

April 10, 2022 ~ Palm Sunday



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THE CATHOLIC, CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF ST. PETER

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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, April 9:
All Souls**

Sat., April 16, 2022~8:30 pm Sun., April 17, 2022~10:30 am

**Sunday, April 10:
Marcel Bonin
Colenzo Short
Linda Mermer****EXTRAORDINARY
MINISTERS OF HOLY
COMMUNION****Monday, April 11:
Monday of Holy Week
St. Peter~9:00 am
Is 42:1-7/Jn 12:1-11****GREETERS**

Mike & Barb Britenriker

Maria Sandovel & Chris Lopez

**Tuesday, April 12:
Tuesday of Holy Week
St. Peter~7:00 pm
Is 49:1-6/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38****LECTORS**

Stephen Bernath

Dexter Krueger

SERVERSMillers
Karter Zachrich
Brylee Grime
Allie Buehrer

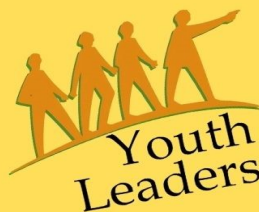
Kruegers

**Wednesday, April 13:
Wednesday of Holy Week
St. Peter~8:00 pm Tenebrae
Is 50:4-9a/Mt 26:14-25****USHERS**

JR & Linda Lauber

Chris Lopez
John Smith**Thursday, April 14:
Thursday of Holy Week
Our Lady of Mercy~6:00 pm
St. Peter~8:30 pm
Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/
1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15****ROSARY LEADER**

Chris Lopez

MONEY COUNTERSBrooke & Sheri Bosco
Bryan & Jessica Miller**Friday, April 15:
Good Friday
St. Peter
9:00am *Office of Readings &
12:15 *Passion of the Lord*
Our Lady of Mercy
3:00 pm *Office of Readings &
7:00 pm *Stations of the Cross &
Veneration*
Is 52:13-53:12/
Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9/Jn 18:1-19:42******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.****Saturday, April 16:
Holy Saturday
St. Peter~9:00am
Gn 1:1-2:2/Ex 14:15-15:1/
Is 54:5-14****Vigil
St. Peter~8:30 pm
All Souls****Sunday, April 17:
Easter Sunday
Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am
Eddie Tidwell
Muriel Pennington
St. Peter~10:30 am
Living Members
Ritzert Family
Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Col 3:1-4****Area Happenings**

**Please RSVP to:
Judy McCalla 419-542-6182
or
Connie Adams 419-770-0372**

**The area youth groups are invited to join
St. Michael, Hicksville, Youth Group, in welcoming
Allison Stump, Student Life Coordinator for the
Toledo Diocese. Allison will speak about life,
Sunday night, April 24, 7:00 - 9:00pm in the church
basement. All students grades 7-12 are invited!
Friends are welcome! There will be pizza, drinks,
snacks, and a great time!
Please RSVP so we know how much pizza to order.**

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
Weekend of April 9/10, 2022

In the prelude to today's great Passion Narrative, Saint Paul reminds us that we find our hope in the "emptiness" and "humility" of Christ Jesus; a life that led to the cross, but through the cross, to glory and exaltation. The way is not easy. Good stewards know that it requires a willingness to lay aside all rights of personal privilege; emptying ourselves in the service of others; embracing values different from the values of the world. It requires an understanding that to be "in Christ" means to be a servant because Christ came into the world, not as Lord but as servant. What crosses are we willing to carry? What worldly values we are willing to forego in order to share Christ's glory?



Thank you to Arlene Hicks, Gary Morman, and Mari Yoder for being faithful servants on our Parish Council! And congratulations to our newest members who have answered the call to this ministry: Paul Herring, Peaches Holland, and Elizabeth Seibert.

Dr. Robert Fastiggi will give a talk on the Orthodox Byzantine traditions at St. Peter on Tuesday, April 26 at 7:30. He is a world class expert on the History of Church teaching a professor at the Detroit Seminary. Treats will follow the presentation.

Confession Schedule

**Saturday, April 9: St. Peter
12-12:30 pm (No confessions at 4:00 pm)**

**Monday, April 11: Our Lady of Mercy
12-1:00pm & 5:30-6:30 pm**

**Tuesday, April 12: St. Peter
5:30-6:30 pm**

**Wednesday, April 13: St. Peter
12-1:00 pm**



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Thank you to the Bernath, Bosco, Schaffner and Zientek families for hosting coffee and rolls last weekend!

There will be no Religious Education classes this week.

Rice bowls can be returned on Wednesday, April 20.



On Sunday, April 24 the Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be done following the Rosary/before Mass.

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: \$2,895.04

Weekly Budget: \$3375.00
Over/(Under) Budget: (\$479.96)

Past collections:
March 27 \$2,895.04
March 20 \$3508.00
March 13 \$2211.00

Dear Padre

April 10, 2022

How should we dispose of last year's palms?

Every year on Passion Sunday (Palm Sunday), palm branches are handed out and blessed as a powerful reminder of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem.

We keep palm branches for two reasons. First, they symbolize our desire to accompany Christ through Holy Week. Second, they symbolize Jesus' desire to enter our homes and accompany us on our journey as we face our own Good Fridays. Taking the palms home and placing them behind a crucifix or holy picture is a powerful reminder of that.

Many parishes ask their members to bring the palm branches they received the previous year to church on the Sunday before Ash Wednesday. These branches are burned to make the ashes that are distributed on Ash Wednesday. After a time, palm branches get brittle and break easily, so if your church doesn't collect them, it's OK to break the palms up and burn them yourself.

The number of palm branches we have in our homes isn't important. Palms and other articles of devotion such as medals and scapulars don't bring good luck or wealth, and we shouldn't try to use them in that way. We should use them to remind us of the goodness of God and the salvation Christ brings us.

Fr. Patrick Keyes, CSSR

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