

# ST. PETER'S KEYS

*My Life is in Your Hands, Lord*

**March 29, 2021**  
**CLASSROOM CORNER**

Welcome springtime. It's a time of new beginnings as the snow is melting and warmer weather is right around the corner. Nature is coming back to life and the season of Lent is upon us. "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Romans 15:13

Here's what's happening in middle school...

The 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade science class is completing a unit in chemistry. We started off with a chapter on the foundations of chemistry in which we explored physical and chemical properties of matter. We experimented using different substances and how they reacted to different reagents. We looked closely at the structure of an atom, and the makeup of the Periodic Table.

The 6<sup>th</sup> grade science class started a unit in Life Science. We began by comparing and contrasting the plant and animal cell, and its functions. Our next focus is on plant reproduction and photosynthesis. As the weather gets warmer and the growing season begins, we will be able to explore plants as they are in nature.

In 8<sup>th</sup> grade math, we are continuing to complete our first extensive unit in Algebra. Topics include equation solving using different graphing techniques and methods of solving more complex systems of equations.

The 6<sup>th</sup> graders are working on their fourth math module, Expressions and Equations. This is a beginning algebraic unit on solving equations, using the distributive property, factoring, and tackling more complex order of operation problem solving.

For 6<sup>th</sup> grade Social Studies, we continue to learn about ancient cultures. In our study of Ancient Greece, we have explored Athens and Sparta, and how these ancient cultures affected our world today. We are learning about Greek Gods and Goddesses, ancient philosophers, and Aesop's fables. Looking ahead, as a culminating activity, we are going to have a Greek feast.

Our school year is going by quickly. Following Easter break, we will be entering our 4<sup>th</sup> marking period.

Wishing you all a very blessed and happy Easter.  
Mrs. Ferguson

## FINANCIAL AID FORMS

Financial Aid Forms are available for the 2021-2022 school year. *Please note that new Financial Aid Forms need to be completed EVERY school year. All completed forms are due by May 7th.* Please contact the office if you would like a form or if you have any questions.

## SCHOOL OFFICE

The school office will be closed Friday, April 2 through Friday, April 9th.

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## THIS WEEK

3/29	Last Week of Celebrate St. Peter's Fun Week (See Back of this Page for Details) No Starpoint and Lew-Port Buses Faculty Meeting—3:15 pm
3/30	No Starpoint and Lew-Port Buses
3/31	No Starpoint and Lew-Port Buses
4/1	No Starpoint and Lew-Port Buses 3rd Marking Period Ends Re-Enrollment Forms and Fees Due Transportation Forms due to Districts Maundy Thursday Worship Service 7:30 pm
4/2	<b>NO SCHOOL—SPRING RECESS</b>

## LOOKING AHEAD

4/4	<b>HAPPY EASTER</b> Join us for Easter Sunday Worship Services at 8:30 am or 11 am
4/5— 4/9	<b>NO SCHOOL—SPRING RECESS</b>
4/12	School Resumes Parish Board Meeting—6:30 pm
4/13	Basketball Uniforms Due into the office Washed and Put in a Bag with Name
4/14	Report Cards Sent Home

Just a Reminder.....

**NO STARPOINT AND LEW-PORT  
BUSES 3/29—4/1**



## PELLICANO DINNER FUNDRAISER

Thank you to everyone who supported our Pellicano's Fundraiser. The meals were delicious.

Also special thank you to Derek and Wendy Hiddie and all the Parish Board members who organized and worked on this fundraiser. We are waiting for a final total on our profit.

## BISON'S SCHOLARSHIP FUND

### NEW FAMILIES TO BISON'S

All families have been notified the results via email. If a family was selected to receive funding, they will receive a link to complete a full application online. The deadline for new families to complete the full application is **April 30th**. The pre-application form remains open on the Bison's website. Families who complete it will be placed on a waiting list. They do take families off the waitlist as more funds become available, so please continue to apply at [www.bisonfund.com](http://www.bisonfund.com).

### RENEWING FAMILIES

The deadline for families to renew their scholarship for the 2021-2022 school year is **April 15th**. You should have received an email on February 22nd with the link to start the renewal process. You will need to upload your financial documents in Step 3 of the renewal process.

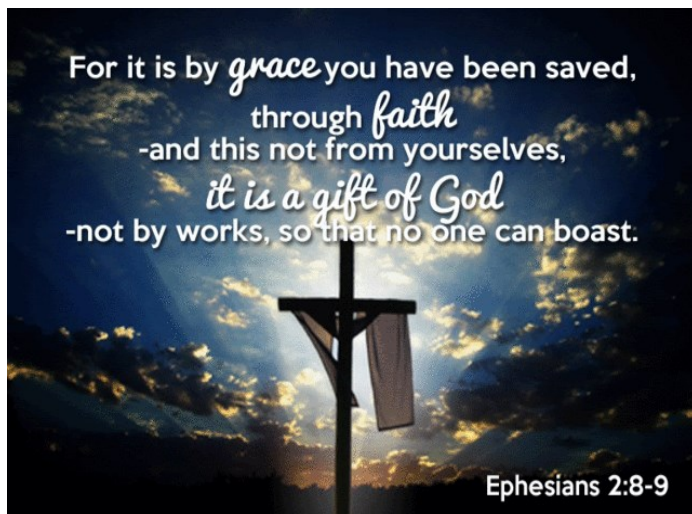
## BASKETBALL UNIFORMS

Basketball Uniforms are due into the office by Tuesday, April 13th. Please return washed uniforms in a bag with the players name on it. If your student returns the uniform to the office by April 13th, a \$5 uniform fee refund will be sent home with your child on Monday, April 19th. This refund will be in an envelope addressed to parents. Please ask your child for this envelope.

## RE-ENROLLMENT FORMS FOR 2021/2022

Re-enrollment Forms for the 2021-2022 school year were sent home on Monday, February 22nd. All forms and fees are due by **April 1, 2021**. **Re-enrollment received after April 1st will be assessed \$25 per child, per month.** Also, all transportation requests/forms need to be submitted directly to your school district by April 1, 2021. Please do not send them into the office, they go directly to the school district that provides your bus services.

Please keep in mind that if/when social distancing is required we will need to limit our class sizes. Please be prompt in returning re-enrollment paperwork and fees. If you have any questions or need additional forms, please contact the office at 731-4422.



## Our Last Week of Celebrate St. Peter's Fun

Holy Week recounts the final days of Jesus' life including his death, burial, and resurrection. So this is a solemn week. Holy Week begins with Palm Sunday - a celebration of Jesus fulfilling the prophecy from Zechariah with his triumphal entry into Jerusalem. We celebrate Christ as king on Palm Sunday.

Maundy Thursday honors the Last Supper.

Good Friday is marked by somber reflections on the death of Christ. When we meditate on what Jesus did for us, we are reminded of Jesus' suffering and how powerful our sin is. Jesus took on our sin and experienced the ultimate separation from God so that we will never have to experience that.

Holy Week leads up to the celebration of Jesus' triumph over death on Easter Sunday. The Resurrection gives us hope that one day we will also have eternal life with God!

This week's activity/theme is Easter Draw/Color.

### OUR FUN ACTIVITY:

At the beginning of the week the 4<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade will be making a coloring book page. There will be a Bible Verse for each grade. One winner from grade 4/5/6/7/8 will be picked. The winner's drawing will be used as a coloring contest sheet for grades Pre K/1/2/3/Grade K-3 .

**AFTERSCHOOL SIGN UP**

**\*Week of April 12th\***

**Due on March 31st**

Pre-Reg (per day) 1 hour @ \$5,  
2 hours @ \$10, 3 hours @ \$ 15

*Family Reg for the year is \$35.00.*

*Emergency* (family not registered)

\$7.00 per hour

Late Enrollees add \$1.00 per child per  
day after Thursday.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mon Tues Wed Thurs Fri

Hrs. \_\_\_\_\_

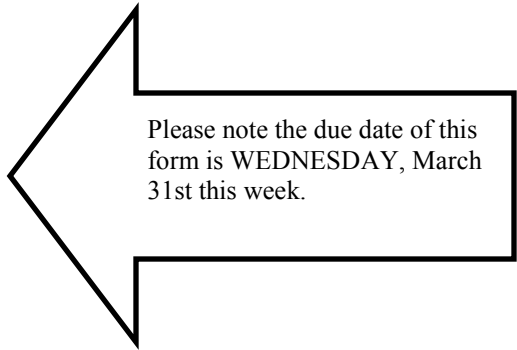
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TOTAL ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note this form is due on WEDNESDAY,  
March 31st this week.**



**NO PIZZA LUNCH  
NO SCHOOL ON FRIDAY, APRIL 2ND**

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