

*The Roman Catholic
Communities of
Sts. Peter and Paul,
in Bellville, and
Immaculate Conception,
in Industry*

Sts. Peter & Paul

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY BELLVILLE, TEXAS

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Office Hours

Monday - Wednesday:

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Thursday - Friday:

8:00 am - 3:00 pm

Sacrament of Marriage

Registration in the parish is required.
Please contact the parish office at
least six months prior to the
anticipated wedding day.

Sacrament of Baptism

Preparation and registration is
required for parents and
godparents. Please contact the
parish office.

Registration Information

We welcome you to come join us in
worship. Please call the parish office
to request a registration form. You
can return the form in in the Sunday
collection. If you have any questions
or if we can be of further service,
please call the parish office.

Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5:00 pm

Sunday - 10:00 am

Tuesday & Thursday - 7:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:15 pm before Mass

Parish Hall - 979-865-8500

Religious Education

Sundays 8:30 am - 9:45 am

Wednesdays 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Kimberly Story – Director

Cynthia Luongo - Youth Minister

979-865-3432

Music Ministry & Cantor - Tim Tlucek

Musician - Chris Nava

Sts. Peter and Paul

Social Services Ministry

979-865-2368

Liturgical Arts & Environment -

Bernice Harlan

Maintenance - Daniel Alanis

Finance Council -

Chuck Scianna, Bobby Pier,
Sammy Pierce, Justin Lischka,
Keith Linseisen

Pastoral Council -

Vic Perez, Jamie Elick,
Laurie Gaddy, Rose Coody,
Tom Stark, Michele English



Immaculate Conception

CATHOLIC CHURCH - INDUSTRY, TEXAS

15994 Highway 159 West, Industry, Texas 78944

Mass Schedule

Sunday - 8:00 am

Wednesday - 6:30 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

By appointment only.

Parish Hall - 979-357-2831

Religious Education

Sundays 9:15 am - 10:30 am

Emma Jackson - Director

Tomi Beth Drab - Youth Minister

979-357-2830

Music Ministry & Cantor -

Peggy DuPont

Musician - Chris Nava

St. Vincent Society of

Immaculate Conception

979-357-2833

Liturgical Arts & Environment -

Neely Vasicek, Theresa Kopech,
Wava Jackson, Steve Short

Finance Council -

Jamin Swantner, Ed See, Bruce Pilcik,
Mike Drab, Bernie Stephan,
Richard Scalzitti

Pastoral Council -

Mable Meyers, Neely Vasicek,
Matt Menefee, Georgianne Schmid,
Andy Glueck, Chapo Castillo

Sts. Peter and Paul Minister Schedule

Saturday, January 20, 5:00 pm Mass

- Lectors: Cheryl Maeker, Angela Ashorn
- Eucharistic Ministers: Pete Newman, Joyce Newman
- Altar Servers: Laney LeJeune, Kaedyn LeJeune, Trey LeJeune, Will Beausoleil
- Hospitality: Zeke, Marilyn and Suzanne Zaskoda, Velma Kaliszewski

Sunday, January 21, 10:00 am Mass

- Lectors: Youth Mass
- Eucharistic Ministers: Adrian Dinges, Jose Moctezuma, Alan Cloyd, Arlene Cloyd, Pete Eichelberger, Miguel Guerrero, Maya Brown
- Altar Servers: Brett Linseisen, Hayden Dinges, Haleigh Dinges
- Hospitality: Alan and Arlene Cloyd, Willie and Carol Farmer

Immaculate Conception Minister Schedule

Sunday, January 21, 8:00 am Mass

- Lectors: Rebecca Kolwes, Gail Andrejczak
- Eucharistic Ministers: Steve Short, Jane Swantner
- Altar Servers: Reagan Green, Haley Andrejczak, Josh Andrejczak, Hunter Hejl
- Hospitality: Johnny and Carol Bonaccorco, Emil and Cecilia Vasicek

