

		6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Feb. 14, 2010		Mass	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>All Are Welcome</i> No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church No matter what your current family or marital situation, No matter what your past or present situation, No matter what your personal history, age, background, race, etc. No matter what your own self-image or self esteem, you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected at St. Peter Catholic Church.</p>				Sat. 5:30pm	M.Coppola	S.Mdden R.O'Brien Deacon Jack	S.Cleaver M.Cleaver
				Sunday 8:30am	S.Cummins	H.Bochenek M.Gruhn S.Derwin	R.Stormm S.Brown C.Brown
				Sunday 11 am	H.Doody	S.Myers B.Farreny M.Readel	G.Rihl N.Rihl M.Age
				<u>Weekend Readings:</u>			
				<p><u>Reading I:</u> Jeremiah 17:5-8. Cursed is the one who trusts in human beings; blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord.</p> <p><u>Reading II:</u> 1Corinthians 15:12, 16-20. If Christ has not been raised, your faith is in vain.</p> <p><u>Gospel:</u> Luke 6:17, 20-26. Blessed are the poor. Woe to you who are rich.</p>			
				<u>Weekly readings:</u>			
				Monday: James 1;1-11; Mark 8:11-13.			
				Tuesday: James 1:12-18; Mark 8:14-21.			
				Ash Wednesday: Joel 2:12-18; 2 Corinthians 5:20—6:2; Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18.			
				Thursday: Deuteronomy 30: 15-20; Luke 9:22-25.			
				Friday : Isaiah 58:1-9a; Matthew 9:14-15.			
				<p><u>Eucharistic Adoration:</u> is every Tuesday beginning with Mass at 8:00am and ends with Benediction at 7pm Any questions? Call Ginny at 872-4419.</p> <p>Jesus wants us to spend with Him a quiet hour of prayer. This quiet hour of prayer is spent any way you like. This is your hour with Jesus. "Come aside to an out-of-the-way place and rest awhile." (Mark 6:31)</p>			
				<p><u>Collections:</u></p> <p>Sunday 1st \$6,664.00 \$1,123.00 (SeaBee) Building Fund \$135.00 Sugarloaf 1st \$493.00 2nd \$117.00 (SeaBee)</p>			
	Mass For	Requested by					
Saturday 4pm S. Loaf	+Francis Rivera	Charlie					
Saturday 5:30 pm	+Tom Dolan	Magda Trott					
Sunday 8:30am	+Richard F.Pannick	Mom, Dad, Brother & Sister-in-law					
Sunday 11am	+LaReine Plank	Bastein Family					
Mon. 8 am	+Inez Dolan +Richard Conrady	Col. Francis Dolan Olga Conrady					
Tuesday 8am	S.I. John Hoza S.I. Jake & Janice Blore	Bozena Hoza Thompson Family					
Ash Wednesday 8am	S.I. Burns Family S.I. Anthony McDonald	Jim & Margaret Thompson Family					
Thursday 8am	+Kathryn, Norma & Russell Oettle +Francis Swiacki	Jim Oettle St. Peter Office staff					
Friday 8am	S.I. Victims of Haiti Earthquake	Richard DiBonaventura					
Feb. 20 Sat. 4:00pm Sugarloaf							
Feb. 20 Sat. 5:30pm Big Pine	S.I. John Hoza	Bozena Hoza					
Feb. 21 Sunday 8:30am	+Tom Bastien	Bastien Family					
Feb. 21 Sunday 11am	+John Fitzpatrick	Harry & Mary					



CCD (Religious Education):

Religious Education students PreK 4—grade 6 meet in the church at 9:30 on Sundays for puppets or music and then proceed to their classrooms in the Ministry Center. Youth Group students go directly to their classroom in the Ministry Center at 9:30am on Sundays.



**Thank you to all who donated to the Fundraiser at Boondocks!
We realized \$5000.00!**

We are tithing to Haiti Relief and the rest will go toward World Youth Day and the Teen Retreat with Steve Angrisano.

April 16-17 St. Peter's will host Catholic musician **Steve Angrisano** for a special weekend of music ministry to our parish.

BLIMP ROAD 4 Mile Walk/Run

In support of the SEABEE SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

February 20, 2010

Sponsored by Pirate Wellness Center and St. Peter Church

The Seabee Foundation provides a broad range of support for Lower Keys single parent families helping them to receive the education they deserve.

Pre-race registration \$20 for Runners and Walkers
\$25 Race Day
\$10 age 18 and under

Pre and post race food, free shirt and many other prizes. Health Fair includes health screening by AHEC, Cancer Foundation, Bloodmobile and others.

To download registration form, see www.piratewellnesscenter.com.

