

The Saint

August 2026

A Publication of the Episcopal Church of St. Luke & St. Peter



Sunday Services:

8:00am...Traditional Communion

9:30am...Family Communion (livestreamed)

11:00am...Bible History Class with Richard Fifield

11:15am...Contemporary Service

Thursday Services:

6:00pm...Bible Study/Prayer Meeting

Head of Church Jesus Christ

Bishop The Rt. Rev. Dr. Justin Holcomb

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Timothy Hearn, Music Director

Victoria Reich, Preschool Director

Rose Rohde, Children's Ministry Director

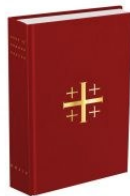
Brandon Phelps, Youth Ministry Director

Carrie Potts, Parish Administrator

Office Hours Monday - Thursday 9am -2pm



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2026 Financial Report

(as of April 2026)

YTD Offering	\$140,037.31
YTD Expenses	\$107,595.65
YTD Balance	\$33,774.11

Clergy

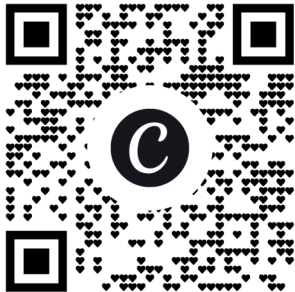
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August

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
						1 Fellowship Breakfast 9 am at Fat Boys
2 Church Services 8am – Rite I 9:30am- Rite II 11:15am Contemporary History Class 11am	3	4	5	6	7	8
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Fall is one of the busiest seasons for family gatherings and celebrations. If you know a friend, neighbor, or coworker planning a birthday, baby shower, bridal shower, wedding, anniversary, retirement party or celebration of life, encourage them to consider our Parish Hall.



Our beautiful, welcoming space is available for a variety of special events.

Scan the QR code to view photos, find event inspiration, and follow along on our Parish Hall social media page.

For additional information, please call Kim Jones 407-744-8891 or Email





June Outing Fun!

Our very first Dig In Middle and Dig In Youth summer outing was a huge success! We went to see the movie Toy Story 5 and grabbed some incredible ice cream at Pops and Waffles afterward. So much fun was had by all—we can't wait for the next one!



Preschool

Preschool starts back up on August 17th

Blessing of the Backpacks — August 16th at 9:30 & 11:15 AM Services

As we prepare for a new school year, we invite all students, teachers, school staff, and homeschool families to bring your backpacks, book bags, or teacher totes for a special Blessing of the Backpacks.

During the blessing, we'll pray for God's protection, wisdom, and guidance throughout the school year. Each participant will also receive a special prayer tag to attach to their bag as a reminder that they are loved, prayed for, and never walk alone.

May this school year be filled with learning, joy,
and the light of Jesus wherever you go!



Dig In Launches September 2nd

We are proud to announce that Dig In now goes from **Pre-k3 through 12th grade!!** We start back on Wednesday September 2nd. Join us at 5:30 for grilled cheese and tomato soup. At 6pm the children break into their groups and *Dig In to their Bible lessons.*



Hey everyone!

After a much needed rest week after Soul in the City, and being able to gather my thoughts more, what better way to express them than in the newsletter for the month!

This year we took 4 students, 3 of which was their first time attending Soul in the City, and we all had so much fun! This year we stayed at Holy Apostles and St. John's down in Satellite Beach, where we completed various work projects around the city including street evangelizing, beautifying Holy Apostles and St. John's, working down at Matthew's Hope and Zon Assisted Living Facility, just to name a few! This year's theme was Loaves and Fishes, and taking what little we see that we have, and letting God multiply it. This week brought lots of tears, but tears of joy and happiness, lots of laughs, and relationships built and strengthened.

We are also coming to the end of our summer break, and in just a few weeks on August 12th, both Dig-In and the Dig-In Youth will be having our back to school bash at the new Level 99 at Disney Springs! Should be a ton of fun and I can't wait to share pictures on our social media about it!

Lastly, thank you to everyone for your prayers for the Youth and the Youth Leaders at Soul in the City. The amount of work and effort that goes into putting on an event of this magnitude takes so much, but we couldn't do it, without your prayers and God's help. Thank you everyone!

Until next time!
Brandon Phelps



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August 2026

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Youth Group

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First Day of
School!

Back To School
Bash— Level 99
Disney Springs

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Preschool Re-
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Youth Group

Arts Thereafter
Resumes

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Youth Group
Game Night



The Order of the Daughters of the King (DOK) is an order for lay women in the Episcopal Church with the purpose of encouraging and practicing ministries of prayer, service, and evangelism.

Since it is a lay order, members make a lifetime commitment of prayer service and evangelism. Before formal installation, each candidate goes through a three-month course of study.

Daughters of the King meets the first Sunday of every month at 11am. If you are interested in becoming a daughter, you can reach out to Tracy Hensel or Gail Hayden.

