

Saint Peter ^{the} Apostle CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm | Sunday: 8:30 am and 11:00 am
Monday-Friday: 8:00 am

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:15 pm - 4:45 pm

*The last will be first,
and the first*



will be last

September 20, 2020

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

From the Pastor



Dear Parish Family:

Most likely the parable in today's Gospel [*Matthew 18: 21-35*] was just as odd to people at the time of Jesus, as it is to all of us. In the world of finance and business, where people are hired and fired, the manager of a firm doesn't pay everyone the same wage. From an economic point of view, the parable doesn't make much sense. Paying part-time people full-time pay would lead to financial ruin. You might have guessed, the parable today is not about economics, or running a business, or equal pay for equal work.

The parable is about generosity, specifically God's radical and overwhelming generosity and mercy. Notice that even though each worker went to work in the vineyard either for a full day or just an hour each one was treated with generosity...but the fact is...each one had to choose to go and they went...expecting a wage but not knowing what it would be.

In today's second reading from Saint Paul's Letter to the Philippians [2:1-11], he tells us to **“conduct yourselves in a way worthy of the Gospel of Christ.”** When you listen to today's Gospel, ask yourself... what is your life saying for Jesus?

Each one of us is called by God and given unique talents and gifts. Admittedly, we are not all given the same gifts in exactly the same way, but each one is gifted in some way. Unfortunately, rather than taking time to discover our own gifts and to appreciate them, too many of us look around and make comparisons. Seeing good fortune in the gifts of others, we may think how little we have been given. We make the mistake of concentrating on what we DON'T HAVE, instead of looking at and appreciating what we DO HAVE. Doing that, leads us to the sin of ENVY... we make ourselves unworthy of Christ.

To say that life is hard, really hard at times, is an honest statement. It helps us to think about the challenges we must face. The way out of envy is not some imaginary situation where everything is equal. The way out of envy is to choose to change my attitudes about myself, about my gifts, and the real possibilities in my life and in my future. The way out of envy is to consider myself and my talents as gifts from God to me and to treasure them as a sign of God's love for me. Once you do that, you should be moved to action... to share the gifts and blessings God has given you. The more you give, the more you will receive... After all, elsewhere in the Gospel Jesus says, **“give and it will be given to you, in full measure, an overflowing abundance.”** How generous with your time, talent, and treasure are you? Are you a good steward of what God has given you? Or, are you envious because God is generous, and prefer to concentrate on what you don't have, instead of what you do have. Good stewardship requires a good dose of trust in God... trust that if you are generous, in imitation of Him, He will more than bless you for your efforts. We really do need to pray for trust, to allow God to direct us in our generosity. So that we, as Saint Paul says... can **“conduct ourselves in a way worthy of the Gospel of Christ.”**

Clearly today's Gospel challenges each of us to make a choice: to move from resentment to gratitude, and from envy to appreciation; to accept the fact that God has dealt uniquely with you in your own life; to accept yourself as coming from the hand of God; to believe that God has brought you to this unique point in your life. These things will affirm your faith and allow you to acknowledge God with praise and thanksgiving as the giver of all good gifts.

May the Lord always be our life!

Fr. Noesen



Readings for the Week

Monday:	Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13
Tuesday:	Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21
Wednesday:	Prv 30:5-9; Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163; Lk 9:1-6
Thursday:	Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc; Lk 9:7-9
Friday:	Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22
Saturday:	Eccl 11:9 — 12:8; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17; Lk 9:43b-45
Sunday:	Ez 18:25-28; Ps 25:4-9; Phil 2:1-11 [1-5]; Mt 21:28-32

Mass Intentions



- Sunday** **September 20** (*25th Sunday in Ordinary Time*)
 8:30 am †Mary Ann Sullivan
 11:00 am †People of The Parish
 †Vic Casini
 †Biagio Gariti
 †Irene and Bernard Leonard
 For an End to Abortion
- Monday** **September 21** (*St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist*)
 8:00 am †Hilard Palace
- Tuesday** **September 22** (*Weekday*)
 8:00 am †Joan Ziomek
- Wednesday** **September 23** (*St. Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest*)
 8:00 am †Helen Sularz
- Thursday** **September 24** (*Weekday*)
 8:00 am †Tommy Trejo
- Friday** **September 25** (*Weekday*)
 8:00 am †Harry Maras
- Saturday** **September 26** (*Vigil: 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time*)
 5:00 pm The Cook Family (*Special Intention*)
- Sunday** **September 27** (*26th Sunday in Ordinary Time*)
 8:30 am †Giulietta Alfano
 11:00 am People of the Parish
 †Filomina Cozzone
 †Biagio Gariti
 †Giuseppina Ribaudo
 †Fred Santoro

Grief Ministry

If you have lost a loved one and would like to meet with people who face similar struggles, please consider joining the Grief Ministry group. **New members strongly encouraged to join.**

Grief Support Ministry is resuming monthly gatherings and will meet at 9:30 am in Margaret Woods Parish Hall on Sunday, September 20.

