

VESTRY VOICE: COFFEE WITH THE VESTRY

See information and updates from the Vestry by clicking on the Vestry Voice page of our website (<https://stpetersparish.org>). Join us for coffee in Burns Hall after the 9:00 a.m. service.

ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASS

Are you curious about what it means to be an Episcopalian, or feeling called to take the next step in your faith journey? You are warmly invited to join a group for adults seeking Confirmation, Reception into the Episcopal Church, or Reaffirmation of their faith. Together, we will explore the beliefs, practices, and rhythms of our tradition using [Walk in Love: Episcopal Beliefs & Practices](#) as our guide (click on the link to purchase the book on Amazon). This will be a space for learning, conversation, and growth—a place to ask questions, deepen your faith, and discover more fully what it means to walk in love as part of this community. Please use the QR code or visit <https://form.jotform.com/StPetersParish/adult-confirmation-class> to register for the class and let us know which sacramental act you are interested in.

Confirmation Sunday will be on June 14 at the 9:00 a.m. service. Our classes began on **Sunday, April 26 from 4:00 - 5:15 p.m. in Room 201.** To register for the class, please use the QR code or visit <https://form.jotform.com/StPetersParish/adult-confirmation-class>.



Wherever you are on your journey, you are welcome here.

BEACH BAPTISM

Have you been baptized? If not and you are interested in being baptized in the Atlantic Ocean, please contact Patty Lanier at planier@stpetersparish.org or (904) 261-4293.

ASCENSION DAY BIBLE STUDY

Join us as we explore one of the most meaningful—yet often overlooked—moments in the life of Jesus: His Ascension. Together, we'll reflect on what it means that Christ reigns, how He remains present with us, and why this moment still matters for our lives today.

Wednesday, May 13 | 5:30 PM, Burns Hall | A simple supper will be served.

ASCENSION DAY EVENSONG

Continue the journey and deepen your faith at our **Ascension Day Evensong: Thursday, May 14 | 6:00 PM**
Come discover why the Ascension is not the end of the story—but a powerful beginning.

EUCCHARISTIC VISITOR TRAINING

A Eucharistic Visitor is a licensed layperson in the Episcopal Church authorized to take consecrated bread and wine directly from a Sunday service to parishioners unable to attend due to illness, infirmity, or age. If you would like to learn more about this ministry, please contact Mtr. Rachel McElwee for more information.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL BOOKSTORE COMMITTEE OUTREACH

The Bookstore Committee used their profits this year to support children's literacy for disadvantaged students in the community. On Sunday, May 3 the five selected Title I elementary schools within the diocese were announced. Southside Elementary in Fernandina Beach was one of the five schools selected. These funds will be designated for the purchase of books to support classroom libraries, media centers of literacy initiatives at each school.

SUNDAY, MAY 10 THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER - MOTHER'S DAY

7:30 am Holy Eucharist Rite 1
8:15 am Breakfast
9:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite 2
10:00 am Coffee Hour
11:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite 2
11:45 am Daughters of the King Mtg
4:00 pm Middle School EYC
5:00 pm EYC Shared Meal
5:30 pm High School EYC

MONDAY, MAY 11

5:00 pm EfM

TUESDAY, MAY 12

7:45 am Men's Bible Study
10:00 am Staff Mtg
3:00 pm St. Peter's Crafters
5:00 pm EfM

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13

7:45 am High School Breakfast
12:10 pm Holy Eucharist Rite 2
4:00 pm Choir School
5:30 pm Ascension Day Class
7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, MAY 14 ASCENSION DAY

10:00 am Centering Prayer
6:00 pm Ascension Day Evensong

FRIDAY, MAY 15

12:00 pm Piano Festival
1:00 pm Mahjong Group



THIS WEEK'S CELEBRATIONS

BIRTHDAYS

Sunday, May 10

Lauren Barry, Jonathan Presley, David Sexton

Monday, May 11

Kathleen Douglas, Moya Page

Tuesday, May 12

Jennifer Pierce, Phil Ray, Miles Townsend

Wednesday, May 13

Leigh Coulter Beal, Ed Grissom, David Page,
Walker Wicklund

Thursday, May 14

Ann Hess, Kevin Lin

Friday, May 15

Kristin Janzow, Emily Anne Stewart, Yasu Watanabe

Saturday, May 16

Brick Riehle, Zeke Riehle

ANNIVERSARIES

Monday, May 11

Kelley & Jason Allgood

Wednesday, May 13

Melanie & Brian Grimley

Thursday, May 14

Patricia Zeno & Frank Parent

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ST. PETER'S CHARITABLE FOUNDATION

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Trustees

Peter Black, Chairperson, Ken McDaniel, Treasurer,
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The Rev. Sarah Minton, Laura Lee Skillman, Sr. Warden

PARISH PRAYER LIST

Sandy Rogers, Jerry Torchia, Carson, Emily, Don, Teresa Drost, Marion Banks, Sharon, Dianne, James & Carlita Lee, Nancy Heck, Matthew Hitpas, Keith, Lynell Bernard Jordan, Diane Loosemore, Anne Bybee, Carol Stevenson, Don Yanik, and Jennifer Litsinger

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

Sydney Lanier, Nick Roberts, Clint Rauer, Danielle J. Pendleton White, Gwen Dickson, Katie Black, Deborah Held, David Chamberlain, Romonda Jordan, Judy Kent, Jan Smith, The Heath family, Leatha, Tucker Arnold, Davison Chapman, Antoinette, Lauren Barry, Wilhelmina Jenkins, Colleen, Henry Flexon, John Younger, Layni Lentjes, Ingrid May, Charles, Albert May, Jim Dean, Janet Dickman, Cheryl Smith, Barb A., Carra Lee Taylor, Barbara Davis, Billy Gass, Bert Way, Jason Powell, Heather Broussard, Frank & Marie Wankowski, Ingrid, Rose Montgomery, and Lilly Minotto

THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

Jeff Rogers

A Celebration of Giving!

A Luncheon for
St. Peter's Hope House Ministry
Donors, Team Leaders, & Volunteers
Saturday, May 30th
11:30 a.m. ~1 p.m.
in St. Peter's Burns Hall

Please RSVP: diane.locastro@gmail.com
by end of business May, 15, 2026

We would like to invite all those parishioners who have personally given to this cause in order to serve our local community in need. So, whether you have generously donated your time on one of our two Friday dinner teams, or provided numerous, tasty, individually-wrapped desserts, or given generously to the IDN Fund at St. Peter's, we would love for you to join us for this special luncheon.

VESTRY

Class of 2026: Annette Bell, Kevin Green, Diane LoCastro, Tracy Smythe

Class of 2027

Jayne Jeney, Laura Lee Skillman, Senior Warden, Diane Woodside

Class of 2028

Emily Haas, Kathy McLean, John Myers, Ted Pappas, Trey Warren, Junior Warden

Treasurer

Connie McDaniel