

SAINT PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH 219 ADAMS AVENUE MONTGOMERY, AL 36104

MARCH 9, 2025 FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM

Confession 3:30-4:15 PM

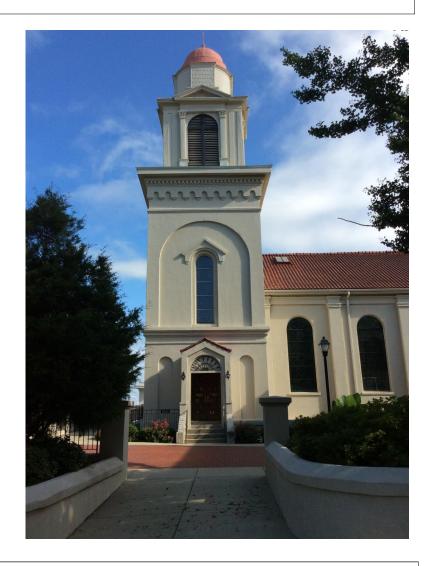
Sunday: 7:00 & 10:30 AM

Tuesday-Friday: 12:10 PM

Confessions 11:45-Noon

Holy Days: 12:10 PM &

5:30 PM



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Order of Worship

March 9, 2025

Prelude: Prelude on "Slane" Willian

Entrance: Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days SMH #625

Scripture Readings: TM page 70 Responsorial Psalm: TM page 71

Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble

Gospel Acclamation: TM page 72

Presentation: O Jesus, We Adore Thee SMH #667 Holy: SMH #193 Mystery of Faith: SMH #195

When we eat this Bread, and drink this Cup, we proclaim

your Death, O Lord, until you come again

SMH #197 Amen: SMH #198 Agnus Dei: Communion Music: **Andantino** Wolford

(4:30 p.m. & 7:00 a.m.)

Create In Me, A Clean Heart Mueller

(10:30 a.m.)

Closing: Life High The Cross SMH #614

Postlude: **Gothic Fanfare** Groom

SCRIPTURE READINGS

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT-3/8-9 **SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT-3/15-16**

Deuteronomy 26:4-10 Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18 Psalm 91: 1-2, 10-15 Psalm 27:1, 7-9, 13-14 Romans 10:8-13 Philippians 3:17—4:1 Luke 4:1-13 Luke 9:28b-36

MARCH 9 MARCH 16

Lector: Lee McMinn Lector: John Martello Leon Barwick Comm. Comm. Gary Parker Ministers: Rockie Johnston Ministers: Lucy Morgan John Johnston

John Johnston

DURING LENT THIS YEAR, please join us in the parish hall to learn and reflect on the art of Pysanky Egg decorating. Pysanky eggs are traditional Ukrainian Easter eggs decorated using a wax-resist (batik) method. Pysanky eggs are rich in symbolism, with traditional motifs representing nature, prosperity, protection, and renewal. Historically, they were believed to have protective powers and were often given as gifts. The tradition has been passed down through generations and remains an important cultural and artistic practice in Eastern Europe. The dates we will be in

the parish hall are March 15, March 29 and April 12 from 9 AM to 12 Noon. All materials will be supplied (including eggs). Participants are just asked to bring paper towels and patience.

WE HAVE PLACED RICE BOWLS AT EACH ENTRANCE TO THE CHURCH We invite you to take one home with you. Our regular giving small change during Lent will be a wonderful reminder to us of the needy and hungry throughout the world and we will be helping them. We will collect your Lenten "savings" at the end of Lent.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, Mar 9	7:00	Uvari Antony (L)
	10:30	PRO POPULO
Monday, Mar 10	12:10	NO MASS
Tuesday, Mar 11	12:10	Vince Thacker (D)
Wednesday, Mar 12	12:10	Dick Hodges (D)
Thursday, Mar 13	12:10	Gary & Kristi Parker (L)
Friday, Mar 14	12:10	Samantha Parker (L)
Saturday, Mar 15	4:30	Patsy Swain (D)



EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT, WE WILL HAVE STATIONS OF THE CROSS AT 6:00 PM, FOLLOWED BY A SOUP SUPPER. THE SOUP SUPPER ON MARCH 14TH WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE PARISH COUNCIL.

