

Sunday, May 31, 2020 ~ Pentecost Sunday



614 North Defiance Street
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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, May 30:
All Souls

Sat., June 6~ 4:30 pm

Sun., June 7~10:30 am

Sunday, May 31:
Jaime Rodriguez
Graduates

**EXTRAORDINARY
MINISTERS OF HOLY
COMMUNION**

Monday, June 1:
The Blessed Virgin Mary
Gn 3:9-15, 20/Jn 19:25-34
St. Peter~9:00 am

GREETERS**LECTORS**

Stephen Bernath

Amy Zientek

Tuesday, June 2:
Sts. Marcellinus & Peter
Our Lady of Mercy~9:00 am
For the People
St. Peter~7:00 pm
2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/
Mk 12:13-17

SERVERS**USHERS**JR Lauber
Chuck McCollJohn Smith
Frank Smith

Wednesday, June 3:
St. Charles Lwanga
St. Peter~9:00 am
2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12/
Mk 12:18-27

ROSARY LEADER**MONEY COUNTERS**Nick & Susan Wlasiuk
TBA

Thursday, June 4:
Weekday
No Mass
2 Tm 2:8-15/Mk 12:28-34

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

Friday, June 5:
St. Boniface
St. Peter~9:00 am
2 Tm 3:10-17/Mk 12:35-37

Servers should arrive 15 minutes before Mass time.**ROSARY ~ The Rosary is said every Sunday at 10:00 AM before Mass. No weekday rosary.**

Saturday, June 6:
St. Norbert
St. Peter~9:00
2 Tm 4:1-8/Mk 12:38-44

Vigil
St. Peter~4:30 pm
Irene DeLos Santos

Sunday, June 7:
The Most Holy Trinity
Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am
Marcel Bonin
Eddie Tidwell
St. Peter~10:30 am
All Souls
Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/
2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

Office of Child & Youth Protection and Victim Assistance

To report any suspected or actual sexual abuse of a minor by Diocesan personnel, immediate contact should be made with local civil authorities, and with the Toledo Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator, Mr. Frank DiLallo. He can be reached at 419-243-2150 (private line) or 419-244-6711, ext. 4880 in the Toledo calling area, or 1-800-926-8277, ext. 4880 (Outside Toledo, Within Ohio).





Baccalaureate Service

Today we honor our St. Peter graduates. Congratulations to our 2020 seniors: Cassidy Baden, Hannah Francis, Elizabeth Mignin, Grace Ritta and Breyer Zachrich.

The breakfast that the Knights of Columbus will be providing after Mass today can only be offered to the graduates and their family due to the current health risks and regulations.



Your Spiritually Adopted Baby says: Thank you for praying for me. I'm bigger and stronger now. I'm about 6 inches long and I weigh 4 ounces. When mommy goes to the doctor, she can even listen to my heartbeat! I hope that one day I will run and play with friends like you.



Contact Father Stanbery (419) 446-9288 if you would like your farm blessed.



Mass will continue to be live streamed on Facebook and then the video will be saved on our website. The Faithful will continue to be dispensed from the Sunday Obligation of attending Mass. If you have access to a computer, make sure to utilize our website for up to date information as well as the weekly bulletin.

Welcome back!

Remember to stay a safe distance from one another. The full regulations can be found on our website, and general reminders posted around the church.

A single file line will be used for going up to Communion. Those who receive the Sacrament from the hand will be first. When they are finished, the parishioners receiving by mouth will come up.

First Communion and Confirmation ceremonies are open only to the families and those involved in the services. While our church family can not all gather together during these events, please be with these students by embracing them with your prayers as they make their holy sacraments.

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: \$3098.00
Weekly Budget: \$3375.00
Over/(Under) Budget: (\$277.00)

Past collections:
May 10 \$3771.00
April 26 \$11,709.89
February 23 \$1668.00

Dear Padre

May 31, 2020

I look forward to every Pentecost Sunday, when I am renewed in God's spirit. Recently I read an article that said the Holy Spirit is a she. Is the Holy Spirit female?

The third person of the Trinity is the Holy Spirit. The word *spirit* is a translation of the Hebrew word *ruah*, which can mean "breath," "air," or "wind." This is the wind that God first sent to create the world, it is the breath that God breathed into Adam and Eve, and it is the tongues of fire that the apostles experienced on the first Pentecost.

In Hebrew, the word used for the Holy Spirit is feminine. In Greek, the word used is neuter, and in Latin, the word used is masculine. Not surprisingly, this caused a few problems for the early Church, which included many Hebrew, Greek, and Latin speakers. In areas where Hebrew or another Semitic language, such as Syriac, was spoken, the Holy Spirit was thought of as feminine, and so images of the Holy Spirit as mother were common. These various images of the Holy Spirit were openly expressed until about the fourth century, when Latin took over as the dominant language in the West.

We believe that in the life of the Trinity, God the Creator begets the Son. The expression of the love between God and the Son is the Holy Spirit. Perhaps we shouldn't think of the Holy Spirit as being either gender. Saint John describes the Holy Spirit as being God's love (see 1 John 4:7-13).

On this Pentecost and always, I wish you God's Spirit of love.

—Fr. Paul J. Cury, CSsR

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