

# Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church

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*"O woman, great  
is your faith! Let  
it be done for you  
as you wish."*

## AUGUST 20TH, 2023

## 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### **Mass Schedule**

**Monday, Tuesday, Thursday** 12:10 PM

**Wednesday & Friday** 6:30 AM

**Saturday:** 4:00 PM

**Sunday:** 6:30 AM, 8:00 AM, & 10:00 AM

### **Confession:**

Saturdays: 3:00-3:45 PM or By appointment

### **Adoration**

**Mon:** 8AM-5PM **Wed:** 7AM-7PM **Fri:** 7AM-5PM

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## Weekly Readings

### Sunday:

First: Isaiah 56: 1, 6-7 Psalm: Psalms 67:  
2-3, 5, 6, 8 Second: Romans 11: 13-15,  
29-32 Alleluia: Matthew 4: 23 Gospel:  
Matthew 15: 21-28

### Monday:

First: Judges 2: 11-19 Psalm: Psalms 106:  
34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44 Allelu-  
ia: Matthew 5: 3 Gospel: Matthew 19: 16  
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### Tuesday:

First: Judges 6: 11-24a Psalm: Psalms 85:  
9, 11-12, 13-14 Alleluia: Second Corinthe-  
ans 8: 9 Gospel: Matthew 19: 23-30

### Wednesday:

First: Judges 9: 6-15 Psalm: Psalms 21: 2-  
3, 4-5, 6-7 Alleluia: Hebrews 4: 12 Gos-  
pel: Matthew 20: 1-16

### Thursday:

First: Revelation 21: 9b-14 Psalm: Psalms  
145: 10-11, 12-13, 17-18 Alleluia: John 1:  
49b Gospel: John 1: 45-51

### Friday:

First: Ruth 1: 1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22 Psalm:  
Psalms 146: 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10  
Alleluia: Psalms 25: 4b, 5a Gospel:  
Matthew 22: 34-40

### Saturday:

First: Ruth 2: 1-3, 8-11; 4: 13-17 Psalm:  
Psalms 128: 1b-2, 3, 4, 5 Alleluia:  
Matthew 23: 9b, 10b Gospel: Matthew  
23: 1-12

## Announcements

### ADORERS NEEDED!

Our Adoration Chapel is in need of  
adorers for the following hours:

**MONDAY 8AM-9AM**

**WEDNESDAY 1PM-2PM**

**FRIDAY 9AM-10AM**

Please consider taking on a weekly  
hour with Jesus!

### ONGOING CENSUS UPDATE

\*approximately 315 out of 2,981 families  
(around 10.5%) have participated in the census  
update thus far. Some of our long-time  
parishioners have outdated home information  
such as landlines, changed addresses and  
children/family members no longer living in  
the house. We strongly encourage you to  
participate if you have not done so!  
The deadline to remain an active parishioner  
in our system is SEPTEMBER 1ST.

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## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, August 19 @ 4 PM:

Pershing Broussard (D), Dupre & Teresa Laine  
Hebert (D), Mary Ann Dugas, Alberie & Inez Bar-  
ras, Dupre Hebert (D), Sheilah Resweber (D),  
Cleveland Arnould & Family, M/M William Stutes  
& Family, David L. Prejean, Kenny Beaugh (D),  
Catholic Daughters, June Booker (D)(ANN), Ray-  
mond Martin, M/M George Martin, Louis Dupuy,  
M/M Don Montoucet, M/M Pervice Boudreaux Sr.  
(D), Lee & Ida Bergeron, Matthew Breaux (D),  
Marlene Arnaud (D), Doris & Rose Edmond (D),  
Allen & Lydia Williams (D), Wilfred & Joyce Miller  
(D), Bryan Ortego (D), Nelson & Shirley Edmond  
(L) M/M Paul Brown (D), Joycie Begnaud (D),  
Kelli Broussard (L), Donnie Dubose (D)(ANN),  
Suzanne Sang

### Sunday, August 20 @ 6:30 AM: For the People

**8 AM:** Dovie Higginbotham, Lorena Guillot (D)  
Dustin Wiltz (D), Gernice Broussard (D)  
M/M Francis T Resweber (D), Spiritual Healing  
Joseph Hieu Ha, Suzanne Sang

**10 AM:** Rosamaria Reyes-Silva, James Lee Mar-  
tin, John B. Sonnier Family, Deanna Sonnier  
Rayford Domingue, Poochie Frederick (D), Mr.  
Charles Lucas Carlton (D), "Sweet" Hernandez  
(D), M/M Errol Robichaux (D), Ijane H. Credeur  
(D), M/M Harold Brashear (D), Dong Bien Duc  
Donnie Dubose (D)(HBD), Carolyn Cashi Lejeune,  
Suzanne Sang

### Monday, August 21 @ 5:30 PM:

Dong Man Coi, Joseph Tu Pham, Thong Luu  
FLY, Warren Sensat, M/M Milton J Trahan &  
Raymond, Richard W. Beasley, Suzanne Sang

