

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 5

Memorial of Saint Boniface, Bishop & Martyr

8:00 am R † Judy Watson

8:30 am R Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

5:30 pm P † Patricia LaFrance Wolf

Tuesday, June 6

Memorial of Saint Norbert, Bishop

7:00 am P † Paul Alton

12:00 pm M Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

5:30 pm M † John & Marcella Huck

Wednesday, June 7

Weekday

7:00 am P † Jean Smrekar

5:30 pm P Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, June 8

Weekday

7:00 am P † Sr. Mary Christin Alfieri

5:30 pm R Elderly & Homebound

Friday, June 9

Memorial of St. Ephrem, Deacon & Doctor of the Church

8:00 am M † Veronica Hart 5:30 pm P † Michael Krebs

Saturday, June 10

Vigil of The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

3:30 pm P Confessions

4:00 pm M Parishioners of St. Mary,

St. Peter & Resurrection

5:00 pm P Deceased Members of the

Ellish Family

6:00 pm R † Helen Bramer (Rest in Peace)

Sunday, June 11

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

7:30 am P Scott Darnell 9:00 am R \$\frac{1}{2}\$ Scott Darnell \$\frac{1}{2}\$ Scott Darn

11:00 am M Vocations to the Priesthood

11:30 am P † Jess Allred

The Sacrament of Penance will be available 30 minutes before every Mass. The Rosary will be said 30 minutes before weekend and most weekday Masses.

M-St. Mary | P-St. Peter | R-Resurrection

Correction: The Mass intention for the 7:30 am Mass for today, June 4, 2023, was for Mary (Berger) Kramer.

IN GOD'S ARMS

Jane Lambert Katie Dillon



Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord.



III-Zoe Swain & Kory LeBlanc

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please welcome the following individuals to the St. Peter Parish family.

- Pernell & Rebekah Allen & Family
- Todd & Nancy Baird

FROM THE PASTOR:



Dear Parishioners,

My message this week is the third in a series of how our choices affect ourselves and others. As mentioned last week, Adam and Eve fell for the lie of Satan, who says we can commit sin without being adversely affected by it. That thinking has infected much of our world, from the least to the

greatest. We have fallen for this destructive lie because humanity has made itself the sole determiner of truth. God, who is the creator of the universe, has given us instructions that we politely but plainly ignore.

Modern thinking is that God understands and forgives our 'free' lifestyles. Since we understand and forgive others in their lifestyles, we conclude that the merciful and loving God does the same for us. Is there something deeper that is behind this 'modern' thinking? I think so. It's not obvious at first glance, but the following New Testament passage helps to take us to the heart of the issue: "lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, claiming to be religious yet denying its power" (2 Tim 3:4-5).

As an example, in a recent survey, two-thirds of Christians indicated that sexual intercourse between unmarried adults is morally permissible. As we might expect, those who attend church regularly, which in the survey was monthly, were less inclined to agree with this thinking. However, one-third of them still thought casual sex was morally permissible. Sadly, Catholics are the most likely to agree with this behavior, and if the sexual activity is homosexual, then slightly fewer Catholics (one-half) think such behavior is morally acceptable. In case you are unsure, it isn't.

Humanity today claims to have progressed morally, and therefore better understands God. As a result, they claim the actions above are not sinful. However, such behavior has occurred many times throughout history, and each time it has been reaffirmed as being gravely sinful. What has been lost, or willfully ignored, is that sinful behavior is damaging. It is a poison of its own that damages the person according to type and quantity. The truth (reality) is sinful behavior damages us and, as a result, hurts society. Our actions have more consequences than many people want to believe and the woundedness of our society makes that evident.

God speaks to us plainly, with great insight, about those living according to human thinking: "They exchanged the truth of God for falsehood, and worshiped and served the creature rather than the Creator, who is blessed forever" (Romans 1:25). Rebelling against God would make sense if God were uncaring and tyrannical. We know the goodness of God is greater than our imagination can ponder. So why rebel against God when we only hurt ourselves?

This Sunday we focus on the Trinity, looking briefly at the completely selfless love each of the Three Divine Persons has for the other Persons of the Trinity. Their actions begin and end with the other Persons. If we want to enter into Heaven, then we MUST selflessly love God. That means looking to the Father as we think, and certainly before we act. Love of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit is seeking their will for your life and following their commandments.

Sincerely, Fr. Miller

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Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:30 am — 5:00 pm Wednesday: 8:30 am — 6:30 pm | Saturday & Sunday: Closed

New Parishioners:

Welcome to St. Peter Parish! We encourage you to register as a parish family as soon as possible. You can call the parish office or register on our website.

Sacrament of Baptism:

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

Sacrament of Marriage:

Arrangements should always be made at the Parish Center office at least twelve months in advance of the ceremony.

