

June 27, 2021 ~ 13th Sunday in 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, June 26:**  
**Ken Kirkland**

Sat., July 3~ 4:30 pm

Sun., July 4~10:30 am

**Sunday, June 27:**  
**All Souls**

Living & Deceased Members  
of Sarnac Family

**EXTRAORDINARY  
MINISTERS OF HOLY  
COMMUNION**

**GREETERS**

Drew &amp; Melissa Pifer

Maria Sandoval  
Sylvia Miller

**LECTORS**

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Anna Krueger  
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Allie Buehrer

Tripp Langenderfer  
Olivia Francis  
Makayla Felder

**USHERS**

Steve &amp; Barb Dominique

Maria Gonzales  
Chris Lopez

**Monday, June 28:**

St. Irenaeus  
St. Peter~9:00 am  
Gn 18:16-33/Mt:18-22

**ROSARY LEADER**

Chris Lopez

**MONEY COUNTERS**

Nick & Susan Wlasiuk  
Sheri & Brooke Bosco

**Tuesday, June 29:**

Sts. Peter & Paul  
St. Peter~7:00 pm  
Acts 3:1-10/Gal 1:11-20/  
Jn 21:15-19

**Wednesday, June 30:**

The First Martyrs of the Holy  
Roman Church  
St. Peter~9:00 am  
Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Mt 8:28-34

**Thursday, July 1:**

St. Junipero Serra  
No Mass  
Gn 22:1b-19/Mt 9:1-8

**Friday, July 2:**

Weekday  
St. Peter~9:00  
Gn 23:1-4, 19, 24:1-8

**Saturday, July 3:**

St. Thomas  
St. Peter~9:00 am  
Eph 2:19-22/Jn 20:24-29

Vigil

St. Peter~4:30 pm

**Doris Beck**

**Sunday, July 4:**

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am  
St. Peter~10:30 am  
**Larry Miller**  
Ez 2:2-5/2 Cor 12:7-10/  
Mk 6:1-6a

**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.

## **Toledo Diocese Youth Day at Cedar Point**

**June 29, 2021**

**Tickets only available online for \$38.50 plus tax!**

**[www.cedarpoint.com/affiliate](http://www.cedarpoint.com/affiliate)**

**Username: CPTDY**

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Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Weekend of June 26/27, 2021

In today's second reading, St. Paul teaches the community at Corinth about a spirituality of giving. He urges them to give and helps them understand that through their generosity, they will in turn be recipients of a spiritual abundance. They will receive from those who are the beneficiaries of their own giving a reciprocal gift that amounts to an equality of giving that deepens their relationship with Christ Jesus. A good reflection this week would be to think of the ways your own life has been enriched by your generosity. How might you have reaped a spiritual abundance through your own generous behavior

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**Pray** that governments would respect the consciences of all people who care for the sick and vulnerable.

**Reflect**

For centuries, the Christians have carried on the healing ministry of Christ by building institutions dedicated to medicine and accompaniment of the dying. In recent years, activists have sought to undermine the Church's mission by forcing Catholic hospitals to perform procedures that destroy human life and undermine human flourishing, such as sterilization, gender reassignment surgery, and even abortion. And not only do some activists sue Catholic institutions, individuals who work in secular institutions may find that their conscientious objection to abortion does not receive respect. A nurse in Vermont was forced to choose between her job and her faith when she was told by her employer that she had to participate in an abortion. It is unthinkable that we would undermine our mission to heal by destroying innocent life and harming the persons for whom we are called to care.

**Act**

While existing federal laws already protect some conscientious objections to abortion, sterilization, and gender reassignment surgery in theory, this protection has not proved effective in practice. These laws can only be enforced by complaint to the Office for Civil Rights at the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), which has in the past refused to fully enforce these laws. The **Conscience Protection Act** would address deficiencies that block effective enforcement of existing laws, most notably by establishing a private right of action allowing victims of discrimination to defend their own rights in court. [Contact your elected officials in Congress and urge them to support the Conscience Protection Act!](#)

Calling all preschoolers (age 4)-through 4th grade! *Registration is now open for Vacation Bible School! See the link below...*

<https://2020.cokesburyvbs.com/archboldcommunityvbs>

*VBS will be held at The Methodist Church July 25 -29.*

The Religious Education program is in need of a 7th, 8th, and 4th grade teacher.

**WE NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR BOTH OF THESE IMPORTANT YOUTH MINISTRIES...**

Contact Marianne Francis if you are interested or have questions.

St. Peter website is up and running! Signing up is EASY! Go to: [stpeterarchbold.com](http://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: \$1060.00  
Weekly Budget: \$3375.00  
Over/(Under) Budget: (\$2315.00)

Past collections:  
June 13 \$2608.00  
June 6 \$3084.00  
May 30 \$2460.00

# Dear Padre

June 27, 2021

**This week is the Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul. Why doesn't each have his own feast day?**

They do. Saints Peter and Paul are united in a solemnity on June 29 to honor their martyrdom, but each has his own feast: the Chair of St. Peter (February 22) and the Conversion of St. Paul (January 25).

Peter's primacy is evident in the prominence given to him by the Gospel writers and in the position of authority entrusted to him in the infant Church. Jesus promised Peter that he alone would be the foundation stone, keeper of the keys, and head shepherd (see Matthew 16:18-19 and John 21:15-17). Peter also oversaw Judas Iscariot's replacement (see Acts of the Apostles 1:15-26).

Paul holds a position of honor for his transformation from Church persecutor to "a slave of Christ Jesus" (Romans 1:1).

Saint Augustine wrote that they share a solemnity because, even though they didn't suffer on the same day, they suffered as one. On different days of presumably the same year, 67, Peter was crucified and Paul beheaded.

Their esteem coupled them in the early Church's devotion. Hence, the solemnity Mass preface states that "each in a different way gathered together the one family of Christ; and revered together throughout the world, they share one Martyr's crown."

*Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR*

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