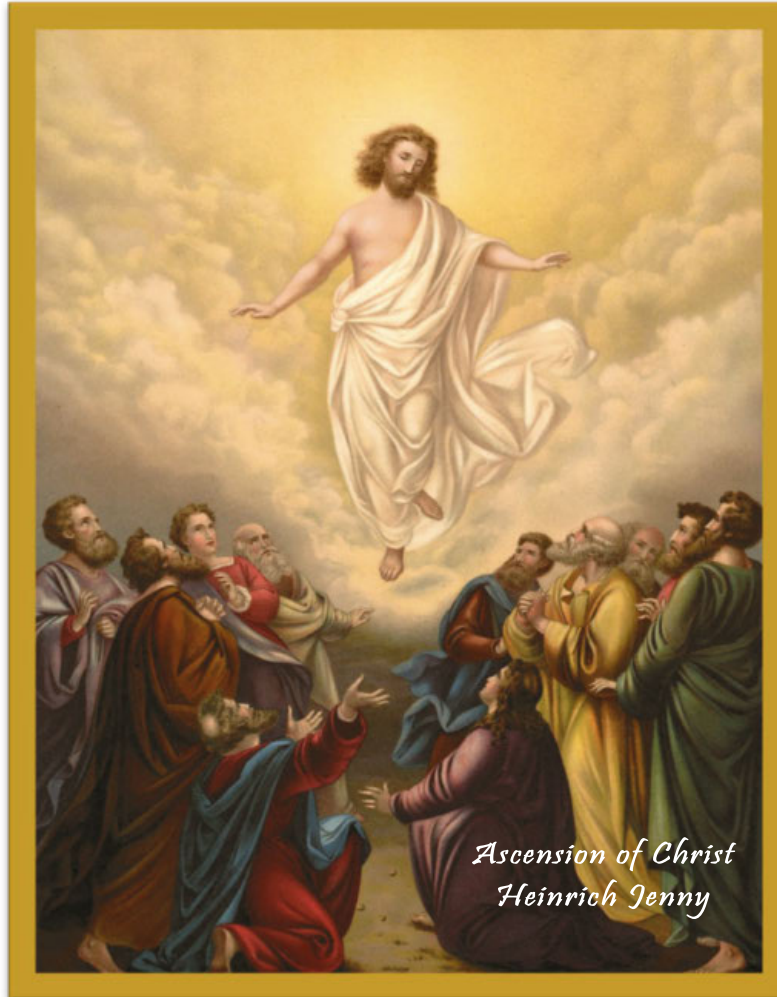




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Sunday, May 12, 2024 The Ascension of the Lord

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: 7:00, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

(9:00 a.m. Mass livestreamed)

Reconciliation

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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. - Sunday 6:45 a.m.

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Mass for the Infirm
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A Mother's Prayer

Dear Lord, it's been a hectic day,
 with little time to stop and pray.
 for life's been anything but calm,
 since You called me to be a mom.

Running errands, matching socks,
 building dreams with wooden blocks,
 cooking, cleaning, finding shoes,
 and other stuff that children lose.

Fitting lids on bottled bugs,
 wiping tears and giving hugs.
 A stack of last week's mail to read,
 So, where's the quiet time I need?

Yet, when I steal a moment Lord,
 just at the sink or ironing board,
 to ask the blessings of Your grace,
 I see then in my small one's face,
 that You have blessed me all the while,
 as I stoop to kiss that precious smile.



Sunday, May 19, 2024
Pentecost



Next weekend, the Season of Easter concludes with the Solemnity of Pentecost! It is a great feast commemorating that moment when the Holy Spirit descended upon the apostles in Jerusalem, and breathed life into His Church!

In honor of this joyous occasion and to signify the presence of the Holy Spirit among us and our unity in Christ, consider wearing RED to Mass. Hopefully, our Church will be blazing in RED!

Congratulations to our First Communicants!

- Evelyn Blahnik**
- Mabel Cates**
- Caleb Davis**
- Charlotte Gordon**
- Elliott Gosselin**
- Brooklyn Kattner**

- Gabriel Kolton**
- Izaak Kolton**
- Diego Rodriguez**
- Cynthia Rog**
- Cole Severson**



Say Amen!

