

SAINT PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

JUNE 6, 2021



THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

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Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 5 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a.m.
Monday & Friday: 5:30 p.m.
Tuesday - Thursday: 7 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 3 - 4:30 p.m.
Other times by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism:

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

Sacrament of Marriage:

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

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Bulletin Deadline: Friday at 12 p.m., one week prior to publication date. All submissions must be in writing and approved.

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MASS INTENTIONS**Monday, June 7***10th Monday in Ordinary Time*

5:00 pm Rosary

5:30 pm † Jean Smrekar

Tuesday, June 8*10th Tuesday in Ordinary Time*

7:00 am † Sister Mary Christin Alfieri

Wednesday, June 9*Saint Ephrem, Deacon & Doctor of the Church*

7:00 am † Harry M. Welsh

Thursday, June 10*10th Thursday in Ordinary Time*

7:00 am Parish

Friday, June 11*Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus*

5:00 pm Rosary

5:30 pm Parish

Saturday, June 12*Vigil of the 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

5:00 pm † Robert Koehler

Sunday, June 13*11th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7:30 am † Jonathan Walbert

9:30 am Parish

11:30 am † Shane Conry

IN GOD'S ARMS

Please pray for our beloved dead.

ETERNAL REST GRANT NTO THEM O LORD.**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH**

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



Bill Ruhl	Marilyn B. Williamson	Philip Winegarner
Jeannie Burkhalter	Tom Powell	Michael Caldwell
Krista Marshall	CMSgt Joseph Basting	Joe Palmer
Aaron Blank	Peggy Basting Taylor	Ellen & George
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Marlene Ziegler	Allen & Margie	Joe Wendling
Dorothy Trinter	Caldwell	Anonymous
JoAnn Marbaugh	William Scales	
Gwen Yockey	David Donley	
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Keith Combs	Colleen McNamara	
Mady Ziegler	Shambre	
Elaine Johnson	Michael Davis	
Jeannine Klotz	Jo Touby	

Saint Peter's is offering a way to get rid of those summertime blues, and allow your kids to have a lot of fun in the meantime, with all the programming that you would want for your child.

To start with, we are offering the **Summer Kid's Fest** throughout the month of July. This is four weeks of programming for those who are 5-12 and each week has a different theme.

- **July 5-9 is Science Week** where they will get to explore all kinds of science, and experiment to their heart's desire!
- **July 12-16 is Vacation Bible School and Sports Week** (and this is open to ages 3-12)! They start off with us in the morning for some great VBS with crafts, games, songs and lessons, and transition in the afternoon to learning about some of their favorite sports:: volleyball, basketball, soccer and baseball.
- **July 19-26 is Superhero Week** which will allow each of them to explore their inner superhero, and learn how to create some of the great superhero disguises and powers that they have read about!
- **July 26-30 is Art Week** where the kids are going to bring out their creativity in a variety of media, and learn about some great artists as well!

Each week is cross-curricular so they will have the ability to get some math, science, religion, language arts, art and gym without it seeming like a school setting, and we have outside speakers coming in to share with the kids (including some animals!). Lunch is provided and the cost of Science, Art and Superhero week is \$70 per child, for Vacation Bible School/ Sports Week we ask for a donation of \$5 per child but they need to bring their own lunch.

During the month of June, we also have some youth group programming as well! There is a series every Friday of youth group activities- the morning is for the younger students from 9-11 a.m. and the afternoon is for the older students (grades 6-12) from 1-3 p.m. If your child is in grades 6-12, they can also get involved in our Youth Leadership Team which helps to plan all the events for the youth in our parish and school.

Information about each of the programs is available on the parish website, the parish Facebook page, in the bulletin and on the Saint Peter's Community Forum. I hope that maybe your child can join us and that we can help get rid of some of their "summer time boredom blues!"

To register or with any questions please contact me at the parish number or at wurm.elizabeth@myspartans.org. Registration is required for all of our Summer Kid's Fest activities by June 11, and preregistration is appreciated for our youth events.

I hope to see you soon!

