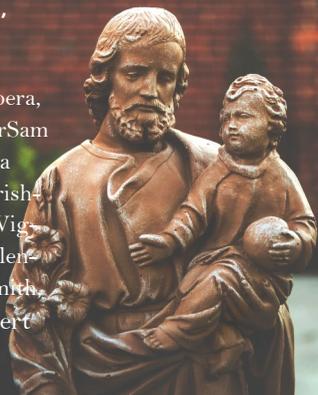


Prayer Requests/ Pray For...

Sandy Flowers, Leela Donegan, Sean La Barbera, Jeff Schwartz, Richard Webster, Paul Webster, Sam McKean, Laure Feuillet, Gary Silver, Erica McKenzie, + Deacon Joe McKenna, Arnuf Krishma, Dhruv Krishma, Austin Michael Leo Wigfield, +Charles Kenner, Dave Bolden, Val Valencia, Mark Smith, +Jim McKenzie, +Helen Smith, Penny McKenzie, Marge McGuire, Gilbert Taylor



And in our military:...

Benjamin Yellott, Andrew Golden, Elizabeth and Austin Garmon, Sean La Barbera, and Gabriella Voight

~Altar Flowers~

The Altar flowers this weekend are in memory Louis and Sophia Orth

The next open weekend for memorial flowers is October 2nd & 3rd.

~Catholic Radio ~

Father Jack's Program: "Two Francis's" will air at 12:00PM on Sunday, 9/25 and repeat next Saturday, 10/2, 7:00PM

WDTF 107.9 1 96.3

<https://soundcloud.com/wdfradio1079>

~RCIA~

Are you interested in learning more about your Catholic faith? Classes start October 3rd- 7:45 PM in the Parish Hall.

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"Ignorance of the Scriptures is ignorance of the Lord."

The Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

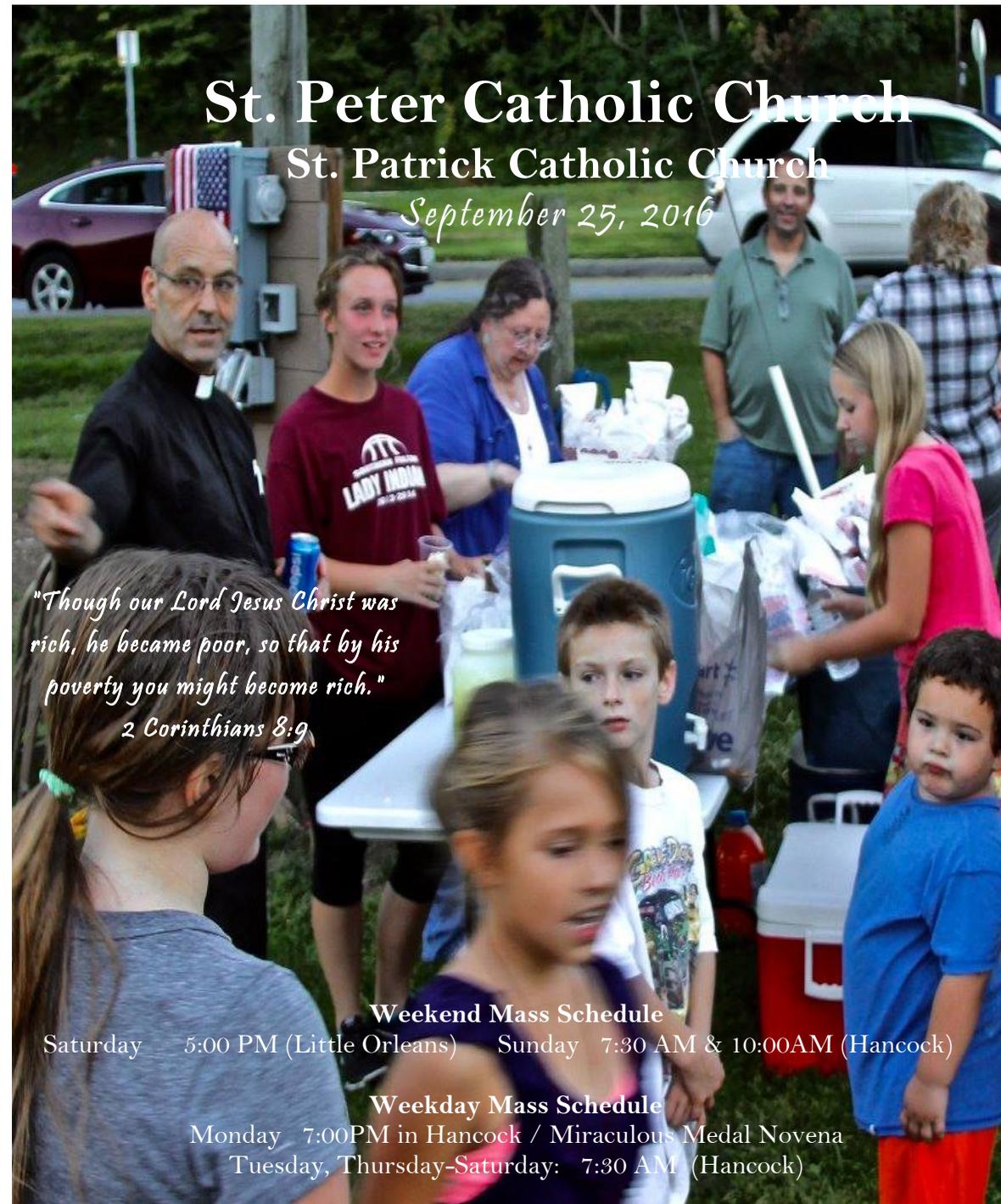
Readings: AM 6:1a, 4-7; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

