

May 19, 2024 ~ Pentecost Sunday



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. 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

Tues. 6:15 pm & 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, May 18:**  
**John Beck**  
**Sharon Gigax**

Sat., May 25, 2024~4:30 pm

Sun., May 26, 2024~10:30 am

**Sunday, May 19:**  
 Jeannette Tidwell  
 Joy Short  
**People of the Parish**

**GREETERS**

Chuck &amp; Theresa McColl

Alt Family

**Monday, May 20:**  
 The Blessed Virgin Mary  
 No Mass  
 Gn 3:9-15, 20/Jn 19:25-34

**LECTORS**

Peg Hines

Frank Smith

**Tuesday, May 21:**  
 St. Christopher Magallanes  
 St. Peter ~ 7:00 pm  
**Sharon Gigax**  
 Jas 4:13-17/Mk 9:30-37

**SERVERS**Baylen Cordes  
2 KruegersCaleb Harrow  
Carson Armstrong  
Alexa Alt

**Wednesday, May 22:**  
 St. Rita of Cascia  
 St. Peter ~ 9:00 am  
 Jas 4:13-17/Mk 9:38-40

**ROSARY LEADER**

Caleb Harrow

**Thursday, May 23:**  
 Weekday  
 Our Lady of Mercy ~ 9:00 am  
 Jas 5:1-6/Mk 9:41-50

**MONEY COUNTERS**Andy & Lois Grime  
Cindy Krueger

**Friday, May 24:**  
 Weekday  
 St. Peter ~ 9:00 am  
 Jas 5:9-12/Mk 10:1-12

**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, May 25:**  
 Vigil  
 Sts. Bede the Venerable,  
 Gregory &  
 Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi  
 St. Peter ~ 4:30 pm  
 Jas 5:13-20/Mk 10:13-16  
**Tom Stierwalt**  
**Loman Radabaugh**

**Community Wide Blossom Bash**

Sunday, May 19 5:00 pm-7:00 pm  
 200 West Williams St., Archbold, OH 43502

This event will include:

a cookout sponsored by **Brookview Farm and Meats & Jacob Fleischmann-Howard Hanna**

live music by Genevieve Rose sponsored by **ANDRES O'NEIL & LOWE**

bouncy house sponsored by **Xtreme Party Rentals & Events**

arts and crafts by *Black Swamp Arts Council*

Things to bring:

- lawn chairs or blankets to sit and enjoy the music!
- friends and family!

**NOTES:** \*you are encouraged to walk or bike to this event, however, if driving, please park in the lot across from the Rauhley Park playground

\*food will be served on a first-come, first-serve basis \*upon inclement weather, this event will be moved inside the Scout Cabin at Rauhley Park (210 West Williams St.)

**Sunday, May 26:**  
 The Most Holy Trinity  
 Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am  
 Ronald & JoAnn Keil  
 Mike & Joyce Dwyer  
 St. Peter ~ 10:30 am  
**People of the Parish**  
 Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/  
 Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-20

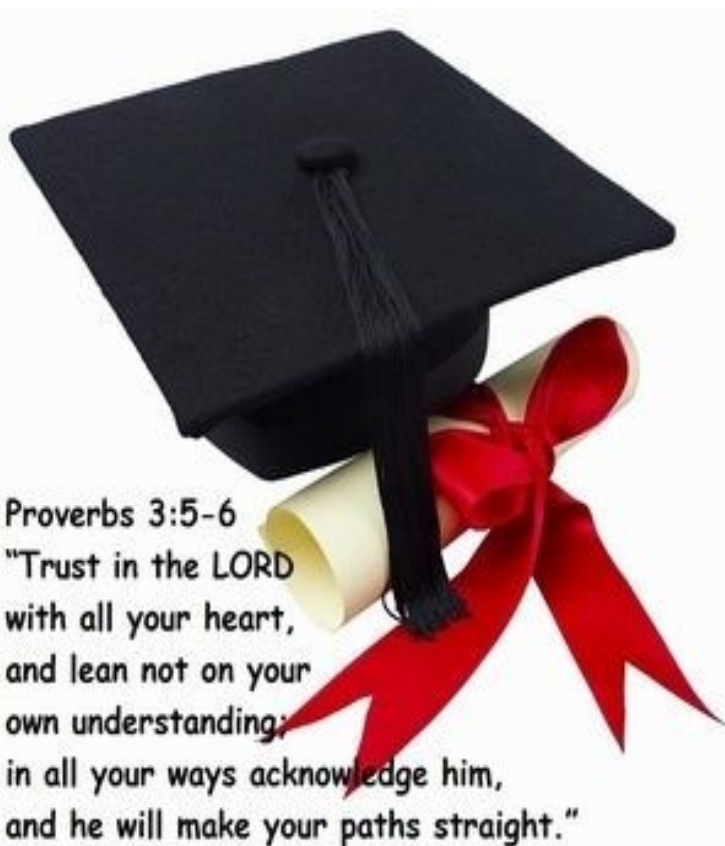
Pentecost Sunday  
Weekend of May 18/19, 2024

