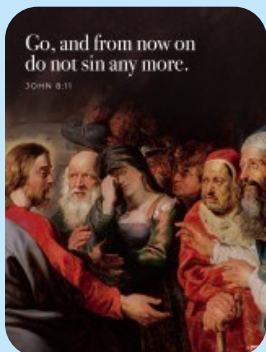


**April 6,
2025**



**Fifth Sunday
of Lent**



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 12:15 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. (Vigil).
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. (Spanish),
12:30 pm
Weekdays: 7:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 5:30 p.m.
O.L.P.H. Novena: 7:00 p.m. (Shrine) Filipino Sponsored

CONFESSIONS

Mon - Sat: 11:45 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. (Spanish)

RECTORY OFFICE

Monday - Saturday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday 9 a.m. - 12 noon.

GIFT SHOP SCHEDULE

Monday - Sunday: 10 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

APPOINTMENTS: You are asked to arrange an appointment in advance by telephone with the Priest you wish to see.

SICK CALLS: Emergencies & Hospital Visitation: Please contact the Rectory office.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism is administered monthly. Arrangements are made in advance at the Rectory. Sponsors must provide proof of eligibility by a letter from their respective pastors, and must have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Communion, and Confirmation. Parents attend a Pre-Jordan meeting prior to Baptism, which is arranged at a mutually convenient time.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Arrangements must be made with the pastor at least six months before the date of the wedding. Pre-Cana instructions are required. Couples rather than parents or wedding coordinators should contact the church. If either party was previously married, an annulment must be granted prior to the selection of a future wedding date.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, APRIL 5

5:30 PM Janine Malave Birthday - rb: The Malave Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 6

7:30 AM Purgatorian Society

9:30 AM Parish Family and † Felicita & Crecencio Fernandez - rb: Garcia Family

11:00 AM † Ermel Armodobal & Cista Ematilbe – rb: Jenny Almodobal

12:30 PM James & Michelle Devlin - rb: Anonymous

MONDAY, APRIL 7

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM † Maria Feudale – rb: Anthony Scicchitano

5:30 PM † Gioan Mai The Kha - rb: Mai Thanh Thuy

TUESDAY, APRIL 8

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM † Raffaele Scicchitano– rb: Anthony Scicchitano

5:30 PM † Tim Rossiter - rb: Bernadette & Family

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM OLPH MASS LEAGE

5:30 PM † Gioan Mai The Kha - rb: Mai Thanh Thuy

THURSDAY, APRIL 10

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM † David F. Kearney - rb: Susan & Christine Kearney

5:30 PM † Yolanda Del Valle - rb: Haydee Velazquez

FRIDAY, APRIL 11

7:00 AM Purgatorian Society

12:15 PM Neumann Guild

5:30 PM † Karl & Dorothy Goehring - rb: Michael Kost

SATURDAY, APRIL 12

12:15 PM OLPH MASS LEAGE

REMEMBER THE SICK OF THE PARISH

In your prayers, please keep in mind our sick, homebound, and those in healthcare facilities including: Fr. Gerard Brinkmann CSsR, Jennifer Woods, Clara Torres, Ada Olivo, John Fairey, Wayne Shaak, Jacob Rivera, Michaela Breslin, Jose Dorotan M.D., Rodolfo Suarez, June Ambrose, Minerva and Saulo Pena, Michael Miccilo, Marcelino Casiano, Luz Martines, Juana Ortiz, Collette Berg, Mary Zajac, King Phoenix Santiago Cruz, Charles Ambrose, Donald Ambrose, Ann Pham, Richard Simpson, Danielle Sorrichillo, Jack Michael Little, Reinalee Colon, Donna Marie Simpson, Mary Ha, and Estela Bugg. *Please call the rectory office to add a name.*

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FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners,

I want to take a moment to sincerely thank Linda Farrell, Mary Shaak, Jean Taraborelli, Diane Lazusky, and all the volunteers who made the Designer Bag Bingo event a success. The lucky winners took home various prizes, including cash, door prizes, and donated gift baskets. Everyone enjoyed a delicious meal provided by Catering by Jeff, and there was plenty of fun and laughter throughout the day. Fortunately, we had a sell-out crowd of over 200 participants, which helped us raise \$11,600 for the parish. This event is one of our most successful fundraisers and social gatherings of the year. Thank you again to all who contributed and participated in the event.



