

August 28, 2022 ~ 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Archbold, OH

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. Bill. 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. Bill 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, August 27:
Pat & Juanita Arend

Sat., Sept. 3, 2022~4:30 pm

Sun., Sept. 4, 2022~10:30 am

Sunday, August 28:
Colenzo Short
Gina Damman
Joyce Britenriker

GREETERS

Sylvia Miller

Drew & Melissa Pifer

Monday, August 29:
The Passion of St. John
the Baptist
No Mass
1 Cor 2:1-5/Mk 6:17-29

LECTORS

Linda Lauber

Steve Bernath

SERVERSMakayla Felder
Tripp & Vaughn Langenderfer2 Seiberts
Vivianne Pifer

Tuesday, August 30:
Weekday
St. Peter~7:00 pm
Marjorie Grime
1 Cor 2:10b-16/Lk 4:31-37

USHERSJR Lauber
Tyson LangenderferChris Lopez
Vicki Williams

Wednesday, August 31:
Weekday
St. Peter~9:00 am
1 Cor 3:1-9/Lk 4:38-44

ROSARY LEADER

Chris Lopez

MONEY COUNTERS

We need extra counters! Please consider helping out as a regular counter or as a substitute when needed.

Dave & Mari Yoder
Ron & Carlene Reese

Thursday, Sept. 1:
Weekday
Our Lady of Mercy~9:00 am
1 Cor 3:18-23/Lk 5:1-11

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

Friday, Sept. 2:
Weekday
St. Peter~9:00am
1 Cor 4:1-5/Lk 5:33-39

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, Sept. 3:
St. Gregory the Great
St. Peter~Rosary/Mass 8:00 am
1 Cor 4:6b-15/Lk 6:1-5

Area Happenings

St. Augustine 22nd Annual Turtle Fest

September 16 & 17

Church Grounds~722 Monroe Street, Napoleon, OH

Friday Events: 6:00 pm-Midnight

Featuring Live Music from Crickett & Ruben

Saturday Mass in Church: 4:30 pm/Events: 5:30 pm-Midnight

Featuring Live Music from "VENYX"

Burgers, Hotdogs, Hungarian Hotdog Sauce, Polish Sausage, Corn Dogs, Egg Rolls, Ice Cream & more food!

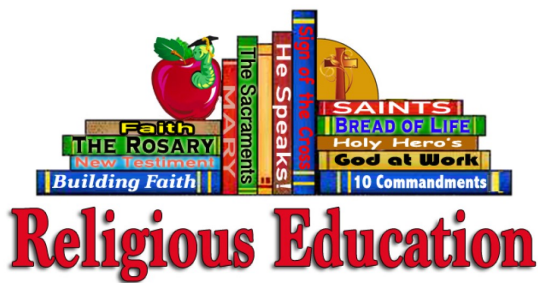
ADMISSION IS FREE & EVERYONE IS WELCOME

Vigil
St. Peter~4:30 pm
Gina Damman

Sunday, Sept. 4:
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am
Living & Deceased
Sarnac Family
Colenzo Short
St. Peter~10:30 am
Pat & Juanita Arend
Wis 9:13-18b/
Phlm 9-10, 12-17/
Lk 14:25-33

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Weekend of August 27/28, 2022

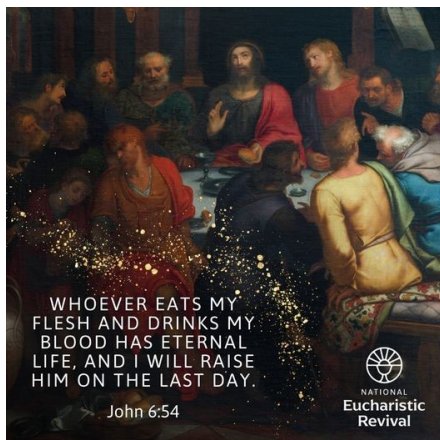
In today's Gospel, Jesus challenged the social structure of the Pharisees and teaches his hosts and their guests some profound lessons in humility. Pharisees maintained deep social divisions between who they considered "holy" and "unholy," rich and poor, honored and despised. They didn't invite someone to a banquet or dinner who couldn't reciprocate. And the lowly, the poor, the crippled, the lame and the blind had no capacity to reciprocate. Good stewards realize that if they embrace a humility that allows them to be generous to those who cannot repay them, they give evidence of having the kind of heart that will enjoy the Lord's intimate friendship. This week let's reflect on our attitude towards those who cannot repay our generosity. What is the extent of our hospitality toward others? Are we generous with those who cannot repay us?



Registration forms are on the table for this coming year.

We have openings for a 5th grade and Confirmation (7/8) teacher. We can also use classroom helpers. Please prayerfully consider if this may be your calling! Any questions, contact Deb Herring.

Opening Mass for the 2022-2023 Religious Education year is Wednesday, September 21 at 6:45 PM followed by a pizza party! Families can register their students Wednesday, September 14 from 6 to 8 PM.



THE CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF ST. PETER

Coffee and rolls will be served Sunday, September 4 after Mass. Everyone is invited for food, fun, and fellowship!

In case you don't know, we earn money when you turn in your SuperValu receipts. We just received a check \$517.41! Thank you to everyone who already participates in this program. This is an easy way to make money for our parish.



We are in need of volunteers to take shifts at the church booth at the Fulton County Fair. The sign-up sheet is on the table. Any questions contact Steve Bernath.

Eucharistic Adoration starts at 8 am ending with Mass at 7 pm every Tuesday. Call Pat Dominique: 419-446-2206

Stewardship of Treasure
Sunday Offering: \$3625.44

Weekly Budget: \$3375.00
Over/(Under) Budget:
\$250.44

Past collections:

August 14 \$3379.00
August 7 \$4,135.00
July 31 \$2,909.00

Dear Padre

August 28, 2022

Isn't natural family planning (NFP) a form of birth control? The couple still controls the potential of human life that God may have wanted to create at a particular moment.

Couples who use NFP aren't practicing contraception. By giving themselves completely to one another in body and soul, they're preserving the integrity of the marriage sacrament. In God's design, women are naturally infertile for many days of the menstrual cycle. The marital act during these times promotes bonding and yet is open to new life. There is no sin in abstaining from the marital act. When a husband and wife use NFP appropriately, they share responsibility for living with their combined fertility. Neither spouse takes the other for granted. NFP is a healthy and holistic way to plan for children.

Many couples find that living an NFP lifestyle gives them a better understanding of their fertility, frees them from fear of medical side effects, increases their communication, encourages a greater sense of sharing and a generosity toward life, fosters sexual self-control, and gives them the peace of following their spiritual, religious, cultural, or ethical beliefs. Periodic abstinence encourages couples to focus on aspects of their relationship beyond the physical, resulting in a "honeymoon effect."

NFP's most important benefit is that it enables spouses to live the mutual gift of self that is an essential element of marriage. The Church values marital sexual love. NFP helps couples to be authentic in the expression of that love.

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