Whenever Catholics come forward to receive Holy Communion during Mass, we respond with a simple word, "Amen". Amen is a Hebrew word which means, "I believe" or "Yes, it is true!" So, when a person walks up to receive Holy Communion, they are saying "Yes, I believe this is Jesus' body, blood, soul and divinity." *Catholics who do not believe it, should not receive it.*

So, should you walk up the aisle to receive Communion, believe Who it is that you're receiving! Receive your Lord worthily, with a clean heart, and say, "Amen!"

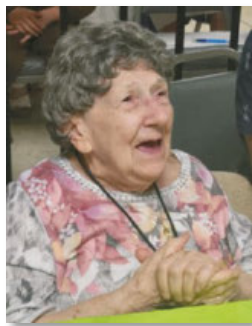
Craig Recker & Holly Sundal

recently registered at
St. Peter's
and we are Happy
to Welcome
them into our parish family!



Registration is very important and easy to do. Simply visit our parish website at StPeterCatholicChurch.org and click where it reads, **Become a Member**. Or, call the parish office during regular business hours and ask for Laura!

Phyllis Ehlers celebrated her 94th birthday last Monday, and she recently finished writing a book titled, *How to Pray the Rosary*. She wrote it for children because she wants them to love our Lady and the rosary as much as she does! Last Saturday, Faith Formation hosted a book signing event, and Phyllis was so happy to meet our children and autograph their books!



*Phyllis, you are
an inspiration
to all of us!*



God bless the following people who support St. Peter's and this year's Diocesan Appeal!

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Calling All the Musically Interested Peeps!

Do you sing in the shower like you're Taylor Swift headlining Soldier Field! Or perhaps you can play "Hot Cross Buns" on your chosen instrument like nobody's business!



Well, we've got an opportunity for you!

Join our heavenly harmonies and musical mishaps in the St. Peter's Church Choir! Whether you're a seasoned soprano or a clueless bass, we welcome all voices and talent levels. And if you're a virtuoso on an instrument, whether it's guitar, bass, drums, flute, violin, or any other instrument under the sun, we've got a spot for you too! It's time to shake the dust off that tuba. Here's your big chance!



Why should you join? Here's the pitch: laughter-filled rehearsals, joyful melodies that will become stuck in your head all week long, and the chance to make music with a bunch of fun-loving folks who share a passion for our Lord. Plus, you'll get back-row seats to the greatest gift Jesus gives us – the Holy Mass!



So don't miss out on the chance to be a part of something that's truly special. Swing by our rehearsals every Thursday at 6:00 p.m. in the choir loft, and let's make some joyful noise together!

If you're interested in joining or just have some questions about it... please feel free to contact Brian Wrightson via text at 630-440-7261 or email: music.stpeter@gmail.com. Or, you can always stop by or call the Parish Office at 815-675-2288.



Let's turn up the volume on fun and faith – join the St. Peter's Adult Choir today!

Deacon Mark went to see his doctor about a blocked ear. "Which ear is it?" he asked. Deacon said, "2024."



**FOR THE WEEKENDS
5/11 - 5/19/2024**

The Mass		For	
THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD			
<i>CONFESSIONS OFFERED ON SATURDAY'S, 3:00 - 3:45 P.M. ROSARY PRAYED AT 3:30 P.M.</i>			
Sat	4 pm	†	William Riordan
Sun	7 am	†	John Popelka
	9 am		All Mothers Alive & Deceased
	11 am	†	John & Betty Rygiel
Tues	8 am	†	Virginia Dolsky
Wed	8 am	†	Ron Lindemann
Thur	8 am	†	Bill Scichowski
Fri	8 am	†	John Popelka
PENTECOST SUNDAY			
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Sat	4 pm		Witek Family
Sun	7 am	†	Frank Lecinski
	9 am	†	Felicia Sobe
	11 am	†	Ray & Cathy Porzel