SAVE THE DATE! The 2nd Annual St. Peter Clay Shoot & BBQ is Friday, October 3, 2025, at the Lower Wetumpka Shotgun Sports Club. Sponsorship opportunities are available. Contact Jean Bradley at jtsbradley@gmail.com.

THERE WILL BE A SECOND COLLECTION at all Masses this weekend for Black & Indian Missions. The Black and Indian Mission Collection is a fund that supports evangelization programs for Black and Indigenous people in the United States. The collection's purpose is to evangelize, support, and strengthen programs for Black and Indigenous people.



JOIN US SUNDAY, MARCH 9TH at 7 PM in the parish hall for our Adult Education Class. The subject of the talk will be "Romano Guardini" and be presented by Dr. Doug Davis. Refreshments will be served after the talk.

IF YOU WERE UNABLE TO MAKE A DONATIN TO THE BUILDING FUND LAST WEEKEND, YOU CAN MAKE ONE ANYTIME DURING THIS MONTH, OR ANYTIME.



WE WILL HAVE OUR ANNUAL parish celebration of St. Patrick's Day on Saturday, March 15th. All are invited. This will be a pot luck dinner, so if your name begins with A-D, please bring a main dish, E-K, please bring a salad, L-Q, please bring a side dish and R-Z, please bring a dessert (rough guidance—if you have a particular extra special pot luck dish that gets lots of raves, feel free to bring that regardless of category). Dinner will start after the 4:30 Vigil Mass. The food will be

great and the fellowship even greater, so if you've never been to the St. Paddy's Day picnic, you're in for a treat!!



ST. BEDE IS A JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE SITE THIS YEAR Come throughout the year, every week, or every day and gain a plenary or partial indulgence (for yourself or for someone in purgatory) each time you come. Loads of confession times. **MASSES:** Saturday: Vigil 5pm, Sunday: 8 AM, 10AM, 12:30 Spanish, 5PM, Weekdays: M-F 6:30 AM with confession 6:10 AM til mass M, W, F: (except not on Fridays when school is out), Sat 8:30 AM with confession 8:10 AM til mass. **ADORATION:** T, W, Th 4-6 PM with confession 5:25-5:55

PM (no need to sign up, but you can on line), and you can join at 3 PM daily to pray the rosary at stbede.org.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to St. Peter Parish. We encourage you to join our parish family by completing a Registration form located in the vestibule of the Church. You can bring your registration form to the Church office or drop it in the collection basket.

Active Membership is determined by:

- Registration in the parish
- Faithful attendance at Sunday Masses & Holy Days
- Support of the parish through time, talent & treasures

ST. PETER CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT EVENTS

April 12—Service & Shrimp Boil
St. Peter
May 3—Fiesta-Jalapeno in the Alley
Montgomery

PLEASE SEE FR. MARIA BEFORE ANY DATES ARE SET FOR ANY OF THE SACRAMENTS. i.e., BAPTISM, 1ST HOLY COMMUNION, CONFIRMATON OR MARRIAGE

ST. PETER ADULT EDUCATION—2025

Mar. 9 Romano Guardini Dr. Doug Davis
Apr 13 The Foreign Missions Fr. Maria
May 11 The Catholic response to Child Trafficking
Deacon Jerry Conrad

The talk on May 11th is strictly an Adults Only Class

Classes begin at 7 PM in the Parish Hall. Refreshments to follow the talk.

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

MARCH 8/9—BLACK AND INDIAN MISSIONS
MARCH 29/30—CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

JUBILEE 2025—PILGRIMS OF HOPE

The Jubilee Prayer



Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the power of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace in our Redeemer through the earth. To you, our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise forever.

Amen

MARCH 2, 2025 - STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURY REPORT

Budget \$325,000.00

Collection—2/23/25 \$ 8,106.00 Regular Envelope Tithes) \$ 477.00 (PayPal)

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