

# SAINT PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

## JUNE 9, 2019



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### Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am  
Monday & Friday 5:30 pm  
Tuesday - Thursday 7:00 am

### Spanish Mass:

*Resurrection Parish, Lexington*

Sunday: 6:00 pm

### Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Friday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm  
Saturday: 10:00 am - 1:00 pm  
Sunday Closed

### Pastoral Care Contacts:

Ms. Kristi Reindl 419.524.2572  
*Hospital & Follow-up  
Nursing Homes/Assisted Living &  
Prayer Pipeline*  
Deacon John Reef 419.529.3694  
*Shut-ins/Homebound*

### Sacrament of Baptism:

Please contact the Parish Center to begin plans for the baptism of your baby or child.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 3:00 - 4:30 pm  
Other times by appointment.

### Sacrament of Marriage:

Arrangements should be made at the Parish Center at least eight months in advance of the ceremony. A wedding date is confirmed after the initial meeting with a priest.

### Sunday Nursery:

Sunday Nursery is temporarily unavailable until further notice.

### Bulletin Deadline:

Friday, 12:00 noon. All requests must be submitted in writing or email and must receive prior approval.

### Parish Administrative Assistant:

Ms. Kristi Reindl 419.524.2572 ext.2122

### Pastoral Staff:

Fr. Gregory R. Hite, *Pastor*  
Fr. Austin Ammanniti, *Parochial Vicar*  
Mr. Bill Johnson,  
*Director of Music & Liturgy*  
Ms. Lynne Lukach, *Pastoral Associate*  
Mrs. Elizabeth Wurm, *Director of  
Religious Ed. & Youth Minister*

### Deacon:

Mr. John Reef

### St. Peter's School:

Ms. Tammy Haus  
*High School, Jr. High School*  
Mrs. Madalyn Bauer  
*Elementary School*  
Mrs. Ashley Rastorfer  
*Montessori*

### Parish Business Manager:

Mr. Evan Mumea

### Director of Development:

Mr. Jason Crundwell

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**MASS INTENTIONS****Monday, June 10, Weekday**

5:00 pm Rosary

5:30 pm North Central Ohio Vocations Club

**Tuesday, June 11, St. Barnabas, Apostle**

7:00 am Parish

5:00 pm Daughters of Isabella—Chapel

**Wednesday, June 12, Weekday**

7:00 am Parish

**Thursday, June 13, St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and  
Doctor of the Church**

7:00 am Mary A. Miller

**Friday, June 14, Weekday**

5:00 pm Rosary

5:30 pm Paul and Virginia Ludwig (Anniversary)

**Saturday, June 15, Vigil of The Most Holy Trinity**

5:00 pm James Ross

**Sunday, June 16, The Most Holy Trinity**

7:30 am Parish

9:30 am Studer Family

11:30 am Knarr Family

**LECTOR/COMMUNION MINISTER****Saturday, June 15**

5:00 pm L D Creamer, C Taddeo

D D Falquette, T Hipp, D Hipp, M Joyce,  
C Campbell, D Campbell, Deacon John Reef,**Sunday, June 16**

7:30 am L D Bessemer, L Danuloff

D M Collet, K Reindl, K Reindl, B Danuloff,  
A Holloway, P Taylor, Deacon John Reef

9:30 am L M Ambrose, C Henrich

D S Weber, F Schuster, T Frasz, C Merle,  
S Crundwell, K Wehinger, M Riggelman,  
Deacon John Reef

11:30 am L C Mears, F Leitenberger

D K Yockey, S Andrews, H Deel, S Elliott,  
K Schreck, C Mears, T Fesler, Deacon  
John Reef**MASS SERVERS****Saturday, June 15**

5:00 pm Z Daniels, K Delano, D Delano

**Sunday, June 16**

7:30 am J Ramey, A Saltzgeber, A Gasper

9:30 am S Ambrose, G Ambrose, J Abrose

11:30 am A Pindel, D Stanford, E Henderson

Well, let me start by saying, "Happy Birthday!" Happy birthday to you, Church of God! Happy birthday to you, St. Peter's Parish!