Masks and hand sanitizer will be required. A circle of chairs will be set up at a safe distancing of 6' apart.

Advance registration is requested, but not required. (visit the parish website for a link to register)

For more information, please contact:
 Sharon Laughlin (630-212-0304) or Fred Maier (630-773-4412)

THIS WEEKEND—Sunday, September 20 at 9:30 am



Toni Pietrowski
 Director of Religious Education
 phone ext. 216
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Kathy Frank
 DRE Assistant
 phone ext. 215
 e-mail: religioused@stpeteritasca.com

Religious Education Registration

Registration packets are available on the parish Web site and at the parish office.

Class Time Offerings*:

- Wednesdays 5:00 - 6:20 pm
- Saturdays 9:00 - 10:20 am

**We will continue to monitor and plan classes accordingly based on Covid19 guidelines and recommendations of the Diocese and the health department.*

CATECHISTS and TEEN HELPERS NEEDED!

Additional Catechists and teen helpers are still needed. No experience is needed. If interested in this rewarding experience, please contact the RE office.

NOTE: NEW RELIGIOUS ED START DATES

In preparation for welcoming families back to Religious Education this year, arrangements have been made to have the school professionally cleaned and sanitized. However, scheduling for the cleaning could not be arranged prior to the originally-planned start date. Therefore, Religious Education classes are now scheduled to begin on Wednesday, September 30 and Saturday, October 3.

Stewardship of Treasure

A Way of Life
St. Peter the Apostle

	Sunday Collection	Year to Date
Fiscal Week 11: 09/13/2020	\$ 7,727.00	\$ 93,938.10

Financial figures reflect the parish fiscal year of July 1st through June 30th.

If you have any questions concerning the collection numbers, please feel free to contact the Business Office at 630-773-1272 (ext. 204).

If you would like information on using **E-basket** to conveniently make your weekly offering, please contact the Parish Center (ext. 204)



“To be grateful is to recognize the love of God in everything He has given us – and He has given us everything.

Every breath we draw is a gift of His Love, every moment of existence is a grace, for it brings with it immense graces from Him.”

—Thomas Merton

This Week at St. Peter’s

Sunday	September 20
9:30 am	Grief Support Group (MWH)
12:15 pm	Baptisms (Church)
Monday	September 21
6:30 pm	Knights of Columbus General Mtg. (MWH)
Tuesday	September 22
10am-10pm	Culver’s Benefit Night (Culver’s - Addison)
7:15 pm	Tuesday Evening Rosary (Church)
Saturday	September 26
4:15 pm	Confessions (Church)



Schedule

Saturday, September 26 | Sunday, September 27

5:00 pm	Valerie Serzen	Lectors
	Deacon Fred	5:00 pm Chris Nagle
8:30 am	Bill Kolf	8:30 am Chris Aument
	Rose Ann Roll	11:00 am Paul Gennuso
11:00 am	Mel Gerard	
	Deacon Bob	

Tuesday Rosary Ministry

Join the Rosary group as they gather in the church to pray the Rosary on Tuesday evening beginning at 7:15pm.

Attendees are welcome to lead one of the decades if comfortable and called to do so.

Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend. Bring your Rosary, your personal intentions and your voice.

Invite friends and be a part of this beautiful and powerful gift of prayer.

Please visit the parish website to review guidelines to be observed. Assistance with cleaning will also be needed once concluded.

“The Rosary is a contemplative prayer, and it has great intercessory power: whoever recites it, is united to Mary in meditating the mysteries of Christ, and is led to invoke the proper graces to these mysteries in the multiple situations of life and history.”

(Pope John Paul II)

What a Wonderful Problem to Have!

My dear brothers and sisters,

Our weekend masses are filling the church! It is joyful to see so many people coming to mass each weekend. It does make seating more challenging as more people come each week. To help address this, please know that, if you are unable to pre-register for mass, we will be seating you up in front in the folding chairs to the left and right of the altar. When all of those chairs are full, we will ask you to wait until just before mass begins to be seated. This is to make sure that all those who have signed up in advance will be able to have seats in the pews in church.

To pre-register for mass, please visit the parish website at www.stpeteritasca.com, or call the Parish Center at 630-773-1272 ext. 200 and ask to be registered for the mass.

Deacon Fred

HELP NEEDED!

We are in need of additional greeters for our weekend masses. The greeter ministry is a critical one in order for us to be able to continue having mass. Greeters check in attendees, provide spray sanitizer for everyone entering the church, perform mask checks to make sure everyone is properly wearing their mask, identify how many people are in each group needing to be seated, and direct people to safe, social-distanced seating in the church. We need a minimum of four to five people at each mass.

If you are able to assist in this ministry, please contact Deacon Fred at 630-773-1272 ext. 201, or by email at liturgy@stpeteritasca.com.