### Tuesday, August 22 @ 12:10 PM:

Michael O'Neil Mouton, Grace Richard (D), Uyen  
Tran, Anthony Viet Pham, Suzanne Sang

### Wednesday, August 23 @ 6:30 AM:

Zachary Taylor Cary (D), Nguyen, Dan Vien  
Chau Son, Truong Hoang, Kelli Broussard (L),  
Suzanne Sang

### Thursday, August 24 @ 12:10 PM:

Janet Lacy (L)(HBD), Alberie & Inez Barras (D),  
M/M Hubert Leger, Jr. (D), Joseph Thanh Tran  
(D), Micae Jonathan Vuong, Suzanne Sang

### Friday, August 25 @ 6:30 AM:

Gerald & Louella Savoy, Phillip Todd Migl (D)  
Rong FLY, Anh Dinh FLY, Suzanne Sang



*The Sanctuary Candle  
this week is lit for:*

M/M Joseph Thibodeaux

The Adoration Candle  
this week is lit for:

Vocations to the  
priesthood



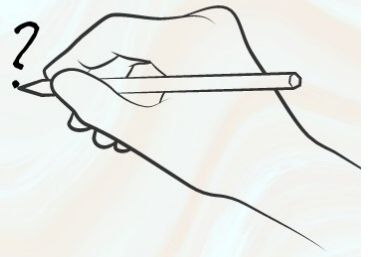
### Collection 8/6/2023

Offertory — \$13,012.90 // Debt — \$4,983





# Question: What is "faith"?



## FROM THE US CATHOLIC CATECHISM FOR ADULTS

Our faith life is a grace or a gift that brings us into a personal, loving union with the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. This grace enables us both to hear the Word of God and to keep it. The qualities of faith listed here remind us of the basic ways in which we express our belief in God and that challenge us to apply our faith in our daily lives:

**1. Faith is a personal and communal relationship.** "Faith is first of all a personal adherence . . . to God. At the same time, it is a free assent to the whole truth that God has revealed" (CCC, no. 150). A personal faith says, "I believe in God." This is an act of belief in the one, true, and living God. It is as though we gather all that we are, and gratefully give our hearts and minds to God. We have a personal relationship with the Triune God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. But faith is also communal. It is not just a private act. In the assembly of believers at Mass, we profess our faith together and join our hearts as we experience ourselves as the Body of Christ. Our personal faith brings us into a relationship with God's people, and the faith of the entire people strengthens us in our relationship with God.

**2. Faith seeks understanding and is a friend of reason.** Faith as a grace or gift from God makes it possible to gain some understanding of all that he has revealed to us, including the totality of his plan as well as the many mysteries of faith. Growth in understanding God's Revelation is a lifelong process. Theology and catechesis help us.

We never completely understand these divine mysteries, but we often gain insight into them. In this context, faith and reason work together to discover truth. To ever suppose that human thought or scientific research can or should be in conflict with faith is a mistaken approach because this position denies the basic truth that everything has been created by God. Scholarly and scientific research that is carried out in a manner faithful to reason and to moral law will not conflict with truth as revealed by God (see CCC, no. 159).

**3. Faith is necessary for salvation.** "Believing in Jesus Christ and in the One who sent him for our salvation is necessary for obtaining that salvation" (CCC, no. 161). "Faith is necessary for salvation. The Lord himself [teaches]: 'He who believes and is baptized will be saved, but he who does not believe will be condemned'" (CCC, no. 183, citing Mk 16:16).

4. Faith is a gift of grace. God not only speaks to us, he also gives us the grace to respond. To believe in Revelation we need the gift of faith. Peter was able to see that Jesus was the Messiah, not from "flesh and blood," that is, not by means of reason or common sense, but by the grace of the Father (cf. Mt 16:16-18). When by faith and Baptism we enter the Church, we already share in eternal life. Faith perceives this in ever deepening ways, as through a glass darkly (cf. 1 Cor 13:12).

**5. Faith is a free, human act.** Faith is a gift of God which enables us to know and love him. Faith is a way of knowing, just as reason is. But living in faith is not possible unless there is action on our part. Through the help of the Holy Spirit, we are able to make a decision to respond to divine Revelation, and to follow through in living out our response. God never forces his truth and love upon us. He reveals himself to us as free human beings, and our faith response to him is made within the context of our freedom. At Capernaum, Jesus asked the Apostles, "Do you also want to leave?" Peter answers for them, "Master, to whom shall we go?" (Jn 6:67-68). Peter's response is freely sought and freely given. The same is true with each of us.

**6. Faith believes with conviction in a message.** We have seen that faith is a relationship with God. Now we note that it is also belief in a message. This message is found in Scripture and Tradition and is transmitted to us through many means such as liturgical prayers and the Creeds. Faith fills us with conviction because God guarantees the truthfulness of what he revealed. "Our Gospel did not come to you in word alone, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and [with] much conviction" (1 Thes 1:5). The Spirit assists us to be believers. "Faith is the realization of what is hoped for and evidence of things not seen" (Heb 11:1).



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