The Solemnity of Pentecost, which we celebrate today, is reckoned by many to be the birthday of the Church. The Spirit of God, the Paraclete...the Comforter, descended with power and signs and wonders upon the Apostles and the followers of Jesus who were gathered in the upper room where he told them to await the gift of the Spirit. It was from there that the Apostles went to become witnesses, "...in Jerusalem, throughout Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." (Acts 1:8)

This beginning was a type of new creation. The Holy Spirit enlivened the followers of Jesus and gave them the power to preach, to heal, to teach, to discern and to witness to the life promised to those who believed. Much like the original creation episode wherein, "...the Spirit of God (*alt. translation would be 'a great wind'* from the Hebrew *ruach Elohim*), hovered over the waters." (Gen. 1:2) Similarly, in Genesis, God is described as blowing, "...the breath of life into his (the first man – Adam's) nostrils..." whereupon, "...the man became a living being." (Gen. 2:7) The parallel to the birth of the Church is striking. The action of the Holy Spirit in coming down upon the Apostles is described as being like the sound of a great rushing wind (St. Luke uses the Greek word *pnoes* which means a gust or a breeze or, most importantly, respiration. It also serves as the root word for *pneuma* from which we get words like pneumatic and pneumonia...all having to do with wind or air power or respiration. Acts 2:2.)

It's very much like that first wonderful spring day when you can finally open the windows and let in the fresh air. Everything is enlivened and seems more energized and vibrant. This is great food for thought as we consider the birth of the Church...that the Spirit enlivens the Church and us in much the same way that fresh air drives out the musty old air of winter. Just think what the Apostles must have felt that day. We ought to seek to share in their experience!

As we celebrate Pentecost here at St. Peter's, we are also beginning the celebration of the 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of our Parish back in 1844. In previous bulletins (as well as more coming in the future) we've read about the brave and dynamic people of faith who built and strengthened this parish from those days even until now. They were literally the breath needed to bring our Parish to life! As we recall the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost and as we remember that by the power of the breath of God the Church came to life, we see the parallel: if we are filled with the Spirit of God, we are the vessels by which God brings life to our Parish.

What gifts and talents do you possess? In what ways can you help to bring life to our Parish? The Spirit leads us to help enliven and empower our community so that we can all become the witnesses of Christ in our Parish and beyond, even, "...to the ends of the earth." (Acts 1:8) As we recall the faithful men and women who came before us here, let's seek to be like them...to give of our gifts and talents to continue to build this little slice of God's kingdom here and now. We can use your help. We can use your support. But most importantly, we need your presence. We need you to come take part in the events coming up. We need you to be there to be part of what's happening in our community...not just at Pentecost or on an anniversary, but every day. Why not say "Yes!" to the prompting of the Spirit within you?

*Bill Johnson*

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH**



Mike Payton, Bill Ruhl, Jeannie Burkhalter, Krista Marshall, Aaron Blank, Don Blank, Cindy Lassen, Dina Riley, Eliana Nelson, MaKaya Butler, Mildred Corbin, Sharon Valdry, Ken Kayden, John Henney, Theresa Schmidt, Paige Divelbiss, Maria Loschinkohl, Carol Pittenger, Sherry Studer, John Ziegler, Marlene Ziegler, Kim Rucker, Dorothy Trinter, Marti Selby, JoAnn Marbaugh, Baby Greyden Jack, Gwen Yockey, Mary Ann and Mel Switzer, Louise Stegall, Tammy Dudley, Keith Combs, Mady Ziegler, Elaine Johnson, Cindy Jasnek Cartier, Jeannine Klotz, Marilyn B. Williamson, Rex Linkenbach, Helen Philpott, Stephanie Caldwell, Kathryn Keil, Sam Doty, Melvyn Weiland, Lula Davis, Jeffery Barnes, Paul Schopp, Tom Studer, John Kocher.

Names will only be listed for 4 weeks. If you wish to have additional time, contact the Parish Center at 419.524.2572.

**IN GOD'S ARMS...**

Ric Hankins

*Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord.*



**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

St. Vincent de Paul Ministry will be taking a break beginning May 31 through June 16. Our voice mail message will reflect this and discourages callers from leaving messages until after this time.

**CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN**

Thank you for your generosity to last week's collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Your support helps the CCC spread the Gospel message and connects millions of people with Christ, here in the United States and around the world. If you missed the collections, it's not too late to give! Visit [www.usccb.org/nationalcollections](http://www.usccb.org/nationalcollections), and click on "How to Give" link on the left.

**PRISON MINISTRY CORNER**



This prayer is included in *Invitation: The Search for God, Self and Church—A Catholic Learning Guide for Adults*: Jesus, united with the Father and the Holy Spirit, give us your compassion for those in prison. Mend in mercy the broken in mind and memory. Soften the hard of heart, the captives of anger. Free the innocent; parole the trustworthy. Awaken the repentance that restores hope. May prisoners' families persevere in their love. Jesus, heal the victims of crime. They live with the scars. Lift to eternal peace those who die. Grant victims' families the forgiveness that heals. Give wisdom to lawmakers and judges. Instill prudence and patience to those who guard. Make those in prison ministry bearers of your light, for all of us are in need of your mercy! Amen.