Elizabeth Wurm

LITURGICAL GUIDELINES—EFFECTIVE JUNE 5

- **Face Masks are not required** —The personal decision by some members of the clergy or the faithful to continue wearing masks/facial coverings should be respected out of charity.
- **Seating will no longer be limited** — Rows will not be limited/closed. According to pastoral need, a designated socially distanced area may be provided for those who prefer such seating.
- **Holy water fonts will be filled** — Holy Water fonts will continued to be filled and cleaned on a regular basis.
- **The Sign of Peace May be resumed.** — The Sign of Peace does not imply physical touch with others. Some members of the faithful may still be reluctant to extend/receive a physical Sign of Peace and their preference for no physical contact should be respected.
- **Holy Communion reception on the hand or tongue is the prerogative of the communicant.**
- **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** may resume their service in a limited capacity.

PSR CATECHISTS NEEDED

We are searching for some catechists for our PSR program for the 2021-2022 year. The year starts in September and ends in April, and the commitment is for 1 1/2 hours per week along with completing a VIRTUS Child Protection Training and background check through the Diocese of Toledo (which is all on-line and takes one hour).

The greatest gift you could ever share is your experience and knowledge of the faith to help our smallest disciples! If you have any interest in either our Wednesday night or Sunday morning program, please contact Elizabeth Wurm at wurm.elizabeth@myspartans.org or at the parish office at 419-524-2572 x 2114. Each of us has a story to tell about our faith... share yours and help a young person take a step farther on their faith journey! I look forward to hearing from you!

PRISON MINISTRY CORNER

Our Parish Prison Ministry team attended a Spirit-filled retraining/orientation session in preparation for our return to RiCI. We look forward to celebrating Mass at RiCI on June 5, then resuming our active schedule of Catholic prayer, music, and fellowship gatherings throughout June. Thank you for all who have been bringing in plastic bags. They can be dropped off at the Parish Center during business hours on weekdays or given to Lynne at 7:30 Mass most Sundays.



ADULT FAITH FORMATION AND ENRICHMENT

- **RCIA / Adult Sacrament preparation:** Watch the bulletin or call the Parish Center 419-524-2572 ext. 2109 for information on beginning the process for considering the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults or for completing any Sacraments of Initiation. We are meeting more and more adults who have not yet celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please call and see if this is YOUR time to become Catholic, complete the Sacraments, or simply learn more about the Catholic faith.
- **Adult Faith Enrichment:** Join us for our enjoyable class "Crochet and Pray" on **TUESDAY mornings at 10:00**. Bring your own projects or come to learn how to crochet. Our group projects will be donated to charities, such as homeless mats, baby blankets, etc. Our first "Crochet and Pray" class is **Tuesday, JUNE 8**. Enter thru Parish Center entrance and the receptionist will direct you to our adult faith room.

Watch this bulletin item for further details and new programs.

FEED THE NEEDY

Due to all of the wonderful help and interest we've received in the restarting of our Feed the Needy program, we will now be serving meals two Sundays a month! Praised be Jesus Christ!

For the next two months, because of the holidays, we will offer meals on June 6th & 13th and July 11th & 18th. However, for the remainder of the year, we will serve meals on the first and third Sundays of every month!

A big thank you goes out to all of who have made this possible! For those still interested, you're more than welcome to come out and help!

Blessings!

SUNDAY OFFERING	
	
<i>As of April 2021 Sunday Collection</i>	
Sunday and Holy Day Collections	
Sunday Collection & Holy Day Collection:	\$727,223.00
Total Budgeted Sunday Collection To Date:	\$710,000.00
Sunday Collection Surplus/(Deficit)	\$17,223.00
School Collection	
Total School Collection To Date:	\$95,457.00
Total Budgeted School Collection To Date:	\$120,000.00
School Collection Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$24,543.00)

FORMED

What have YOU found most interesting on FORMED? Some of our parish households have shared that they choose a different topic or program each week, enjoying covering areas such as prayer, saints, Church history, children's series, etc. Select from the thousands of offerings! We recommend taking a look at the SACRED ART series!

