

		<b>3rd Sunday in Lent March 7, 2010</b>		Mass	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
<i>All Are Welcome 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.</i>				Sat. 5:30pm	L.Miller	A.Ruddy R.Farrell Deacon Jack	N.Jackowski D,Massacci A.Hughes
				Sunday 8:30am	C.Hoffman	M.Readel B.Rudy	R.Stormm O.Mendez V.Haskins
				Sunday 11 am	B.Ripkey	S.Myers B.Farreny S.Derwin	G.Rihl N.Rihl A.Patterson
				<b>Weekend Readings:</b>			
				<u>Reading I:</u> Exodus 3:1—8a, 13-15. "I AM" sent me to you. <u>Reading II:</u> 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12. The life of the people with Moses in the desert was written down as a warning to us.. <u>Gospel:</u> Luke 13: 1-9. If you do not repent you will all perish as they did.			
				<b>Weekly readings:</b>			
				<b>Monday:</b> . 2 Kings 5:1-15ab; Luke 4:24-30.			
				<b>Tuesday:</b> Daniel 3:25, 34-43; Matthew 18:21-35.			
				<b>Wednesday:</b> Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9; Matthew 5:17-19.			
				<b>Thursday:</b> .Jeremiah 7:23-28; Luke 11:14-23.			
				<b>Friday :</b> Hosea 14:2-10; Mark 12:28-34.			
				<b><u>Eucharistic Adoration:</u></b> is every Tuesday beginning with Mass at 8:00am and ends with Benediction at 7pm Any questions? Call Ginny at 872-4419.			
				"Jesus wants us to spend a quiet hour of prayer with Him. 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." <i>Mark 6:31</i>			
				<b><u>Collections:</u></b> Sunday 1st \$5,294.00 \$497.00 (ABCD) Building Fund \$50.00 Sugarloaf 1st \$577.00 2nd \$93.00 (ABCD)			
				<b>Keyboard player <u>urgently needed!!</u></b> 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.			
	Mass For	Requested by					
Saturday 4pm S. Loaf	+Mary F. Woolvard	Flo Boyle					
Saturday 5:30 pm	+Raymond Thiede	Pete & Micki					
Sunday 8:30am	+Tom Bastien	Bastien Family					
Sunday 11am	S.I. Armando Wirshing	Maria & Ronnie					
Monday 8 am	+Frank DiBonaventura +Janice Malack	Richard & Pat Ruthann Morris					
Tuesday 8am	+Margaret Buchanan +Margaret Suchodolski	Bette Maier Bette Maier					
Wednesday 8am	+Joe Ward S.I. Helen & Brian Convery	Jim & Margaret Burns Thompson Family					
Thursday 8am	+Robert Lewis +Victims of Haiti Earthquake	Bette Maier Richard					
Friday 8am	S.I. Richard & Par DiBonaventura (birthdays) Andrew Flynn McCarthy	Jim & Margaret Burns Maria C.					
March 13 Sat. 4:00pm Sugarloaf							
March 13 Sat. 5:30pm Big Pine	+Kathryn, Norma & Russell Oettle	Jim Oettle					
March 14 Sunday 8:30am	+LaReine Plank	Bastien Family					
March 14 Sunday 11am	+James & Kathleen Donegan	Bette Maier					

**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 Baldrige, Charlie Smith, Donald Admetz, Jean Dillon, Rick Vamberg, Joe Stern, Jim Ronchetto, Ruth Ann Dearyberry, Michael Ruddy, Tony Conte and Dot Forman.

**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.**

**We have a glass display cabinet for sale in the Stained Glass room—it is 68 inches wide.**

**Web Site** Don't forget to visit our web site at [www.stpeterbpk.com](http://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](mailto: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...

**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.

**Save the Dates:**

**Women's Faith Sharing** will continue this week with a discussion of Mary of Nazareth and Elizabeth. You may still sign up in the back of the church or in the office. Sessions are on Wednesdays from 11-1:00 in the Ministry Center. Please bring your own lunch. For questions, call Norma Thompson at 745-2383.

**From Fr. Peter:**

"Dear all—apologies for not being able to meet everyone and say hello. I have been leading a mission week in Key West. However, I shall be back for the month of August, and hope to meet everyone then."