For more information, call Pirate Wellness Center at 305-744-3348 or St. Peter Church at 872-2537

RCIA or the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

The regular Sunday RCIA Session will be held Sunday at 9:30am in the Parish Ministry Center. The topic is "The Beatitudes" presented by Deacon Bill.

The catechumens and candidates are completing their final period of learning and formation before receiving the Sacraments. On February 21st, the First Sunday of Lent, the catechumens, (those preparing for Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation during the Easter Vigil) will celebrate the Rite of Election at the 11am Mass. During this rite, they will be presented by their godparents to the community. Also, their names will be inscribed in the "Book of the Elect" marking them as "God's chosen," called to be part of the Holy People through Baptism. During this ceremony, the Church community accepts and affirms God's call to them and offers support as they enter their final stage of preparation for the Sacraments of initiation.

For those candidates to be received into full communion with the Catholic Church through receipt of the Eucharist and Confirmation at Easter Vigil, we celebrate the Rite of Continuing Conversion. At this rite on the First Sunday of Lent, we all pray as a community to call upon God's love and grace for them as they continue to prepare to become a fully-initiated Catholic within our parish.

During this final period before the Easter Vigil, the candidates and catechumens reflect and pray on ways they can better respond to God's call to a life of love and service. This time coincides with the season of Lent, when we as a parish family prepare ourselves in the same way for Easter.

Remember to pray for our catechumens and candidates in a special way this Lent and to reach out to them during this time of preparation. Their sponsors and godparents need your love and support also as they journey with them to the joy of the Easter Vigil.

You are invited to join the RCIA group on Sunday, February 21st following the 8:30 Mass in the Ministry Center. Deacon Bill will be presenting on the topic of the Our Father.

Last Sunday, T.J.Patterson and Emily McDonald joyfully celebrated their intention to continue their formation to become fully initiated members of the Catholic faith. We at St. Peter's offer our prayers, support and welcome during this special time.

We Ask Your Prayers For Parishioners:

Mary Bratman, Karin Golder Young, Geri Hill, Maria Saucedo, Theresa Morvay, Joe Ferraino, Carol Hamon, Carole Faircloth, Steve Magee, Betty West, John Simon, Joan Baker, Gertrude Higgs, Wyeth Phelps, Helena Medeiros, Tersey Popplein, Jim Hall, Betty Selvia, Betty Boerger, Carl, Karl & Penny Perian, Gretchen Courson, baby Wirshing, Maggie Mendez, Tom Callowill, Garnett Wurst, Bryant Beebe, UPS Peter, Debbie Morrow, Jason Beebe, Bernard Kaminski, Bryan Maxwell, Javi Lopez, Judy Hamm, Brenda Wahlers, Pat Sutphen, Robert Johnson, Olga Conrady, Dawn Carr, Gene Smith, Betty Senf, Joan Tucker, Tom Burke, Christine Soper, Ginny Schuerger, Armando Barrows, Wendy Conover, Jill Baldridge, Charlie Smith, Donald Admetz, Jean Dillon, Rick Vamberg, Joe Stern, Bonita Boski, Jim Ronchetto and Michael Ruddy.

Stained Glass Studio:

Many of the stained glass valences in the Ministry Center have been donated in memory of loved ones, but there are several still available for a donation of \$500.

If you would like to learn stained glass, please join us on Tuesdays or Wednesdays. Experienced crafters are welcome to come in to work any weekday. **We have gift certificates available for any amount in the Stained Glass Studio.**

Web Site Don't forget to visit our web site at www.stpeterbpk.com often! Photos of recent parish events are posted, also the bulletin and monthly calendar as well as many links to other Catholic sites. If you would like to advertise your business card with a link to your web site for \$25 a year, call Maria in the office at 872-2537. If you have something you would like to put on the site, please contact Linda Luizza at Linda@stpeterbpk.com.

Now you can blog with your fellow Peterites! Go to <http://stpeterbpk.com/html/announcements.htm> or <http://stpeterbpk.sosblog.com>. Check our secure blog for health updates and parishioner news...

If you would like to help with Sunday hospitality, the Ladies Guild would be very grateful for more volunteers. It would just involve making coffee, setting out refreshments for those who attend the 8:30am Mass and cleaning up afterward. You can sign up for as few or as many Sundays as you would like. Call the office at 872-2537.

Parish Social Ministry —The Food Bank



**Hours: Tues. 9am-12 noon
Wednesday 9am-12 noon,
Thursday 1pm-4pm**

Magda Trott—Parish Social Ministry

This is the second Sunday of the month and so it is “Loaves and Fishes Sunday”.

Your food donations to the St. Peter Food Bank help us continue to serve the less fortunate in our community. Thank You!

Thank you to Youth Ministry for sponsoring the Souper Bowl of Caring last weekend.

