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You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden. Nor do they light a lamp and then put it under a bushell basket; it is set on a lampstand, where it gives light to all in the house. Just so, your light must shine before others. that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father." ~ Matthew 5:14-16

Sunday, February 5, 2023

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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# The Parish Spaghetti Dinner is Back!

# Saturday, February 11

two seating's (5:00 pm and 7:15 pm)

The dinner will include salad, bread, spaghetti and meatballs, wine, soda and a selection of desserts.

Costs is only \$16 per person for adults \$8 for kids age 5-12 Kids under 5 eat Free!

Seating is limited, so please return the registration form you received in the mail before February 6th.

Many hands make light work! To help, sign-up on the boards in the vestibule, before or after Mass.



This a good opportunity to earn service hours, too!

## ST. PETER'S WOMEN'S MINISTRY

CALLING ALL THE LADIES OF ST. PETER'S!

Tuesday, February 7th 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall



We're looking forward to seeing everyone at the meeting!



#### LIVE THE LITURGY

INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

We can't be afraid to season our lives with the truth, even if we face a world of picky eaters. Christians, don't be afraid of flavor!

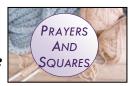
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It's hard to shine the light of truth in a world that so often prefers darkness. But God has built His city on a hill, not a valley. His glory, by definition, exists to be proclaimed, as salt exists to give flavor.

# **Prayers and Squares Meeting**

Thursday, February 9th at 1:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall

Consider spending some of your time these cold days of winter with a fun group of ladies who make shawls and blankets.



If you don't know how to knit or crochet, no worries, the ladies will teach you all the skills you need.

Nothing too difficult, you just need to be able to use a pair of scissors and tie a knot.

#### That's it!

If you already know how, that's great news, the ladies could definitely use your skills.

If you would like a blanket or shawl, or have any questions, please contact Elaine at 815-678-9932



# Life Begins at Conception!

What the Catechism Says about Abortion.

# CATECHISM, 2270

"Human life must be respected and protected absolutely from the moment of conception. From the first moment of his existence, a human being must be recognized as having the rights of a person—among which is the inviolable right of every innocent being to life."

The Catholic Church's long standing position on the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death.

## **Calling Catholic Nurses**

Council of Catholic Nurses of Lake County (CCNLC)

**Annual Lenten Meeting** 

March 4<sup>th</sup> at Marytown Shrine 1600 W. Park Avenue, Libertyville, IL

#### All Local Nurses Welcome!

The day will begin with a continental breakfast at 8:30 am, followed by a presentation by Deacon Dan Coughlin from St. Joseph's in Libertyville. Mass is at noon followed by buffet lunch at 12:45 pm.

# Cost only \$25

Network with other nurses in the community, exploring topics of interest, opportunities for community outreach, and cultivating spirituality. Please contact Linda at 847-837-1971 to RSVP.

Hope you can join us!



# IT IS A NEW YEAR AND NOW IS THE PERFECT TIME TO ADD NEW MEMBERS TO OUR CHOIR.

If you love to sing and feel inclined to share your gift, please consider joining the choir. Rehearsals are held every Thursday at 7 pm in the choir loft.



If you have any questions, please email me at harrisoncolestpeters@gmail.com



### **SAVE THE DATE!**

Faith Family & Fellowship Saturday, March 4

3<sup>rd</sup> Evening of Family, Faith, Fellowship and Fun is coming soon!

Plan to attend 4:00 Mass as a Faith Family and then join together for the rest of the evening in the Parish Hall for some Faith Family time.

Build your own plate including gluten free items, create a baptismal cross and learn some interesting facts about Baptism. As always, there will be some time to spend afterwards with Jesus in Adoration.

If you are a Faith Formation Family, please check your email and RSVP for this event as soon as you can!



Our Sanctuary Lamp burns from January 29<sup>th</sup> through February 11<sup>th</sup> for † All Departed Parishioners

May this light which reminds us of Jesus' True Presence in the Sanctuary Welcome them into eternal peace.



**Most Sacred Heart of Jesus,** we place into your hands, all fellow parishioners we know and love, who are ill or injured and in need of Your healing touch. Jesus, be with them all, especially:

Deanna Adducci Diana Kattner Gina Adducci Ronald Klein Anna Boettier Loman Kubista **Everett Bringer** Rich Lecropane Debra Cooke Caroline Madson Deacon Eugene Damian Deb & Bob Maliszewski Sandy Devine Walter Miller Carol Flatley Fr. Thomas Moran James Formeller Norma Moretti Julia Francis Carol Nellessen **Donald Gagnon** Kelan James Nicholson Gail Gagnon Jim Nowicki Glenn Geske John Paleka Lynn Geske Donna Polanek Ann Marie Gillespie Betty Rygiel Anthony Hodnik Debbie Schaff Patricia Hodnik Jacob Shapiro **Brian Hoskins** Nicole Spatz Patti Jindra **David Thomas Edward Johnson** Richard Yager Ann Kattner Jodi Zaremba

If you know someone who is sick and asking for prayer, but they are not registered members of our parish family, please allow us to solicit support for them by adding their names to our Prayer Chain Ministry. Just visit StPeterCatholicChurch.org and after clicking where it reads CONTACT US, simply follow the directions under PRAYER REQUEST.