Bulletin Deadline:

Friday at Noon, one week prior to publication date. All submissions must be in writing to **bulletin@myspartans.org**.

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PARISH NEWS

MARRIAGE & FAMILY ENRICHMENT ROAD TRIP

The Marriage & Family Enrichment invites you to join them on a trip to Cleveland Sanctuary Museum on Saturday, June 10.

The Sanctuary Museum inspires visitors by preserving the wonders of the Catholic faith and heritage through religious art and artifacts and by serving as an educational archive for the community.

For more information, contact Brad or Katie Michel at **STPdatenight@gmail.com**

MARIAN CONSECRATION

Starting Saturday, June 10 at 8:30 am in the Franciscan Activity Center Atrium

Marian consecration encourages us to trust and love Mary as Jesus did so that we, too, might devote ourselves more fully to him.

The Marian consecration will run for five weekends ending on the Feast of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel.

For more information, email **STPdatenight@gmail.com**.

FEED THE NEEDY

The next Feed the Needy meal is this afternoon, June 4. If you wish to volunteer, please come to the back door of the high school building at 1:15 pm.

If you would like to be added to the monthly email list for ministry updates, please email Paula Nestor at **nestor.paula@myspartans.org.**

BAPTISM: VIVIAN MCCOLLISTER

Congratulations Vivan McCollister. She was baptized in to the Church on Sunday, May 21. Vivian is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. John & Hillary McCollister.



FRENCH BOYS CHOIR—HOST FAMILIES NEEDED

The Boys' Choir from Maîtrise des Hauts de France will perform on July 22, 2023, at 7 pm at St. Peter Church. The choir has sung here in the past, and we are fortunate to have them return. They are a true joy, and their voices are amazing.

We need at least 20 host families for this group while they are in Mansfield. There is a total of 32 children to teenagers and six adults. The performers will be a minimum of two (2) per family for two nights. They will arrive on July 21 and depart on July 23 midmorning. If you want to open your home to this wonderful opportunity, please get in touch with Pattikastelic220@gmail.com or 419-564-1951.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Have your considered answering the call to join?

Members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul ("Vincentians") are Catholic men and women who strive to grow spiritually by offering person-toperson service to neighbors in need. Our members are gifted with an



awareness that the blessings of time, talent, and treasure are to be shared with neighbors in need. Our ministry is small, and we can use help taking calls, coordinating assistance to those in need, prayers, and donations.

We usually meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 7 pm at St. Peter in Assisi Hall or by Zoom. If you are interested in learning more – please call St. Peter at (419) 524-2572 and ask to leave a message in the St. Vincent de Paul voicemail.

PRISON MINISTRY CORNER

This Easter season has brought much joy to our RiCI Catholic community. Our brothers have



been expressing gratitude for all the good gifts the Holy Spirit endows. There is a sense of unity and evangelization reinforced by the example shown by our Catholic community softball team; our brothers are truly models of Christian men in the way they take the lead in group prayer before and after games, setting high standards for proper behavior, and noticing that other teams are now refraining from using profanities in our team's presence. We invite any group of men (over age 18) from our parishes to consider coming to RiCI once this summer to play softball - just for fun! Contact Lynne to schedule - lukach.lynne@myspartans.org

> **RECYCLING DAY: FRIDAY, JUNE 9** 10-11 a.m. & 2-4 p.m. - FAC Parking Lot

SISTER PAULA BINGERT, O.S.F., '43—75TH JUBILEE

Sister Paula will be celebrating her 75th Jubilee as a Joliet Franciscan on June 17. If you would like to send her a card, you can mail it to the following address:

Sister Paula Bingert, O.S.F.

210 Springfield Ave. Joliet, IL 60435-6589.

c/o Villa Franciscan

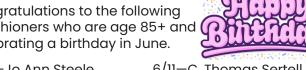
PERSONAL CARE ITEMS

Thank you to all who continue to make donations of personal care items for distribution during our Feed the Needy meals. Items needed for the June distribution:

- washcloths
- razors & shaving cream
- 3-in-one body wash
- shampoo & conditioner
- hair combs & brushes
- children's books

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Congratulations to the following parishioners who are age 85+ and celebrating a birthday in June.



6/2-Jo Ann Steele

6/3-Margaret Kromer 6/3-Robert Demoise

6/4-Eleanor Shaffer

6/5-Marie Layacona 6/5—Margaret Thompson

6/10—Triby Augustine 6/11-Frances Corbett 6/11–C. Thomas Sertell 6/13—Elizabeth Pattillo

6/17-William Brooks

6/18-Norbert Glowski

6/21—Donald Tacik

6/24—Carole Dinger

6/29-Mary Lou Sidle



H.O.P.E. PANTRY BLUE BARREL WEEKEND June 10 & 11

BOURBON TASTING FUNDRAISER

Dan Lew Exchange is hosting a Bourbon tasting fundraiser on Wednesday, June 14, at 6 pm. Proceeds from the event will go to support St. Peter's School.

