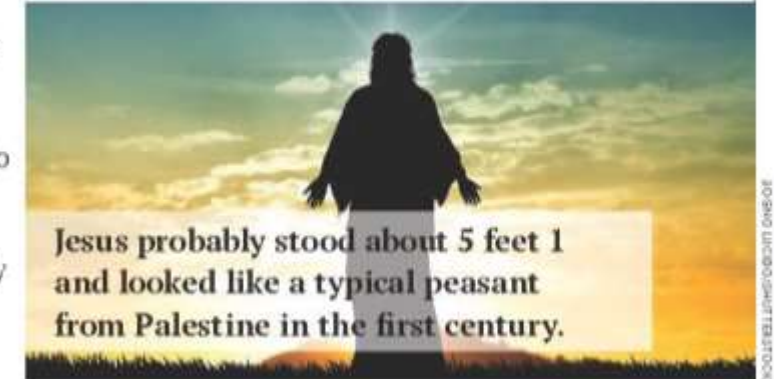
Rom 8:18-25

Mt 13:1-25 or 13:1-9

Dear Padre,

What should Jesus look like?

When people close their eyes and imagine the person of Jesus, no two images are exactly the same. Our images of Jesus are usually the result of our cultural influences and experiences. When I imagine Jesus, I often call to mind a picture of Jesus that was on one of my first holy cards.



Jesus probably stood about 5 feet 1 and looked like a typical peasant from Palestine in the first century.

With recent archeological investigation, combined with the work of medical artists who are often called to testify as forensic witnesses in capital murder trials, and finally starting with the assumption that Jesus resembled a typical peasant from first-century Palestine, some clues may have emerged. According to experts like Richard Neave, Jesus was possibly a person with a broad peasant's face, dark olive skin, short curly hair, and a prominent nose. His height would have been on the order of 5 feet 1 inch and he would have weighed about 110 pounds.

Of course, all of this is unnecessary speculation. What is important in matters of faith is not this level of detail but what is expressed and celebrated by the Church—that Jesus became man, born of the Virgin Mary, and we are all offered a share in the divinity of Christ.

Fr. Tom Santa, CSSR

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A Word From Pope Francis



"God has hidden [the mysteries of his Kingdom, the manifestation of divine lordship in Jesus and the victory over Satan] from those who are all too full of themselves and who claim to know everything already. They are blinded by their presumptuousness and they leave no room for God. One can easily think of some of Jesus' contemporaries whom he repeatedly admonished, but the danger is one that always exists and concerns us, too. The 'little ones,' for their part, are the humble, the simple, the poor, the marginalized, those without voice, those weary and burdened, whom Jesus pronounced 'blessed.' We readily think of Mary, Joseph, the fishermen of Galilee and the disciples whom Jesus called as he went preaching."

—Message for World Mission Day 2014



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