

October 1st – October 7th

Mission Statement: St. Peter School provides a quality education built on Catholic values and teachings.

What's ahead this coming week:

- Oct 1st Saints ALIVE 4th-6th Grade 6:00-7:30 St. Peter Gym
FOUND-Life Chain 2:25-3:30 and Minute to Win in Games 6:30-8:00
- Oct 4th Children's Mass-3rd Grade Leading
Blessing of the Pets 2:00
- Oct 5th Raider Road Show 9:45 back parking lot-Wear Blue/Gold QND attire WITH dress code bottoms
NO P.M. BUS SERVICE
- Oct 6th NO SCHOOL-Teacher In Service



SCHOOL BUSINESS



Student Led Parent Teacher Conferences Grade K-8 October 23rd-27th

Sign up link will be sent out starting Monday. Please make sure to sign up as soon as possible when you receive the link. Link will be distributed on 10/2 families 3+ children, 10/4 families 2+ children, 10/6 families with 1 child.

School Board Meeting Minutes click link or QR code

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1rbxeb_VG4HZ_Z3Y3NKaZiGE2sQtPS-eDbotkhHxoTSQ/edit?usp=sharing



Drop off/Pick Up Procedures

Please review the attached procedures. **Please do not park in handicap parking slots especially in the morning when parishioners are trying to park for 8:00 Mass. We understand that parking is limited, please try to utilize the drop off procedure if possible.**

Friendly reminder we ask that all parents follow the law regarding school zone speed limits and no cell phones. Please make sure that all children only use the crosswalks at 24th & Maine and 30th and Maine. 25th & Maine is NOT to be used as there is not a crossing guard present. Please do not use the park road as this is for the buses. **Please understand that these requests are to help keep all children safe when coming and going from school.**

Book Fair

Thank you, Jamie Scholz and all of the wonderful book fair volunteers, this wouldn't be successful without your help!! If you want another chance to visit the book fair it is open this weekend after all Masses.

Blessing of the Pets on Oct. 4th at 2:00 p.m.

Parents, Students, and Pets you are invited to the blessing of the pets which will be held on the grassy lot east of Seton Hall. Pets are to be brought to the grassy field by 2:00 p.m. and **NOT** brought to the classroom. Students will meet parents/pets at the field by 2:00 p.m. where Fr. Leo and Fr. Zach will lead a pet blessing. Any type of pet is allowed to attend. We just ask that your pet is leashed or in a cage to make sure all animals stay safe. Students will return to the classroom after the blessing of the pets for announcements and dismissal. No one will be able to leave with parents directly after the blessing.

St. Peter School Apparel

School approved embroidered apparel is always available through Landmarx

<https://store.landmarxwear.com/sites/patriots/categories> Landmarx will reopen the Spirit Store and HOUSE Store in November for an opportunity to order in time for Christmas.

PHYSICALS/MEDICAL

The preschool, kindergarten, sixth grade students, new families and those who have sports physicals to turn in are asked to turn in their physical examination forms. **Please make sure that you have filled in the parent section and signed the section for parents.** According to Illinois State Law students not in compliance with the health requirements for physicals and immunizations will be excluded from school on October 15th and until all completed forms are in the school office.



Extracurriculars



Oct. 2 nd	Beginner Band 8:05-8:35 Crusader Girls Basketball Games at Carthage 5:30
Oct. 3 rd	6 th Grade Band 8:05-8:35
Oct. 4 th	PMO 7 th /8 th Concert Choir at QND 3:30-4:15 PMO 4 th -6 th Cadet Choir at QND 4:15-5:00 Crusader Girls Basketball Games vs Mendon at QND 5:30
Oct. 5 th	7 th /8 th Band 8:05-8:35
Oct. 6 th	NO SCHOOL
Oct. 7 th	Crusader Girls Basketball Games vs Western at Barry 10:00 Crusader Cross Country Sectional Meet 10:00

Crusader's boys basketball tryouts.

IESA Crusader boys' basketball tryouts will take place at St. Peter's school gym on Monday October 16th 6:15-7:30 pm for 7th grade boys and 7:30-8:45 pm for 8th grade boys.

