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~ Pentecost ~
~ Maino, Fray Juan Bautista ~
~ 1615-1620 ~

Sunday, June 8, 2025 Pentecost Sunday

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.

Mass Schedule

Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 and 10:00 a.m.

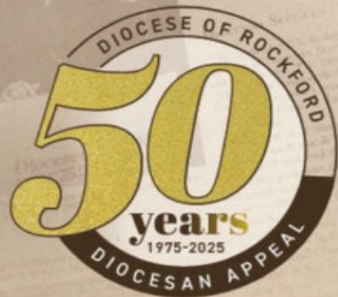
(10:00 a.m. Mass livestreamed)

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. - Sunday 7:45 a.m.



The annual Diocesan Appeal is a very important one because our parish benefits so much from the ministries it supports! It would be tough for us without their assistance! In addition to that, 100% of all donations we receive over the target amount, comes back to St. Peter's! That helps our pastor to never ask us to dig deeper into our pockets! God bless you for not waiting until the last minute to return your pledge card. Your finance council is grateful, too, because it's a great help as they prepare next year's parish budget.

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Women's Ministry Announcements

It is time to nominate this year's Woman of Inspiration! Nomination forms are located in the narthex and at all entrances. Please return forms either to the parish office or place them in the collection basket no later than June 30th.



"Always remain close to the Catholic Church, because it alone can give you true peace, since it alone possesses Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, the true Prince of Peace."

~ St. Padre Pio ~



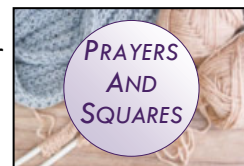
Prayer & Squares

Usually we meet on the second Thursday of each month in the Parish Hall.

We realize this will now conflict with the annual Rummage Sale.

The group will NOT be meeting as the members will be working to setup the Rummage Sale in the Parish Hall.

Prayers & Squares members use their fiber art skills to create shawls and blankets which are donated to anyone in need of a warm embrace. We would like to invite you to join your hands with ours. If you don't currently know how to crochet or knit, we are happy to provide materials and help you learn along the way.



Live the Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

"Whoever loves me will keep My word," Jesus tells His disciples, "and my Father... will come to Him and make our dwelling with Him." We know what's at stake. We know what we have to do. So when the Father comes, will He make His dwelling with us?

You are a Passion of Christ

Want to know someone? Find out what he or she loves. ***So what is Jesus passionate about? It's simple – He is passionate about you.***
Not humanity in general, but you.

When Jesus looked at the crowds, He didn't see a blur of faces. He saw each person—knew them, loved them. ***The Crucifix and the Eucharist aren't just symbols; they're proof that His love goes to staggering lengths to be with us and bless us. It's a love so personal and intense, it demands a response. So how do we respond?***

Start Simple: "Thank you. I love you." We assume people know we love them, but it still matters to say it out loud. The same is true of Jesus. ***In His appearances to St. Margaret Mary and later to St. Faustina, He shared how deeply wounded He is by indifference and ingratitude, especially in the Eucharist. He also promised immense grace to those who console Him with love, thanks and attention.***

Come to the Feast: At every Mass, Jesus gives everything—His Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, #1374) He gives us His whole Heart, hoping we'll give ours in return.

"As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in My love"
(John 15:9).

He is present now as He was at the Last Supper. Simply showing up to be with Him is an act of love—and a bold act of faith.

Receive His Mercy: ***When we come to Him in Confession, genuinely sorry, He doesn't scold—He celebrates.*** Not because of our sin, but because He gets to pour out His mercy. ***"Souls that make an appeal to My mercy delight Me"*** (Diary of St. Faustina, 1146). **Confession doesn't just free your soul—it fills His Heart with joy.**

RUMMAGE SALE

St. Peter's 2025 Rumage Sale June 12th - 14th

Thursday, June 12th 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Friday, June 13th 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Saturday, June 14th 8:00 am - 11:00 am

Saturday, June 14th at 11:00 am, please consider helping us for a few hours or all day. We will box/bag everything that is not sold starting at 11:00 am. Helping Hands Recycling Truck will be at St. Peter's at 11:00 am to pick it all up. Many hands make light work!

For more information please contact:
Connie Otsuka, 815-675-2463 or
Denise Wahls, 815-675-2526



Kids Choir

Attention all singers!

