

St. Peter's Catholic Church & St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Mission Church

"To live, love, learn the faith, and grow disciples of Christ"

Reverend Timothy A. Gadziala, JCL

St. Peter's Mass Schedule

Saturday:	5:00 pm
Sunday:	8:00 am
	11:00 am
(Spanish)	5:00 pm
Monday:	6:00 pm
Tuesday:	9:00 am
Wednesday:	6:00 pm
Thursday:	No Liturgy
Friday:	12:00 pm
Saturday: (First Saturday)	9:00 am

St. Elizabeth's Mass Schedule

Sunday:	(English)	2:00 pm
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Reconciliation

Saturday 4 pm to 4:45 pm

Or by appointment

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday from 9 am-1 pm and 6 pm-9 pm

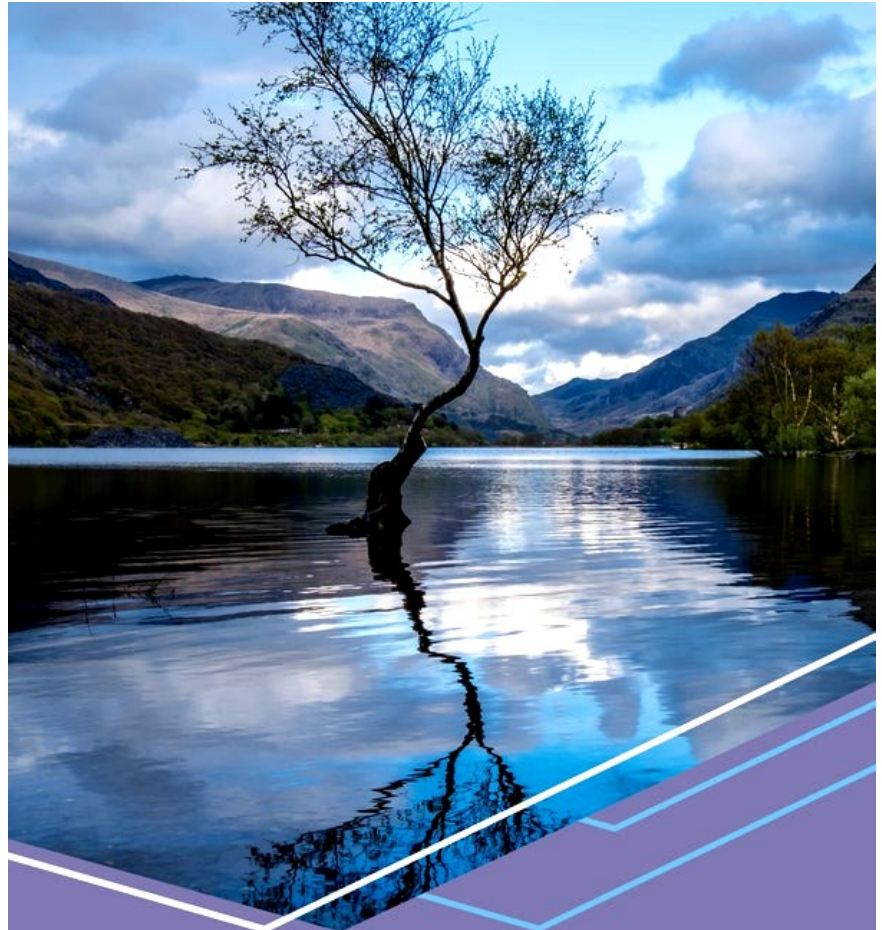
Adoration Chapel

Faith Formation

PREP (PK-8th):	Sundays	9:30 am
LIFETEEN:	Sundays	9:30 am
OCIA / OCIC:	Sundays	9:45 am
Adult Bible Study:	Tuesdays	9:30 am

Parish Staff

Pastor:	Rev. Timothy A. Gadziala
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Admin. Assistant:	Helga Kienlin
DRE:	Gail Sherman
Youth Minister/ EDGE:	Anthony D'Arco
Music Director:	Elizabeth Whitfield
Custodian:	Robert Jennings



29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? Will he be slow to answer them? I tell you, he will see to it that justice is done for them speedily. But when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?" - Lk 18:7-8

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If you are new to our parish, please ask a greeter or an usher for a copy of our welcome brochure or pick one up in the vestibule. You may also contact the church office with the contact information listed below.