On Tuesday, October 17th the tryouts will go 4:00-5:15 pm for 7th grade and 5:15-6:30 pm for the 8th graders. Players need to be at both days of tryouts.

St. Peter's gym is where both tryout dates will be held.

All players need to have an up to date sports physical on file at their grade school.

Signed waiver to be given to their coach at tryouts.

Assessment fee for all players is \$215.00. Make checks payable to QCES.

7th Grade Coach- Tom Vanderbor

Email- tomvanderbor@sbcglobal.net

8th Grade Coach- Ron Kinscherf

Email- kinscherf.ron@gmail.com

Blazer Bash SEE ATTACHMENT

Teddy Bear Clinic SEE ATTACHMENT

Fire Safety at Lowes SEE ATTACHMENT



Stewardship



Weekend Mass Opportunities

Please plan to join us for Mass this weekend at St. Peter. Weekend Mass is an Obligation and a Commandment, but it is so much more than that. It is an opportunity to be fed by the Eucharist—the Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Jesus Christ—to be nourished and strengthened on this journey of life, and to do so as a family of faith. We look forward to seeing you this (and every) weekend!

St. Peter's Mass Weekend Schedule:

Saturday Mass - 5:00pm

Sunday Masses - 8:00am, 9:30am, & 11:00am

Traveling? The Weekend Mass Obligation still stands. Go to www.masstimes.org to find a Mass time near you.

Advent Parish Mission December 2-5 Save the Date SEE ATTACHMENT

Upcoming Dates:

Oct 8 th	8 th Grade leave for Washington D.C. 1:00
Oct 9 th	School in Session-NO BUS SERVICE
Oct 11 th	Children's Mass-2 nd Grade Leading
Oct 12 th	Adoration
Oct 13 th	Spirit Day-Wear Spirit Shirt with out of dress code bottoms with .25 donation Quarter 1 Ends 8 th Grade Return from Washington D.C. Trip
Oct 15 th	Family S'more Fun Night
Oct 16 th	PTA Coin Drive-16 th -31 st
Oct 17 th	Halloween Party at QND 5 th Grade
Oct 18 th	St. Luke Feast Day- St. Luke (light blue) HOUSE members can wear their HOUSE colored shirt WITH Dress Code bottoms Children's Mass-8 th Grade Leading
Oct 19 th	PTA Meeting 5:30-6:30 St. Peter School Conference Room
Oct 20 th	Quarter 1 Report cards sent home STEM-2 nd Anniversary Science Show Please Wear the teal STEM T-shirt if you have or Spirit shirt WITH dress code bottoms Preschool 4 visits Pumpkin Patch
Oct 22 nd	FOUND Bonfire 6:30-8:00
Oct 23 rd	Student led parent/teacher conferences after school
Oct 24 th	Student led parent/teacher conferences after school
Oct 25 th	Children's Mass-7 th Grade Leading Student led parent/teacher conferences after school St. Peter Halloween Bash Grades 6 th -8 th
Oct 26 th	½ day school Dismissal 11:30 Student led parent/teacher conferences after school
Oct 27 th	NO SCHOOL
Oct 28 th	Eucharistic Celebration Springfield IL-ticket only
Oct 31 st	Halloween Parade 2:00 Grades K-3 dress up, parents welcome



QCES NIGHT AT THE FOOTBALL GAME

SEPTEMBER 29 | 7:00 P.M.
ADVANCE PHYSICAL THERAPY FIELD

FREE ENTRY FOR STUDENTS WHO
WEAR THEIR SCHOOL SPIRIT SHIRT

*STUDENTS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A PAID ADULT

CHECK IN AT THE QCES
FOUNDATION TABLE FOR
A FREE POPCORN TICKET,
GIVEAWAYS, A SELFIE
STATION, AND MORE!