With love and prayers—Fr. Peter Scott

Check out Deacon Bill's weekly reflections on [goodnewstoday.net](http://goodnewstoday.net) (Good News Today)

**LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

**Good Friday, April 2nd 3PM**

Men and Boys, Women and Girls of all ages  
Welcome to Participate - No experience necessary  
Total commitment of 6 hours over two days  
(two rehearsals and one performance)

**Bring to Life and Experience the Crucifixion**

Sign up sheets and flyers at the back of church

Questions: Enid Mendoza  
[enid@sergiomendoza.com](mailto:enid@sergiomendoza.com) and  
Magda Trott (305) 745-2936

**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!

**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.

**Haiti Donations accepted:**

Money—it will be used to pay expenses of transport and any left over will purchase plywood, rice, etc. **Fr. Lesley Jean has requested solar showers. These portable, plastic containers hold up to 10 gallons of water and can be hung in the sun to warm the water. He said that the people have water, but lack the ability to heat the waters. We will designate a portion of donations to buying approximately 100 of these.** 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, generators, canned food, Woodworking tools, nails and screws, power tools, Vegetable oil, bulk rice and dried beans, Canned or bottled baby food, Building materials (plywood, 2 x 4s) Medicine (out of date is OK)

**There will be a Parish Meeting this Thursday at 7:30pm in the Stained Glass Room.**  
 Everyone is invited and all in Ministry are especially urged to attend—St. Patrick’s Day and Holy Week activities will be among the many events discussed.


**Thank you for your generous donations to The Archbishop’s Charities and Development Drive (ABCD)**  
 Our Goal is \$35,000.00. We have collected \$5,468.00 so far. Your gift supports many works of the Catholic Church in the Archdiocese of Miami, key among them feeding the hungry, sheltering the homeless, forming new priests and deacons, leading the initiative to respect life in all its forms, evangelizing and baptizing adults, and celebrating our faith throughout the Archdiocese from the Cathedral to all points north, south, east and west. Please be generous.


**RCIA or the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults**

**The Scrutinies:** During the third, fourth and fifth Sundays of Lent, we the Church pray for the Elect during ceremonies called the Scrutinies. The word scrutinize means to “examine closely” The elect have been examining and reflecting on their lives during their final period of preparation for receipt of the Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist, They have been praying for God’s help and grace to heal what is broken and build up all that is strong and good. We join them in that prayer for God’s strength and guidance.

The elect are also presented with the Creed and the Our Father during this time. The parish community entrusts these prayers to them as a sign of faith and enlightenment—these prayers express the heart of our community’s faith life and prayer. The Elect and the candidates will participate fully in Holy Week services with the parish family. They will become fully-initiated members of our community at the Easter Vigil Mass on April 3rd.

You are invited to join the RCIA group in a special learning session on Sunday, March 14th following the 8:30 Mass in the Ministry Center. Fr. Tony will be presenting the topic, “The Sacrament of the Eucharist and the Eucharistic prayer.” The session will last about 45 minutes. Please take this opportunity to learn more about your faith and meet the RCIA candidates.

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

 **CCD (Religious Education):**  
 Education students PreK 4—grade 6 meet in the church at 9:30 on Sundays for 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.


**Lenten Regulations:**  
**All Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence from meat for those 14 years old and older.**  
**Stations of the Cross will be held every Friday of Lent starting February 26 at 7:30pm.**

 Ladies Guild Corporate Communion  
 This Sunday March 7, 8:30am Mass  
 Ladies Guild will have their annual **Baby Shower for New Beginnings of Key West** on Tuesday, March 9th at noon.  
 Please bring an unwrapped baby gift.  
 Reservations required.  
 A light lunch will be served.  
 A sign up sheet will be in the church vestibule. There will also be a basket in the vestibule if you would like to donate an unwrapped baby gift for the shower.

**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!

**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.

 **Parish Social Ministry —The Food Bank**  
**Hours: Tues. 9am-12 noon**  
**Wednesday 9am-12 noon,**  
**Thursday 1pm-4pm**  
 Magda Trott—Parish Social Ministry  
 Keep in mind that “Loaves and Fishes” Sunday is the second Sunday of the month—March 14th.  
 Food donations to the St. Peter Food Bank help us continue to serve the less fortunate in our community.  
 Thank You!



**Grilled/Fried Dolphin Dinners**  
**March 5, 12, 26**  
**5-7pm**

**Complete Dinner includes coffee, tea and dessert (take outs available)**  
**Live music by the Knights of Columbus Band**

**Adults \$12 Children under 10 \$5**

**Sponsored by St. Peter Ladies Guild and Knights of Columbus**



**Big Bucks tickets are now on sale**

**The drawing will take place at the**  
**St. Patrick's Day celebration**  
**March 17, 2010**

**Only 300 tickets Donation: \$100 each**

**1st prize: \$10,000.00 cash**  
**2nd prize: \$2,000.00 cash**  
**3rd prize: \$1,000.00 cash**  
**Prizes 4-13: \$200.00 cash each**

**Dinner tickets for St. Patrick's Day are on sale now**  
**No tickets sold at the door**

**Knights of Columbus Breakfast**  
**Sunday March 14th**  
**9:30-11:00am - \$6.00 Adults - \$3.00 Children**

**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 are being collected at a location (5180 Overseas Hwy) on Stock Island (formerly the Dollar Store) generously donated by Mr. & Mrs. Bill Murray.

**Donations of material are being accepted now through Saturday, March 20th. The collection site is 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.