

February 6, 2022 ~ 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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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 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, February 5:
All Souls

Sat., Feb. 12, 2022~4:30 pm Sun., Feb. 13, 2022~10:30 am

Sunday, February 6:
Living and Deceased Family
of Sarnac Family
Spencer Johnson
The Ritzert Family

**EXTRAORDINARY
MINISTERS OF HOLY
COMMUNION**

GREETERS

Andy & Lois Grime

Dave & Cindy Gustwiller

Monday, February 7:
Weekday
St. Peter~9:00 am
1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13/Mk 6:53-56

LECTORS

Deb Herring

Dexter Krueger

SERVERS

Karter Zachrich
Allie Buehrer
Tripp & Vaughn Langenderfer

Kruegers

Tuesday, February 8:
Sts. Jerome Emilani &
Josephine Bakhita
Our Lady of Mercy~9:00 am
For the People
St. Peter~7:00 pm
1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30/Mk 7:1-13

USHERS

Paul Herring
Tyson Langenderfer

Evan Wyse
Carly Osinski

ROSARY LEADER

Chris Lopez

Wednesday, February 9:
Weekday
St. Peter~9:00 am
1 Kgs 10:1-10/Mk 7:14-23

MONEY COUNTERS

Roger Johnson
Nick & Susan Wlasiuk

Thursday, February 10:
St. Scholastica
No Mass
1 Kgs 11:4-13/Mk 7:24-30

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

Servers should arrive 15 minutes before Mass time.

Friday, February 11:
Our Lady of Lourdes
St. Peter~9:00am
1 Kgs 11:29-32, 12:19/
Mk 7:31-37

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

Saturday, February 12:
Weekday
St. Peter~9:00am
1 Kgs 12:26-32, 13:33-34/
Mk 8:1-10

Area Happenings

**Archbold Knights of Columbus
Fish Fry Fridays - Jan. 28- April 15.**

As of now, we plan on returning to dine in and carryout dinners just like pre pandemic times. The first fish fry will be January 28 from 4:30 - 7:30.

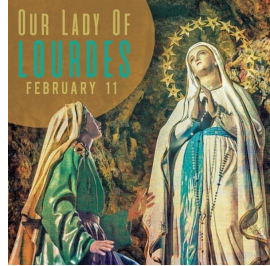


Vigil
St. Peter~4:30 pm
All Souls

Sunday, February 13:
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am
Muriel Pennington
St. Peter~10:30 am
Natividad Anonar
Greg & Lydia Wlasiuk
Tridentine~1:00 pm
Edwina Ritchie
Jer 17:5-8/1 Cor 15:12,16-20/
Lk 6:17, 20-26



February 15 The first apparition of the Blessed Virgin Mary to fourteen-year-old Marie Bernadette (St. Bernadette) Soubirous occurred on February 15, 1858. Between February 11 and July 16, 1858, the Blessed Virgin appeared eighteen times, and showed herself to St. Bernadette in the hollow of the rock at Lourdes. On March 25 she said to the little shepherdess: "I am the Immaculate Conception." Since then Lourdes has become a place of pilgrimage and many cures and conversions have taken place. The message of Lourdes is a call to personal conversion, prayer, and charity.



Eat Together

In honor of the Immaculate Conception, make hot vanillas for your family to enjoy. Hot Vanillas - Milk - Sugar - Vanilla - Whipped Cream For each hot vanilla, microwave 1 cup of milk and 2 teaspoons of sugar in a mug for 90 seconds. Stir in 1/2 teaspoon of vanilla extract. Top with whipped cream.

Play Together

If there is snow on the ground, it's a perfect opportunity to bundle up and build a snow grotto! You can either bring a statue of Mary outdoors (just remember to bring it back inside with you!) or build a statue out of snow.

Pray Together

Sing Immaculate Mary (also known as the Lourdes Song).

Watch Together

FORMED.org has Bernadette: The Princess of Lourdes (kids) and Bernadette (adults). Additionally, The Song of Bernadette is a 1943 Oscar-winning film which can be rented online.

Craft Together

In 1992, Pope John Paul II declared February 11 World Day of the Sick. He chose this date because of the many miraculous healings that have occurred at Lourdes since Mary's appearance. In the midst of your celebration, remember the sick. Make cards to send to people of nearby care facilities or homebound parishioners.

Coffee and rolls will be served today after Mass. Everyone is invited for food, fun and fellowship!

Please view the 28-minute video "The Silent Scream" (you can find it on YouTube or go to the St. Peter website for the direct link) This is for adult viewing only...

Contribution reports have been mailed for 2021. If you have questions or have not received yours, contact the office.



Tuesday, February 8
Parish & Finance Meeting
7:30 pm

Wednesday, February 9
Religious Ed K-HS
6:30 pm
(*Pizza Party-6:00pm*)

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: \$2,072.00

Weekly Budget: \$3375.00
Over/(Under) Budget: (\$484.84)

Past collections:
January 23 \$2890.16
January 16 \$2,929.00
January 9 \$4135.00

Dear Padre

February 6, 2022

I heard some people talking about the coming of the Antichrist. Who or what is this Antichrist?

Some Christian sects believe there will come a point when the faithful of their church will be taken off the earth and whisked into heaven. This is usually referred to as "the rapture." After this event, they believe the Antichrist will come. This Antichrist is an individual man who will incarnate in himself the power of Satan. He will deceive even the holiest person and will rule the entire world. It is believed that Jesus will then return and defeat this Antichrist in the ultimate battle between good and evil. The appearance of the Antichrist supposedly coincides with the end of time.

Most of the material that would support this scenario is found in the thirteenth chapter of the Book of Revelation. Here the devil tries to stop Christ's victory and to convince people that Christ is not the master. This chapter of Revelation deals with the conflict in the Roman Empire between the emperor Nero and the faithful Christians. Nero, the evil one, is assigned the number 666 so Christians could refer to him without openly attacking him. This section of the book was written to give hope to persecuted Christians.

Instead of worrying about the end of time, an Antichrist, a final battle, and "evil" numbers, Catholics are encouraged to believe that Christ has already conquered sin, death, and Satan. God's reign is already here in our midst (see Luke 17:20-21). Our task is to prepare for our own moment of dying and meeting the Lord. We leave the rest to God's providence!

Fr. Paul J. Coury, CSsR

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