We encourage all parish households to take advantage of the FREE Formed subscription. Sign-up / Sign-on is easy: Go to formed.org, select our parish (St. Peter's Catholic Church, 104 West First Street, Mansfield), and provide your name and email.



ST. JOSEPH RELIC

Thanks to a generous parishioner, St. Peter's now has on loan a First-Class Relic associated with St. Joseph himself! A First-Class Relic is an item directly associated with the events of Christ's life (manger, cross, etc.) or the physical remains of a saint himself.

In this case, we have a relic of the cord St. Joseph actually wore around his waist! If you don't believe it, we have a Certificate of

Authenticity registered with the Vatican.

You can find it on the altar of St. Joseph and the relic will remain for the rest of this year of St. Joseph! Please say a prayer for this generous parishioner!

FEED THE NEEDY—PERSONAL ITEMS

For the next few months we are collecting the following: wash cloths, body wash, shampoo/conditioner, deodorant, razors, shaving cream, toothbrushes, toothpaste, combs and brushes and socks.

They can be brought to church any weekend in the main vestibule.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

(as of May 31)

\$ 57,999.37 — PLEDGED

\$ 55,036.00 — GOAL

105.38% of Goal to Date

308 Donors (out of 1627 registered households)

Any additional money received (not pledged) above and beyond our parish's goal is returned to our parish.



Thank You!

CONGRATULATIONS TO FATHER HITE!

Our Pastor Father Hite will celebrate the 40th anniversary of his ordination to the Priesthood in June. We will honor Father Hite with several special events during the weekend of **June 19 and 20**. Please make plans to attend as many of these celebrations as you can!



- **Saturday, June 19** — 8 p.m. in the Church - **Saint Peter's Music Series** will present the *Gloria by Antonio Vivaldi* together with a selection of choral, orchestral and handbell pieces. There will be no admission charge and the program is open to all.
- **Sunday, June 20** — 3 p.m. in the Church - **Mass for the 40th Anniversary of Ordination for Father Gregory Hite**. Father Hite will be the principal celebrant and will be joined by several of his former associates and students.
- **Sunday, June 20** — **Reception following Mass for Father Hite in the Franciscan Center Gymnasium.**

Please Plan to attend!



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL—REGISTRATION DEADLINE APPROACHING

Attention: The last day to sign up for Summer Kid's Fest and Vacation Bible School is June 11th! Make sure to register now to get in on all the fun! Both of these events are open to all students — you do not have to be a current student or parishioner.

Please contact Elizabeth Wurm for more information. Summer Kid's Fest is for students 5-12 years of age and VBS is for students who are 3- 10. We hope you can join us!



SUMMER YOUTH EVENTS

We hope that you can join us for some of our upcoming youth events! A full list of events can be found on our website: mansfieldstpeters.org/parish. Please check the ages and possible costs involved with each event. Each event is registration required so please contact Elizabeth Wurm at wurm.elizabeth@myspartans.org to register or for more information.

KINDERGARTEN THROUGH FIFTH GRADE

June 11 — “Oh The Places You Will Go!” (Free) Come and learn some powerful lessons about God’s plans for our lives through the writings of Dr. Seuss! This event takes place from 9 a.m.- 11 a.m.

SIXTH THROUGH TWELTH GRADE

June 11 — Stone Soup. Have you ever eaten a little Stone Soup? No, it doesn't sound too appetizing? Come and try some and bring a friend!



LAST DAY OF SCHOOL FIELD DAY



Elementary students finished out their school year with their traditional Field Day at the Franciscan Activity Center. It was a day full of fun and games. We hope our students have a fun and safe summer and look forward to them returning in the fall!

TEACHER SERVICE AWARDS



The Msgr. Dunn Foundation recognized the following faculty members for their milestone anniversaries at St. Peter’s School.

