

Sunday, April 21, 2019 ~Easter Sunday



THE CATHOLIC, CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF ST. PETER

A MEMBER OF OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE DEANERY

WELCOME TO OUR COMMUNITY

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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 pre-baptism 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.

9:30 am - 3:00 pm

Our Lady of Mercy,
Fayette

Weekend Mass

Sunday ~ 8:30 AM

Reconciliation Sun.
8:00 AM or by
appointment

THE CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF ST. PETER

Saturday, April 20:
Lydia Wlasiuk

Sunday, April 21:
Jeannette Talbot
Florence Schwind
For the People

Monday, April 22:
Monday within the Octave of Easter
No Mass
Acts 2:14, 22-33/Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday, April 23:
Tuesday within the Octave of Easter
Our Lady of Mercy~9:00 am
St. Peter~7:00 pm
Acts 2:36-41/Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday, April 24:
Wed. within the Octave of Easter
Fairlawn~10:30 am
Acts 3:1-10/Lk 24:13-35

Thursday, April 25:
Thursday within the Octave of Easter
No Mass
Acts 3:11-26/Lk 24:35-48

Friday, April 26:
Friday within the Octave of Easter
St. Peter~8:00 am
Acts 4:1-12/Jn 21:1-14

Saturday, April 27:
Saturday within the Octave of Easter
St. Peter~9:00 am
Acts 4:13-21/Mk 16:9-15

Vigil
St. Peter~4:30 pm
All Souls

Sunday, April 28:
Second Sunday of Easter
St. Peter~10:30 am
Matt Kunesh
Lydia Wlasiuk
Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am
For the People
Acts 5:12-16/
Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19
/Jn 20:19-31



Sat., April 27~ 8:30 pm

**EXTRAORDINARY
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COMMUNION**

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ROSARY LEADER

Sun., April 28~10:30 am

Marianne Francis
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Drew & Melissa Pifer

Frank Smith

Olivia Francis
Hannah Francis
Allie Buehrer

Mike & Barb Britenriker

Hannah Francis

Chuck & Theresa McColl
Nick & Susan Wlasiuk

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

Freedom to Love Series

Calling All Young Adults and High School Seniors! You are invited to join us for the 5-session FREEDOM TO LOVE Series beginning Friday, April 26, May 3, 10, 17, and 31 (skipping Memorial Day Weekend). The program will start at 7pm with social time after...board games, movies, bowling, eating out, ... whatever the group finds to do. St. Michael Catholic Church CCD House, 100 Antwerp Drive, Hicksville, Ohio. Park in the parking lot and come around the gym to the back door of the CCD House (307 West High Street). Cost is \$13 for a workbook or FREE if you don't need a workbook. To register call 419-487-2652. We are not defining "young adult"; just want you to know that this program was produced for "college-age" ults. ALL ARE WELCOME! INVITE YOUR FRIENDS!

Chicken BBQ

Sacred Heart Catholic Church in New Bavaria
Sunday, April 28
10:00 am to 1:00 pm

THE CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF ST. PETER

Deacon Larry has many roles during Mass, one being Eucharistic Minister. On the days that Larry is in attendance at Mass only two other ministers are needed. To alleviate confusion between the three scheduled ministers there will now be an asterisk (*) by the person's name who will be the "alternate" Eucharistic Minister. If Deacon Larry is at the Mass that person will simply stay seated (unless one of the other two is not at the service.)

If you are interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister or have questions about this new information concerning this ministry, please contact Father Stanbery or the office.



All students K-12 are invited to a **PIZZA PARTY** before CCD class this Wednesday, April 24.

Come hungry for food and God's word...



"I encourage everyone to try to see the pro-life movie *Unplanned* which is powerful and impactful on so many levels. It has already moved hearts and minds and is an impetus for conversion."
Bishop Daniel E. Thomas

There is a Tridentine Mass today at 12:30 pm.

Fairlawn Bingo
(WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!)
Tuesday, April 23
1:45 pm



Religious Ed K-12
Wednesday, April 24
6:30 pm-7:45 pm

Religious Ed Pizza Party
Wednesday, April 24
6:00 pm

RAS Complimentary Meal
Sunday, April 28

Luke and Lunch
Tuesday, April 30

First Communion practice with parents.
Wednesday, May 1

First Communion Coffee and Rolls
Sunday, May 5

Our St. Peter website is up and running! Signing up is EASY! Go to:

stpeterarchbold.com

Eucharistic Adoration starts at 8 am ending with Mass at 7 pm every Tuesday. Call Dennis Schwind: 419-335-2652.

Stewardship of Treasure
Sunday Offering: \$2677.00
Weekly Budget: \$3375.00
Over/(Under) Budget: (\$698.00)

Past collections:
April 5 \$4025.25
March 31 \$2684.00
March 24 \$1832.07



Dear Padre

April 21, 2019

Is there any significance to the fact that the first witnesses to Jesus' resurrection were women?

The first people to encounter the risen Jesus were Mary Magdalene and the women who came to anoint his body on Easter. Jesus had been killed the day before the Sabbath. His body was buried in haste, so there was no time to do the proper anointing. Jesus appeared first to these women, who became the first witnesses to Christ's resurrection.

According to Jewish law, women were not allowed to be witnesses. They were not allowed to testify or bear witness. The fact that Jesus first appeared to women, and specifically used women as the first to witness his resurrection, is testimony that in Christ we discard the distinctions that separate and divide us as human beings. Other categories of people were also not allowed to testify in Jewish law—children, slaves, and shepherds were also excluded. In Luke's gospel, the first witnesses to the birth of Jesus were the shepherds on the hillside. Jesus came into this world and left it while giving a voice to those usually silenced.

This Easter, let us be like the Lord as we recommit ourselves to giving voice to those in our world who are unprotected, silenced, and cast aside.

—Fr. Paul J. Cury, CSsR

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