

August 11, 2024 ~ 19th 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, August 10:  
Loman Radabaugh**

Sat., Aug. 17, 2024~4:30 pm

Sun., Aug. 18, 2024~10:30 am

**Sunday, August 11:**

Giovanni Stella

Marcel Bonin

Joy Short

**Cindy Eddy****Frank O & Mary Smith****GREETERS**

Mike &amp; Barb Britenriker

Matt &amp; Kristin Shields

**Monday, August 12:**

St. Jane Frances de Chantal

No Mass

Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c/Mt 17:22-27

**LECTORS**

Dexter Krueger

Jenny Graber

**Tuesday, August 13:**

Sts. Pontian &amp; Hippolytus

St. Peter ~ 7:00 pm

Ez 2:8-3:4/

Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

**USHERS**

Mike &amp; Barb Britenriker

Nick &amp; Susan Wlasiuk

**Wednesday, August 14:**

St. Maximilian Kolbe

St. Peter ~ 9:00 am

Ez 9:1-7, 10:18-22/

Mt 18:15-20

**ROSARY LEADER**

Anna &amp; Marian Shields

**MONEY COUNTERS**

Karen Dominique

Nick &amp; Susan Wlasiuk

**Thursday, August 15:***The Assumption of the**Blessed Virgin Mary*

Our Lady of Mercy ~ 9:00 am

Rv 11:19a, 12:1-6a, 10ab

St. Peter ~ 7:00 pm

1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

**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.****Friday, August 16:**

St. Stephen of Hungary

St. Peter ~ 9:00 am

Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63/Mt 19:3-12

**Saturday, August 17:**

Vigil

St. Peter ~ 4:30 pm

Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32/

Mt 19:13-15

People of the Parish

**To mark this year of going out on mission during the National Eucharistic Revival, the Catholic Bishops of Ohio invite all the faithful to make a pilgrimage to Carey, Ohio, for the Vigil of the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.**

This annual event is powerfully moving and always draws a massive crowd. This year, Bishop Daniel E. Thomas will be joined by the other Bishops of Ohio, as well as priests, deacons, consecrated religious, and lay faithful from across the state. It will be a celebration you won't want to miss! We recommend bringing the following items, as the Vigil Mass will be outside: A Rosary for the Procession, Blanket or Folding Lawn chair, Poncho or Umbrella (if rain is forecasted)

**Sunday, August 18:**

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am

Jeannette Tidwell

Living &amp; Deceased Members of

Sarnac Family

Ron &amp; Melody Lichtenwald

St. Peter ~ 10:30 am

**Virgil Fry****Sasha Budowski****Lynn Schrickel-Intention**

Prv 9:1-6/Eph 5:15-20/Jn

6:51-58

**National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation in Carey****Wednesday, August 14, beginning at 9 p.m.****Candlelight Rosary Procession from Basilica to the Shrine Park and Vigil Mass of the Assumption in the Park**

Did you know that the Parents of Priests put together a calendar with a specific priest to pray for each day? Join us in prayer during the month of August!

Thank you to the Britenriker family for hosting coffee and rolls!

# August 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 Pope Francis	2 Bishop Daniel E. Thomas	3 Increase of Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life
4 Your Parish Priest	5 Parents of Priests	6 Rev. Jeffery Walker	7 Bishop-Elect Dennis Walsh	8 Rev. Gary Walters	9 Rev. Mark Weaver	10 Deacons and Missionary Priests
11 Rev. Herbert Weber	12 Rev. Nicholas Weibl	13 Rev. Joseph Weigman	14 Rev. Andrew Wellmann	15 Rev. George Wenzinger	16 Rev. David Whalen	17 Religious Brothers and Sisters
18 Rev. Johnathon Wight	19 Rev. Scott Woods	20 Rev. Paschal Mary Yoke	21 Rev. Alan Zobler	22 Rev. Austin Ammanniti	23 Rev. Prashan Thakumur Anthonappa	24 Deceased Priests of our Diocese
25 Rev. James Auth	26 Rev. James Bacik	27 Rev. John Bamman	28 Rev. Albert Beltz	29 Rev. Michael Bialorucki	30 Rev. Monsignor Michael Billian	31 Increase of Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life

*Saint John Vianney, patron of parish priests, pray for us.*

Dear Lord,  
We pray that the Blessed Mother wrap her mantle around your priests and through her intercession strengthen them for their ministry. We pray that Mary will guide your priests to follow her own words, "Do whatever He tells you" (Jn 2:5). May your priests have the heart of St. Joseph, Mary's most chaste spouse. May the Blessed Mother's own pierced heart inspire them to embrace all who suffer at the foot of the cross. May your priests be holy, filled with the fire of your love seeking nothing but your greater glory and the salvation of souls. Amen. Saint John Vianney, pray for us

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## Thursday, August 15



*Our Lady of Mercy-9:00 am*

*St. Peter-7:00 pm*

**THE CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF ST. PETER**



The faith formation of our children is so important! We need Catechists and helpers for the upcoming Religious Education year. It may seem a long way off, but now is the time to start thinking and praying about this ministry and if you have a calling to fill a role. If you have questions or interest, please contact Deb Herring, Father Bill or the office.

Thank you to everyone who has supported the Rosary Altar Society T-Shirt sales. All money goes to the many ministries that we support. Plus this is a great way to show our connection as a St. Peter family! We still have adult and children shirts available in all sizes. Contact: Peaches Holland.

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: \$6725.00

Weekly Budget: \$3375.00  
Over/(Under) Budget: \$3350.00

Past collections:  
July 28 \$2916.00  
July 21 \$2694.00  
July 14 \$2903.00



# Dear Padre

August 11, 2024

***I miss the use of incense. Is it forbidden or out of style?***

Incense is not out of style, nor is it forbidden. It is still burned to signify that Christ's sacrifice ascends to God as an odor of sweetness and as a sign of people's prayers rising to the throne of God. In the Book of Revelation, we read: "Another angel came and stood at the altar, holding a gold censer. He was given a great quantity of incense to offer, along with the prayers of all the holy ones, on the gold altar that was before the throne. The smoke of the incense along with the prayers of the holy ones went up before God from the hand of the angel" (Revelation 8:3-4).

Incense is a resinous substance obtained by cutting into the bark of a fir or pine tree. The original meaning of the Hebrew word for incense was "fragrant smoke." Ancient Jews burned incense as an act of worship in the tabernacle and temple. Scripture mentions incense often (Ephesians 5:2 and Philippians 4:18, for instance).

Today, incense is often used at the benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, at funerals, and during other special liturgical celebrations to highlight the festivity of a particular occasion. Celebrants may also use incense in any liturgy to bless the congregation, the altar, the book of the Gospels, and the gifts of bread and wine. ●

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