

*Welcome*



ST. PETER'S UMC  
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2 | 9 AM

**Hymn of Praise**

*I Surrender All (v. 1-4)*

UM No.354

**Affirmation of Faith**

UM No. 881

**Gloria Patri**

**Welcome & Opportunities to Connect**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Special Music**

*God is Great*

*St. Peter's Youth Choir*

**Sermon**

Dr. Pat Sparks

*The Covenants We Make: Prayers | Psalms 116:1-2*

**Holy Communion**

**Offertory**

*In the Secret*

*Carolyn Shadden*

**Doxology**

**Hymn of Dedication**

*I Will Call Upon the Lord*

UM No. 2002

**Benediction & Response**

*We Are St. Peter's*

LEADING IN WORSHIP TODAY

DR. PAT SPARKS | Preaching  
REV. WHITNEY PEPER | Liturgist  
DAVID GALASSO | Director of Music

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ST. PETER'S UMC  
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2 | 10:30 AM

## Call to Worship

*Let There Be Praise*

## Hymn of Praise

*I Surrender All (v. 1-4)*

UM No. 354

## Affirmation of Faith

UM No. 881

## Gloria Patri

## Welcome & Opportunities to Connect

## Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

## Anthem

*The Meditations of My Heart*

St. Peter's Choir

## Sermon

Dr. Pat Sparks

*The Covenants We Make: Prayers | Psalms 116:1-2*

## Holy Communion

## Offertory

*Lord I Lift Your Name on High*

Kids Jam Choir

## Doxology

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# WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

Whether you are joining us in-person or online,  
we are delighted that you are with us.

## PRAYERS

Are you or someone you love in need of prayer? Want to know how you can be in prayer for other St. Peter's members?

[ST. PETER'S PRAYER MINISTRY](#)

## LET US KNOW YOU ARE HERE

Whether it's your first time to worship with us, or you worship with us every week, please fill out our attendance form.

[REGISTER YOUR ATTENDANCE](#)

## HOW TO GIVE

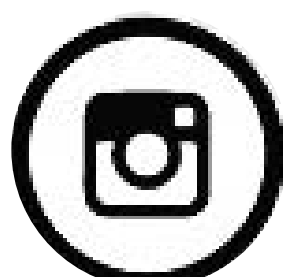
Financial giving is a spiritual practice. We give because of what God has already given us. St. Peter's encourages all who worship with us to consider how directly investing in the ministries of this church forms you and impacts those in our surrounding community. You can securely give online at any time.

[GIVE ONLINE](#)

## CONNECT WITH US!



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# There's more to church than Sunday mornings.

AT ST. PETER'S, WE GATHER, GROW, GO, & GIVE AS WE JOURNEY THROUGH LIFE TOGETHER.

## WE GATHER TOGETHER TO CELEBRATE GOD

Whether it's on Sunday mornings, special holidays, or just to meet new friends, we value opportunities to gather together!

## WE GROW TO KNOW MORE OF GOD.

No matter how old we are, we never stop growing to know more of God! Through the study of Scripture, individually and together as a community, we learn more about God's word and what it means for us in our lives today.

[stpkaty.org/grow](http://stpkaty.org/grow)

## WE GO INTO THE WORLD TO MAKE GOD KNOWN.

We partner with local and global mission partners to connect the world with God's love throughout the year.

[stpkaty.org/missions](http://stpkaty.org/missions)

## WE GIVE OF OUR TIME, TALENTS, AND TREASURES TO GLORIFY GOD.

It is important part of our discipleship to give generously. We give through volunteering our time, offering our God-given gifts to help in a number of ways, and giving our part financially.

[stpkaty.org/give](http://stpkaty.org/give)

See more ways to connect in the life of the church!

[VISIT STPKATY.ORG/EVENTS](http://stpkaty.org/events)

## **PIZZA WITH THE PASTORS**

Interested in learning more about St. Peter's & membership? Join us for Pizza with the Pastors, Today, at both campuses, where you'll have the chance to hear more about the church and get answers to any questions you might have! This event occurs at 11:45 AM on the 1st Sunday of every month at both the King-land Campus in E106 & the West Campus in Room 7.

## **PICK-A-DILLY**

Pick a dilly is almost here! On October 15th, we will host our annual craft fair supporting missions! For our Auction this year, we are asking for season ticket holders of various sports teams (i.e. Texans, Astros, Rockets, A&M, etc.) or fine arts (plays, musicals, etc.) to donate game/show tickets to be auctioned off. Please email [ebucher@stpkaty.org](mailto:ebucher@stpkaty.org) if you are willing to donate and thank you in advance for your charitable contribution in support of missions at St. Peter's UMC.

## **PUMPKINS ARE COMING!**

Pumpkins will be delivered on Sunday, October 9th. Volunteers are needed to help unload the pumpkins and work the pumpkin patch at both campuses. Visit [stpkaty.org/pumpkins](http://stpkaty.org/pumpkins) to signup to volunteer!

## **MEN IN CONCERT**

Mark your calendars for the Men in Concert event at the King-land Campus on Sunday, October 16th, at 6:30 p.m. The Men's Ensemble and Gospel Quartet will be presenting a concert of beautiful anthems and fun hymns for our congregation and community. This will be the 15th year for this concert, which will feature familiar hymns and some light-hearted music from favorite musicals. Prior to the concert, KEYS will be hosting a Dessert & Coffee beginning at 5:30 p.m. You may register for the dessert event by going to [stpkaty.org/events](http://stpkaty.org/events).

# Want to know more about what's going on St. Peter's this summer?

SUBSCRIBE TO OUR WEEKLY NEWSLETTER, *THE CONNECTION*

# CHILDREN & STUDENTS

*get connected*



## st. peter's KIDS

### **STP KIDS MINISTRY** • [stpkaty.org/kids](http://stpkaty.org/kids)

Our Children's Ministry helps kids and their families connect with and grow in God's love. We offer fun, faith-filled programs on Sundays as well as midweek for infants through 5th-graders.



## st. peter's STUDENTS

### **STP STUDENT MINISTRY** • [stpkaty.org/students](http://stpkaty.org/students)

Our Student Ministry helps students 6th-12th grade grow into faithful disciples of Christ into adulthood. We gather on Sundays during worship and in the evenings, as well as throughout the week for events.

## CHILDREN & STUDENT MINISTRY STAFF CONTACTS

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# work with us!

## **ST. PETER'S NURSERY STAFF**

St. Peter's Nursery is hiring for both campuses! We are looking to fill several positions on Sunday mornings with additional shifts available throughout the week. Experience working with children is a plus. If you are interested or know someone who is interested in working for the nursery, please contact the nursery coordinator, Jena Talbert at [jtalbert@stpkaty.org](mailto:jtalbert@stpkaty.org).

## **ACCOUNTANT/BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR**

St. Peter's United Methodist Church is searching for a Business Administrator to join our staff. This position will be responsible for the financials of the church and maintain the church's financial records. This is a 32 hours/week working Monday - Thursday with benefits. Bachelor's degree in Accounting, Finance, Business Management, or equivalent field preferred. All interested candidates should send their resumes to Lucy Underwood, Human Resources at [lunderwood@stpkaty.org](mailto:lunderwood@stpkaty.org) or call 281-944-4940 for more information.