On a different note, we are saddened to announce that Jannine Malave, our Business Manager, will leave St. Peter the Apostle Church and the National Shrine of St. John Neumann on Friday, April 11th. Jannine has been an essential part of our parish for almost four years, and we will miss her greatly. However, we are excited to share that Jannine will be pursuing a career with Edward Jones, a leading



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financial service firm, where she will use her gifts to positively impact those she encounters. We want to express our deepest gratitude to Jannine for her service to our parish and wish her all the best in her future endeavors. We have assured her that she will always be welcome at St. Peter the Apostle Church and the National Shrine of St. John Neumann.

Please join the Redemptorists in praying for Jannine's continued happiness and success. We are confident that she will excel in her new role and positively impact the lives of those she helps.

Blessings,
Fr Mike

THE WAY OF THE CROSS

During Lent, we invite you to join us each day at 11:55 a.m. in the Shrine as we pray the Way of the Cross for peace. Please come and pray with us.



WEEKEND COLLECTION - 3/30/2025

Masses	\$3,790.05
Envelopes Mailed - Offerings	\$275.00
Electronic Giving -	\$1,338.00
Total.....	\$5,403.05
Total 2nd Collection.....	\$1,275.00

SANCTUARY CANDLES

This week, the candles in the sanctuaries will burn for the following intentions:

Blessed Sacrament Altar (Lower Church)

Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen

OLPH Shrine (Upper Church)

Little Family - rb: Nora Little

St. John Neumann Altar

Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen

Blessed Sacrament Altar (Upper Church)

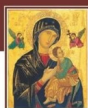
*Departed souls of Villanueva and Creachen Families
- rb: Patricia and Raymond Villanueva*

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ENTRY

EASTER

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SUNDAY, APRIL 20, 2025

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING 9:30 AM AND 11 AM MASS

CHILDREN WILL PROCESS TO THE RECTORY LAWN
FROM THE UPPER CHURCH FRONT ENTRANCE
1019 N. 5TH STREET

LA MISA DE HOY

11:00 AM † Ermel Armodobal & Cista Ematilbe –
sp: Jenny Almodobal

CONFESIONES EN ESPAÑOL

10:30 AM

DONACIONES DE UNITED WAY

Si usted contribuye a United Way a través de su trabajo, favor considere designar a la **Escuela San Pedro, United Way #52989**, para que su donación ayude a nuestra escuela.

VELA DEL SANTUARIO

Esta semana, las velas de los santuarios se encenderán por las siguientes intenciones:

Altar del Santísimo Sacramento (Iglesia de Abajo)

Familia Nguyen

- sp: *Le Nguyen*

Santuario de Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro (Iglesia de Arriba)

Familia Little

- sp: *Nora Little*

Altar de San Juan Neumann

Familia Nguyen

- sp: *Le Nguyen*

Altar del Santísimo Sacramento (Iglesia de Arriba)

Almas difuntas de las familias Villanueva y Creachen

- sp: *Patricia y Raymond Villanueva*

Capilla de los Redentoristas

Lorraine Kingsbury Miner

RECORDEMOS A LOS ENFERMOS DE LA PARROQUIA

En sus oraciones, por favor, tenga en cuenta a nuestros enfermos, confinados en casa, y aquellos en los centros de salud, incluyendo: Fr. Gerard Brinkmann CSsR, Jennifer Woods, Ada Olivo, John Fairey, Wayne Shaak, Jacob Rivera, Michaela Breslin, Jose Dorotan M.D., Rodolfo Suarez, June Ambrose, Minerva and Saulo Pena, Michael Miccilo, Marcelino Casiano, Luz Martinez, Juana Ortiz, Collette Berg, Mary Zajac, King Phoenix Santiago Cruz, Charles Ambrose, Donald Ambrose, Ann Pham, Richard Simpson, Danielle Sorrichillo, Jack Michael Little, Reinalce Colon, Donna Marie Simpson, Mary Ha, Y Estela Bugg. Favor de llamar a la rectoría para incluir un nombre en la lista.

