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THE CATHOLIC, CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF ST. PETER

A MEMBER OF OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE DEANERY

WELCOME TO OUR COMMUNITY

Website: stpeterarchbold.com

Parish Mission Statement

For all who enter; we at St. Peter are a community who believe Jesus Christ is the center of our lives. We are committed to live life in relationship with each other; we strive to heed the call to reach out and touch the lives of people. We invite newcomers to join us and those who have been away to rejoin us!

New Parishioners

A warm welcome as you enter our Parish Community! You are asked to register at the parish office as soon as possible, 419-446-2150. If you are moving from the parish, please inform the office so we may remove your name from our parish roster.

Sacrament of Marriage

Initial arrangements are to be made 6 months prior to the actual wedding day. The Diocesan policy is to allow sufficient time for the couple to make adequate preparation to receive the sacrament. Please call the rectory to make arrangements or Deacon Larry.

Sacrament of Baptism

If someone is to be baptized, please call Fr. Stanbery. All parents must attend prebaptism sessions for their first child. Call the rectory to make arrangements, 419-446-9288 or Deacon Larry (419) 966-7091.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Having questions about the Catholic faith? Thinking of joining the Catholic Church? You can learn more by attending our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) sessions. Classes start each fall. Call Fr. Stanbery at 419-446-9288

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULES

Office Hours: Tue. & Thurs.

9:30 am - 4:30 pm

St. Peter, Archbold

Weekend Masses

Saturday ~ 4:30 PM

Sunday ~ 10:30 AM

Reconciliation Sat. 4:00 or by appointment



Office Hours: Tue. & Thurs.

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Our Lady of Mercy, Fayette

Weekend Mass

Sunday ~ 8:30 AM

Reconciliation Sun. 8:00 AM or by appointment

Saturday, October	13:
Grace New	

Sunday, October 14: Carl Fry Willie Rodriguez

Monday, October 15:

St. Teresa of Jesus No Mass Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1/ Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday, October 16:

Sts. Hedwig & Margaret Mary Alacoque Our Lady of Mercy~9:00 am St. Peter~7:00 pm Gal 5:1-6/Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday, October 17:

St. Ignatius of Antioch St. Peter~9:00 am Gal 5:18-25/Lk 11:42-46

Thursday, October 18:

St. Luke No Mass 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9

Friday, October 19:

Sts. John de Bre'beuf & Isaac Jogues St. Peter~8:00 am Eph 1:11-14/Lk 12:1-7

Saturday, October 20:

St. Paul of the Cross St. Peter~9:00 am Eph 1:15-23/Lk 12:8-12

Vigil

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time St. Peter~4:30 pm

Sunday, October 21:

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Peter~10:30 am

Norbert Lisak

Tridentine~12:30

Gladys Purcell

Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am Jeanette Tidwell Edna M. Scheuer Is 53:10-11/Heb 4:14-16/ Mk 10:35-45

Sat., October 20~ 4:30 pm

EXTRAORDINARYTheresa McCollMarianne FrancisMINISTERS OF HOLYChuck McCollLois GrimeCOMMUNIONAmy ZientekJohn Smith

Sun., October 21~10:30 am

GREETERS Chuck & Theresa McColl Frank & Cheryl Grime

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Brooke & Sheri Bosco

Please find a sub if you cannot make your scheduled date.

Servers should arrive 15 minutes before Mass time.

ROSARY ~ The Rosary is said every Sunday at 10:00 AM before Mass. No weekday rosary.

Area Happenings

Karcher Concert Series

The Toledo Symphony kicks off the inaugural year of the Karcher Concert Series at St. Wendelin Catholic Church on Friday, October 12th at 7:00 P.M. Nadège Foofat will conduct the renowned orchestra in an evening of wonderful music featuring American composers such as Aaron Copland, Joan Tower, and more! Tickets can be purchased at the Saint Wendelin Parish Office (323 N. Wood St., Fostoria). All tickets are \$10. See www.stwendelin.org or call 419-435-6692 for more information.

Fairlawn Auxiliary Fund Raiser

Samuel Mancinos 106 S. Defiance St. Monday, October 15

humbly pray: and do thou. O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of

God, cast into hell Satan and all the

evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

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	Krueger families who	
**************************************	hosted coffee & rolls last Sunday!	
PRIEST	Religious Ed K-8	
RETIREMENT FUND	Wednesday, October 17 6:30-745.	
	We need money counters for the weekend collections! Please prayerfully consider if you can help. Contact Kevin Seibert.	
Perpetuate the Gift is simply the annual appeal that supports our Diocesan Priests' Retirement Fund. It signifies the beautifully unending and total commitment of our priests to our spiritual		
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******************	lunch will be sold before and after Masses and	
On World Mission Sunday, October 21, 2018, Bishop Daniel E. Thomas will celebrate the 10:00 am Liturgy at Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral. Parishioners of the many	during office hours. Our St. Peter website is up	
our support of the Mission efforts. Please contact Sister Maria Lin Pacold, RSM, at 419-249-4920	and running! Signing up is EASY! Go to:	
or mlin@toledodiocese.org if you and/or your family would like to participate in the liturgy.	stpeterarchbold.com	
	Eucharistic Adoration starts at 8 am ending with	
There is a Finance and Parish Council meeting on Tuesday, October 16 at 7:30.	Mass at 7 pm every Tuesday. Call Dennis	
	Schwind: 419-335-2652.	
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you have questions about this ministry or would like some training call Fr. Stanbery.	Sunday Offering: \$4928.01 Weekly Budget: \$3375.00	
	Over/(Under) Budget: \$1553.01	
Check your calendar and prayerfully consider the CATHOLIC HEART WORKCAMP ministry! We	Past collections:	
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	September 23 \$3279.20 September 16 \$2704.00	
CO	Prayer to	
	St. Michael the Archangel	
Farmington, MI	Saint Michael the Archangel, defend	
June 23-29 This camp is an "Original" Catholic HEART Workcamp. It is open to those entering the 8th grade in the fall of 2019 and older.	us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we	

THE CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF ST. PETER

Email_____

Adult _____

Dear Padre

October 14, 2018

Does the Church consider homosexuality a sin?

Although Church teaching considers the homosexual orientation to be disordered because homosexual acts are closed to the gift of life and lack the "affective and sexual complementarity" necessary for marriage, the Church nonetheless clearly affirms the basic human dignity of homosexual persons and their ability to achieve graced and holy lives. Although the Church teaches that homosexual acts are immoral, the Catechism of the Catholic Church states unequivocally that homosexual persons "must be accepted with respect, compassion, and sensitivity. Every sign of unjust discrimination in their regard should be avoided" (CCC 2358).

Scientific evidence suggests that, in the vast majority of cases, sexual identity—homosexual, heterosexual, or somewhere in between—is not a matter of choice. It's determined before we're even aware of it, and we gradually grow into it as we mature. So even if there is an essential imperfection in homosexuality because of the lack of complementarity and inability to procreate, gay persons are in no way morally responsible for their orientation. They shouldn't see it as an obstacle to a fulfilling and happy life.

It follows from this that a homosexual inclination is in no way incompatible with a Christian vocation or the pursuit of holiness. All of us have various inclinations to sin, and gay persons have the same hope of God's friendship and grace as anybody else.

—Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org

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