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SAINT PETER CHURCH

Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM
10:00 AM

Rev. Michael E. Gendron, Pastor
Deacon Christopher Paul
Michelle Paul, Office Manager
Rachael Larson, Director of Faith Formation/Youth Minister

Celebration of Sacraments

Weekday Masses

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,
Friday 7:00 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00-3:30 PM
or by appointment

Holy Days of Obligation

7:00 AM and 5:30 PM

Baptism, Confirmation, Sacrament of the Sick

Please contact pastor

Marriage

Contact the Parish Office
at least 6 months in advance

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Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Jake Linxweiler at 483-5571

Prayer Line

Cathy at 483-2581

St. Peter Church is a tithing parish. Each week 10% of the offertory collection is donated to worthy outside charities. All parishioners are encouraged to move in faith toward the goal of full 10% tithing, and of faithful stewardship of time, talent, and treasure.

From the Pastor...Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship – The Principle of Subsidiarity:

It is impossible to promote the dignity of the person without showing concern for the family, groups, associations and local realities – in short, for those economic, social, cultural, recreational, professional, and political communities to which people spontaneously give life and which make it possible for them to achieve effective social growth. The family, based on marriage between one man and one woman, is the fundamental unit of our society. This sanctuary for the creation and nurturing of children most not be redefined, undermined or neglected. Supporting families should be a priority for economic and social policies. How our society is organized – in economics and politics, in law and public policy – affects the well-being of individuals and of society. Every person and association has a right and a duty to participate in shaping society to promote the well-being of individuals and the common good.

The principle of subsidiarity reminds us that larger institutions in society should not overwhelm or interfere with smaller local institutions; let larger institutions have essential responsibilities when the more local institutions cannot adequately protect human dignity, meet human needs, and advance the common good. (From the Bishops’ document on Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship).

Time to say good-bye: I am sorry to have to announce that Rachael Larson, our Faith Formation Director, will be leaving us on October 16th for a new adventure at Sophia Institute Press in Nashua. Rachael has been a joy to work with and was very dedicated to the children, parents and the parish faith formation program. We will certainly miss her, but wish her all the best at Sophia Institute Press.

Due to the time of year and to the COVID19 situation, it will mostly likely take some time to find someone to fill the position. I ask for patience from those in our faith formation program as myself, Deacon Chris and Michelle Paul do our best to continue to offer a sound and well-planned out program for the young people of our parish.

Blessings,
Fr. Michael

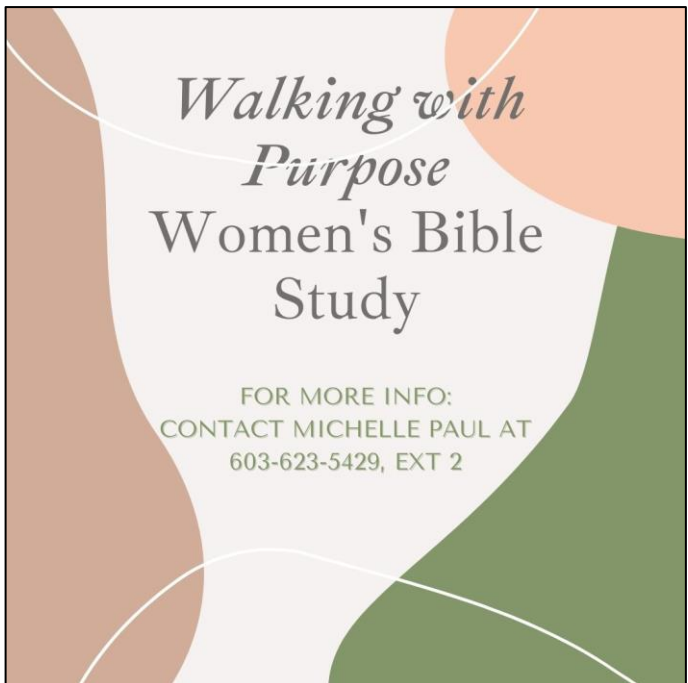
In observance of Columbus Day, the parish office will be closed on Monday, October 12.