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Sunday 5/12 7:00 am	Eleanor Murphy	Deacon Mark	Sean Gosselin Dennis Wehrheim
9:00 am	Ardie Arnold	Heather Justen	Vince Desecki Ron Hlavin
11:00 am	Peggy Mack	Mike Rygiel Nancy Piggot <i>(Choir)</i>	Zach Rygiel Rich Yager
PENTECOST SUNDAY			
Saturday 5/18 4:00 pm	Tom Straley	Susan Straley	Chad Franckowiak Deb Christian
Sunday 5/19 7:00 am	Cyndee Wehrheim	Dennis Wehrheim	Dennis Wehrheim David Smid
9:00 am	Aimee Thomas	Deacon Mark	Paul Leali Jeff Miller
11:00 am	Joanne Prato	Sharon Ellicson Carol Rygiel <i>(Choir)</i>	Mike Gordon Tom Straley

Homebound Ministers

May 12th - The Ascension of the Lord - (Mother's Day)

Deacon Mark, Mary Seil, Peggy Neuman & Steve Besetzny

May 19th - Pentecost Sunday

Kathleen Van Ella, Lisa Bilik, Bev Schmitt & Thomas Gough

St. Peter's Softball

Monday Nights at McHenry Township Park

3801 N. Richmond Road

(right behind the McHenry Moose Lodge)

May 13 - 7:30 pm vs. St. Peter's, Volo

May 20 - 6:30 pm vs. 1st Baptist McHenry

June 3 - 7:30 pm vs. St. Patrick's

June 17 - 6:30 pm vs. St. John the Baptist



Our Sanctuary Lamp burns from
May 5th through May 18th for
† **Genevieve M. Stack**

May this light which reminds us of
Jesus' True Presence in the Sanctuary
Welcome her 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

Gina Adducci

Marguerite Baranov

Anna Boettjer

Elaine Brandstetter

Debra Cooke

Jim Crane

Phyllis Ehlers

Deacon Eugene Damian

Sandy Devine

Robert Fenrich

Carol Flatley

Glenn Geske

Joey Gordon

Ryan Gough

Anthony Hodnik

Patricia Hodnik

Robbie Holbrook

Brian Hoskins

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Diana Kattner

Joseph Keim

Ronald Klein

Caroline Madson

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Patti Mueller

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John Paleka

Marianne Russell

Debbie Schaff

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Jacob Shapiro

Gloria Strzelczyk

David Thomas

Kelly Tolomeo

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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.**

Live the Liturgy

Inspiration of the Week

In His prayer to the Father, Jesus says it aloud to remind us, always and forever; if we belong to Him, we belong to the truth. Lord, may those words ring in our ears as we go into the world as Christ taught us. We are consecrated to the truth.



PARISH CALENDAR

Website: StPeterCatholicChurch.org
Email: SaintPetersChurch@gmail.com
Office Hours: Tue. - Thu. 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.,
 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Confessions: Sat. 3:00 - 3:45 p.m. (or by appointment)
Pastor: Rev. Msgr. Joseph Jarmoluk
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Sunday, May 12th – *The Ascension of the Lord*

- **Benediction & Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament - 6:45 am**
- SPWM - Mother's Day - Flower Sale - After all Masses
- K of C - Breakfast - After the 7:00 & 9:00 am Masses

Monday, May 13th - Parish Officed Closed

Tuesday, May 14th

- K of C - Business Meeting - Parish Hall - 7:00 pm

Wednesday, May 15th

- **Spiritual Warfare Rosary - Church - 6:00 pm**

Thursday, May 16th

- **Choir Rehearsal - 7:00 pm**

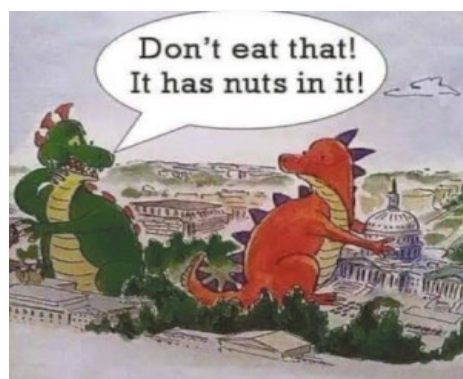
Friday, May 17th - Parish Officed Closed

Saturday, May 18th

- **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament all night until 6:45 am**

Sunday, May 19th – *Pentecost Sunday*

- **Benediction & Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament - 6:45 am**





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

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