This event will include tastings of highly sought-after premium Bourbons, special wine offerings, a grand gourmet Charcuterie Station, and a String Quintet.

The cost is \$750/per person, with \$500 as a tax-deductible donation. For more information or to RSVP, please get in touch with Jason Crundwell (419) 524-2572 x2125. Tell him Mr. Van Winkle sent you!



PEYTON BODNAR QUALIFIES FOR STATE TRACK MEET

Congratulations to SPHS senior Peyton Bodnar, who qualified for the OHSAA Division III State Track Championship last weekend in the 400m dash.

He finished 3rd in the Regional Finals with a time of 50.476. The top four from each region advance to the state meet.



Summer Tri-Parish Youth Events

Steubenville

Friday, June 16- Sunday, June 18 for registered high school students

VBS

Monday, July 10- Friday, July 15 St. Mary for registered children 1-6

Coffee with a Priest

June 25, July 30, August 27 Nickel & Bean 3pm Grades 9-12

The New Store

August Inside the MOESC Building Grades 9-12

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION



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YOUTH NEWS



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

If you want to register your child, click the QR code above or contact Mikayla Metzger contact mikayla@resurrectionlexington.com or call (419) 884-0060.

Volunteers are needed for VBS this summer! If you are interested in helping, please contact Mikayla.

2023 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Countless lives are touched by every contribution to the Annual Catholic Appeal. Children, seminary students, the sick and aged, the needy—they all depend on our generosity. Thank you for pledging today to help meet



our parish goal and assure the continuation of these programs and services. For more information and to make your gift, visit: acatoledo.org.

St. Peter Parish Goal: \$59,068 Gifts/Pledges to Date: \$33,713.75 % of Goal 57.08% Total Families Donated: 181



YOUTH, YOUNG ADULTS, AND FAMILIES IN THE JUAN DIEGO DEANERY AND BEYOND!

Sun., June 11 6:00pm-8:00pm

St. Bernard Church 412 W Mansfield Street

New Washington

We will start the evening with Adoration from 6:00-7:00pm and finish the evening with fellowship and food from 7:00pm-8:00pm.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT DEACON BRUCE.

Bruce Alge (deacon.bruce@hotmail.com)



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Kathy Deckard

Marianne

John & Cindy Lloyd

Josephine Contra

Beverly Thorton Asha Papajcik Jon Papajcik Lura Barnes Holly Barnes Stephanie (Murphy) Reynolds **Christine Franz** Kathy Giorigi Caroline Clark Kathy Deckard Scott Darnell **Bob Lyall** Lynn Raque Don Yockey

Dr. Kimberly Nemeth Michael Rohal

Sunday Stewardship As of April 2023 Sunday and Holy Day Collections

School Collection Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$17,110)
Total Budgeted School Collection:	\$100,000
Total School Collection:	\$82,890
School Collection	
Sunday Collection Surplus/(Deficit)	\$53,779
Total Budgeted Sunday Collection:	\$726,224
Sunday Collection & Holy Day Collection:	\$780,003

Colleen & Fred

Christine Caudill

Schambre

Bill Johnson

PROTECTION OF YOUTH

Each year, the Diocese of Toledo is required to undergo an audit to ensure that it is in compliance with the articles of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People. Bishop Daniel Thomas is pleased to announce that the Diocese was found to be in full compliance with the requirements in the Charter following the audit for fiscal year 2021-2022.

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 by any personnel of the Catholic Church, you are urged to report the abuse to your local police department, Children Services, and to contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (419) 214-4880; or to write to the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 1933 Spielbusch Avenue; Toledo, Ohio 43604.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8; Ps 112:1b-2, 3b-4, 5-6;

Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday Tb 2:9-14; Ps 112:1-2, 7-8, 9; Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a; Ps 25:2-3, 4-5ab, 6

& 7bc, 8-9; Mk 12:18-27

Thursday Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a;

Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Mk 12:28-34

Friday Tb 11:5-17; Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-7, 8-9a,

9bc-10; Mk 12:35-37

Saturday Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20; Tobit, 13:2, 6efgh, 7, 8;

Mk 12:38-44

Sunday Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15,

19-20; 1 Cor 10:16-17; Jn 6:51-58

Donut worry, it's donut Sunday!



Sunday, June 11

8:30 am & 10:30 am Church Basement

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament



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or call the parish office



Wednesday Monday Tuesday Resurrection St. Mary St. Peter 8:00-Noon Noon-5:30 5:30-9:00

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