



**REV. EMILIO JIMENEZ,
PASTOR**

**REV. JAISON MATHEW
PAROCHIAL VICAR**

PRIESTS:

Msgr. Seamus McGowan

DEACONS:

Allen Cicora
Eluterio Farias

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday: 6:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 AM
12:00 PM and 6:00 PM

Confessions are heard on
Saturday from 4:30 - 5:30
PM and by appointment.

St. Mary Mission
Mass, 9:30 AM

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Church

3901 Violet Road, Corpus Christi, TX 78410
Parish Office: 361.241.3249
Religious Education Office: 361.241.3372
www.stpeterprince.net Fax: 361.241.0533

FIFTH SUNDAY OF

Lent

Copyright © J.S. Paluch Co. Inc. - Photos: © Christ/Fotolia



MARCH
18
2018

I will place my law within them
and write it upon their hearts;
I will be their God, and they shall be my people.

Jeremiah 31:33

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

**St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Catholic Church
is a welcoming community dedicated to promoting
a devout life of prayer and teaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ
through living the sacraments in a spirit of generous service.**

MASS INTENTIONS
March 20-25, 2018



Tuesday
 6:30 pm †Manuel Rodriguez, Jr. - Chano Rodriguez

Wednesday
 6:30 pm †Mari Garcia - Gracie Garcia

Thursday
 8:00 am †Elizabeth Houek & Oscar Houek - Ann Najvar

Friday
 8:00 am †Manuel Rodriguez - Chano Rodriguez

Saturday
 6:00 pm †David Najvar - Royce & Allen Poche

Sunday
 8:00 am Martini Children - Evelyn Martini
 9:30 am Cecilio Ramirez & Alfredo DeLeon (In Thanksgiving - Magdalena Davis
 10:00 am Jose Lorenzo (100th Birthday Anniv.) - Sons & Daughters
 12:00 pm †James Juranek - Edmund & Carolyn
 †Louis Petru - Jim & Walieta Kimmel
 †Marc Shephard - Joseph & Olivia Pierce
 †Pat Juranek - Juranek Family
 †Adelina Chavez - Lydia McCabe
 6:00 pm †People of the Parish

I will place my law within them and write it upon their hearts;
 I will be their God, and they shall be my people. — Jeremiah 31:33



Image © Copyright Thinkstock.com

SAVED BY GOD'S LOVE

Because the people broke the old covenant, God promised a new covenant, not in the blood of oxen and other animals, but in the blood of the Son, Jesus Christ. This new covenant, foreseen from afar by Jeremiah and the prophets, was not to be engraved on stone, or written on paper, but carved on our hearts, so that we might know God intimately. Not by keeping many laws are we to be saved, but by the love of God, living and real in our hearts through the sacrifice of Christ.

Our Eucharist is the pledge of that indwelling of Christ, and of our response of praise and thanksgiving to God for the mercy, love, and kindness shown to us in forgiving our sins and cleansing our hearts of everything evil. God issues this invitation to intimacy by offering us the chance to have our sufferings transformed into the perfect love of the Savior, who first loved us.

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Church
3/11/18

Envelopes\$8,900.50
 Loose.....\$1,563.26
 Catholic Relief Services Coll.....\$1,657.00
 Other Fees.....\$1,377.00
 Total.....\$13,497.76

St. Mary Mission 3/11/18

Envelopes\$885.00
 Loose.....\$107.00
 Flowers.....\$390.00
 Total.....\$1,382.00

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42

Thursday: Gn 17:3-9; Ps 105:4-9; Jn 8:51-59

Friday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-7; Jn 10:31-42

Saturday: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56

Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16; (procession) Is 50:4-7; Ps 22: 8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mk 14:1 — 15:47 [15:1-39]

Online Cityof.com/goodnews

CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME: The classes are held in St. William Hall at 7 pm. Refreshments will be served. Please call or text Deacon Al Cicora (361-563-7943) for more information or to register.

**MAKE WEDNESDAYS
SPECIAL DURING THE
LENTEN SEASON**

Catholic families and individuals are encouraged to spend more time in prayer during Lent and one way of doing this is to come to the Rosary on Wednesdays at 6 pm; recite the Novena Prayers to the Immaculate Conception, attend Mass at 6:30 pm and stay for the Stations of the Cross immediately afterwards.



The Stations of the Cross will also be said at St. Mary's Mission on Fridays at 6:30 pm.

CCD CLASSES resume on
Sunday, March 18
& Wednesday, March 21

ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY will meet on
Monday at 7 pm in the KC Hall. All the ladies
are invited to attend.

REPENTANCE

God has promised pardon to one who
repents, but has not promised repentance
to one who sins.

—St. Anselm

Saints & Special Observances

MONDAY: Adult Bible Class 8:30 am. Feast of St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

WEDNESDAY: Stations of the Cross 7 pm; Prayer Group Meeting 7 pm.

THURSDAY: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 8:30 am - 6:30 pm. Choir Practice 7 pm.

FRIDAY; Abstinence; Feast of St. Turibius of Mogrovejo.

SATURDAY: Confessions 4:30 - 5:30 pm. Vigil Mass 6:00 pm.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR OUR HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE:

Holy Thursday Mass 7:00 pm. Good Friday Service 7:00 pm. Holy Saturday Mass 8:30 pm. Easter Sunday Masses 8:00 & 10:00 am, 12:00 Noon and 6:00 pm

The Church will be locked after Good Friday Services and only opened at 7:00 pm on Holy Saturday. No Confessions on Holy Saturday.

ST. MARY'S MISSION:

Holy Thursday Mass 6:00 pm

Good Friday: Outdoor (community) way of the Cross 5:30 pm. Liturgical Service 6:30 pm.

Easter Sunday: 9:30 am

THE PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION



Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land.

Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines.

The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection provides humanitarian aid to refugees.

When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land.

PLEASE BE GENEROUS!! For more information about Christians in the Holy Land visit www.myfranciscan.org/good-Friday