



# St. Peter Catholic Church Parish

## Synod Update #9

### October 2019

#### **Evangelization Committee**

Our Family Day Picnic was another big success. Special thanks to all who made it possible:

“The Evangelization Committee” – Lori Remondet, Janelle Triche, Michelle Thames, Kim Scioneaux, and Regina Remondet.

“Tents” – River Parishes Contractors

“TV Set Up” – River Parishes Contractors

“Soft Drinks” – Ms. Mary Kay Vicknair and the Youth Group

“Cooks” – James, Ryan and Regina Remondet, and Timmy Thames

“Monetary Donations” – Knights of Columbus, Ladies Auxiliary, and Parishioners

“Prize Donation Sponsors” – NAPA Auto Parts, Knights of Columbus, Cox’s Meat Market, River Parishes Contractors, KC Auxiliary, Randy and Tricia Aucoin, Pirogue’s Café, Gregg’s Neighborhood Grocery, Don’s Country Store, and Buddy B’s Restaurant

“Special Thanks” – Jay Guidry, Emily Triche, Perry Scioneaux, St. Peter Pastoral Council and all who brought a dessert to share.

Of course we need to also offer special thanks to God for the perfect weather, and to all who attended the picnic. When you come out to the picnic you are saying that the church community is important to you, that you are a part of our church family, that is, “St. Peter Catholic Community.”

#### **Social Justice Committee**

The Social Justice Committee would like to thank all of the parishioners that have been donating food items to those in need. The food box located in the front of the church has been filling up every 2 weeks. The Committee is also sending out this reminder to those who may be forgetting about the on-going food drive. Please try to bring a non-perishable food item with you each time you come to church. If you cannot bring something each week, try every other week or some regular interval that works for you. All donations are appreciated.

The holiday season is the busiest time of the year for the Social Justice Committee, and the Committee needs the help of all parishioners to make the holidays brighter for the needy of our community. In order to plan ahead for the upcoming special events, here is a list of Social Justice Committee’s upcoming activities:

Thanksgiving Food Drive In Church: Baskets will be in the Sanctuary the weekends of November 2 – 3 and November 9 -10.

Thanksgiving Baskets will be delivered on November 19.

The Christmas Giving Tree will be in the Sanctuary the weekend of November 30 – December 1, for parishioners to take an ornament to shop for a child.

Giving Tree Baskets will be delivered on December 17.

Do you know of any family that could use help this holiday season? If so, please contact the rectory or Joel Ocmand. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

### **Family Life Committee**

Deacon Richard Abbondante and his wife Diane will be facilitating a study group on the book “Busy Lives, Restless Souls.” The dates will be Tuesdays Oct. 22, 29, Nov. 5, 12, 19, and 26. There will be two study groups, one from 10:00 – 11:30 am or 7:00 – 8:30 pm. All meetings will be held in the Lacour Center. The Abbondantes ask that you purchase the book and read the first chapter before the first class.

Cost is \$40.00 (adjustments can be made)

Register on the web: <https://nolacatholic.org/asc>

Email: [archspictr@arch-no.org](mailto:archspictr@arch-no.org) or call (504) 861-3254

There will be an afternoon of reflection on a Sacramental Lifestyle for Married Couples on Saturday, Feb. 29, 2020 from 2:00 – 4:30 pm. Couples that participate are encouraged to attend the 5:00 pm Vigil mass immediately after the session, and then go out on a “date night.” Registration information TBA.

Supper and Substance has been tentatively set for Saturday, June 20, 2020 after the 5:00 pm Vigil mass. Details TBA.

### **Find Your Greatness**

Ascension of Our Lord Church in LaPlace will be hosting a workshop by Dr. Allen Hunt on March 7, 2020 from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm. Dr. Hunt is a nationally known speaker and bestselling author. Dr. Hunt works with Dynamic Catholic, Matthew Kelly’s group. Dr. Hunt is highly entertaining. His personal stories make you laugh and inspire you. In the “Find your Greatness” workshop, Dr. Hunt shares not only knowledge about four life-changing habits, but also a personalized plan on how to engage these habits into your everyday life. Tickets are \$25.00. Purchase your tickets at [DynamicCatholic.com](http://DynamicCatholic.com) or call 859-980-7900.

### **Pastoral Planning**

The implementation phase of the Synod will be coming to an end over the rest of this year. The activities begun by the Synod will now be a part of the normal life of our parish. Our four Synod Committees will continue to sponsor and refine their activities, as well as introduce new activities. Our Pastoral Council will be asked to set one to three goals for our parish to work on each year. These goals will be shared with the parishioners, the Office of Pastoral Planning, and the Archbishop. The pastoral planning process has been going on at St. Peter’s since the Synod began. Most of the original goals set three years ago have been completed. Thank you for your continued prayers and support. We always can use more help, so if you would like to help make our parish a success, please contact one of the Synod Ministry Leaders.

### **St. Peter Church Synod Ministry Leaders**



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