Brian (our choir director) has started a children's choir and he would LOVE to have your child participate!

Our Next Practice and Choir Mass:

Practice: Thursday, June 12th at 6:00 pm

Choir: Sunday, June 15th at 10:00 am Mass

Contact Person:

Brian Wrightson 630-440-7261 or
music.stpeter@gmail.com

🎵 Come join the fun and learn more about the Children's Choir! 🎵



(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

Leaving the Room

Mini Reflection: What's so special about Pentecost that it wasn't until this moment—and not any of the equally world-changing moments that came in the weeks before it—that the Apostles became the Church?

Leaving the Room

I was a full-grown adult before I realized that Pentecost is known as “the birthday of the Church,” and it only resonated with me because someone showed up to a church function with cake and candles. Leave it to buttercream frosting to drive home a theological reality I had been missing for 25 years.

I knew what Pentecost *was*, of course. It simply went over my head that, despite all the incredible, world-changing things that had come *before* the moment of Pentecost, prior to this day, the Apostles were just a group of guys in a room. It wasn't until Pentecost that they became the Church.

So what makes the Church...well, *the Church*, capital C? What makes it more than just a group of guys in a room?

It's true, they were a very special group of guys. They had the Truth—capital T. They had borne witness to Christ's miracles, to his life and to his passion and death.

But they were still in that room.

When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled, the Holy Spirit came upon them, and they received graces and gifts that made them fit to carry out the Great Commission. The Truth wasn't enough, even with a capital T. They needed the Spirit—capital S—and more than that, they needed to receive it with the courage and faith necessary to do what was needed to be done.

To get up and leave the room.

Because what good is any of it unless they leave the room? What does it matter, the tongues of fire and the miraculous bilingualism and, frankly, the coming of the Spirit, if no one ever hears about it?

The mission is what made them the Church. It's what makes *us* the Church. Without it, we're just a bunch of guys in a room.

~ Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman



WEEKENDS
6/7/- 6/15/2025

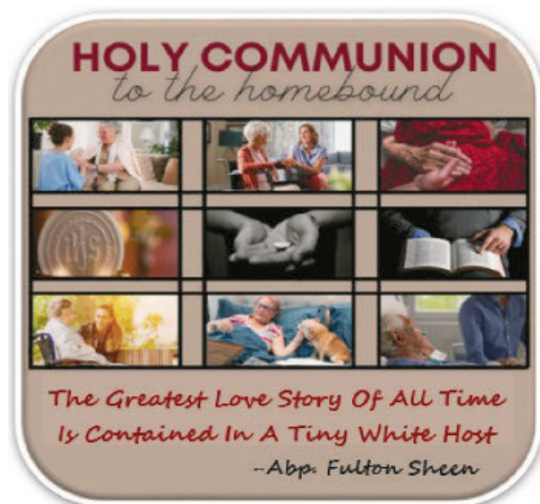
The Mass		For	
CONFESSIONS OFFERED ON SATURDAY'S, 3:00 - 3:45 P.M.			
ROSARY PRAYED AT 3:30 P.M.			
PENTECOST SUNDAY			
Sat	4 pm		Scholle - Sompel Family
Sun	8 am (1)	†	Steven Michael Umbricht
	(2)	†	Daniel Domenella
	10 am	†	Joe Higgins
Tuesday - Friday, Rosary Prayed at 7:30 a.m.			
Tues	8 am	†	Judith Mary Riedel
Wed	8 am	†	Deceased Members of the Schmitt - Hiller Families
Thur	8 am	†	Geri Stack
Fri	8 am		In Thanksgiving for Fabiola Roehrich's Communion with God
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY			
Sat	4 pm	†	Michael Frer
Sun	8 am	†	Irenausz & Sofia Rubaszek
	10 am	†	Joanne Drinka




Some people are so foolish that they think they can go through life without the help of the Blessed Mother. Love the Madonna and pray the rosary, for her Rosary is the weapon against the evils of the world today. All graces given by God pass through the Blessed Mother.