Next Week (10/2/16): Hb 1:2-3, 2:2-4; 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10

St. Peter Catholic Church

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September 25, 2016



*"Though our Lord Jesus Christ was rich, he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich."
2 Corinthians 8:9*

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 PM (Little Orleans) Sunday 7:30 AM & 10:00AM (Hancock)

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday 7:00PM in Hancock / Miraculous Medal Novena
Tuesday, Thursday-Saturday: 7:30 AM (Hancock)

Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 24th— 5:00PM

+James Potts

Sunday, September 25th— 7:30AM

+Gay Wooldridge

Sunday, September 25th— 10:00AM

+Yvonne Callaghan

Monday, September 26th— 7:00PM

Evening Prayer at 6:50PM

Mike and Laura Bivens

Tuesday, September 27th— 7:30AM

Paula Cullings

Thursday, September 29th— 7:30AM

Sister Mary Joyce

All Day Adoration begins at 8:00AM

Rosary & Benediction at 7:00PM

Friday, September 30th -7:30AM

+Donald Lee La Follette

Saturday, October 1st — 7:30AM

Respect Life

Saturday, October 1st—5:00PM

+Gay Wooldridge

Join Us for These Upcoming Events!

Sun. Sept. 25— Volunteers to Richwood WV; Please pray for them. Any donations can be sent to the office.

Sun. Sept. 25— Marianna Sub Sale begins for Respect Life

Mon. Sept. 26— Mission Readiness Meeting at 7:30-8:45PM

Sun. Oct. 2nd— 4:00PM- Blessing of the Animals

Oct. 5, 6, & 7 —Ladies making Apple Dumplings

Oct. 7,8,9— MD Catholic Women's Conference

Fri. Oct. 7— First Friday Mass— 7:00PM

October 9— Bob Williams speak on his recent pilgrimage on the Spanish Camino

Oct. 9—Fr. Jack will be saying Mass at the Missionaries of Charity- 3PM- Wash., DC. Followed by serving dinner.

Sun. Oct. 16— Join us after Masses for donuts & social/ and welcome for new parishioners.

Sun. Oct. 16— 4:00PM- Youth Sports at local park!

Wed. Oct. 26— Hancock Halloween Parade

Mon. Oct. 31— Halloween Party and Trunk or Treat

Fri/Sat. Nov. 4 & 5 — Men's Retreat— St. Michael's in Clearspring.

November 5 & 6— Join Fr. Jack at Timonium Fairgrounds for an outdoor sleep out bringing awareness to homelessness.

Fri. Nov. 11— Homeless Sleepover Night— Hancock

November 9— The Archdiocese Of Baltimore will be giving a presentation in our area concerning divorce and annulment from a Catholic perspective.

Reflections—26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Amazing!

That is what I thought and felt this past Friday with our "Movie in the Park." It attracted a hundred souls—kids, families and adults. It was a beautiful night showing "The Jungle Book," which everyone loved. We handed out a bag of rosaries along with lemonade, pop corn, glowing winglets and candy bags! (See photo on front.)

I am thankful to ALL who helped and all who continue to help spreading Jesus' Gospel and Mission—to go out to save souls . This is the main message of the Archdiocese of Baltimore's reorganization plan, along with, firstly, our own conversion deeper into Jesus' disciples. We need to keep converting and going out to those around us to share the Gospel

The Mission Readiness Committee has done a fantastic job in finalizing our "Readiness Statement"—that is, who we are with all our blessings and challenges in our Parish Family of St Peter and St Patrick (see online, at: www.stpetersofhancock.org). We have tried to implement what you have suggested, and look forward soon to discerning with other parishes and the Archdiocese how we will thrive, not just survive, into the future!

So we need to keep making apple dumplings, engaging youth and seniors, beautifying our grounds and wonderful buildings, socials, dances, playing softball, continuing religious education, energizing various committees and, above all, worshipping the Lord especially at Sunday Mass!

~Fr. Jack Lombardi

Weekly Offertory

Weekly Total- \$ 1,772.00

St. Peter— Loose Cash- \$455.00

Envelopes-\$1,130.00

Poor Box- \$18.00

St. Patrick— Loose Cash- \$13.00

Envelopes- \$147.00

Poor Box-\$9.00

Thank you for your generous giving!

Legacy Event.

You are invited to a new initiative to plan our future for financial security. Perhaps you have a gift, or a legacy bequest (stocks, bonds, or other gifts which will help our parish continue. We are hosting a light reception with a rep. from the Archdiocese to inform you of ways to help us here! Sunday, October 2nd. 11:30AM

The USCCB has information on their website concerning Catholics and voting. If you would like more information, go to www.usccb.org

Religious Education News- September 25th, 2016

Sun., 09/25— Regular classes- 1st class for First Reconciliation students at 11:30 AM.

Sun., 10/02— Regular classes— 2nd class for First Reconciliation students at 11:30 AM.

Sun., 10/09— Regular classes- 3rd class for the First Reconciliation students at 11:30 AM.

Sun. 10/16 — Regular classes-4th class for the First Reconciliation students at 11:30 AM.

Sun. 10/23— Regular classes-5th class for the First Reconciliation students at 11:30 AM.

Also, the 1st set of service hours from the Confirmation Candidates are due today.

PEACE and all good things to you. - Ms. Susan

Special Events Upcoming

Oct. 5, 6, & 7— The Ladies will once again be making their delicious Apple Dumplings! They'll be accepting bags of sugar and everyone is welcome to help make dumplings!

Oct. 8 & 9— Healing prayer service after all Masses.

Monday— Oct. 17th- 7:30PM— Special talk on morality and Christians today: covering issues like gender, sexuality, marriage and ethics for you and the modern Catholic today.

Sunday— Oct. 23rd— 11:15AM— This talk will be repeated.