

June 30, 2024 ~ 13th Sunday in Ordinary Times



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, June 29:
Tom Stierwalt
Anne Martin/Ben Gomez
& Family

Sat., July 6, 2024~4:30 pm

Sun., July 7, 2024~10:30 am

Sunday, June 30:
People of the Parish
Loman Radabaugh
Sharon Gigax

GREETERS

Kristin Shields

Mike & Barb Britenriker

LECTORS

Matt Shields

Dexter Krueger

Monday, July 1:
St. Junipero Serra
No Mass
Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Mt 8:18-22

SERVERS

Anna & Marian Shields

Kruegers

Tuesday, July 2:
Weekday
St. Peter ~ 7:00 pm
Communion Service
Am 3:1-8, 4:11-12/Mt 8:23-27

USHERS

Paul & Deb Herring

Mike & Barb Britenriker

Wednesday, July 3:
St. Thomas
St. Peter ~ 9:00 am
Communion Service
Eph 2:19-22/Jn 20:24-29

ROSARY LEADER

Mary Schrock

MONEY COUNTERSBrooke & Sheri Brooke
Bryan & Jessica Miller

Thursday, July 4:
Independence Day
Our Lady of Mercy ~ 9:00 am
Communion Service
Am 7:10-17/Mt 9:1-8

Please find a sub if you cannot make your scheduled date.**Servers should arrive 15 minutes before Mass time.**

Friday, July 5:
Sts. Anthony Zaccaria &
Elizabeth of Portugal
No Mass
Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Mt 9:9-13

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

Saturday, July 6:
St. Maria Goretti
Vigil
St. Peter ~ 4:30 pm
Loman Radabaugh
Am 9:11-15/Mt 9:14-17

*Join us for a Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration
Prayer ~ Sacred Music ~ Silence***July 11th at 6:30pm**St. Rose Catholic Church ~ Monroeville, IN
*The Holy Hour will begin at the conclusion of 6pm Mass***July 25th at 7:00pm**

St. Augustine Catholic Church ~ Napoleon, OH

August 1st at 7:00pm

Queen of Angels Catholic Church ~ Fort Wayne, IN

August 8th at 7:00pmSt. Richard Catholic Church ~ Swanton, OH
*The Sacrament of Confession will be offered during the Holy Hour***FREE AND OPEN TO ALL**

Sunday, July 7:
14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am
St. Peter ~ 10:30 am
People of the Parish
Ez 2:2-5/2 Cor 12:7-10/



Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Weekend of June 29/June 30, 2024

In today's second reading, St. Paul offers the community at Corinth a spirituality of giving. He urges them to give and maintains that through their generosity, they will in turn be given in return much 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, made possible through the generous mediation of Christ himself. This is an excellent reading for reflecting on the spirituality of giving. This week, take time to reflect on the ways you might discover a deeper joy in Jesus Christ because of your own generosity toward others.

JOIN US FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT
ARCHBOLD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Lifeway VBS

BREAKER ROCK BEACH

**GOD'S ROCK-SOLID TRUTH IN A
WORLD OF SHIFTING SANDS**
ROMANS 12:2

SUNDAY JULY 28 - THURSDAY AUG 1ST
6:30pm - 8:30pm

To register scan the QR code or go to
www.archboldumc.org
FOR INFORMATION - CALL 419-445-5566

Coffee and rolls will be served next Sunday after Mass. Everyone is invited!

Get ready for your biggest adventure of the summer and discover the rock-solid truth of God's word at "Breaker Rock Beach" right here in Archbold! Join the adventure and make new friends at Vacation Bible School 2024 because it's FUN, FAITH-BUILDING, and best of all...IT'S FREE!

Archbold Community VBS is sponsored by St. Peter Catholic Church, St. Martin Lutheran Church, and Archbold United Methodist Church. AUMC is hosting this year - July 28 thru August 1, 6:30-8:30 PM!

Kids (ages 4 through 4th grade) who register before July 15th will receive a free VBS themed drawstring bag.

You can register online (Facebook page), scan the QR code or get a form from the table in the entryway and return to the office bin.

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:
\$2045.00

Weekly Budget: \$3375.00
Over/(Under) Budget:
(\$1330.00)

Past collections:

June 9	\$2120.00
June 2	\$4207.00
May 26	\$3080.05

Dear Padre

June 30, 2024

Does God have a plan for each of us?

We collaborate with God through continual prayer and discernment in planning out our best path of life. This path allows us to fulfill God's ultimate plan—namely, to find meaning in the life he gave us, enjoy his friendship while on earth, and spend eternal life with him in heaven.

God doesn't force us to live out our existence in some programmed, robotic way according to a predestined plan or inevitable fate over which we have no control. Rather, we're free and responsible for our own actions.

Moreover, God's plan for each of us is to experience his profound love and love him in return. "God is love, and whoever remains in love remains in God and God in him" (1 John 4:16). As the supreme sign of God's love, his plan of salvation from the beginning of time was to send us his only begotten Son. "Jesus' violent death was not the result of chance in an unfortunate coincidence of circumstances, but is part of the mystery of God's plan, as St. Peter explains...in his first sermon on Pentecost: 'This Jesus [was] delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God'" (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 599). "By giving up his own Son for our sins, God manifests that his plan for us is one of benevolent love, prior to any merit on our part" (CCC 604). ●

Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR / DearPadre.org

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