Donation Info:

Daughters of the King (DOK) and Families in Transition (FIT)

Boxes are in the church for you to drop off any donations you have for the DOK program for the Homeless and the FIT Program

* FIT program is in need of TRAVEL SIZE - shampoo, lotion and water bottles (8 oz)

Thank you!

New Email for prayer request: dokprayerslsp@gmail.com

If you would like to have quiet prayer time, the DOK has set up the cry room in the Church for that.



Who We Are

OSL is an international, inter-denominational, Christian healing organization. We are made up of healing communities dedicated to offering healing prayer in Jesus' name to all who are in need. We are a Christian community of faith, prayer and service. We are a network of individual believers who come together to learn more about God's healing love and the power of the Holy Spirit to transform lives and bring wholeness. Once trained, we offer healing prayer in our communities. This is our unique mission and ministry.

Jesus's healing is for today just as much as it was when he walked the earth and performed miracles of healing the sick and disabled. The Bible tells us that "But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on him, and by his wounds we are healed." ~ Isaiah 53:5.

Jesus can still heal today!



"Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise them up. If they have sinned, they will be forgiven."

- James 5:14-15

"So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand." ~ Isaiah 41:10

"He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds." - Psalm 147:3



Short Prayer for Healing - "Father, help me to keep my focus on You when the pain and hurt are overwhelming. Help me be faithful and see the good and blessings surrounding me. Please strengthen my mind, heart, and body, and heal me today. May the Holy Spirit guide me in peace and comfort. Amen."



Osceola County schools restart August 10. Thousands of children return to classes and many of them arrive knowing they can get lunch and breakfast—something that is in short supply at home.

For thirteen years St. Cloud Cares has met a weekend need for supplemental food by providing a small package of food items to over 200 children at ten area elementary schools.

Your donations of these items have gone a long way in keeping this program active.

Again this school year we ask for your help. As you shop, look for: tuna fish cans, tomato and chicken noodle condensed soups, Vienna sausage tins, instant oatmeal packets and granola bars. They should be the least expensive items on local shelves.

Bring them to the church each week and place them in the container located in the narthex. We'll use them starting August 27 to help fill our weekend CarePacks.

If you prefer, write a check to St. Cloud Cares and mail it to:

2745 Canoe Creek Road, 34772.

We are a registered 501(c)3 charity and spend 98 cents out of every dollar purchasing food for this local program.

Thank you for your interest and help.



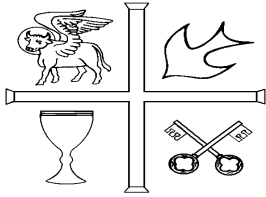


Do you love to sing ?

We are always looking for individuals
That would like to join the Choir.

Please see Mr. Timothy Hearn
if you're interested in learning more about this ministry





St. Luke and St. Peter Church

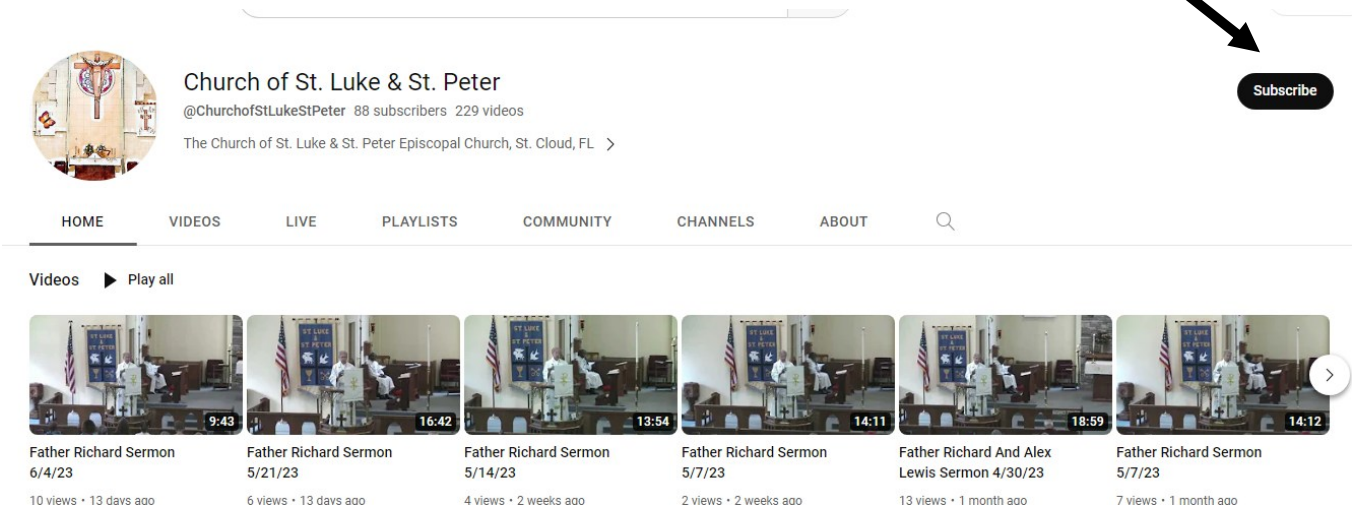
Playlists on YouTube

Click to be taken to our channel

Did you know that we have playlists on our YouTube channel? Each week, We save the sermon as a separate video and add it to the season's playlist—

Head over to our YouTube channel at <https://www.youtube.com/@ChurchofStLukeStPeter>, then click "Playlists" Scroll through the playlists until you find one that calls to you!

