



ST. PETER CLAVER CHURCH

Vision Statement: *“Saint Peter Claver Church will engage, energize and empower the people of God to grow and evolve spiritually.”*

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 4:00 p.m.

Sundays: 7:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

Holy Days: See Liturgy of the Eucharist schedule inside

Weekdays: See Liturgy of the Eucharist schedule inside

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. on Saturday or anytime by appt.

BAPTISM

Appointment with the priest or deacon for preparation is necessary. Call during pregnancy or as soon as possible after the child is born.

MARRIAGE

Contact the priest at least six (6) months in advance.

FUNERAL

Contact the parish office **BEFORE** making arrangements with a funeral home.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Friday 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. **SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Grades K-7 – Saturday from 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Meet in the parish school.

WEBSITE : www.stpeterclaverneworleans.org

NEW PARISHIONERS: WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

COMMUNITY! We ask that you please call the office to register in the parish.

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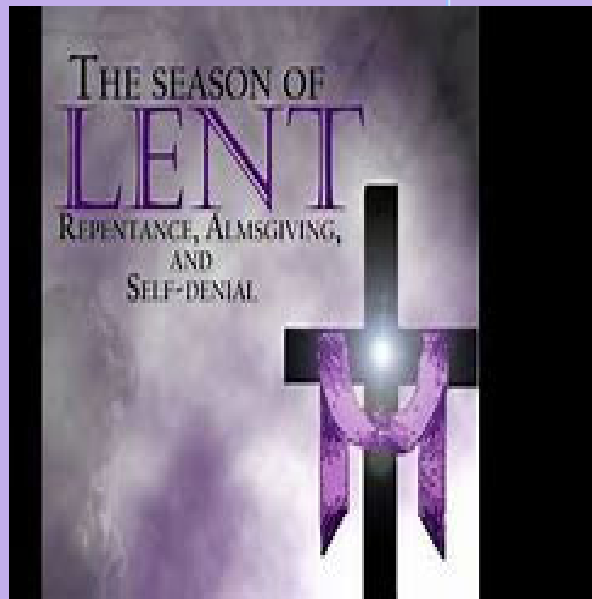
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St. Peter Claver School

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Deacon Lawrence Houston
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MISSION STATEMENT

St. Peter Claver Catholic Church is a vibrant, spirit-filled, evangelizing community that is grounded in the Eucharist and celebrates the culture and traditions of our African-American heritage. Strengthened by our belief in Jesus Christ and trusting in God’s Word, we transform our community through acts of justice by caring for the spiritual and physical needs of His people.

SCRIPTURE INSIGHTS

Glory will come out way, if we but stand firm in the Lord! This is the theme of today's Scripture readings.

The First Reading is the second of three accounts of god's covenant with Abram, who is later known as Abraham (cf. Genesis 12:1-9; 17:1-27). This covenant is what scholars call a royal grant treaty, because God blessed Abram with this promise of land and descendants with no strings attached. Abram did not earn this honor but only believed God and, for that, God credited it to him as righteousness, meaning "right relationship" with God.

Today's Gospel is suggestive of the Sinai covenant. As the story unfolds we learn that Moses (representing the Law) and Elijah (representing the prophets) appeared alongside of Jesus, and the three of them converse about Jesus' "exodus" that will take place in Jerusalem. The evangelist uses this scene to prefigure Jesus' death and Resurrection, but the disciples do not understand. The three tents are perhaps a reminder of the pilgrimage during the Feast of Tabernacles, which commemorates the Israelites' desert wandering during the Exodus.

In the Second Reading, Paul urges the Philippian Christian community to imitate him, humbly following God's calling to be "perfectly mature"; in their conduct. Why? So that they may one day be transformed and conformed to the risen Christ's glorious body. This is our inheritance, as well, if we but stand firm in the Lord.

- ◆ What might Peter have wanted to ask Jesus on their way down the mountain.
- ◆ The First Reading highlights the value of ritual. When does ritual help you commemorate an event?
- ◆ What does Paul mean when he says, "Our citizenship is in heaven?"

REVIVAL!

**YES, Revive Us Once Again!!
Revive, Renew and Rejoice of God's
Goodness!!**

Join us for our Lenten Revival: THEME: "From Ashes To Glory": Beginning on Monday, March 25-27, 2019 7:00 p.m. nightly in the Church.

