

October 13, 2024 ~ 28th 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

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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, October 12:
Loman Radabaugh
Grace New

Sat., Oct. 19, 2024~4:30 pm

Sun., Oct. 20, 2024~10:30 am

Sunday, October 13:
 Jeannette Tidwell
 Joy Short
Jane Anderson
Mikolaj Wlasiuk

GREETERS

Mike & Barb Britenriker

Frank & Benie Smith

LECTORS

Barb Dominique

Theresa McColl

Monday, October 14:

St. Callistus
 No Mass
 Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1/
 Lk 11:29-32

SERVERS

Baylen & Ashlyn Cordes
 Makayla Felder

Seiberts

Tuesday, October 15:

Weekday
 St. Peter~7:00 pm
 Gal 5:1-6/Lk 11:37-41

USHERS

Tami Bevins
 Steve Dominique

Chuck McColl
 Frank Smith

Wednesday, October 16:

Sts Hedwig &
 Margaret Mary Alacoque
 St. Peter~9:00 am
 Gal 5:18-25/Lk 11:42-46

ROSARY LEADER

Cecelia Seibert

MONEY COUNTERS

Andy & Lois Grime
 Cindy Krueger

Thursday, October 17:

St. Ignatius of Antioch
 Our Lady of Mercy~9:00 am
 Eph 1:1-10/Lk 11:47-54

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

Servers should arrive 15 minutes before Mass time.

Friday, October 18:

St. Luke
 St. Peter~9:00 am
 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9

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

Saturday, October 19:

Vigil
 St. Peter ~ 4:30 pm
People of the Parish
 Eph 1:15-23/Lk 12:8-12

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

Don't go home yet....Sunday Dinner Is Prepared! Come to the
Shalom Counseling and Mediation's Annual Fall Fundraiser at
Ruihley Park in Archbold.

Event proceeds help cover the cost for the clients who can't pay
 their full fees for counseling.

Sunday, October 20:

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am
 Ronald & Joann Keill
 St. Peter ~ 10:30 am
Frank O & Mary Smith
Gina Damman
 Is 53:10-11/Heb 4:14-16/
 Mk 10:35-45

We will be serving your choice of a BBQ chicken or a pulled pork
 meal by donation from 11am-1:30pm. Carry out will be availa-
 ble. Thank you for attending and making Shalom Ministries possi-
 ble through your generous support.



In today's Gospel, Jesus compares the rich man to an overloaded camel—so weighed down with possessions that it cannot squeeze through a narrow city gate. The rich man sadly walks away when Jesus calls him to shed his possessions and give the money to the poor. The Gospel is a reminder about how easy it is for the things we possess to rule our lives.

Pray! Help me, Jesus, to follow you no matter what I must leave behind. Amen.

Think! What things do I hold onto that might keep me from following Jesus?

Act! Go through the things you own and choose some to give away.



Our prayers go out to those who perished, their families, and untold numbers of people who were injured and suffered devastation wrought by Hurricane Helene, a storm that took lives, livelihoods, destroyed homes and entire communities across six states.

As in past disasters, Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo is collecting and forwarding donations dollar for dollar to Catholic Charities agencies in impacted areas for this disaster relief effort. You may donate on our secure website: www.catholiccharitiesnwo.org, noting **Hurricane Helene Relief** as your donation designation.

Checks made out to Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo, with a notation designating **Hurricane Helene Relief**, can be mailed to Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo, 1933 Spielbusch Ave., Toledo, OH 43604. Thank you for compassionately supporting those in need!

Universal Prayer for Tornado Disaster Relief:

For those who lost loved ones, homes and livelihoods because of Hurricane Helene. May God give them peace, and through our generosity and prayers, may they begin to rebuild their lives, we pray to the Lord.

There will be a complimentary **Soup and Sandwich Luncheon** on **October 20** after the 10:30 Mass, courtesy of the Rosary Altar Society. All members of our parish family are invited to join us for some food and fellowship!



We are in need of a 3rd grade catechist! Contact Deb Herring or the office.

Thank you to Ali & Stella Gracia and Peg Hines for hosting coffee and rolls last weekend!



There is a Rosary Altar Society meeting today after Mass. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend!

September FISH toilet paper donations: **292 rolls!**



The Fall newsletter is on its way!

Lectors: the new books are available. Make sure to pick one up.



Wednesday, October 9
Religious Ed K-12
6:30 pm

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: \$3599.05

Weekly Budget: \$3375.00

Over/(Under) Budget: \$224.05

Past collections:
September 29 \$2887.00
September 22 \$2656.10
September 15 \$3258.02

Dear Padre

October 13, 2024

When should confirmation take place? I read that baptism, confirmation, and Eucharist were received all at the same time in the early Church.

Confirmation is one of the three sacraments of initiation. The other two are baptism and Eucharist. In the early Church, all three sacraments were usually received at the same time because most people receiving baptism were adults. As infant baptism started to become the norm, this sacrament was separated from the other two. After Vatican II, the trend moved the age of confirmation into the teenage years, so that in many places, confirmation takes place in seventh or eighth grade, or even later. There is still an argument among liturgists, educators, and theologians about whether such a separation should exist. Some think of confirmation as a coming-of-age sacrament, marking, as it were, the transition from childhood into adulthood in the Church. The theology of this sacrament, however, is based upon baptism and connects it to the commission to go out and touch the world with our faith. The ideal age for confirmation is the age at which we can, with the grace of the Holy Spirit, conscientiously and reasonably witness to our faith. ●

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