~ Pio of Pietrelcina ~

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Ushers
PENTECOST SUNDAY			
Saturday 6/7 4:00 pm	Sandi Wesinger	Deacon Mark	Phil Webb Chad Franckowiak
Sunday 6/8 8:00 am	Eleanor Murphy	Mary Seil	Dennis Wehrheim Larry Hauser
10:00 am	Joanne Prato	Mike Rygiel <i>Carol Rygiel (Choir)</i>	Dave Harms Kathleen Harms
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY			
Saturday 6/14 4:00 pm	Nettie Toms	Kathie Toms	Maureen Terry Denise Wahls
Sunday 6/15 8:00 am	Stan Tinsley	Deacon Mark	Jeff Miller Tom Fanella
10:00 am	Darien Martinez	Nancy Piggot <i>Marge Ladner (Choir)</i>	Mike Wyatt Mike Gordon
Homebound Ministers June 8th: Pentecost Sunday Georgene Keim, Mary Seil, Kathleen Van Ella & Steve Besetzny June 15th: The Most Holy Trinity Julia Francis, Paul Serio, Eddie Wells & Bev Schmitt			



Our Sanctuary Lamp burns from June 1st through June 14th for
† Witek & Snarski Families
 May this light which reminds us of Jesus' True Presence in the Sanctuary
 Welcome them into eternal peace.



We would love to Pray for you!

PRAYER REQUESTS

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:

Marguerite Baranov	Denise Meyers
Deb Christian	Larry Meyers
Deacon Eugene Damian	Barbara Miller
Phyllis Ehlers	Norma Moretti
Robert Fenrich	John Mueller
Carol Flatley	Carole Nowicki
Glenn Geske	Jim Nowicki
Lynn Geske	Sandra Piskiewicz
Gina Gugala	Vinny Popelka
Anthony Hodnik	Debbie Schaff
Patricia Hodnik	Dorothy Scichowski
Joseph Keim	David Thomas
Nancy Klein	Robert Tolomeo
Ronald Klein	Grace Wesinger
Caroline Madson	Fred Zahn

The individuals who are on our prayers list will continue to be on our prayer list for six months.

If you or a loved one wish to continue to be on the prayer list, please contact the Parish Office during regular business hours.
 815-675-2288

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**.

We are presently seeking disciples of Jesus Christ for our Homebound Eucharistic Ministry.

This involves bringing Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament of the Eucharist to our fellow parishioners who are unable to attend Mass. We bring Jesus's peace with a smile and the love of our own faith to those individuals who are unable to sit next to us in church. We minister to the homebound right after the 8:00 Mass. You can do this ministry on an occasional basis or as a more ongoing routine. Training will be provided. Call Steve the Homebound Coordinator for more information at 847-207-6282 to join our ministry!

Website: StPeterCatholicChurch.org

Email: SaintPetersChurch@gmail.com

Office Hours: Tue. - Thu. 8:30 a.m. - noon,
1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Confessions: Sat. 3:00 - 3:45 p.m. (or by appointment)

Pastor: Rev. Msgr. Joseph Jarmoluk

Deacon: Mr. Mark Raz

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Carrie Shannon 815-687-6734

Grief Support Group

Marie Arnold (Call the Parish Office)

Prayers & Squares

Connie Otsuka 815-675-2463



PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, June 8th - Pentecost Sunday

- Benediction & Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament - 7:45 am

- Rummage Sale Dropoff - 8:00 am - 2:00 pm

Monday, June 9th - Parish Office Closed

- Rummage Sale Dropoff - 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Tuesday, June 10th

- Rummage Sale Dropoff - 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

- K of C Business Meeting - Parish Office Conference Rm - 7:00 pm

Wednesday, June 11th

- Rummage Sale Preparation, NO DONATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED!

- Grief Support Group - Parish Office Conference Rm - 3:30 pm

- Spiritual Warfare Rosary - Church - 6:00 pm

Thursday, June 12th

- Rummage Sale - 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

- Choir Rehearsal - 6:00 pm

Friday, June 13th - Parish Office Closed

- Rummage Sale - 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Saturday, June 14th

- Rummage Sale - 8:00 am - 11:00 am

- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament all night until 7:45 am

Sunday, June 15th - The Most Holy Trinity

- Benediction & Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament - 7:45 am

- SVdP Meeting - Parish Hall - 11:00 am



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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.

ANOIDING 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

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Parish Office Conference Room - 7:00 pm

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