Today we celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit, the birth of the Church and the beginning of its mission in the world. Pentecost Sunday reminds us that our lives are filled with the Holy Spirit and that God has accomplished creative things in us through this gift. We have been entrusted with this great gift of the Holy Spirit. This great gift empowers us to be bold proclaimers of the Gospel in word and deed. It urges us to speak truth to power. It encourages us to use words and exhortations and even arguments that are meant to heal, show care and compassion and to reconcile. Now is a good time to ask: Are we being good stewards of this gift of the Holy Spirit? What creative things have we done to glorify God's accomplishments in us?

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**Today we honor our St. Peter Seniors:**

- Allie Buehrer**
- Hailie Hahn**
- Brodie Dominique**
- Lucas Dominique**
- Brennan Garrow**
- Mason Miller**
- Steven Miller**
- Wyatt Ritta**
- Anthony Williams**
- Karter Zachrich**



**Please join us after Mass today for a luncheon provided by the Knights of Columbus to celebrate our Seniors. Everyone is invited!**

Thanks to your generosity, the Youth Group collected \$700 from their pie fundraiser over the weekend. What a blessing to this ministry our church family has been giving such amazing support!

**Burger Bash Recap-**  
Because of the wonderful support of this community, almost \$10,000 was given in free-will donations at the Burger Bash in the park on Sunday, May 5. That fund kicks off the new mission year. Last year's Burger Bash plus the sale of our project steers allowed the treasurer to send \$42,848 to Growing Hope Globally for the efforts of this past project year which brings the total local ecumenical gift over 18 years to \$729,721!

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: \$4025.00

Weekly Budget: \$3375.00  
Over/(Under) Budget: \$650.00

Past collections:

May 5	\$3,374.00
April 28	\$3008.00
April 21	\$2786.00



# Dear Padre

May 19, 2024

## Is it a sin to use God's name in profanity?

Profanity is obscene, vulgar language that may or may not include God's name. People may thoughtlessly ask God to condemn a person or a thing in their profanity, but if questioned, admit that they did not mean it literally. They say their angry words were not intended to deliberately ask God to harm someone and deliberate intent is one requirement for what constitutes a sin. God who knows our hearts can determine if our misuse of his name is a form of venting, but the Second Commandment warns us that taking the Lord's name in vain does not please him, even if no harm to another is intended. The danger in constantly and carelessly using God's holy name profanely is that over time we can easily become desensitized to the practice, creating an irreverent attitude toward God that is offensive and may lead others into sin.

Recall that when we pray, "Hallowed be thy name" in the Lord's Prayer—the prayer Jesus taught his disciples—we ask God to enable us to give him the reverence that is due; it comes first before we ask anything for ourselves—a sure sign of our respect for God.

Because God's name is holy, we mustn't abuse it. Despite the erosion of inhibitions against poor word choices in our time, consider this prayerful petition from the last verse of Psalm 19: "Let the words of my mouth be acceptable, / the thoughts of my heart before you, / LORD, my rock and my redeemer." ●

Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR / DearPadre.org

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