St. Peter Parishioners generously donated \$1,144.86 and 75 cans of soup to our Food Bank.

Calling All Golfers (serious and just-for-fun)

Sombrero Country Club in Marathon invites St. Peter parishioners and guests to take advantage of a special group rate based on group size. Have a representative of your group call Josh Mothner at SCC at 745-2551 ext 13 to arrange your group outing or for more details

SCC also invites individual church members to experience one round of play with cart at a special rate and SCC will make a donation to our church for each player. Meet with and participate with SCC members on Tuesday or Thursday afternoons (18 hole shotgun start @ 1pm) or join one of our couples events on Wednesday afternoon (9 hole scramble @ 3:30pm) or Sunday afternoon (18 hole Best Ball per Couple @ 1:00pm). Call Golf Pro Eric Zinn at 743-3433 to sign up for the church special invitation and learn about the optional golf membership categories available.

We have Tennis Courts Too

SCC also invites individual tennis players to join SCC members at one of our tennis instructional clinics at a nominal rate and experience SCC's soft Har-Tru green clay courts. Call Tennis Pro Richard Lorenzo at 849-0297 to sign up for the Church Special Instructional Clinic and learn about the optional tennis membership categories available.

Check us out at www.sombrerocc.com

Emmaus Retreat
February 26, 27, 28
Pigeon Key

“...Where two or more of us are gathered
in his name..”

St. Peter, San Pablo, and St. Mary Church invite you to attend an Adult Retreat. This is a time for adults to slip away from their hectic lives and relax as they explore their spirituality. It is a time for fun and laughter; a time of quiet reflection; a time of companionship and sharing. The retreat is limited to 30 participants. We invite you to come and share our joy at this unique Emmaus gathering.

Led by Spiritual Directors, Father Tony Mullane, Deacon Bill Rich and Deacon John Kirk, this experience is a journey every adult will find spiritually rewarding.

An experienced retreat team will be on hand to assist you with any needs you may have. Cost of the retreat is \$110.00. Applications are available in the back of the church or in the office. Scholarships are available for those who cannot afford the registration fee.

For additional information, please visit

<http://www.stpeterbpk.com/html/emmausinfo.htm>

Or call the St. Peter Church at 872-2537

Reminder: we have \$25 Winn-Dixie gift cards. When you purchase them from us, a percentage is donated to our **Education Fund**....available in the office. **We also have scrip (gift certificates) for Barracuda Grill in Marathon and Square Grouper on Cudjoe Key.**

Profits benefit our Education Fund.

If you visit the Big Pine Restaurant, tell them that you are from St. Peter Church and they will donate a portion of your check to our Education Fund. We recently received a check from them for \$201.00 **Thank You!!** We still collect Box Tops for Education, Campbells' Soup Labels and aluminum pull tabs!

Centering Prayer meets at 6pm Fridays in the Chapel. New members are always welcome. Please call the office ahead of time as we sometimes make changes in our starting time.

Knights of Columbus

KC will sponsor a Breakfast this Sunday Feb. 14th

Menu is: pancakes, scrambled eggs, bacon and sausage, biscuits and gravy and more!

9:30-11:00am

Adults \$6
Children \$3

Save the Dates:

Women's Faith Sharing will be starting on **Wednesday February 24** from 11am-1pm in the Ministry Center. Sign up sheets are available in the back of the Church or in the office. Please take a handout when you sign up. This session will be about **Women of the Old Testament.**

The remaining sessions will be on March 3, 10, 17th and 24th.

For questions, call Norma Thompson at 745-2382.

Keyboard player urgently needed!!



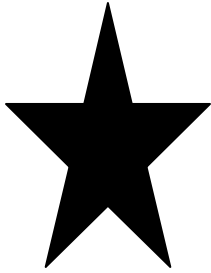
The choir is looking for another part-time keyboard player. If you can help us out for the summer or all year round, please call the church office at 872-2537.

We have some extra copies of our latest Parish Directory in the vestibule—if you didn't get your copy yet, pick one up and leave us a small donation to cover our cost. This is your chance to finally discover the names of those parishioners who you know by face, but not by name!

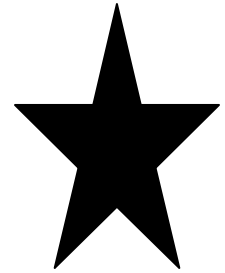
SUPPORT GROUPS

Grief Support Group	1st and 3rd Wednesdays at 7:30 pm in Cuarto Gato
ALANON	Wed. noon-1pm in Cuarto Gato
CODA (Codependents Anonymous)	Tues. 6:30 pm in Cuarto Gato
Divorced and Beyond	2nd Monday 7-8pm in Ministry Center.