Our Revivalist:
Bishop Fernand Cheri



**Institute For Black Catholic Studies at
Xavier University of Louisiana.**



Anyone in Ministry who are interested in Summer Classes at the Institute for Black Catholic Studies at asked to call the Parish Office. There are brochures in the rear of the Church and the various courses that are being offered. Beginning July 1, 2019 thru July 19, 2019.

STEWARDSHIP
a way of life

Our Stewardship for Sunday, March 10, 2019 was **\$12,845.06**; **\$18,827.00** is NEEDED to balance the budget weekly. Shortfall for March 10, 2019 is **\$5,981.94** **2nd Collection: Building Fund: \$365.17.**

Thanks for your generosity.



Scripture Readings for:
March 18-24, 2019

Monday-3/18/19 **Genesis 4:1-15, 25**
 Mark 8:11-13

Tuesday-3/19/19 **Genesis 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10**
 Mark 8:14-21

Wednesday-3/20/19 **Genesis 8:6-13, 20-22**
 Mark 8:22-26

Thursday-3/21/19 **Genesis 9:1-13**
 Mark 8:27-33

Friday-3/22/19 **1 Peter 5:1-4**
 Matthew 16:13-19

Saturday-3/23/19 **Hebrews 11:1-7**
 Mark 9:2-13

Sunday -3/24/19 **1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13,**
 22-23
 1 Corinthians 15:45-49
 Luke 6:27-28

March 23, 2019
March 24, 2019



4:00 p.m. **Veronica Stevenson**, Ingrid Delahoussaye, Derek Delahoussaye, Adrain Francis, Stella Reese, Cleo Silas

7:30 a.m. **Monique Hardy**, Nona Webb, Yolanda Green, Keith Darby, Elvira Talton

10:00 a.m. **Kathleen Lee**, Ida Butler, Marguerite Johnson, Emelda Watts, Thelma Blouin

Balcony: **Lynette Walker**, Sharlena Johnson, Arthur Johnson

Lectors

4:00 p.m. Karriem Bennett * Cleo Silas
7:30 p.m. Kendra Tircuit * Jordan Colin
10:00 a.m. Lynell Joseph * Michelle Lee-Townzel



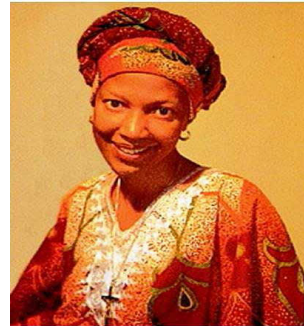
SANCTUARY LIGHT
Will burn in memory for:

Mr. Floyd Jackson, III

Requested by: Mrs. Dolores Page

A JOURNEY OF FAITH
TO THE HOLY LAND

Benefitting the Cause for Canonization of
Sr. Thea Bowman (1937-1990)
October 21-November 1, 2019



Come join us as the Bible comes alive and the Spirituals and Hymns are sung in the Holy Land!

Fr. Maurice Nutt, will be the Spiritual Guide and Mrs. Veronica Downs-Dorsey will be the Music Leader. There will be biblically informative and spiritually enriching worship experiences at the places where Jesus walked. Before leaving the Holy Land we will have an anticipated Mass for All Saints at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, the place of Jesus' resurrection, during Mass we will call out the names of our ancestors who have passed on. Additionally, Fr. Maurice will be celebrating his 30th Anniversary of Priesthood on the trip! There is additional information in the rear of the Church or call St. Peter Claver Church Parish Office, (504) 822-8059 or **contact Dona Clark/Tradewinds Travel & Tours; 224 N. Lindberg Blvd., #156, 341-890 0007/tradewindstravel@sbcglobal.net** **Price per person in a double room: \$4,795.00;** **Price per person in a single room: \$5,995.00**



St. Peter Claver Homebound and Sick Parishioners

Please pray for the following parishioners and friends who are homebound or ill:

Edith Henry, Alice Allen, Gwendolyn Rocque, Verna Mae Martin, Joycelyn Johnson, Stanley & Beatrice Grant, Myra Harrell, Pearl Dupart, Aaron LaCabe, Bernice Stein, Joyce Evans, Javette and Michael Garner, John & Claire Bidol, Demetria Bernard, Gladys Shief, Jerald LaPierre, Robert "RJ" LaPierre, Doris Finister, Marie Walker, Shirley Walker, Chris Price, Shirley Walton, Antoinette Johnston, Cindy Armstrong, Ralph Walker, Albert & Miriam Boucree, Audrey Evans, Vint Barney, Lydia Broyard, Yvette Brown, Shirley Pratt, Grace Jones, Lorraine Bowman, Linda Hunter, Ruby Perry, Yolanda Green, Barbara Phillips, Inaclaire Buckley, Louise Jenkins, Toki Joseph, Joseph Williams, Gerard Robinson, Sr., Emelda Petit, Johnnie Petit, Scarlett Crawford, Vivian Plessy, Debra Gray, Frederick Gray, Lionel and Marion Evans, Gerald Stone, Verlyn Mallory, Marva Batiste, Bronson Lee, John Parker, Maureen Nutting, Cynthia Bluford, Victoria Leslie, Lorraine Bart, Myrtle Dorsey, Bernell Johnson, Tamiko Haynes, Warrentia Clincy, Lula Belle Moss, Wilma Wilson, Wendell Baptiste, Dorothy Holden, Maxine Rixner, Jeremy Tauriac, Shonne Pierce, Wylene Jones, Nowell Lackings, Sr., Dereck Rovaris, Sr., Roslind Louis, Emelda Paul, Lydia Edwards, Ted Nutting, Le'Shawn Porter, Alcede Carter, Eberial McCoy, Joseph Washington, Kim Price, Shirley Simmons, Evangeline Walker, Lennox Perkins, Aneta Petit, Delores Chapital.

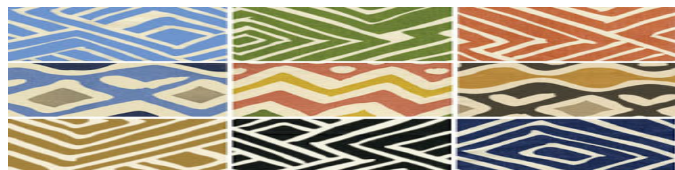
FATIMA ROSARY

Monday, March 18, 2019

**@ 5:00 p.m. 2100 Ursulines Ave.
Apt. 1103**



Requested by: Ms. Lucille McWilliams



Lenten and Holy Week Schedule—2019

LENTEN THEME: "From Ashes To Glory"

2nd Sunday of Lent

March 16th	9:00 a.m./Saturday-First Communion Retreat
March 16th	4:00 p.m./Saturday-Vigil Mass
March 17th	7:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.-Mass
March 18th	6:00 p.m./Monday-Bible Study
March 21st	1:00 p.m./Thursday-Adult Bible Study
	6:00 p.m./Thursday-Parent Meeting-Hall
March 22nd	11:00 a.m. Friday/Lenten Fish Fry
	3:00 p.m./Friday-Stations of the Cross
	6:00 p.m./Friday-Evening Mass & Stations of the Cross

3rd Sunday of Lent

March 23rd	4:00 p.m./Saturday-Vigil Mass
March 24th	7:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.—Mass-Church "Woman at the Well"

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March 25th-March 27th

THEME: "From Ashes To Glory"

March 27th	5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m./Wednesday-Archdiocese Reconciliation Service-Church
March 29th	11:00 a.m./Friday-Lenten Fish Fry
	3:00 p.m./Friday-Stations of the Cross
	6:00 p.m./Friday-Evening Mass & Stations of the Cross

4th Sunday of Lent

March 30th	4:00 p.m./Saturday-Vigil Mass
March 31st	7:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. Mass
April 1st	6:00 p.m./Monday-Bible Study
April 3rd	5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m./Wednesday-Archdiocese Reconciliation Service-Church
April 5th	11:00 a.m./Friday-Lenten Fish Fry
	3:00 p.m./Friday-Stations of the Cross
	6:00 p.m./Friday-Evening Mass & Stations of the Cross

5th Sunday of Lent

April 6th	4:00 p.m./Saturday-Vigil Mass
April 7th	7:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. Mass
April 8th	6:00 p.m./Monday-Bible Study
April 10th	5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m./Wednesday-Archdiocese Reconciliation Service-Church
April 12th	11:00 a.m./Friday-Lenten Fish Fry
	3:00 p.m./Friday-Stations of the Cross
	6:00 p.m./Friday-Evening Mass followed by "A Journey to Calvary"

HOLY WEEK: Palm Sunday

April 13th	10:00 a.m./Saturday-1st Penance-Church
April 13th	4:00 p.m./Saturday-Vigil Mass
April 14th	7:30 a.m. & 10:00a .m. Mass
April 15th	6:00 p.m./Monday-Bible Study
April 16th	6:00 p.m./Tuesday-Seder Meal-Hall
April 18th	7:00 p.m./Thursday-Holy Thursday Mass
April 19th	1:30 p.m./Friday/Good Friday-Living Stations
	3:00 p.m./Friday/Good Friday-Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion Service
April 20th	8:00 p.m./Holy Saturday-Easter Vigil
April 21st	EASTER SUNDAY
	7:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Mass



LENTEN FISH FRY

Sponsored by: The Knights of Peter Claver & The Ladies Auxiliary, Counsel & Court #50.

WHEN: Friday, March 22nd, 29th & April 5th & 12th; **WHERE:** St. Peter Claver Parish Hall, 1020 N. Prieur Street; **TIME:** 11 am.-6:00 pm; **MENU:** Fish, Baked Macaroni & Cheese, green peas, potato salad, bread, dessert and a drink; **COST:** \$10.00.

ATTENTION:

St. Gabriel the Archangel Catholic Church
Presents: A Lenten Morning of Prayer & Reflection

Speaker: Dr. Ansel Augustine

THEME: What's blocking the Fullness of Life in You Right Now?

Saturday, April 6, 2019; Breakfast & Lunch will be served; 8:15 a.m.-9:00 a.m. Breakfast; Lunch at 12:00 noon. Admission is Free/Adults Only! St. Gabriel Parish Hall; 5010 Piety Drive, New Orleans, LA To Pre-Register call Ms. Roz at (504) 282-0296. Please come out and support our on, Dr. Ansel Augustine.



Quarterly Breakfast
Sponsored by:
Family Life Ministry...

Please join us on Sunday, March 31, 2019 after the 7:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Masses for a morning of fellowship with our parishioners and your family in the School Hall. Breakfast menu: Coffee, juice, water, milk, grits, eggs, sausage, toast bread, etc. Cost: \$2.00.

We hope to see you there!

Weekly Ministry Schedule

March 18-24, 2019



Mon.	6:00 p.m.	Bible Study –Ujima Center
Tues.	7:30 a.m.	Mass-Rectory
	10:00 a.m.	Food Pantry-Misaada Center
	5:00 p.m.	Legion of Mary-Ujima Center
Wed..	8:30 a.m.	School Mass-Church
	6:00 p.m.	Faith Formation-Ujima Ctr.
	7:00 p.m.	Youth Ministry-Sankofa Bldg.
Thurs.	7:30 a.m.	Mass-Rectory
	10:00 a.m.	Food Pantry-Misaada Ctr.
	1:00 p.m.	Adult Bible Study-Ujima Ctr.
Fri.	7:30 a.m.	Mass-Rectory
	11:00 a.m.	Fish Fry-School Hall
	3:00 p.m.	School Stations of the Cross
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Mass & Stations of the Cross-Church
	6:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts-Ujima Center
Sat.	9:00 a.m.	CCD Classes-School Bldg.
	10:45 a.m.	Liturgical Dance-School Bldg.
	4:00 p.m.	Vigil Mass-Church
Sun.	7:30 a.m.	Sunday Mass-Church
	10:00 a.m.	Sunday Mass-Church
		Woman at the Well



Visit St. Ann's Shrine

(2100 Block of Ursulines Ave.)

Open

Tuesdays & Saturdays
9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

PRAYER FOR THOUGHT...while he was praying his face changed in appearance and his clothing became dazzling white. And behold, two men were conversing with him, **MOSES** and **ELIJAH** who appeared in glory and spoke of his exodus that he was going to accomplish in Jerusalem. By your across, O Lord you have saved the world. Christ is our light; **JESUS** is **LORD**; Redeem us, O God of Israel!



Mass Intention

March 17-23, 2019

Sunday, March 17, 2019

7:30 a.m. Parishioners of St. Peter Claver
Mr. Kenneth Carter
Mr. James Smith, III

10:00 a.m. Ms. Jade Gibson
Ms. Gloria Bucchus
Mr. Lionel Joienille
Edward and Edna Walker
Mr. Percy Walker
Mr. Dwight Bluford, Jr.
Ms. Janice Parker
Mr. Floyd Jackson, III
Michelle, Caden & Cylie McCullum
Living & deceased members of the
Aldrich, Evans, Moss and Tureaud
families
Living & deceased members of the
Crusto, Fleury, Graham, Saulney,
Prevost & Wilson families

Tuesday, March 19, 2019

7:30 a.m. Mass-Rectory

Wednesday, March 20, 2019

8:30 a.m. School Mass

Thursday, March 21, 2019

7:30 a.m. Mass-Rectory

Friday, March 22, 2019

7:30 a.m. Mass-Rectory

Saturday, March 23, 2019

4:00 p.m. Mr. Edgar Chase, Jr.
Mr. Thomas A.G. Lee
Mr. Ivory Johnson, Jr.
Ms. Shelia Johnson

PRAYER FOR THOUGHT... The same LORD is LORD of all. Everyone who calls upon the name of the LORD will be saved. **THE SEASON OF LENT:** You who dwell in the shelter of the Most High, no evil shall befall you, for to his angels he has given command about you what they guard you in all your ways. We do not live by bread alone. Enter into the Holy Season of Lent; We have been marked with the Sign of Repentance. One does not live by bread alone!

ST. PETER CLAVER HEALTH CORNER



MACRH IS NUTRITION MONTH

Eating right doesn't have to be complicated — simply begin to shift to healthier food and beverage choices. Try these recommendations to help you get started with making healthy life-style food choices:

Emphasize fruit, vegetables (fresh, frozen or canned---eat more dark green vegetables such as leafy greens and broccoli and orange vegetables including carrots and sweet potatoes), whole grains (eat at least 3 ounces of whole-grain cereals, breads, crackers, rice or pasta every day) and low-fat or fat-free milk and milk products. **Include** lean meats, poultry, fish, beans, eggs and nuts.

Make sure your diet is low in saturated fats, trans fats, salt (sodium) and added sugars.

Make Your Calories Count



Think nutrient-rich rather than "good" or "bad" foods. Making smart food choices can help you stay healthy, manage your weight and be physically active.

If you need more information about Maintaining a Healthy Diet please call or visit the Health & Wellness Ministry located in the Misaada Center. Office Hours: Tues. 10:00am – 12:00pm Phone: 504-822-8059

References: 1.) The American Heart Association
2.) The Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics 3.)
My Plate

St. Peter Claver Catholic Church
March, 2017

Meetings & Events

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 9:00 am CCD 4:00 pm Vigil Mass
3 7:30 am Mass 10:00 am Mass	4 LUNDI GRAS 	5 MARDI GRAS	6 <i>Ash Wednesday Masses</i> 8:30 a.m. 12:00 noon 6:00 p.m.	7 1:00 pm Adult Bible Study	8 3:00 pm Stations of the Cross 6:00 pm Mass/Stations	9 9:00 am CCD 4:00 pm Vigil Mass
10 7:30 am Mass 10:00 am Mass	11 3:00 pm Senior Citizens 6:00 pm Bible Study	12 5:00 pm Legion of Mary 6:00 pm Women of Nia- Imani	13	14 1:00 pm Adult Bible Study	15 3:00 pm Stations of the Cross 6:00 pm Mass/Stations	16 9:00 am 1st Communion Retreat 4:00 pm Vigil Mass
17 7:30 am Mass 10:00 am Mass	18 6:00 pm Bible Study	19 5:00 pm Legion of Mary	20 4:30 pm Bereavement Ministry	21 1:00 pm Adult Bible Study	22 3:00 pm Stations of the Cross 6:00 pm Mass/Stations	23 9:00 am CCD 4:00 pm Vigil Mass
24 7:30 am Mass 10:00 am Mass "Woman at the Well"	25 REVIVAL 7:00 pm <i>nightly</i>	26 REVIVAL 7:00 pm <i>nightly</i>	27 REVIVAL 7:00 pm <i>nightly</i>	28 1:00 pm Adult Bible Study	29 3:00 pm Stations of the Cross 6:00 pm Mass/Stations	30 9:00 am CCD 4:00 pm Vigil Mass
31 7:30 am Mass 10:00 am Mass Quarterly Breakfast						

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