KV 265 Science & Symphony

KV 265 is a non-profit organization whose mission is the communication of science through art to communities worldwide. Co-founded in 2010 by Dr. José Francisco Salgado, Dr. Geza Gyuk and Anne Barlow, KV 265 seeks to heighten appreciation and understanding of art, music, science, and technology and to inspire further exploration of these disciplines among its audience members through multimedia concerts, lectures, and educational workshops. KV 265 achieves its mission through its acclaimed *Science & Symphony* films produced to accompany orchestral performances. The films, produced by astronomer and visual artist Salgado combine magnificent visuals from NASA, the European Space Agency, and Dr. Salgado's own photography. www.kv265.org

The *Science & Symphony* films have been presented more than 250 times to a combined audience of over 475,000 people in concert halls and educational institutions in over 100 cities in 21 countries around the world. The films closely follow the character and tempo of the music, resulting in an enhanced concert experience. Dr. Salgado offers educational presentations about the science and art behind the works, and



introduces the *Science & Symphony* films from the stage at concerts. During his residency in Quincy this week, he will present "A Science & Symphony Tour of the Universe" to almost 2,000 students from six schools, as well as tonight's discussion of "Science, Symphony, and Auroras." His residency culminates with the Quincy Symphony performance of *The Legend of the Northern Lights* on Sunday, October 1 at 3 pm in QJHS Morrison Theater, which includes a brief conversation with QSO conductor Dr. Bruce Briney at 2:30 pm.

About the Filmmaker

Dr. José Francisco Salgado, PhD is an astronomer, Emmy-nominated science communicator, and visual artist who creates multimedia works that communicate science in engaging ways. He collaborates with symphony orchestras, chamber musicians, and composers to present films that provoke curiosity and a sense of wonder about the Earth and the Universe. Dr. Salgado also produces and presents short films with musician/composer Tom Bailey (of British pop group Thompson Twins) as part of the audiovisual ensemble Bailey-Salgado Project. As an experimental photographer, Salgado has visited more than 30 scientific sites in places including the Atacama Desert, the French Pyrenees, and the South African Karoo and has contributed visuals to documentaries produced for the History, Discovery, BBC, and National Geographic channels. He has given presentations about science and art in all seven continents, including a presentation at the Amundsen-Scott South Pole Station.



LEGENDARY TALES

2023-24 Season

SCIENCE & SYMPHONY FILM!

THE LEGEND OF THE NORTHERN LIGHTS

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
SUN. OCT. 1 | 3 PM | QJHS
Plus music of Berlioz & Sibelius

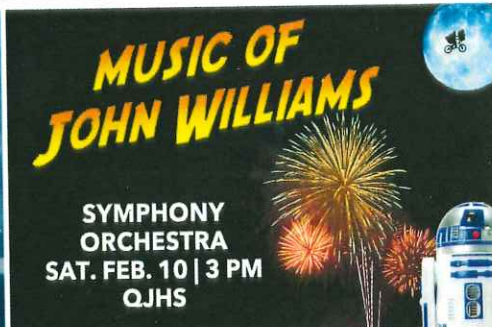
Secrets of the Rhine

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
SAT. NOV. 18 | 7:30 PM | QJHS
Brahms Symphony No. 3
Arutunian Concerto for Trumpet
Aren Van Houzen, soloist



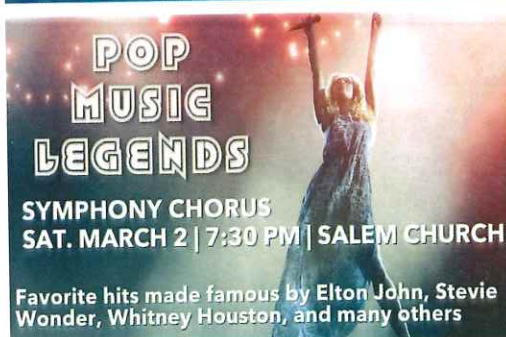
CHRISTMAS KEEPSAKES

SYMPHONY CHORUS
SAT. DEC. 2 | 3 PM
SALEM CHURCH
Heartwarming
Christmas songs with
instrument accompaniment



MUSIC OF JOHN WILLIAMS

SYMPHONY
ORCHESTRA
SAT. FEB. 10 | 3 PM
QJHS



POP MUSIC LEGENDS

SYMPHONY CHORUS
SAT. MARCH 2 | 7:30 PM | SALEM CHURCH
Favorite hits made famous by Elton John, Stevie Wonder, Whitney Houston, and many others



CARMINA BURANA

ORCHESTRA & MASS CHOIR
SAT. APRIL 20 | 7:30 PM | QJHS

Children 18 & Younger are admitted Free to all Concerts

JWCC, QU, and C-SC Students, Faculty, and Staff are FREE with current I.D.