Sacramental Emergencies: 762-323-1558

St. Vincent de Paul Help Line: 706-884-0076

Learn more about our Catholic Faith at formed.org. Use parish code 'HPK4VT' to sign up for your free account!



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This Week's Mass Schedule**Monday, October 20****Mass:** Carolyn & Bill McLachlan (†)**Tuesday, October 21****Mass:** Howard Hill (†)**Wednesday, October 22****Mass:** Rosemary Mueller Bryan (†)**Thursday, October 23****Friday, October 24****Mass:** Gambino Aliño (†)**Saturday, October 25****Mass:** Marge Purnell (†)**THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME****Sunday, October 26****Mass:** People of the Parish**Mass:** Alan Powers (†)**Mass:** No Liturgy**6:00 pm****9:00 am****6:00 pm****No Liturgy****12:00 pm****5:00 pm****8:00 am****11:00 am****5:00 pm*****Liturgical Ministries' Schedule*****Saturday, October 25, 5:00 pm****Altar Server:**

Amelia Gale

Gabriela Thomas

Extraordinary Ministers:

Diane Awtrey

Lyss Feria

Lector:

Laura Elliott

Ushers:

Mike Ellis, Bill Weckman

Peter Rivera, John Scherer

Sunday, October 26, 8:00 am**Altar Servers:**

Rose Mary Saju, Jessica Rosario

Callie Robinson

Extraordinary Minister:

Chris Joseph

Winston Pineda

Lector:

Jacque Hornsby

Ushers:

Holger Kienlin

Timothy & Thomas Reames

Sunday, October 26, 11:00 am**Altar Servers:**

Jacob Uritson, Austin Smith

David Braswell

Extraordinary Minister:

Dalila Soto

Don Smith

Lector:

Peggy Hill

Ushers:

Cjay Tarwater

Let Us Pray For Those Who Are Sick

If you know someone who needs to be added to the prayer list, please contact the office. Please pray for our loved ones. May they feel the healing touch of the Lord, especially:

Patty Henderson	Bruce Pendleton	Maria Canales
Mary Liska	Nancy Stevens	Bob Kusterman
Michael Corbell	Elsie Tipsword	Ed Basko
Rose Meister	Jody Hudson	

❀ The Second Collection ❀

The Second Collection this weekend is for Latin American/ Central-East European/ World Missions. The Last collection, St. Vincent de Paul Society, was \$4,745.00. Next weekend there will be no collection. Thank you for your generous support.

***Weekly Offertory***

for the

Weekend of October 12

Offertory: \$9,490.00

Online Giving: \$2,710.65

Attendance: 626

The Pope's Monthly Prayer Intentions

Each year, the Holy Father asks for our prayers for a specific intention each month. You are invited to answer the Holy Father's request and to join with the many people worldwide in praying for his intentions. This month we pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice, and human fraternity.



Is someone in your family ill? Are you a new mother? Let us know! Call the Church office @ 706-884-4224. Our Meals for the Sick ministry will be happy to assist you as you recover from your hospital/rehabilitation stay.

¿Hay alguien enfermo en su familia? ¿Es usted una nueva madre? ¡Háznoslo saber! Llame a la oficina de la Iglesia al (706) 884-4224. Nuestro ministerio de Comidas para los Enfermos estará encantado de ayudarlo mientras se recupera de su hospitalización / rehabilitación.



A Message From Father Tim

Thank you to all parishioners who have completed and submitted your Commitment Card! We invite all faithful parishioners to renew their annual commitment and return a card as our parish goal is 100% participation! You may return your card by:



- mailing it to the church.
- or bringing it to Mass next Sunday.
- or you may visit our parish website at www.stplagrange.com and complete an electronic Commitment Card.

All cards need to be returned to the parish by Sunday, October 26.

As a friendly reminder, electronic giving is an easy, safe and secure way to support St. Peter's Catholic Church. To set-up a recurring weekly or monthly gift or to make a one-time donation directly from your bank account or credit card, please visit our website and follow the instructions. We are grateful for your support!