**ST. PETER'S MUSIC SERIES**



**ST. PETER'S MUSIC SERIES** The St. Peter's Music Series is back! After a hiatus while the interior of St. Peter's Church was restored, we're back with a new and exciting line-up for spring, summer and fall. You are cordially invited to a performance of the famed oratorio *Messiah* by George Friedrich Handel on Saturday, June 22 at 7:30 p.m. in the Church. The performance will include virtually all the most well-known selections from *Messiah* and will feature locally known soloists and the St. Peter's Traditional Choir and the St. Peter's Chamber Orchestra. The program is open to the public and there is no admission charge. A free will offering will be accepted for the support of the Music Series. St. Peter's Church is located at 60 South Mulberry Street in Mansfield. For more information, please call 419-524-2572, ext. 2113.

**WEDDING BANNERS**

III—Meghan McCarrick and Timothy Boggs

**DIOCESAN YOUTH DAY AT CEDAR POINT**

The Diocese of Toledo extends an invitation to families of youth in grades 6-12 to join in the June 18th day at Cedar Point featuring discounted tickets (\$45 per person, under age 2 is free) from 9:00-12:00 noon and Mass at 4:00 pm. Park is open 10-10:00 pm, no ticket purchase necessary! Look for the "Catholic Youth Day" ticket window to the right of the Main Entrance. Celebrate your faith while enjoying the "Roller Coaster Capital of the World" in Sandusky. (This event is sponsored by the offices for youth ministry in the dioceses of Toledo, Cleveland and Youngstown.

**SUNDAY OFFERING**



Year to Date  
May 24, 2019

**Sunday and Holy Day Collections**

Sunday Collection & Holy Day Collection:	\$761,929.41
Total Budgeted Sunday Collection To Date:	\$763,750.00
<b>Sunday Collection Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>(\$1,820.59)</b>

**School Collection**

Total School Collection To Date:	\$129,997.73
Total Budgeted School Collection To Date:	\$151,200.00
<b>School Collection Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>(\$21,202.27)</b>

**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN FINANCIAL UPDATE**



<b>Cash Available for Auditorium &amp; Gym</b>	<b>\$230,500</b>
Stage One Cash Goal:	\$119,500
Amount Needed for project to begin:	\$151,567
Uncollected Pledges:	\$195,580

As of May22, 2019

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST**

There will be a pancake breakfast in the church basement following each Mass today. Pancakes, Sausage, and Egg will be served with a free will donation.

**FRIDAY NIGHT MEALS AT KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

June 7—Burgers, Sausage, Hot Dogs, Mac & Cheese, Baked Beans, Cole Slaw

June 14—Taco Night— Taco Bar with All the Fixings

June 21—Cook Out—Burgers, Sausage, Hot Dogs, Pea Salad, Potato Salad, Baked Beans

June 28—Chicken Parm with Pasta, Garlic Bread, Caprese Salad

**BLOOD DRIVE AT TRIDICO SIGN COMPANY**

My name is Sophie Tridico and I will be a senior at St. Peter's this fall, I am hosting a Blood Drive on Friday June 14 at Tridico Sign Company, 162 N. Diamond St., from 12-6. Please join me and donate and please share with others. To schedule an appointment call 1-800-RED CROSS or visit [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org).

**FIRST EUCHARIST PICTURES ARE NOW AVAILABLE TO BE PICKED UP IN THE PARISH OFFICE DURING REGULAR OFFICE HOURS.**

**ATTENTION ALL 8TH-12TH GRADERS**

The 21st Annual Youth elect Service (YES) Weekend is June 21-23 at Willard St. Francis Xavier. We will come together on Friday evening, then spend all day Saturday doing service work for those in need. We leave following Mass on Sunday morning. Cost for the weekend is \$20.00. If you would like to spend a weekend helping others while having fun, contact your youth minister or email Kari at [kowens@stmaryshelby.org](mailto:kowens@stmaryshelby.org) for a registration form. If there are any brave adults who would like to help with this endeavor and are willing to chaperone teens, email Kari for more details.



**Third Street Ob/Gyn**  
**419.522.6800**

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL WISH LIST**

Thank you for all who have donated to Vacation Bible School! Your donation of supplies help us keep VBS affordable for all who attend! We still have a few items that we are in need of. If you have the ability to help we would very much appreciate it! VBS is taking place July 8—11th! Thank you for your consideration!