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Order online at
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this QR code





Eucharistic Miracles

Saturday, Sept 30
after 5pm Mass
Wine & Cheese

Sunday, Oct 1
after all Masses
Coffee & Donuts

Display boards in the cafeteria



Firewood for School Supplies AND Horizons Soup Kitchen and Food Pantry - 2023

We are “Selling” firewood again this year, with 100% of the proceeds going towards school supplies *OR* Horizons. Here’s how it works:

- Text or call: **319-520-6547** to place an order.
- \$60 for a half-pick-up load or \$110 for a full load; Kindling is provided free.
- We deliver at your convenience – no charge.
- At delivery, a check is made out to the school or organization of your choice (Iles School, Rooney School, etc, Horizons)

Any questions, contact Kim or Kathy Humphry at the number above.

- ✓ This is our sixth year of selling “*firewood for teacher supplies*”.
- ✓ The price of firewood is competitive with what can be purchased locally; kindling is free.
- ✓ Firewood is generally available mid-September through mid-November, as supplies last.



ST. PETER SCHOOL DROP OFF AND PICK UP PROCEDURE

PLEASE READ IF YOU ARE USING THE DROP OFF IN THE MORNING - VERY IMPORTANT!

There will be **two** drop off/pick up areas.

You may choose dropping off in front of the **main school building** following the procedures listed below **or** the **area behind the church in front of Seton Hall** unless specified in the information below.

Both the Park Road (from 24th Street) and Maine Street are not areas to drop off or pick up children. (There is **no parking on the park road** as this hinders the space for buses to enter and leave the back parking lot.)

Morning Drop Off Procedure for Main Parking Lot:

- **Bus students** will be dropped off at the back of the school
- **School Doors open at 7:50. (Students should not be dropped off prior to this time. If students are here before 7:50 they are to use the morning daycare service as there is no supervision prior to 7:50.**
- Parents will enter main parking lot through the west entrance and will be divided into two lanes.
- Cars in each lane will be directed to move forward or to stop by staff members on duty. After cars drive over the crosswalk lines students are to exit the vehicle. (6 cars will release students at one time.) **Students should not exit car until they have crossed the crosswalk line.**
- Cars should not move unless directed to do so to ensure the safety of the children.
- Cars will exit the parking lot at the east exit and turn right onto Maine Street.
- **Parents of morning 3 yr. olds** are to park their car in the upper parking lot (closest to Knollwood) by Seton Hall. They should walk their child to the outside of the 3yr. old classroom door where the teacher or aide will greet them and help them enter the classroom.
Parents of morning 4 yr. olds are to **walk their child to the crosswalk** and then walk to the outside door of the 4yr. old preschool classroom.
Kindergarten parents may walk their child to the Kindergarten classroom. After parking, **please walk your child to the crosswalk** and then to the front of the school to enter the tunnel to get the Kindergarten classroom. The teacher or aide will be at the door to greet and help them into the classroom.

Seton Hall Morning Drop Off

- Cars will **not** be allowed to park directly in front of Seton Hall during morning drop off, when school is in session, or dismissal time.
- Parents will enter the parking lot to the east of the church rectory in one line and drive around the semi-circle in front of Seton Hall.
- There will be **NO PARKING** in any spaces directly in front of Seton Hall, south of the median boulevard.
- If parking is necessary cars should park in the upper parking lot near Seton (next to Knollwood.)

Bike Riders and Walkers Procedures

- Students who ride their bike are to walk their bikes to the bike rack. They should not ride through the parking lot.
- Walkers be careful while walking to school by being conscious of moving vehicles.

ATTENTION PRESCHOOL PM - AFTERNOON PARENTS

Afternoon 3yr. old Drop Off Procedures

- Parents will enter the parking lot to the east of the church rectory. Turn into the upper east parking lot (closest to Knollwood) to park your car and walk your child to the outside door of the 3yr. old classroom.

Afternoon 4yr. old Drop Off Procedures

- Parents will park in the main parking lot.
- Parents will need to walk their child to the outside door of the 4yr. old classroom.

End of the Day Pick-Up

It is important that vehicles keep open a driving path to get up to the school building. We need to make sure emergency vehicles can get to the front of school if ever needed. There are also parents that need to quickly pick up a student for an appointment or if a child is sick and they cannot get to them if it is blocked. Please do not park along the park side if it blocks the lot off.

PM Preschool Classes through 8th grade Dismissal Times

Dismissal Times (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)

- 2:40 Announcements/Prayer
- 2:45 Daycare Children dismissed.
- 2:47 Preschool, Kindergarten and Bus Riders released
- 2:49 Grades 1-8 dismissed
- 2:50 Car Riders/Walkers dismissed

PM Preschool- Preschool students are to be picked up from their classroom doors and should park on the main parking lot or the lot east of the rectory (upper parking lot closest to Knollwood.)

- 3 yr. old students will be picked up at the outside door of the preschool room.
- 4yr. old students will be picked up at the outside door of the preschool room

Bus Riders will be picked up in the back parking lot.

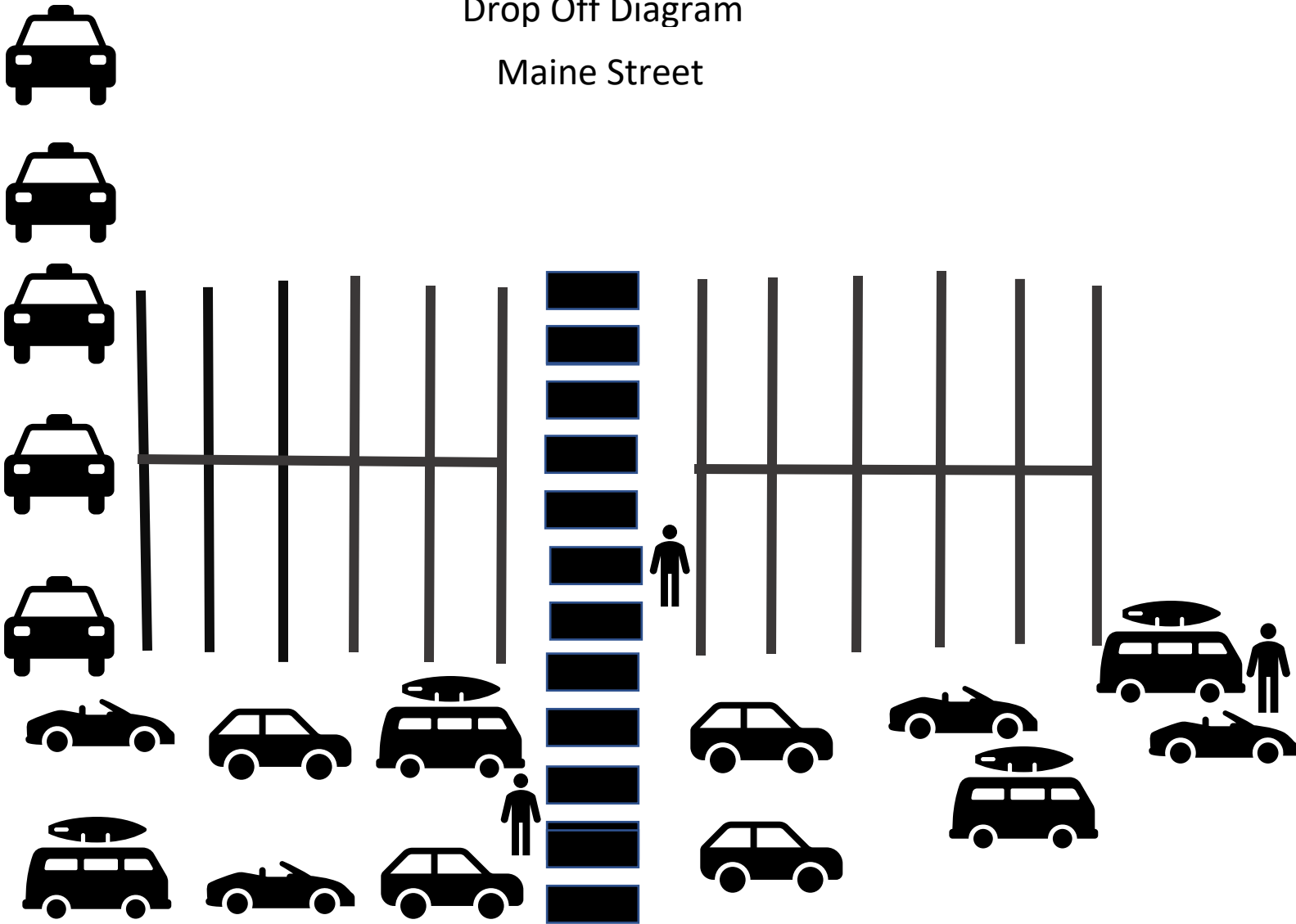
K-8 Students

At the close of the school day students can be picked up on the main parking lot in front of school or the lower parking lot in front of Seton Hall. Students are not to be picked up from the park road. Parents cannot park on the park road to pick up their children as this interferes with our bus pick up. We suggest that parents communicate with their children the area that they will be parked so that the children know where to locate their parents easily. Students should proceed quickly to their parent or parent's car to help keep the dismissal process moving smoothly and quickly. Safety precautions must always be in place from both student and drivers.

If you can please help us by communicating this to those who drop off/pick up your children we appreciate it!

Drop Off Diagram

Maine Street



These Vehicles WAIT to pull forward to unload

These 6 Vehicles Unload

PLEASE PULL ALL THE WAY UP



St. Peter School

Pick Up Diagram

Maine Street



PROCEED WITH CAUTION ANYTIME

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SIDEWALK SIDEWALK SIDEWALK SIDEWALK SIDEWALK SIDEWALK

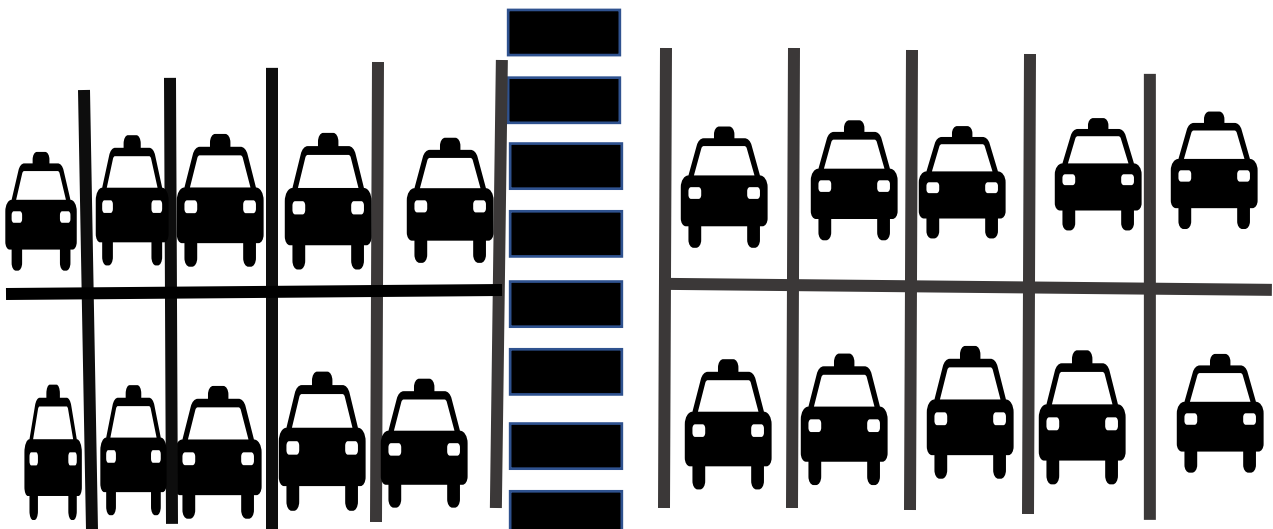


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NO Parking



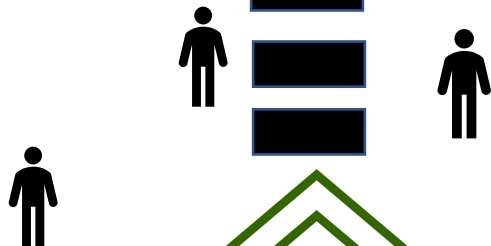
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NO Parking

WAIT TO BE DISMISSED 1ST LEFT to RIGHT

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St. Peter School

BLAZER

Bash

COMMUNITY EVENT



JOHN WOOD
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

48TH & HARRISON

SATURDAY

SEPT 30

FOOD / FUN / FAMILY / SPORTS / SWAG

FIND BLAZER BASH ON

12-2PM

FAMILY FUN &

FREE LUNCH!

