

Sunday, October 4, 2020 ~ 27th Sunday of Ordinary Time



614 North Defiance Street
Archbold, OH

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, October 3:
Jean Dominique

Sat., October 3~ 4:30 pm

Sun., October 4~10:30 am

Sunday, October 4:
Martin Francis
For the People

**EXTRAORDINARY
MINISTERS OF HOLY
COMMUNION**

Monday, October 5:
Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos
St. Peter~9:00 am
Gal 1:6-12/Lk 10:25-37

GREETERS**LECTORS**

Linda Lauber

Dexter Krueger

Tuesday, October 6:
St. Bruno &
Blessed Marie Rose Durocher
Our Lady of Mercy~9:00 am
For the People
St. Peter~7:00 pm
Gal 1:13-24/Lk 10:38-42

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

Wednesday, October 7:
Our Lady of the Rosary
St. Peter~9:00 am
Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Lk 11:1-4

ROSARY LEADER**MONEY COUNTERS**Sheri & Brooke Bosco
Leonard Gustwiller

Thursday, October 8:
Weekday
No Mass
Gal 3:1-5/Lk 11:5-13

Friday, October 9:
Sts. Denis & John Leonardi
St. Peter~9:00 am
Gal 3:7-14/Lk 11:15-26

Saturday, October 10:
Weekday
St. Peter~9:00 am
Gal 3:22-29/Lk 11:27-28

Vigil
St. Peter~4:30 pm
JoAnn Hausch
Gal 3:22-29/Lk 11:27-28

Sunday, October 11:
28th Sunday
of Ordinary Time
Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am
Marcel Bonin
St. Peter~10:30 am
Jean Dominique
Is 25: 6-10a/
Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/Mt 22:1-4

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.

Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary

Wednesday, October 7, 2020

6:30 p.m. Holy Rosary

7:00 p.m. Holy Mass

Join all the faithful of the Diocese of Toledo in celebration of the feast of the patroness of the Diocese of Toledo - Our Lady of the Rosary!

Pray the novena in preparation of the feast day beginning on September 29. Sign up at toledoprays.org.

On October 7, Watch live (go to toledoprays.org) or join us in person at Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral (2535 Collingwood Blvd, Toledo, OH).



Dust Off Your Books... Luke and Lunch Bible Study Resumes!

October 20 at 1 PM in the Activity Center

In the first class we will review the chapters since it has been so long we barely remember what chapter we're on in the **Acts of the Apostles!** The good news is that it makes it easy for new people to **join us.** You won't be behind at all so contact Marianne Francis if you'd like to check it out!

Here's the Bible Study dates so far....

October: Oct 20, Oct 27

November: Nov 3, Nov 17, Nov 24

December: Dec 1, Dec 8, Dec 15, Dec 22



Your Spiritually Adopted Baby says: Thank you for praying for me! I am 8 months old now. I've got long fingernails and I'm busy getting ready for my birthday. I can't wait to see my Mom and Dad. Thanks to you and your prayers, I'll see them soon.

October - Fast for Holy Families-WEEK ONE

Fast

You might choose other works of charity or exercises of piety to take the place of fasting and abstinence. This week fast from television or internet use – instead, spend that time in prayer or spiritual reading.

Pray

Incorporate prayer throughout the day. Prayer does not have to be restricted to mealtimes and the evening; there are numerous ways to bring prayer into your day. For example, you can say a quick prayer as a family in the morning before everyone heads off to his or her activities for the day. You can pray the Angelus together. You can read a short passage from Scripture during lunch or dinner. You can pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3 p.m. Particularly if you have older kids, you can learn how to pray the Liturgy of the Hours together.

-from *FamilyRosary.org*

Read

Marriage and Family: [Love Unveiled by Dr. Scott Hahn](#) (Lighthouse / FORMED Audio)
Strong relationships and marriages are of vital importance to individuals, the Church, and society overall, but real effort and wisdom are indispensable to making them last. In this focused presentation, Dr. Scott Hahn shares key principles that he has lived out in his own life. His advice is practical, challenging, and sometimes requires sacrifice, but it is sure to bear fruit and bring forth many blessings.

Reflect

Looking at the Holy Family of Joseph, Mary and Jesus, we see what family is meant to be. A healthy family should consist of people who are trying to love each other, and mutually grow in holiness. No family is perfect, and no parents will be able to be as perfectly selfless as Mary and Joseph — but good and healthy parents will try to sacrifice for the well-being of their children. What is one way that you can become a more holy family?



Our Catechists have been blessed and are ready to serve! We are also in need of some helpers and substitute teachers for the Religious Education program. Contact Marianne Francis if you are interested or have questions.

There will be a *Parish Council & Finance Council* meeting at 7:30 on Tuesday, October 13.

The *Priest Retirement/Perpetuate the Gift* fundraiser is going on NOW. You can find envelopes in the pews.

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: \$2232.00
Weekly Budget: \$3375.00
Over/(Under) Budget: (\$1143.00)

Past collections:
September 20 \$2243.00
September 13 \$2893.40
September 6 \$1539.00

Dear Padre

October 4, 2020

Aren't we discriminating against other Christians when we don't celebrate the Eucharist with them?

You have to keep the Church's intentions in mind: Are we excluding to make people feel left out, or are we excluding to uphold the dignity and sanctity of the Eucharist?

Everyone is welcome to celebrate the Eucharist—there's only one part they can't participate in. That might sound like a cop-out, but Catholics believe that the Eucharist is the actual Body and Blood of Christ. For it to be true Communion, everyone who receives it must believe the same thing about it.

In its Guidelines for the Reception of Communion, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops says, "Because Catholics believe that the celebration of the Eucharist is a sign of the reality of the oneness of faith, life, and worship, members of those churches with whom we are not yet fully united are ordinarily not admitted to Holy Communion. Eucharistic sharing in exceptional circumstances by other Christians requires permission" as outlined in canon law. "All who are not receiving Holy Communion are encouraged to express in their hearts a prayerful desire for unity with the Lord Jesus and with one another" (GRC).

—Fr. Patrick Keyes, CSsR

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