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DEL ESCRITORIO DEL PASTOR

Queridos Feligreses,

Quiero agradecer sinceramente a Linda Farrell, Mary Shaak, Jean Taraborelli, Diane Lazusky y a todos los voluntarios que hicieron del Bingo de Bolsos de Diseñador un éxito. Los afortunados ganadores se llevaron a casa varios premios, incluyendo dinero en efectivo, premios de entrada y canastas de regalo donadas. Todos disfrutaron de una deliciosa comida proporcionada por Catering by Jeff, y hubo mucha diversión y risas durante todo el día. Afortunadamente, tuvimos un lleno total de más de 200 participantes, lo que nos ayudó a recaudar \$11,600 para la parroquia. Este evento es uno de nuestros eventos de recaudación de fondos y reuniones sociales más exitosos del año. Gracias nuevamente a todos los que contribuyeron y participaron en el evento.



Por otra parte, nos entristece anunciar que Jannine Malave, nuestra Gerente Comercial, dejará la Iglesia de San Pedro Apóstol y el Santuario Nacional de San Juan Neumann el viernes 11 de abril. Jannine ha sido una parte esencial de nuestra parroquia

~ Noticias de la Parroquia ~

durante casi cuatro años y la extrañaremos mucho. Sin embargo, nos complace compartir que Jannine desarrollará su carrera en Edward Jones, una firma líder en servicios financieros, donde usará sus dones para impactar positivamente a quienes la rodean.



Queremos expresarle nuestra más profunda gratitud por su servicio a nuestra parroquia y le deseamos todo lo mejor en sus futuros proyectos. Le hemos asegurado que siempre será bienvenida en la Iglesia de San Pedro Apóstol y en el Santuario Nacional de San Juan Neumann.

Bendiciones,
Padre Mike

DONACION ELECTRONICA

Ingresa a la página spaphilly.org y seleccione el enlace bajo el logotipo **Parish Giving**. Siga las sencillas instrucciones para registrarse.



COLECTAS DEL FIN DE SEMANA 3/30/2025

Misas	\$3,790.05
Sobres por Correo - Ofrendas	\$275.00
Donaciones Electrónicas -	\$1,338.00
Total.....	\$5,403.05
<i>Total 2a colecta.....</i>	<i>\$1,272.00</i>

EL VIACRUCIS

Durante la Cuaresma, les invitamos a unirse a nosotros cada día a las 11:55 a.m. en el Santuario para rezar el Camino a la Cruz por la paz. Por favor vengan a rezar con nosotros



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HOLY WEEK

SCHEDULE 2025

AT ST. PETER THE APOSTLE CHURCH

Holy Thursday, April 17

9:00 am Liturgy of the Hours - SHRINE
7:00 pm Mass of the Last Supper (Bilingual) - UPPER CHURCH

Good Friday, April 18

9:00 am Liturgy of the Hours - SHRINE
11:45 am - 12:15 pm Confessions - SHRINE
1:00 pm El Via Crucis/ Siete Últimas Palabras (Spanish) - SHRINE
1:00 pm The Stations of the Cross/ Seven Last Words (English) - UPPER CHURCH
3:00 pm Passion Liturgy with Adoration of the Cross (Bilingual) - UPPER CHURCH

Saturday Easter Vigil, April 19

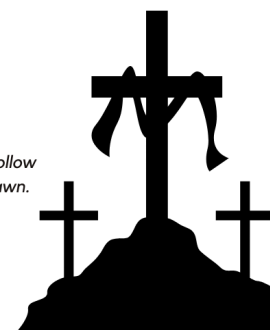
9:00 am Liturgy of the Hours - SHRINE
11:45 am - 12:15 pm Confessions - SHRINE
8:00 pm Easter Vigil (Bilingual) - UPPER CHURCH

Easter Sunday, April 20

9:30 am Mass (English) - UPPER CHURCH
11:00 am Mass (Spanish) - UPPER CHURCH
12:30 pm Mass (English) - UPPER CHURCH

The annual Easter Egg Hunt for the children will follow
the 9:30 am and 11:00 am masses on the rectory lawn.

Please note: No confessions or
7:30 am services on Easter Sunday



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