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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.

#### **<u>Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults</u>**

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

#### Sunday, May 12, 2019 ~Fourth Sunday of Easter

Saturday, May 11: Bobby & Allen Dominique

Sunday, May 12: *Mother's Day* Kathryn Fleming Dorothy McDowell

Monday, May 13: Our Lady of Fatima St. Peter~9:00 am Acts 11:1-18/Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday, May 14: St. Matthias Our Lady of Mercy~9:00 am For the People St. Peter~7:00 pm Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/ Jn 15:9-17

Wednesday, May 15: St. Isidore St. Peter~9:00 am

Acts 12:24-13:5a/Jn 12:44-50

**Thursday, May 16:** Easter Weekday No Mass Acts 13:13-25/Jn 13:16-20

Friday, May 17: Easter Weekday St. Peter~8:00 am Acts 13:26-33/Jn 14:1-6

**Saturday, May 18:** St. John 1, Pope St. Peter~9:00 am Acts 13:44-52/Jn 14:7-14

Vigil St. Peter~4:30 pm Greg Wlasiuk Lydia Wlasiuk

Sunday, May 19: Fifth Sunday of Easter St. Peter~10:30 am Graduates Tridentine Evert Ritchie Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am Jeanette Tidwell Acts 14:21-27/ Rv 21:1-5a/ Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

	<u>Sat., May 18~ 8:30 pm</u>	<u>Sun., May 19~10:30 am</u>
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	Jeanie Alt Chuck McColl *Stephen Bernath	Mike Britenriker Barb Britenriker *Megan Cordes
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ROSARY LEADER		Arlene Hicks
MONEY COUNTERS		Sheri & Brooke Bosco David & Mari Yoder

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

Servers should arrive 15 minutes before Mass time.

**<u>ROSARY</u>** ~ The Rosary is said every Sunday at 10:00 AM before Mass. No weekday rosary.

#### Area Happenings

#### Burger Bash Sunday Noon, May 2019

Sunday, May 19 we hope you'll stop by for a hamburger by Brookview Meats between 11 and 1. It's the 16<sup>th</sup> annual Burger Bash in the Ruihley Park Pavilion and many area churches are involved in the set up and serving. Area cattlemen have again raised a pen of steers for our faith-based community mission outreach. Volunteers donate feed and care for the steers and when they are sold every penny after expenses goes to a wonderful International ministry, Growing Hope Globally, formerly known as Foods Resource Bank.

Archbold's own Jim Rufenacht is now on that board and has been to see the difference our local efforts make half-way around the world. The Burger Bash ends one project year and kicks off another. Our community has averaged a gift of over \$30,000 each of the last 15years to a project we select locally from the global list provided. Please show your support by joining friends and family at the Burger Bash on the 19th. A free donation covers your picnic lunch.

#### Sunday, May 12, 2019 ~Fourth Sunday of Easter



Communion

#### Congratulations! Carson Armstrong, Brenden Bosco, Tyson Bosco, Mylee Dominique, Zachary Krueger, Layne Miller & Connor Smith!



Community-wide Burger Bash Sunday, May 19 Ruihley Park Pavilion 10:40 – 12:30

Enjoy a burger with friends and neighbors and be part of an ongoing mission project which annually sends over \$25,000 from this community to our Foods Resources Bank partners working to provide irrigation systems to stabilize nomadic farmers in rural Africa. Freewill offering and inflatables for the kids.

We are in need of at least SIX helpers to meet at 10:40 on that day to help serve food. Sign-up sheet is on the table.

St. Peter Parish will be holding elections for 3 new parish council members over the weekends of May 11/12 and May 18/19.

Please vote for up to 3 nominees for council and place your ballot in the Collection basket.

#### One vote per parishioner please.

If you would like your farm blessed this spring, please fill in the form below and return it in the collection by the weekend of May25/26.

Name\_\_\_\_

Parish

Address\_\_\_\_\_

Phone #\_\_\_\_\_

Thank you to Sheri Bosco, Sandi Schaffner, Susie Bernath, Amy Zientek & family who hosted coffee and rolls last Sunday!

Fairlawn Independent Living Spring Open House, Sunday, May 19th from 1-4. Tour available duplexes and learn how Fairlawn Independent Living can make retirement living safe, easy and fun. For more information call 567.444.5102



Luke and Lunch Tuesday, May 14 1:00 pm

Finance & Parish Council Tuesday, May 14 7:00 pm

Closing Mass & Awards Wednesday, May 15 6:45 pm (All students & families)

Senior Mass & Breakfast Sunday, May 19

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 TreasureSunday Offering:\$4066.00Weekly Budget:\$3375.00

Over/(Under) Budget: \$691.00 Past collections: April 28 \$2630.00 April 21 \$5611.02 April 14 \$2677.00 Annual Catholic Appeal \$7, 790

THE CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF ST. PETER

# Dear Padre

#### May 12, 2019

# My young son asks, "If Jesus was Jewish, then why are we called Catholics?"

Jesus was a first-century Jew, as were his first disciples. They continued their Jewish practices after Jesus' resurrection, but they believed and proclaimed that he was the long-awaited Messiah, the fulfillment of Judaism. Such claims inevitably led to clashes with Jewish authorities, as when Stephen, the first martyr, was charged with blasphemy and stoned to death in Jerusalem in ad 36 (Acts 6—7). Nevertheless, Jesus' followers initially saw themselves as reformers of Judaism—not founders of a new religion.

The Acts of the Apostles traces the first thirty years of this community of believers, from Jesus' ascension in Jerusalem to Paul's imprisonment in Rome. It details the beginnings of their separation from Judaism, as when the Jewish disciples wanted to impose certain practices of Mosaic Law on the Gentile disciples—circumcision, for example (Acts 15:11). Acts and the epistles also chronicle their expansion outside of Jerusalem to the Mediterranean regionwhere, for example, in Antioch, the disciples of Jesus were called Christians for the first time (Acts 11:26). The first written reference to "Catholic Church" is from St. Ignatius of Antioch around the year 107. Catholic means universal.

"The Church is catholic: she proclaims the fullness of the faith. She bears in herself and administers the totality of the means of salvation. She is sent out to all peoples. She speaks to all men. She encompasses all times. She is missionary of her very nature" (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 868).

—Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org

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