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St. Peter's Episcopal School

November 2026

Message from the Director, Janet Boutin

November gives those of us at St. Peter's School a special opportunity to count the many blessings God has given us. Most importantly, we are all blessed to have your children at our school. Their happy faces are a constant joy to all of our staff. We are also very thankful for the tremendous support of our families through participation in our Parent Association. As Director, I am privileged to work with such a dedicated staff of loving teachers. Our staff is committed to everyone's safety, providing the best early education and ongoing opportunities to explore and grow in God's world. They deserve our thanks.

November is Parent/Teacher conference month at St. Peter's. If you would like to conference, contact your child's teacher or the School Office. However, every teacher will send home checklists of your child's progress and samples of their work. These checklists are given out in the Fall and Spring to help guide lesson planning, class activities and to help set goals for your child. Please visit the Church Facebook page to see pictures of ongoing school activities and see the joy your children are experiencing at school.

Please mark your calendars for two special chapels. **Wednesday, November 18th** is our "Feed the Hungry" Chapel; students will collect much needed canned items for CAM (Christian Assistance Ministry) local food bank. **Wednesday, December 9th** is our Annual St. Nicholas/Toy Chapel. We will collect Christmas presents for the young children of Divinity Family Services. Divinity cares for area children in CPS care and our hope is to make their holidays a little brighter. Both of these special chapels help our children to experience the **joy of giving and helping others** in our community.

Have a blessed Thanksgiving holiday!

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Thank You! Special Blessings!

Thank you to the volunteers of St. Barnabus Episcopal Church of Fredericksburg. Their master gardeners and volunteers spent a day sprucing up our School's Bond's Butterfly Garden. They will return again in the Spring!

The children and butterflies thank you!

Thank you

Episcopal School Sunday

Parish members donated $970 towards the School's Scholarship Program.

Thank you,
St. Peter's Staff

God is love!

Important Dates

Daylight Savings Time Ends: Sunday, November 1st.

Kinder 50's Day: Wednesday, November 4th. Dress 50's style!

Pre-K (4's) & Kinder Hearing Screening Makeups: Thursday, November 5th and Friday, November 6th.

Parent Association Meeting: Friday, November 6th @ 8:45 am; Tucker Hall/MPR.

School Closed: Monday, November 9th.

End of Year Scholarship Campaign Begins: Tuesday, November 10th

Qdoba Spirit Night: Thursday, November 12th, 4:00—8:00 p.m. Be sure to say "I am supporting St. Peter's!"

School Board Meeting: Monday, November 16th.

Feed The Hungry Chapel: Wednesday, November 18th @ 9:00 am, Church. Please send non-perishable foods anytime between now and Nov. 18th for local distribution (CAM). Please Join Us!

Thanksgiving Feast: Friday, November 20th @ 10:30 am, Tucker Hall. The children will feast on turkey, cheese, rolls, etc. The School will let you know what food item your child's class will be providing for the Feast. Feast items can be dropped off in the classroom and carpool. Please Join Us!

Early Dismissal Day: Friday, November 20th, School closes at Noon. No ASC today.

Thanksgiving Holiday: Monday—Friday, November 23rd—27th. No School.

St. Nicholas/Toy Chapel: Wednesday, December 9th @ 9:00 am, Church. Please send a new gift offering that will be donated to the children helped by Divinity Family Services. Please limit your gift items for children under 5 years of age. Also, do not wrap the gifts. We give these gifts instead of exchanging classroom gifts. Please Join Us!

For your information . . .

As a result of House Bill 2086 that passed during the 81st Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 42 of the Human Resource Code will be amended to include Section 42.064 requiring that information about gang-free zones be distributed to parents and guardians of children in care at licensed child care centers.

What is a gang-free zone? A gang-free zone is a designated area around a specific location where certain gang related activity is prohibited and is subject to increased penalty under Texas law. Specific locations where certain gang related criminal activity is now prohibited include, but are not limited to, public schools, playgrounds, video arcade facilities, and day care centers.

The area that falls within a gang-free zone can vary depending on the type of location. For example, certain gang-related criminal activity that occurs within 300 feet of a video arcade facility is a violation of the new law, whereas certain gang-related criminal activity that occurs within 1000 feet of a school or day care center is a violation of the law.

How do parents know where the gang-free zone ends? The gang-free zone is within 1000 feet of your child care program. Maps may be produced for the purposes of prosecution and may be updated by the local municipal or county engineer. Parents may contact their local municipality to attempt to obtain a copy of the map if they choose to do so.

At St. Peter's School, the safety of our students is always our top priority. Contact the School Office if you have any questions. Thank you.

Janet Boutin, School Director
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Health and Safety At School

Keeping Kids Healthy

1. Keep students home if they are sick, help us prevent illness from spreading.
2. Have children wash hands frequently with soap and water. Wash for 20 seconds.
3. Cover your mouth and nose when coughing or sneezing. We teach them to cough into their elbow (not their hands).
4. Seek medical attention early if your child has flu like symptoms.

Please . . .

do not bring a sick child to school. Children must be "fever free" for 24 hours in order to return to school.

Regular hand washing keeps the germs away.

boo boos happen!

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Celebrating 57 years

1969 - 2026/27

We are proud to announce **St. Peter's School's** legacy program:

"The Best Beginnings"

This program has been established to secure the School's future for years to come. When planning your estate, remember our School. Your donations will help to control future tuition costs, supplement scholarships, upkeep the playgrounds, assure the classrooms have educational materials and technology, help to recruit and retain high quality staff and much more.

To learn more about the "Best Beginnings" Legacy Program contact the School Office at stpeterskerrville@hotmail.com or 830-257-0257. The legacy form can be downloaded from our website: www.stpeterskerrville.com. The form is simple and does not require an attorney.

Thank you,
Brent Ives, School Board President
Janet Boutin, School Director

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SCHOOL BUS

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Update: School Zone Times

- Our school is officially a city school zone.
- On Jefferson Street (Washington Street to Tivy Street).
- Slow down to 20 mph Monday thru Friday.
- Enforced by KPD.
- **Zone times 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.**
- Help keep our little ones safe.

Please Slow Down

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