Un mensaje del padre Tim

Muchas gracias a todos los feligreses que han completado y devuelto su tarjeta de compromiso. ¡Invitamos a todos los feligreses a renovar su compromiso anual y devolver una tarjeta, ya que nuestra meta parroquial es el 100% de participación! Las tarjetas de compromiso se pueden entregar de las siguientes formas:



- Enviando su tarjeta por correo a la parroquia.
- Trayendo su tarjeta a misa el próximo domingo.
- Visitando nuestro sitio web en www.stplagrange.com y completando una tarjeta de compromiso electrónica.

Todas las tarjetas deben ser devueltas a la parroquia antes del 26 de octubre de 2025.

Realizar su donación por internet es una forma fácil, segura y conveniente de apoyar a Iglesia Católica de San Pedro. Puede programar una donación electrónica, única o recurrente, directamente desde su cuenta bancaria o tarjeta de crédito, visitando nuestro sitio web ¡Agradecemos su apoyo!

November 7th is First Friday



Look forward to seeing you at Mass Friday at 9:00 AM. Due to Saint Peter's Golf Tournament, we will NOT have a social following the 9:00 AM mass.

This Week At St. Peter's

View our parish master calendar online at our website, <https://www.stplagrange.com/events/>

20	OCT, MON	5:30 – 6pm	PRO-LIFE Rosary
		6 – 7pm	Mass @ St. Peter's Sanctuary
		7 – 8pm	CCW meeting MultiPurpose Room
21	OCT, TUE	9 – 10am	Mass @ St. Peter's Sanctuary
		9:45 – 11:15am	Study of Catechism Adoration Hall
		6 – 7pm	Mass @ St. Elizabeth
		6:45 – 8pm	American Heritage Girls
22	OCT, WED	6 – 7pm	Mass @ St. Peter's Sanctuary
		7 – 8:30pm	Confirmation Class The Rock
		7 – 8pm	Choir Practice Sanctuary
24	OCT, FRI	9am – 1pm	Eucharistic Exposition
		9 – 11am	Meals On Wheels Parish Hall
		12 – 1pm	Mass @ St. Peter's Sanctuary
		6 – 9pm	Eucharistic Exposition
25	OCT, SAT	4 – 4:45pm	Reconciliation
		5 – 6pm	Vigil Mass @ St. Peter's Sanctuary
26	OCT, SUN	7:30 – 7:45am	Sunday Morning Rosary Sanctuary
		8 – 9am	Mass @ St. Peter's Sanctuary
		9 – 9:45am	Coffee & Donuts Parish Hall
		9:30 – 10:45am	PREP classes
		11am – 12pm	Mass @ St. Peter's Sanctuary
		12 – 3pm	Fall Festival

St. Elizabeth Corner

- Rosary every Sunday at 1:30PM in the Chapel
- Knights meeting after Mass Sunday, October 19, 2025
- Donuts and coffee after Mass
- A Bible Study on the Gospel of John will start on Sunday, November 2, 2025 from 12:30 PM until 1:15 PM at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church. See the sign-up sheet in the rear of the Sanctuary. If you didn't sign up, come anyway.

LIFE SOUTH
Community Blood Centers

Our next **Life South Blood Drive** will be on Thursday, November 6th in the Parish Hall.

Fall Festival Alert

Mark your calendars and loosen your belt buckles—our **annual Fall Festival** is coming in hot (and probably with brownies) on **Sunday, October 26th**, right after the **11am Mass**!

We've got games, and goodies, to make Snow-white jealous—but we need YOU to help make the magic happen. Think of it as your chance to be a festival hero (cape optional, but encouraged).

Check the Flocknote to sign up or scan the code below and join the fun. Whether you're great at organizing, preparing, or just showing up with a smile and a spatula—we want you!

Let's make this the most legendary Fall Festival yet.



¡Alerta del Festival de Otoño!

¡Marquen sus calendarios y aflojen los cinturones! **Nuestro Festival anual** de Otoño llega con todo (y probablemente con brownies) el **domingo 26 de octubre**, justo después de la **misas de las 11 a.m.**

Tendremos juegos y delicias que harían que Blancanieves se ponga celosa—pero necesitamos que TÚ nos ayudes a hacer que la magia suceda. Piénsalo como tu oportunidad de ser un héroe del festival (la capa es opcional, pero muy recomendada).

Revisa el Flocknote para registrarte o escanea el código abajo y únete a la diversión. Ya sea que seas experto organizando, cocinando, o simplemente apareciendo con una sonrisa y una espátula—¡te queremos con nosotros!

Hagamos que este sea el Festival de Otoño más legendario de todos.



EVERY 40 SECONDS, SOMEONE IN THE U.S. IS HAVING A STROKE!

Stroke Scan Plus and Saint Peter Catholic Church will be hosting lifesaving, wellness ultrasound screenings on **Thursday, November 13th**. It is important to perform preventive maintenance for ourselves yearly. Do you have **high blood pressure** or **high cholesterol**, **diabetes**, or a family history of **heart disease**, **stroke**, **abdominal aneurysm**, or **internal cancers**? If so, do not miss this opportunity for early detection of a possibly serious disease. These screenings are typically NOT performed at your annual check-up, and insurance companies may not pay for them unless you are symptomatic. **Stroke Scan Plus** will be offering them to you for **\$169** for all 7 combined ultrasound screenings (Stroke, AAA, Thyroid, Liver, Kidneys, & Gallbladder). Blood testing will incur an additional cost. Insurance is NOT necessary, and appointments are limited. Stroke Scan will be available at the church for you to register on **Saturday, November 8th - Sunday, November 9th**, or please call 832-437-7355 to schedule an appointment today for you or a loved one. The screenings will take place in/at the **Saint Peter Catholic Church**. Prevention is your key to quality health! www.strokescan.com.



CADA 40 SEGUNDOS, ALGUIEN EN LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS PRESENTA UN ATAQUE CEREBRAL!

El **jueves, 13 de noviembre**, **Stroke Scan Plus** y **Saint Peter Catholic Church** realizará exámenes preventivos vasculares con ultrasonido en el **Saint Peter Catholic Church**. Se examinarán dos áreas del cuerpo (Paquete Vascular): **las arterias carótidas del cuello** en busca de placas de grasa, lo cual es la causa #1 de ataques cerebrales; **la aorta abdominal baja** en busca de aneurismas.

Estos exámenes cuestan regularmente, en los hospitales, entre \$500 a \$1,200 cada uno. Stroke Scan ofrecerá dichos exámenes por solo **\$169** (costo total). Como cortesía, junto con el Paquete Vascular, también se examinarán la **tiroides**, **hígado**, **vesícula** y **riñones**, sin ningún costo adicional. Los análisis de sangre tendrán un costo adicional. Si usted quiere beneficiarse de estos exámenes, Stroke Scan estará aquí, en la iglesia, el día **sábado, 8 de noviembre - domingo, 9 de noviembre**, para que usted se registre. También

puede llamar a solicitar una cita al teléfono: **832-437-7355**. www.strokescan.com



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What: A sampling event where you can try many
different ethnic foods.

When: November 8, 2025

Time: 6:00PM

Where: St. Peter's Parish Hall

Tickets are \$12/person children under 12 are free.

Proceeds will go to the middle and high school
youth summer camp fund.

Beer/Wine & Tea/Lemonade will be available
50/50 Raffle



If you would like to be one of our chefs please contact
Louise Coniglio: louisefconiglio@gmail.com or (706)957-0948
Or
Fern Bergeron: wildflower604@hotmail.com or (706)402-3903

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CULINARIAS PREPARADAS POR TUS COMPAÑEROS FELIGRESES DE SAN PEDRO.



Qué: Un evento de degustación donde podrás probar una gran variedad de platillos étnicos.

Cuándo: 8 de noviembre de 2025

Hora: 18:00

Dónde: Salón Parroquial de San Pedro

Las entradas cuestan \$12 por persona; los niños menores de 12 años entran gratis.

Lo recaudado se destinará al fondo del campamento de verano para jóvenes de secundaria y preparatoria.



Se servirá cerveza, vino, té y limonada. ¡Rifa 50/50!