- **320 juice boxes**
- **3 packs of construction paper (assorted colors)**
- **60 chocolate pudding cups (Kraft brand only please due to allergens)**
- **4 large bags of Snyders large sourdough pretzels (product specific due to allergens)**
- **60 Go Go Squeeze Apple-AppleSauce (again, product specific due to allergens)**
- **5 large packages of Honeymaid Graham Crackers (product specific due to allergens)**
- **8 large containers of popcorn (un-popped kernels)**

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL ADULT HELP**

We are looking for some adults to help with Vacation Bible School this summer to help supervise the activities. Adults who are interested have to be VIRTUS trained (or be willing to take the on-line course which takes about 45 minutes). The role of the adult at VBS is a supervisory role so it is really being present during the week to help our teen leaders fulfill their role. If this sounds like something that would interest you, please contact Elizabeth Wurm at the parish office or through email at [wurm.elizabeth@myspartans.org](mailto:wurm.elizabeth@myspartans.org). It is a great experience and one that you won't regret!

**NORTH CENTRAL OHIO VOCATIONS CLUB**

The North Central Ohio Vocations Club is once again sponsoring the Newman College Connection. Getting connected when you are heading off to college is an important task, and making that connection with the Catholic presence on your campus is the most critical! Newman College Connection helps those who are heading to college get connected with the Catholic presence on their campus. It is a way for you to know about the Catholic services on your campus by taking one simple step—letting them know your name and campus so that they can help you get connected. It is just that simple! If you are heading off to college this fall or have a young person in your life who is and would like more information about how to get connected to the Catholic presence in your area, please contact Elizabeth Wurm at [wurm.elizabeth@myspartans.org](mailto:wurm.elizabeth@myspartans.org) by June 15.

**175TH ANNIVERSARY NOTES**

In this column we resume our look at the events and leaders who brought our Parish forward through the years. In the previous column, we began a look into the life and career of Monsignor James F. Hebbler, the eighth Pastor of St. Peter's Parish.

Upon the death of Monsignor Rupert Goebel in May of 1955, Bishop Rehring named as pastor Monsignor Hebbeler who, in his early days of priesthood, served as an Assistant here. He assumed his new responsibilities here on June 15, 1955.



**Monsignor James Hebbeler (8<sup>th</sup> Pastor of St. Peter's)**

First among the new Pastor's many concerns was the project left unfinished by his predecessor: the construction of the new St. Peter's High School and the accompanying convent for the Joliet Franciscan Sisters who staffed the Parish School. Monsignor Goebel had contracted with an architectural design firm (Wm. R. Perry Architects) from Pittsburgh, PA. Under Monsignor Goebel's guidance, a design plan was completed and fund-raising was already underway, having begun in 1953.



**Lino-cut Ink Plate for the Fundraising for the New St. Peter's High School (1954)**

Monsignor Hebbeler elected to continue with the design plan and fundraising as developed by Monsignor Goebel. Monsignor Hebbeler presided at the ground-breaking ceremonies on May 6, 1956. Construction was completed in 1958 and the new High School opened its doors for the first time in September of that year. We will continue our look at the Pastorate of Monsignor Hebbeler in the next bulletin.

**PENTECOST - JUNE 9, 2019**

***There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit.*** 1 Corinthians 12:4

On Pentecost we celebrate the "Birthday of the Church." Red is symbolically the color of the Spirit. The multitude of languages is our reminder that in the Spirit we are united and the mission of the Church is worldwide. Thanks to those who shared their native or learned languages today in the various readings of Acts of the Apostles:

- 5:00 pm - Betty Scharl (German)  
Olena Irvin (Ukranian)  
Gloria Harris (Tagalog)
- 7:30 am - Steve Nemeth (French)  
Jamie Stima (Latin)  
Matt Ashley (Greek)
- 9:30 am - Bob Sliney (French)  
Bernadetta Kavishe (Swahili)  
Krista Marshall (Latin)
- 11:30 am - Maggie Varga (Hungarian)  
Tien Phung (Vietnamese)  
Angelo Sorrenti (Italian)

Fr. Gregory Hite and Fr. Austin Ammanniti will read the Gospel in Italian at the Masses they celebrate.

Pentecost (from the Greek word, *pentēkostē*) means fiftieth, and originates as a seven week Jewish harvest festival following the Passover Sabbath. It predates the time of Christ. Also called the Feast of Weeks, it eventually became a memorial of the covenant and of the giving of the Law. Early Christians continued a similar observance but emphasized the Resurrection. Fasting and kneeling at worship were not allowed during this period as it was designated as a time of rejoicing. In its nascent stages, the Church celebrated the Ascension and Pentecost together as this feast of the fiftieth day evolved. In the late 4th century, Christians began to observe the feast of the Ascension on the fortieth day after Easter and, Pentecost, the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, ten days later. In the U.S. we celebrate the Ascension on the seventh Sunday of Easter and Pentecost, "the birthday of the Church," a week later.