This Week's Events

- Sunday, Jan. 14 - Confirmation Retreat
8:00 am Industry, Mass
8:30 – 9:45 am Bellville, CCE
9:15 – 10:30 am Industry, CCE
10:00 am Bellville, Mass
- Monday, Jan. 15 - Parish Offices closed – Martin Luther King Day
9:30 – 11:00 am Bellville, Women's Bible Study
7:00 pm Industry, RCIA
- Tuesday, Jan. 16 - 7:30 am Bellville, Mass
10:00 am Frydek, Bluebonnet Deanery meeting, \$3
6:30 pm Bellville, Fuchs Hall, ACTS Leader meeting
6:30 pm Industry, Altar Servers meeting in Church
- Wednesday, Jan. 17 - 6:15 pm Industry, Rosary
6:30 pm Industry, Mass
7:00 pm Bellville, Holy Name meeting
7:00 – 8:00 pm Bellville, CCE
7:00 – 8:30 pm Bellville, Women's Bible Study
- Thursday, Jan. 18 - 7:30 am Bellville, Mass
6:30 pm Sealy, 4th Degree Knights meeting
- Friday, Jan. 19 - Industry, Lions Club Pancake
- Saturday, Jan. 20 - 5:00 pm Bellville, Mass, Black Bag Collection
- Sunday, Jan. 21 - 8:00 am Industry, Mass
Industry, Confirmation Rite of Committal
8:30 – 9:45 am Bellville, CCE
9:15 – 10:30 am Industry, CCE
10:00 am Bellville, Mass, Black Bag Collection
Bellville, Confirmation Rite of Committal

Mass Intentions for the Week

- Jan. 13 - 5:00 pm Bellville
Mae Kaminski †
- Jan. 14 - 8:00 am Industry
Tillie Balke 85th Birthday ♥
10:00 am Bellville
Henrietta Bucek †
- Jan. 16 - 7:30 am Bellville
Linda Hinze †
- Jan. 17 - 5:00 pm Industry
Harry Kopech †
- Jan. 18 - 7:30 am Bellville
Jane Dilorio †
- Jan. 20 - 5:00 pm Bellville
Ruby Lee Johnson Bertsh †
- Jan. 21 - 8:00 am Industry
Emma Schramm †
10:00 am Bellville
Fr. John Weyer †

Flowers

Sts. Peter and Paul

- Jan. 14 - Christmas Flowers
Jan. 21 - Walter and Mary Hughey †

Immaculate Conception

- Jan. 14 - Christmas Flowers
Jan. 21 - Altar Society

Red Rose



Sts. Peter and Paul

- Jan. 14 - Andy Felchak, Cody and Charlie
Jan. 21 - Edmund Budnick †

Immaculate Conception

- Jan. 14 - Christmas Flowers
Jan. 21 - Altar Society

Bulletin Submissions

To get an item published in the bulletin:

- Send it to our email – communications@stspic.org
- Call 979-865-2368
- Fill out a form in the gathering space and place it in the box.

All submissions are due by noon on the Tuesday before publication.



Weekly Collections and Attendance

Sts. Peter and Paul

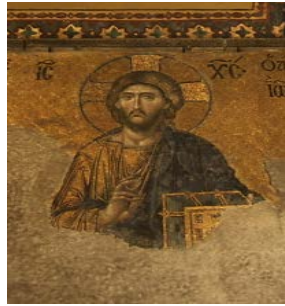
- Collection - \$ 9,049.25
- Attendance: Jan. 6 - 170 / Jan. 7 - 286

Immaculate Conception

- Collection - \$2,712.00
- Attendance: Jan. 7 - 158

How Well Do You Know Jesus?

Jesus is the Anointed One – the ultimate priest, prophet and king foreshadowed throughout the Hebrew Scriptures. Join us as we deepen our relationship with Jesus Christ through Bishop Robert Barron's new DVD-based Study Program: *Priest, Prophet, King*. Explore the biblical archetypes of priest, prophet and king and see how Jesus is the ultimate fulfillment of each one. You will also realize your own priestly, prophetic and kingly mission.



We will begin the six-part program at Sts. Peter and Paul on January 28. This is a great Lenten activity. Sign-ups begin after Mass on January 6 and 7. For more information, please contact Deacon Gerald or Vic Perez.

Immaculate Conception Altar Server Meeting

There will be a meeting for Altar Servers for Immaculate Conception Church on January 16, 2018, at 6:30 pm in the church. All current Altar Servers and anyone interesting in becoming an Altar Server are asked to please attend this meeting. It will address procedures and rules for serving.

Retreats at Holy Name Retreat Center

The retreat at the Holy Name Passionist Retreat Center for men from Immaculate Conception and Sts. Peter and Paul will be January 19 – 21, 2018. The retreat for women will be February 23 – 25, 2018. You can register online for either retreat at holynameretreatcenter.com.

Donation Envelopes

For the last several weeks the boxes of donation envelopes have been in the gathering spaces in both parishes for parishioners to pick up. The boxes that were not picked up have been taken to the parish office. If you did not get yours, please call the parish office at 979-865-2368. If you have never had any envelopes but would like to have some for your donations, please call the parish office.