Don't forget to subscribe!!



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Father Richard Sermon 5/7/23	14:11	2 views	2 weeks ago
Father Richard And Alex Lewis Sermon 4/30/23	18:59	13 views	1 month ago
Father Richard Sermon 5/7/23	14:12	7 views	1 month ago



1st- Christine Von Wernich
2nd- Rose Rhode
Nerissa Ranchurejee Ali
3rd- Kathy Collier
6th- Cindy Davis
Brenda Lightsey
Patick Ellis
7th- Jason Ullrich
8th- Dawn Grigsby
10th- Kayson Wilson
12th- Kathy Russell
17th- Brandt Palmer
18th- Kim Harris
19th- Ashley Chick Greve
Eric Gocinski
20th- Michael Misenti
26th- Joe Grady
28th- Beverly Jennings
Grace Straughen
29th- Rene Lewis
Braden Figeac
31st- Sandra Vassel

3rd- Inshan & Nerissa Ali
6th- Christooopher & Renee Leach
Philip & Kristen Gilbert
8th- Michael and Sandra Borchers

*(If you had/have a Birthday or Anniversary this month and your names aren't here, please contact the office so that I can update your information in our database).
Thank you! Carrie - Office #407-892-3227 or email to slspchurch@gmail.com*

Congratulations To Our Expectant Mothers

Congratulations to Our New Mothers

Prayers of the People

Members of the Parish

Bob Albright	Gail Hayden	Bette McBride
Inshan Ali	Robin Hengels	Thelma McGhee
Isabella Ali	Sharon Hudson	Richard P.
Nerissa Ali	Colleen Hutton	Brandt Palmer
Zachary Ali	Tripp Kessler	Lloyd Ranchurejee
Maria Borchers	Miriam Kinard	Annamarie Reithmiller
John Chambless	Bruce Krist	Pat Smith
Roop Chandoo	Henry Rohde	Marilyn Stemphoski
Danny Collier	Ann Logan	Maryella Wood
Cindy Davis	Mike Mannino	Carol Woods
Joe Grady	Lauren Eib	Judy Grinnell
Fr. Guy Dioguardi	Cassie H.	Martin Kotulak
Margie Stankiewicz	Logan Fernandez	

Family and Friends of the Parish

Karl Allen	Richelle Barber	Rainey Bell Nunery & Family
Dawn Davis	Susan Davis	Bryan & Sue Dever
Courtney Dexter	Tom & Linda Drake	Nadia Eaddy
Jameson Ellis	Gema Evans	Maureen Fifield
Audley Fogo	Pethrona Fogo	Taylor Garcia Family
Wayne Garland	Nelida Gonzalez	David Grabosky
Brenda Harrod	Henry Hearn Jr.	Darwin Hedges
Joe Henderson	Joan Herbert	Ms. Joachim
Cindy Jones	Joanne Lee	Calvin Leverette
Leverette Family	Ann Logan	Nancy Lopez
Kathleen Randall Marks	Kristi Melton	Causton Merchant
Cleo Miller	Tracie Miller	Weston Nobles
Viola Oatis	Dorris Otis	Ed Parks
Lekisha Patrick	Marcia Patrick	Drew Payne
Julio Perez	Roger P.	Robert Ray
Geraldine Reithmiller	Kathleen Randall Marks	Irene Rodriguez
Isaac Sabo	Joyce Seaward	Mellisa Shafer
Ralph Sharp	Pedro Sosa	Rick Steele
Ivy Trujillo	Nicolai Ward	Audra Webber
Bill Wilner	Ruth Williams	Dionne Wilson
Carol Yanish	Yessenia	Niecey
Desmond Byfield	Louis Chancey	Isabel, Elijah, & Christian Chambless
Sadie & Adalind Chaffee	Italo Victor Brett	Jesse
Ruth-Ann	Weywey Family	
Brian Ellis	Roger James	

Our Military Personnel:

Ashli & Richard Africain, Kofi Amissah, L.B. Belford, Zachary Brady, Bryce Cook, Gavan Cragell, John Garland, Jr., Nathan Grigsby, Caleb Hayden, Jaynie, Steven Lightsey, Sammy Martin, Amanda Patton, Taylor Patton, Joshua Quinn, Victor Romero, Jared Rotunda, Andre Sinclair, Jason Smith, Molly Solsbury, and Gillian Stewart.

Homebound Members and Friends

Joanne Welker Lyn Kirkland

Congratulations to the New Parents: