

November 2, 2025 ~ All Souls' Day



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, November 1:
Lenny, Andy, and
Cari Breidenbach
Richard Johnson

Sat., Nov. 8, 2025~4:30 pm

Sun., Nov. 9, 2025~10:30 am

Sunday, November 2:
 Rosemary Pontius
Frank O & Mary Smith
Lowell & Barbara Merillat

GREETERS

Mike & Brigitte Schrickel

Chris Lopez

Monday, November 3:
 St. Martin de Porres
 No Mass
 Rom 11:29-36/Lk 14:12-14

LECTORS

Amy Zientek

Frank Smith

Tuesday, November 4:
 St. Charles Borromeo
 St. Peter~7:00 pm
Communion Service
 Rom 12:5—16b/Lk 14:15-24

SERVERS
 Lainey Zientek
 Makayla Felder
 Plus ONE

 Carson Armstrong
 Taylor Schrock
 1 Miller

Wednesday, November 5:
 Weekday
 St. Peter~9:00 am
Communion Service
 Rom 13:9-10/Lk 14:25-33

USHERS
 Joel Felder
 Mike Schrickel

 Matt Pacholski
 Mike Kennedy

Thursday, November 6:
 Weekday
 Our Lady of Mercy~9:00 am
Communion Service
 Rom 14:7-12/Lk 15:1-10

ROSARY LEADER

Bonnie Wickerham

MONEY COUNTERS
 Karen Dominique
 Nick & Susan Wlasiuk

Friday, November 7:
 Weekday
 St. Peter~9:00 am
Communion Service
 Rom 15:14-21/Lk 16:1-8

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.

Saturday, November 8:
 Weekday
 St. Peter Cemetery~9:30 am
Rosary, Mass, and Blessing
 Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/
 Lk 16, 22-27/Lk 16:9-15

Vigil
 St. Peter ~ 4:30 pm
Dick Roth
Lenny, Andy, and
Cari Breidenbach

Sunday, November 9:
 The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
 Our Lady of Mercy~8:30 am
 Marcel Bonin
 Rosemary Pontious
 St. Peter ~ 10:30 am
Al Holland
Gina Damman
 Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9c-
 11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

Statement of Protecting Youth

The Diocese of Toledo remains committed to ensuring the protection of children and providing a safe environment for all young people. If you have any knowledge of abuse that has been committed by a cleric, or any personnel of the Catholic Church, you are urged to report the abuse to your local police department, Children Services, and the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (419) 214-4880 or by mail at 1933 Spielbusch Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43604.



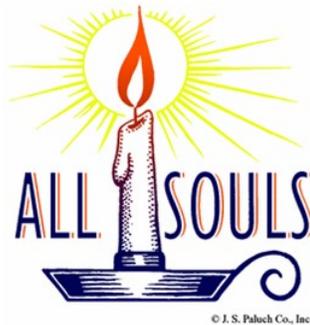
In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus promises that he will never turn away any person who comes to him. He also gives us the perfect example to follow to do the will of God the Father. Whoever believes in Jesus will have eternal life with God in heaven. That seems like an easy thing to do, but it is often difficult in reality. With prayer and guidance from the Holy Spirit, we will enjoy eternal happiness with the Lord.





SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1
Rosary 8:30 am/9:00 am Mass

There will be a 33 Day Consecration Blessing during Mass with refreshments following the service.



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8
St. Peter Cemetery

Rosary, Mass, and blessing of graves starting at 9:30 am.

BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR
(Inclement weather we will be in the church)



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

There will be a Rosary Altar Society meeting next Sunday, Nov. 9 after Mass.

Lectors: pick up your new book in the sacristy.

K-12 Faith Formation
Wednesday, November 5
6:30 PM
ON SITE



Eucharistic Adoration
Tuesdays 8 am-7 pm
Mass at 7 pm

Contact Pat Dominique if you want to commit to a Holy Hour. 419-446-2206

Stewardship of Treasure
Sunday Offering:
Not available at print

Weekly Budget: \$3375.00

Over/(Under) Budget:

Past collections:
October 19 \$4059.22
October 12 \$2873.45
October 5 \$7073.00

Dear Padre

November 2, 2025

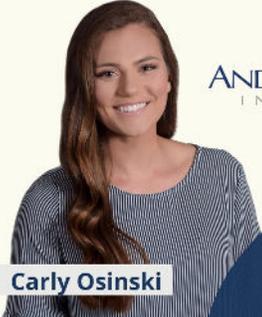
Do we pray for the dead on All Souls' Day for what we can do for them, or for what they can do for us?

On All Souls' Day, the Church celebrates the one body in Christ that unites its members on earth, in purgatory, and in heaven. For more than a thousand years, we've commemorated this transcendent bond on the second day of November, whether at Mass, in a cemetery, or on a home altar to the faithful departed. This bond of companionship between the living and deceased is so vital to our spiritual well-being that All Souls' Day is celebrated even when November 2 falls on a Sunday.

Because Catholics are in communion with one another through an active relationship that transcends death, our prayers, Masses, sacrifices, and works of charity can be offered up on behalf of the deceased. (See 2 Maccabees 12:38-46.) Souls that get to heaven, in turn, offer their prayers on behalf of the living. Thus, our assistance to the deceased, and their intercession for us, is mutually beneficial! "A perennial link of charity exists between the faithful who have already reached their heavenly home, those who are expiating their sins in purgatory, and those who are still pilgrims on earth. Between them there is, too, an abundant exchange of all good things" (*Indulgentiarum Doctrina*, 5; *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 1475, 954-955, 962). May perpetual light shine upon the souls of the faithful departed. ●

Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR / DearPadre.org

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