Today's Readings

First Reading — Speak, for your servant is listening (1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19).

Psalm — Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will (Psalm 40).

Second Reading — Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you? (1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20).

Gospel — Andrew found his brother Simon and brought him to Jesus (John 1:35-42).

Readings for the Week

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Mk 3:1-6
Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-13; Mk 3:7-12
Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11; Mk 3:13-19
Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7; Mk 3:20-21
Sunday: Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-9; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20

Saints and Special Observances

Sunday: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: Martin Luther King, Jr., Day
Wednesday: St. Anthony
Thursday: Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins
Friday: Julian Calendar Theophany (Epiphany)
Saturday: St. Fabian; St. Sebastian

Social Services Ministry Year-End Report

You, the good people of Sts. Peter and Paul parish, were very generous during 2017. Your contributions, bolstered by numerous memorial contributions and some generous extra donations from individuals, allowed us to spend \$6,782.61 in helping 32 families through crisis situations. Thanks to all.

Sts. Peter and Paul Church Anniversary

If you have any old photographs or other information regarding the early years of the Sts. Peter and Paul church that you would like to share, please contact Jeff Spencer. Your material will be part of the upcoming 50th anniversary celebration of the April 21, 1968, dedication of the current church and rectory. All materials will be copied and returned.

The Lamb of God

“Behold the Lamb of God!” We hear this phrase every Sunday at Mass, but there is a good chance that many Roman Catholics do not know who in the Bible originally spoke it. The phrase appears only in the Gospel of John, on the lips of John the Baptist, who utters it twice. In today’s Gospel reading, John proclaims Jesus as the Lamb of God, and two of John’s own disciples then follow Christ. A little bit later Andrew, who heard John and then followed Jesus, brings his brother Simon to be re-named Cephas, or Peter.

A careful look at these Bible verses shows us the mission of everyone baptized into the Body of Christ: we must always proclaim our faith in Christ, so that others will follow him. We may not know how the will of God might work through those we bring to Christ; that is not the point. The point is that our ongoing mission as a church is to bring others to Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.

We invite our community to pray for our youth as they attend their first Confirmation Retreat this weekend.



Jan. 4, 2018

Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church:

As the year ends, the Bellville Christian Food Pantry would like to thank the parishioners of Sts. Peter and Paul for their ongoing support of our Pantry.

We’ve had difficult times this year. Harvey exhausted the Houston Food Bank and for months, their top priority has been to assist the counties that were so hard hit. We, here in Bellville, have a wonderful support system for our Pantry. Our churches, like yours, our businesses, our citizens, etc. always keep us able to fulfill our mission.

The Food Bank is back to capacity at this time and we are now able to resume ordering from them. Our Bellville Meat Market and Brookshire Bros. have been a tremendous help in filling the gap when the Food Bank was not available. And, of course, it’s the generosity of your parishioners that have enabled us to continue as usual.

We are looking forward to this next year and being able to help the families in our community that need the assistance that we provide.

We appreciate your continued support and look forward to being partners in the future. We invite you to visit us on our work days and see your generosity at work.

Sincerely,

Cynthia Zera
Director

Treasures from Our Tradition

“Ordinary Time” began for us this week. On the old calendar, the feast of the Presentation, still more than two weeks away, was the last day of the Christmas season. Sadly, Bethlehem is hardly a place of peace on earth these days. The Church of the Nativity stands (barely) in remarkable disrepair and disorder in Manger Square.

The church was founded by the Emperor Constantine in 325, destroyed in a Samaritan revolt in 539, and rebuilt by the Emperor Justinian. When the area came under Muslim control in 638, the holiness of the church was respected, and in return Christians allowed Muslims to pray in the south aisle, a right still upheld. Earlier in that century, invading Persians were ordered to destroy all churches, but when they saw the magi carved over the doorway of the Church of the Nativity, they spared it out of respect for their ancestors who bore gold, frankincense, and myrrh to the same city. The Crusaders restored and redecoreated the church by the twelfth century, and it is their plan that survives.

Since 1852, the church has been shared by the Roman Catholic, Greek Orthodox, and Armenian Churches. The Greeks are in charge of the grotto, but do not enjoy the best of friendships with the Armenians. Catholics have the care of the Chapel of the Manger, and avoid the squabbles by a separate entrance to the Franciscan monastery church of St. Catherine. Pray for peace in Bethlehem!