 **RECYCLING—NEXT DATE: JUNE 14, 2019**

**BLUE BARRELS: June 15 & 16**

**Dairy Queen Bloodmobile!** 309 Ashland Road in Mansfield, Wednesday July 3 from 12:00—7:00pm. To schedule an appointment call 419.522.4883. FREE small DQ Blizzard for those who come to give!

**Great News For Montessori Families!** St. Peter's has partnered with the Mansfield Area Y to provide transportation to and from Montessori for childcare. The Y operates childcare at the old Carpenter School building on the corner of Carpenter Road and Marion Avenue. For more information contact Velma Bond at 419.522.3511.

**Generous Scholarships Available for Ave Maria University and Ave Maria School of Law** High School Juniors & Seniors and College Seniors & Post Graduates, you are invited to Ave Summer Fest, Wednesday June 12 at 6:00—6:30pm. Enjoy an evening of great food, fellowship, and live music. FREE-Registration required by Monday June 10 to attend. For more information and to register go to [www.avemariafoundation.org](http://www.avemariafoundation.org) or call 734.930.3441.

**Quiet Moments**, a photography exhibit at INAI: A Space Apart, an art gallery adjacent to Weber Center on the campus of the Adrian Dominican Sisters' Motherhouse, 1257 E. Siena Heights Drive, Adrian, Michigan. *Quiet Moments* showcases the art of Scott Miller, photographer and videographer for the Communications Office of the Adrian Dominican Sisters, and Elaina Robinson, a student photographer at Siena Heights University. INAI: A Space Apart is open daily from 8:00 am—6:00 pm through Thursday June 27, 2019. The exhibit is free and open to the public. For more information call 517.266.3400.

*Sacrifice does not cause sadness, especially when you give up to God*

*~Mother Theresa*



## RECONCILED DIVERSITY

A few years ago, during Rome's quiet summer, Pope Francis took a day off to visit privately with some old friends, whose identity took Catholic Italy by surprise: Evangelical Protestants. They welcomed Francis to their Pentecostal Church of Reconciliation, where Francis asked pardon for Catholic persecutions and celebrated the Holy Spirit's "pentecostal work." Unlike Satan, declared Francis, who creates division among God's children, the Holy Spirit creates a diversity rich and beautiful. And unity; not uniformity, Francis specified, but unity in diversity. Francis named the Spirit's gift "reconciled diversity." Pentecost's rich treasury of scriptural readings, for Saturday's vigil and Sunday's morning liturgy, traces the Holy Spirit's work from creation's beginning, through Jesus' resurrection, into the church's earliest days, now into our days. Kindled in our hearts, the Spirit's gentle fire is ours to share generously, even with those most strikingly different from us. All hearts are Spirit-warmed by reconciled diversity.

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## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Today we are at the fiftieth day of the Easter celebration: seven weeks of seven days, a week of weeks, now culminating in a festival fiftieth day. While the liturgical color of the Easter season is gold, on this last day we have red. For the first thousand years of the church, there were no firm rules for using colors. Only wealthy churches could afford a full array of colors, and most places used the best vestments, no matter the color, for the greatest feasts. The Church spelled out an exact plan for color, including red for Pentecost, only in 1570, but local differences held on until the 1800s.

Color experts tell us that red is a hot color, best used for fast-paced, upbeat, active experiences. It is hard to be neutral before red, as any matador will tell you. It invites commitment, draws you in. It is a stimulating color, engaging the eye, stirring hunger. It is the most fitting color for this day when we celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit into our lives, a dynamic presence overturning neutrality in favor of passion and commitment.

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## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Filled with the Holy Spirit, the apostles begin to speak in tongues (Acts 2:1-11).

**Psalm** — Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth (Psalm 104).

**Second Reading** — In one Spirit we are baptized into one body (1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13) *or Romans 8:8-17*.

**Gospel** — Jesus Christ appears to the disciples and sends them on their mission (John 20:19-23) *or John 14:15-16, 23b-26*.

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## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14;

Ps 87:1-3, 5-7; Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 119:129-133, 135;

Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday: 2 Cor 3:4-11; Ps 99:5-9; Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: 2 Cor 3:15 — 4:1, 3-6; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Mt 5:20-26

Friday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 116:10-11, 15-18; Mt 5:27-32

Saturday: 2 Cor 5:14-21; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Mt 5:33-37

Sunday: Prv 8:22-31; Ps 8:4-9; Rom 5:1-5;

Jn 16:12-15

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