- 30 years—Michael Mulherin '74 (Senior Theology)
- 10 years—Penny Priess (4th Grade)
- 5 years—Janene Smith (JH Science)
- 5 years—Darren Hainline (HS Science)
- 5 years—Kathleen Keller '11 (2nd Grade)
- 5 years—Jamie Stima '11 (ES Gym)

ST. PETER'S AUGUSTFEST — SAVE THE DATE AUGUST 7, 2021



Mark your calendars for this exciting new event coming to St. Peter's this summer at Spartan Fields to support St. Peter’s School!

St. Peter's AugustFest will be an exciting evening of entertainment, food, drinks, and live music for Adults 21+!

FEATURING: The Ohio Express!

Bookmark the following page for more information: mansfieldstpeters.org/august

NOW ENROLLING FOR FALL!



St. Peter's School is currently accepting applications for the 2021-2022 school year. Call Jason Crundwell (419) 524-2572 to schedule a tour to visit our .

AfterCare is now available for parents for grades K—6 for working parents!



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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

A new name for this feast, long known as *Corpus Christi* or "Body of Christ," points to an important recovery of Communion from the shared chalice, the Precious Blood, in the Roman Catholic liturgy. For many centuries, only the priest received from the chalice. Now, over the last forty years, the cup has been offered more frequently to the faithful. Sadly, perhaps because it is not offered at all Masses, or because people are free to pass by the offered cup, it can be seen by some as a "take it or leave it" option.

Some important meanings surface, however, when we drink from the common cup, such as our desire to participate in the pouring out of Christ's love. Bread is the staff of life, eaten by necessity even in times of pain. Wine, on the other hand, is the mark of festivity, a pledge of joy, a sign of unity between our altar table and the banquet feast of heaven. The center of the Gospel today is Jesus speaking of the pouring out of his blood, and his offer of a cup of blessing to be shared as a sign of his love. There is no better response than to take and drink, and no better way to mark this feast.

Note: For the foreseeable future, St. Peter's Parish will not be returning to the use of the common cup for communion.

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FEAST OF FAITH

The Corpus Christi Procession

In the thirteenth century, a Belgian nun by the name of Juliana had a vision: she saw the full moon silvery and radiant except for one dark spot. The meaning of the vision was revealed to her: the moon was the Church's liturgical year, the dark spot a missing feast in honor of the Blessed Sacrament. Today's feast of Corpus Christi—the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ—grew from Juliana's vision.

On this feast, many parishes observe the traditional Corpus Christi procession, giving honor to the Eucharist by carrying this greatest treasure out of the safety of our churches and into our streets. At the end of every Mass we are not just let out, we are sent forth, strengthened by the Eucharist, to be the Body of Christ in the world. The Corpus Christi procession is the dismissal writ large! We take Jesus with us, not only in our hearts, but carried in our midst and exposed in a monstrance. It is a public profession of faith and a blessing of the world. Jesus walks with us on these streets that we walk day after day, among those who know him but yearn to know him better, and among those who do not know him. The Eucharist is a mystery to be believed, to be celebrated—and to be lived.

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CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS

Spaniard Alonso Alvarez de Pineda traveled in 1519 to the bay on the Gulf of Mexico now located in South Texas on the day of the Feast of Corpus Christi, and named the bay Corpus Christi. The first known settlement started in 1839 as a trading post.

Today, the city is home to 305,000 people and home to the Diocese of Corpus Christi. It is also home to St. Andrew by the Sea Catholic Church. Located on North Padre Island, it is the only parish in the world where Mass is celebrated outdoors year-round. It is also likely the only church where mosquito repellent sits next to the Holy Water fonts.



St. Andrew by the Sea Catholic Church

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday:** 2 Cor 1:1-7; Ps 34:2-9; Mt 5:1-12
- Tuesday:** 2 Cor 1:18-22; 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:** Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-6; Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37
- Saturday:** 2 Cor 5:14-21; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Lk 2:41-51
- Sunday:** Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-16; Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — This is the blood of the covenant that the Lord has made with you (Exodus 24:3-8).

Psalms — I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord (Psalm 116).

Second Reading — Christ is the mediator of a new covenant (Hebrews 9:11-15).

Gospel — This is my body. This is my blood (Mark 14:12-16, 22-26).

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