Si quieres ser uno de nuestros chefs por favor contáctanos
Louise Coniglio: louisefconiglio@gmail.com o (706)957-0948

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Fern Bergeron: wildflower604@hotmail.com o (706)402-3903

Readings of the Week ©LPI

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:

Ex 17:8-13 Ps 121:1-8 2 Tm 3:14-4:2 Lk 18:1-8

Through incessant prayer, we open ourselves more fully to understanding God's will. Through faith in the power of prayer, we experience God's love and assistance. Our Christian life is nourished by the scripture we read and by our received tradition.

MONDAY:

Rom 4:20-25 (Ps) Lk 1:69-75 Lk 12:13-21

Abraham relied on God and his holy covenant. What foolishness it is to rely on worldly possessions.

TUESDAY:

Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21 Ps 40:7-10, 17 Lk 12:35-38

Through the obedience of Jesus, all have been justified. Let us always be watchful for his return.

WEDNESDAY:

Rom 6:12-18 Ps 124:1b-8 Lk 12:39-48

Through Jesus' death, we have been rescued from sin to become servants of justice. At his future coming, an account of our stewardship will be exacted.

THURSDAY:

Rom 6:19-23 Ps 1:1-4, 6 Lk 12:49-53

Baptism frees us from sin and calls us to the ways of justice. Consequently, we may experience conflict on account of our faith.

FRIDAY:

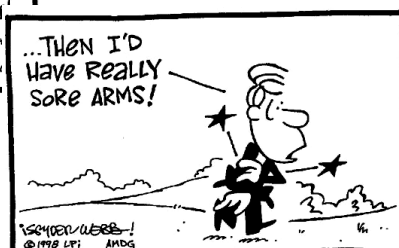
Rom 7:18-25a Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94 Lk 12:54-59

Orientation toward sin and death is overcome by Christ and his law of love. Be reconciled in his love as you await his return.

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 19, 2025

- Sunday:** 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time;
World Mission Sunday
- Monday:** St. Paul of the Cross, Priest
- Wednesday:** St. John Paul II, Pope
- Thursday:** St. John of Capistrano, Priest
- Friday:** St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop
- Next Sunday:** 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton - Mission

2904 Judson Bulloch Road, Warm Springs, GA 31830
706-846-5223

Sunday, October 26, 2:00 pm

Mass Intention:

No Liturgy

Weekly Offertory

for the
Weekend of October 12

Offertory: \$955.00

Second Collection

Attendance: 28

The Prayers We Don't Say

It has always confused me: why a judge?

Jesus could have compared prayer to the subject who requests a gift of his king. He could have compared it to the child who asks a favor of a parent. But in the parable of the widow and the judge, Jesus compares prayer — specifically constant, unwearying prayer — with the marginalized person who doggedly pursues her claim through an unforgiving legal system.

It's not a rosy or reassuring picture. So what is he trying to tell us?

Unlike a king or a parent, a judge has strictly drawn lines which he cannot, under any circumstances, cross. He can only help people who bring their case to court. Even good, earnest judges cannot render justice if charges are not brought.

God is all-powerful. But that doesn't make Him a meddler. He will not force his way into our problems. What would be the point? What is our life on earth for, if it is not to teach us how to turn willingly to God, in every instance — adoration, gratitude, need?

Today, I sat down and made a list of problems I don't pray about. When I was done, I looked at the list and asked myself: why not? Why don't I pray about these things? Some are huge issues over which I have absolutely no control, and prayer feels futile. Some are small grievances I never even considered mentioning to God.

If I prayed about them all, my life would be totally consumed by prayer. Constant, unwearying prayer. The kind of prayer Jesus calls me to in the parable of the widow and the judge: continual surrender of myself to the mysterious, limitless power of God.

Praying that way could make me tired. The widow was tired, too — but she kept bringing her charges. She got justice. And her judge wasn't even a nice guy.

So say the prayer. Bring the charges. Our judge is one who wants to help, but He won't overstep His bounds.



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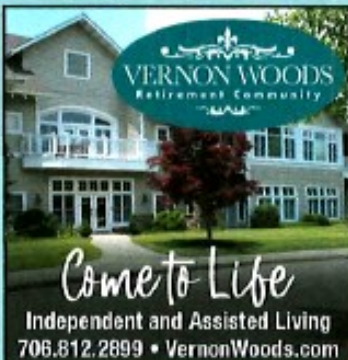
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