1. What's the difference between a guitar and a fish?



- 2. What did the ocean say to the beach?
- 3. How do you make an octopus giggle? 4. You're on a horse that is next to a giraffe, and

(Answers on bottom of page 6)

have a lion chasing you. What do you do?



## FOR THE WEEKENDS OF 2/4 - 2/12/2023

The Mass

For

#### FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CONFESSIONS OFFERED ON SATURDAY'S, 3:00 - 3:45 P.M. ROSARY PRAYED AT 3:30 P.M.

Sat	4 pm	†	Richard Seil
Sun	7 am	† Rita Chinni	
	9 am	†	Ann Kretchmer
	11 am † Anna Lukaczyk		
Tuesday - Friday, Rosary Prayed at 7:30 a.m.			

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Tues	8 am	†	Ann Kretchmer	
Wed	8 am (1)	†	Walter & Lorraine Jahnke	
	8 am (2)	†	Deceased Members of the Witt Family	
Thur		†	Pat Eckman	
Fri	8 am		Tzvia	

#### SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CONFESSIONS OFFERED ON SATURDAY'S, 3:00 - 3:45 P.M. ROSARY PRAYED AT 3:30 P.M.

Sat	4 pm	†	Richard Seil	
Sun	7 am		Monica Sanchez Family	
	9 am	†	Richard Seil	
	11 am	†	Edward Umbricht	

# When A Loved One Dies by Suicide

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Register for the course: cmhm@rockforddiocese.org 815-520-7549 for more information



	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Ushers
FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME			
<b>Saturday</b> <b>2/4</b> 4:00 pm	Carol Magnine	Jacqui Wold	Phil Webb George Gemberling
<b>Sunday</b> <b>2/5</b> 7:00 am	Cyndee Wehrheim	Dennis Wehrheim	Dennis Wehrheim David Smid
9:00 am	Bill Ledger	Deacon Mark	Jeff Miller Larry Hauser
11:00 am	Joanne Prato	Susan Straley	Zach Rygiel Rich Yager
SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME			

<b>Saturday</b> <b>2/11</b> 4:00 pm	Jean Rygiel	Carol Rygiel	Chad Franckowiak Denise Wahls	
<b>Sunday</b> <b>2/12</b> 7:00 am	Eleanor Murphy	Cyndee Wehrheim	Shaun Gosselin Scott Hastings	
9:00 am	Karyn Leali	Paul Leali	Paul Leali Gary Miller	
11:00 am	Jerry Bodden	Deacon Mark	Tom Fanella	

#### **Extraordinary Ministers for the Homebound**

February 5<sup>th</sup> - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Paul Serio, Jacqui Wold, Maria Sullivan & Lisa Bilik

February 12<sup>th</sup> - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mary Seil, Georgene Keim, Kathleen Van Ella & Peggy Neuman

#### **Question:**

#### What is the "Miraculous Medal" and why is it called that?

#### **Answer:**

The medal of the Immaculate Conception that has come to be called simply the "Miraculous Medal" dates back to an apparition of Mary to Saint Catherine Laboure, who was then a novice sister with the **Daughters of Charity.** On November 27, 1830, Our Lady appeared to her, standing on a globe, with shafts of light streaming from her hands and the words, "O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee," surrounding the image. In the same vision,

Catherine saw a capital "M" with a cross above it and below two hearts. Catherine seemed to hear a voice telling her to have what she saw struck as a medal and a promise that those who wore the medal would have the protection and intercession of the Mother of **God.** The first 1,500 medals were distributed in 1832. Many miraculous favors were attributed to the use of the medal.

Saint Catherine's "Miraculous Medal" is among the recognizable and popular symbols of modern Catholicism. Reflecting on its widespread use, the 2001 Vatican document, "Directory of Popular Piety and Liturgy," observes that the medal "recalls the mystery of Redemption, the love of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and of the Sorrowful Heart of Mary. It signifies the mediatory role of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the mystery of the Church, the relationship between Heaven and earth, this life and eternal life."