Bounce House

Face Painting

Games

KC's Tropical Sno

Quincy Art Center

Quincy Children's Museum

Range Line Express

Shandi's Coffee & Creams

Sweet P Petals

& More!

BIG TRUCKS

Dump Truck

Fire Truck

Patrol Car

Race Car

Semi-Truck

Tractors

& More!

2PM

JWCC

MEN'S SOCCER

DID YOU ATTEND JWCC?

Join the

Trail Blazer Alumni Network
at the Bash and get
connected!



BLESSING-RIEMAN

College of Nursing & Health Sciences

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HEALTH SCIENCES'
35TH ANNUAL

TEDDY BEAR CLINIC

Join Us "Under the Sea"

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1ST, 2023
12 PM-3 PM**

3609 N. MARX DR. QUINCY, IL

Blessing-Rieman



Teddy Bear Clinic

**DON'T FORGET TO BRING
YOUR TEDDY BEAR OR
SPECIAL STUFFED
ANIMAL/DOLL FOR A
"CHECK-UP"**

Fire Safety Month

10/7/23

9AM - 11AM
Quincy Lowe's

Come join Us and Our
Firefighters, EMT's and
Sheriff's Department.



SAVE THE DATE

ADVENT PARISH MISSION

DECEMBER 2-5, 2023

- **Begins during all Weekend Masses on 12/2 and 12/3**
- **Continues with Parish Mission Conferences on 12/4 and 12/5 at 6:30 p.m. in the Church**
- **A reception will follow on 12/5 in the Cafeteria**
- **Childcare available for children ages 1 and older in the Martha Jane Room**

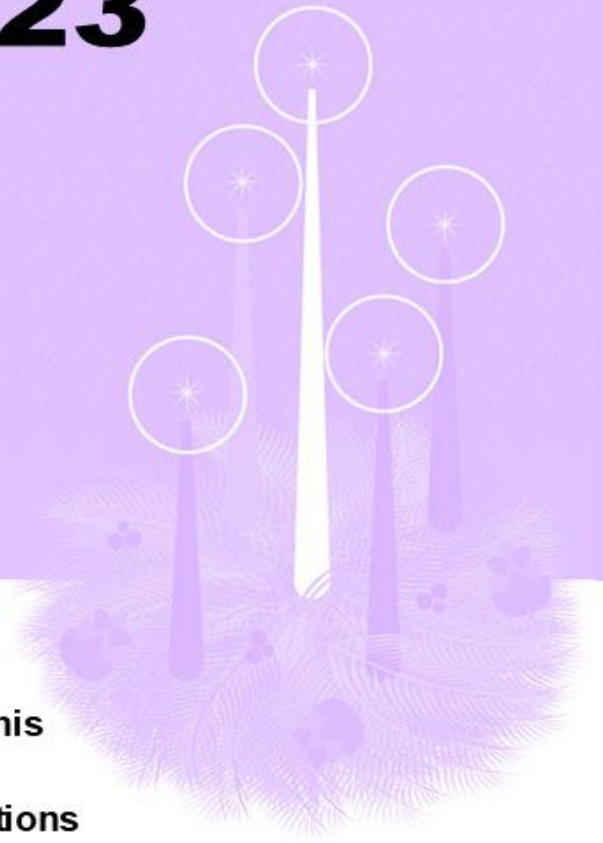


**Call 217.222.3155
for more information**

**ST. PETER
CHURCH**



Fr. Kolbe Woniakowski, OSB is excited to return to St. Peter for his second Advent Parish Mission. He will offer a series of presentations on the Eucharist and how this relates to the Advent season.





Constitution Day
September 17, 2023

*We give thanks
for our blessings
of freedoms.*