OFFERTORY: \$8,395.00

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: Next weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious, and lay leaders serve the world’s most vulnerable communities. **Please visit our website and click on “Donate” to give to this collection electronically.**

WELCOME TO NEWLY-REGISTERED PARISHIONERS Donald and Patricia Simpson.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP: The Divine Mercy Prayer Group will resume weekly meetings beginning this Tuesday, October 13 at 1:00 pm in the church. (Please note the time change from 9:30 am to 1:00 pm.)



ROSARY COAST TO COAST: This Sunday, October 11 at 4:00 pm. Weather permitting, we will meet near the statue of Mary at the back of the church parking lot. Please bring a chair if you would like to remain seated. If there is inclement weather, the event will be held in the church.

ANNIVERSARY LIVESTREAM MASS: Bishop Peter A. Libasci invites all couples who are celebrating their 5th, 25th, and 50th Wedding Anniversary (anytime during the year 2020), to pray with a Special Anniversary Mass. This celebration will be a Livestream Mass on October 18 at 2:00 pm. Please register by October 11 in order to receive instructions on how to tune-in to the Livestream Mass and an invitation to a post-Mass virtual gathering where you will have an opportunity to speak with other couples celebrating significant wedding anniversaries. When registering, please enter the husband's name first. Find the link for registration at www.catholicnh.org. Please contact Alyse Hlasny at ahlasny@rcbm.org or at (603) 663-0108 with any questions.

The **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** will be selling fundraising calendars outside of the church following the Masses on the weekends in October. Daily drawings run November 1st through the 30th. Calendars are \$10 with a daily \$25 winner, \$50 prizes on Fridays and Saturdays, and a special Thanksgiving Day (November 26th) drawing for \$100. Weekly winners will have their names re-entered into the pool, so individuals can win multiple times.

Catholic Charities NH to Host Online Bereavement Support Group: Catholic Charities NH is hosting a new online innovative support group for parishioners across the Diocese who are dealing with grief and loss. "Bereavement – Experiencing Loss, Being Lost and Finding your Way Again" is a (free) six-session program allowing participants to learn about the dynamics of grief, discover new ways to cope while healing, and gain the opportunity to be supported and support others also sharing a painful journey. Sessions will be held every Wednesday at 1 p.m., starting October 28 and running through December 2. To register, visit www.cc-nh.org/bereavement. You may also call 603-752-1325 or email efrenette@nh-cc.org.

SIGN UP YOUR FAMILY FOR FORMATION & SACRAMENTS

Registration is open!

at www.stpeteraub.org/formation

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VIRTUAL VOCATION DINNERS: The Lord is continuing to call! We would like to invite men and women in our diocese who are considering a vocation in the Church or would simply like some help hearing the Lord's call for their life, to a virtual evening of prayer and conversation with the Vocations Team of the Diocese of Manchester. Virtual St. Andrew Dinner with men of all ages: Friday, November 13 at 7 pm. Virtual Miriam Dinner with women of all ages: Friday, November 20 at 7 pm. For more information and to register, please visit the diocesan vocations website at liveinblackandwhite.com.

MASS INTENTIONS

Oct 12,	Mon.	7:00 am	Elaire and Pauline Perron by Hilaise Thomas
Oct 13,	Tues.	7:00 am	Paul Parodi (10 th Ann.) by Margaret Parodi
Oct 14,	Wed.	7:00 am	To end abortion
Oct 16,	Fri.	7:00 am	Laurette and Albert Audet by Ray and Sue Lesmerises
Oct 17,	Sat.	4:00 pm	For all parishioners of St. Peter Church
Oct 18,	Sun.	8:00 am	Yvette Beland (2 nd Ann.) by Gerry Beland
Oct 18,	Sun.	10:00 am	Donald Lavertu by the family

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