St. Peter's 20th Annual
President's Day Auction



**Flea Market &
Auction**
Monday, Feb. 15



Auction Preview on Sunday, February 14th
9:30am-1:00pm

**Live and Silent Auctions will begin Monday
at 10:30am**

We are now accepting donations of new and used items to be sold at the Live Auction, the Silent Auction and Flea Market: art, jewelry, boats, furniture, tools, sporting equipment, etc.
Please bring Silent Auction items to the Stained Glass room

Dealers must stay until 1pm
First come—first served
\$25 each spot (15' x 25')
\$5 extra for corner space.
Spots still available.

Refreshments served by the Ladies Guild

No food vendors please.

A partial list of auction items:

Boats: 1989 25 ft. Pursuit w/cuddy cabin with 250hp outboard motor—runs good, trailer not included, hard top, live well, fish box
1991 19'8" fiberglass boat w/motor—engine needs work—trailer included
1999 12 ft Porta-Bote w/outboard motor; canoe;
24' Galaxy boat w/MerCruiser engine & Loadmaster trailer
Dining room set—glass topped table w/white upholstered chairs
Wicker rocker and end table recliner
2 small upholstered chairs
Atlas drill press—works
Husky electric cement mixer—needs new battery;
RCA flatscreen TV

Domestic battery powered portable refrigerator;
Tyger Ray underwater scooter—runs good—needs new battery
Yamaha Wave Runner 700
Rolltop desk
Icom HF/VHF/UHF all mode transceiver with accessories
Trx Personal Transporter (2)
Folding casino table with chips & cards
Inflatable raft
JVC flatscreen TV
Schwinn bicycle
Watercolor by Connie Hauk
Stained glass clock handcrafted by Dan Lynch
Indoor/outdoor patio set with glass-topped table
And much, much more!

Promises: A Parish Lenten Mission

Ash Wednesday 7pm: "Seek the Lord"
Thursday, Feb. 18: "Give and Receive"
Friday, Feb. 19: "Serve and Be First"

Join Deacon Bill and Carol Waterman for three evenings of inspirational talks and great music—what a way to start Lent!

Ash Wednesday Schedule:

Ashes will be distributed at the 8am morning Mass and at the 7pm Lenten Mission Service.

Lenten Regulations:

Fast and Abstinence: the holy season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday. Both Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of abstinence from meat for all who are 14 years old and older. They are also days of fast (one full meal and 2 small meals with nothing eaten between the meals) for adults from 21 to 59 years of age.

All Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence from meat for those 14 years old and older.

Haitian Relief Local activity:

St Peter Church, in conjunction with the other Keys parishes (St Mary's, San Pablo, San Pedro and St Justin) will be sending humanitarian aid to Haiti. This will be a concerted effort by the people of Monroe County to collect materials and money. The materials will be transported directly to Petit Goave in Haiti from Key West. The reason Petit Goave was selected is that it was heavily impacted by the earthquake, is a waterfront community and Fr. Lesley Jean (from St. Mary's) is originally from that city and has connections with the Sisters of Wisdom who have the ability to arrange secure delivery to those in need.

The materials will be collected at a location (5180 Overseas Hwy) on Stock Island (formerly the Dollar Store) generously donated by Mr. & Mrs. Bill Murray.

Donations of material will be accepted starting Saturday, Feb. 20th and concluding on Saturday, March 20th. The collection site will be open Monday through Friday from 3-6pm and from 9-5 on Saturdays. Volunteers are needed to man the collection site. If you can help, please call Peter Batty at 296-7920 or e-mail him at pbatty@spottswood.com.

If you would rather bring your donations to St. Peter's, we are storing collected items under the Ministry Center.

Fr. Tony is organizing the shrimp boats which will carry the materials to Haiti. Owners of commercial fishing boats 60 feet and over are welcome to participate.

Call Father Tony at 872-2537.

Haiti Donations accepted:

Money—it will be used to pay expenses of transport and any left over will purchase plywood, rice, etc. Make checks payable to St. Mary Star of the Sea Haiti Fund or to St. Peter's Catholic Church Haiti Fund.

Tents
Sleeping bags
Blankets
Tarps
Rope
Buckets
Roofing materials (tarpaper, shingles, tin roofing, etc.)
Crutches
Walkers
Soccer balls
Bicycles (in working order)
Sterno
School supplies
Shoes
Used clothing (washed, folded boxed and labeled)
Woodworking tools
Baby and children's clothing (washed folded, boxed and labeled)
Nails and screws
Power tools
Generators
Canned food
Vegetable oil, bulk rice and dried beans
Canned or bottled baby food
Building materials (plywood, 2 x 4s)
Medicine (out of date is OK)