#### **Senior Citizens Texting Shortcuts**

ATD: At The Doctors BFF: Best Friend Fell,

BTW: Bring the Wheelchair,

BYOT: Bring Your Own Teeth, FWIW: Forgot Where I Was,

GGPBL: Gotta Go Pacemaker Battery Low,

GHA: Got Heartburn Again. IMHO: Is My Hearing-Aid On, LMDO: Laughing My Dentures Out, OMMR: On My Massage Recliner, OMSG: Oh My! Sorry, Gas,

ROFLACGU: Rolling On Floor Laughing And

Can't Get Up

TTYL: Talk To You Louder.

# (PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

#### If ...

It's a surprising little word — if. For such a short word, it holds an abundance of excuses.

Personally, I could buy a new car if I had a dollar for every time I used the word "if" to explain away my own flaws. "If I wasn't so tired. If we had more money. If the kids weren't always on my last nerve. If I had more talent. If life wasn't so hard."

If, if, if.

I don't always feel like being the salt of the earth. Can't someone else season the dish? Sometimes it's more than I want to give, more than I want to do, more than I want to be. Sharing my bread, sheltering the oppressed, clothing the naked, and accompanying my neighbor - doing these things in the literal or figurative sense can be completely exhausting. Mediocrity is so easy. It's so comfortable.

But if. It looms again, that short but powerful word.

"If" can be deep with excuses, but it can also be wide with possibility. If I bring it all to God. If I stop relying on my own abilities. If I prayed more than I talked. If I make my heart firm. If my faith does not rest on human wisdom.

If not me, who? If not now, when?

"You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden." - Matthew 5:14

Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

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#### St. Peter's Mission Statement

As parishioners of St. Peter's Catholic Church, we strive to imitate Jesus' example of prayer, fellowship, love and service.



# PARISH CALENDAR

#### Sunday, February 5th

#### FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

- Benediction & Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament 6:45 am
- K of C Sausage Making Class Parish Hall 1:00 pm
- Sacramental Instruction Classes 6:00 pm

#### Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup>

- Faith Formation Class Grades 1, 3 & 4 5:00 pm
- Faith Formation Class Grade 5 6:30 pm

#### Tuesday, February 7<sup>th</sup>

• SPWM Meeting - Parish Hall - 7:00 pm

#### Wednesday, February 8<sup>th</sup>

• Spiritual Warfare Rosary - 6:00 pm Thursday, February 9<sup>th</sup>

- Prayers & Squares Parish Hall 1:30 pm
- Choir Practice 7:00 pm

#### Friday, February 10th

• Setup for Spaghetti Dinner

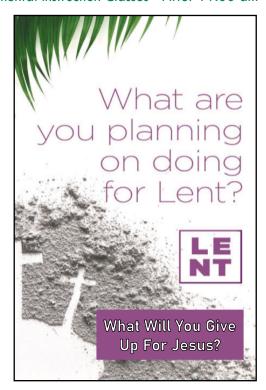
#### Saturday, February 11th

- Adoration After the 4:00 pm Mass until 6:45 am
- Spaghetti Dinner Sitting One: 5:00 pm, Sitting Two: 7:15 pm

#### Sunday, February 12th

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

- Benediction & Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament 6:45 am
- Sacramental Instruction Classes After 11:00 am Mass



# **Answers**

- 1. You can tuna a guitar, but you can't tune-a fish.
- 2. Nothing. It just waved.
- Ten-tickles.
- 4. Get your drunk butt off the carousal.





# **PARISH INFORMATION**

BAPTISMS - Msgr. Jarmoluk is eager and happy to baptize children whose parent(s) are practicing the Catholic faith and registered members of St. Peter's Parish. Please call the Parish Office for additional requirements and information.

MARRIAGES - Please contact Father before you set a date, at least six months in advance.

HOLY COMMUNION - Parishioners confined to their homes, for an indefinite length of time due to illness or advanced age, may call the Office and request that the Holy Eucharist be brought to them on Sunday mornings.

**REGISTRATION** - New members should register by either calling the Parish Office or visiting us online at StPeterCatholicChurch.org

**HOSPITAL VISITS** - If you wish Father to visit during your stay in the hospital, please call him at the Parish Office and he will be happy to do so. Likewise, if you wish to be added to our Prayer Chain, let us know by calling (815) 675-2288

FUNERALS ARRANGEMENTS - are to be made in consultation with Father.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK - If you or someone you know is sick,** injured or being admitted to a hospital and would like to receive the Anointing of the Sick, call the Parish Office without delay.

Should there be an emergency after normal business hours, please call (815) 675-2339

#### **Knights' Corner** WE ARE ALL CALLED TO SERVE

**Knights of Columbus Business Meeting** Tuesday, February 14th Parish Hall - 7:00 pm

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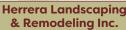
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