DONATE WHILE *You Dine!*

Tuesday, September 22

10 AM-10 PM

**PRESENT OR MENTION THIS FLYER AT CHECKOUT
and 15% of sales will benefit St. Peter Church
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Crochet for a Cause! Returning in October

A MINISTRY OF FELLOWSHIP
DEDICATED TO MAKING MATS FOR THE HOMELESS

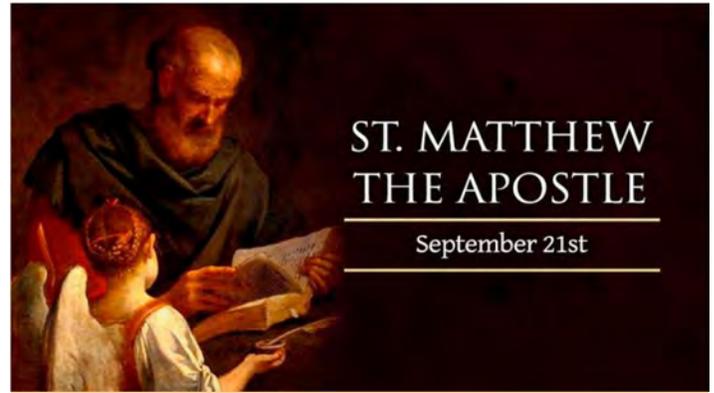
Tuesday, October 6 & 20 | 10:00 am
(Margaret Woods Hall)

The crochet group makes plastic sleeping mats for the homeless using grocery store type plastic bags. The mats help insulate from the cold and damp, but also making laying on cement a bit more comfortable.

If you are an experienced crochet hobbyist, bring a P or Q hook, and bags will be provided. If crocheting isn't your thing, but would like to help, then come with a pair of sharp scissors to cut plastic bags and roll into balls.

Please contact the Parish Center if you have any questions.

The crochet group is also in need of grocery store type plastic bags to continue creating plastic sleeping mats for the homeless. Please drop off at the Parish Center.



ST. MATTHEW THE APOSTLE

September 21st

PRAYER TO SAINT MATTHEW

O Glorious St. Matthew,
in your Gospel you portray Jesus as the longed-for Messiah
who fulfilled the Prophets of the Old Covenant and
as the Lawgiver who founded a Church of the New Covenant.
Obtain for us the grace to see Jesus living in His Church
and to follow His teaching in our lives on Earth
so that we may live forever with Him in heaven.
Amen.



ITASCA LIONS 2020

CHARITY RIDE TO BENEFIT LEADER DOGS FOR THE BLIND

SEPTEMBER 26TH . KICKSTANDS UP AT 12:30
STARTING AT TREE GUYS PIZZA, ITASCA
\$25 PER RIDER . \$10 ADDITIONAL PER PASSENGER

RAFFLE PRIZES INCLUDED

PAID ADMISSION WILL RECEIVE...
A DRINK (BEER, WINE OR SODA), PIZZA SLICE & A RAFFLE TICKET

RAFFLE PRIZES INCLUDE .LAWN MOWER OR SNOW BLOWER, MOTORCYCLE DETAILING AND MANY MORE

Contact John Los - before Sept 25th at
JOHNLOS1005@gmail.com or text/call John at 630-917-1450

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help@nwpe.com
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Itasca, IL 60143

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Itasca, IL 60143
847-290-1700

Vic's Auto Detailing
300 Park Blvd., Itasca, IL 60142
(773) 407-5353

Popcorn and Christmas Wreaths COMING SOON!




Itasca Scout Troop 409 will be taking orders for holiday wreaths and popcorn after all Masses **the weekends of — September 26-27 and October 3-4.**

If you have any questions or would like to order directly, please contact Denise Glennon by phone at 630-479-8816 or by email at deniserory3@att.net.

Your support is greatly appreciated.





Resetting Expectations for Schools this Year

Returning to learning this fall will be unlike anything we've experienced in recent history. Catholic schools around the country have been working all summer to create plans to continue to educate students in the midst of the Coronavirus pandemic. Policies and procedures accommodate social distancing and mask-wearing, plastic barriers, temperature checks, thorough sanitation and cleaning measures. They limit or prohibit close interaction among teachers, students and parents/volunteers. No matter what measures or changes are put into place, this school year will be anything but normal; and as we set about preparing for a new semester, we need to reset expectations. What does this mean specifically? Resetting expectations for fall 2020 (and, realistically, likely spring 2021) is going to involve mourning what might have been and refocusing on what still could be. Parents can help their students navigate the disappointments of missing sporting seasons, plays, field trips and basic socialization by talking these changes through with them before the year begins. How will this year be different? What will be missed most? What can be added?

And, while we need to acknowledge the loss of many things we have come to see as "normal," we know that opportunities for creativity can spring forth. Resetting expectations for this school year also means being flexible. Any school plan, no matter how thorough, is hardly foolproof, and anywhere large numbers of people are gathered, outbreaks of COVID-19 are possible. Parents and students should be prepared for plans to shift at a moment's notice, especially for parents who work full time. Resetting expectations is going to mean growing in and exhibiting patience. No one wants to be in the midst of a global pandemic; but for our own sanity and sanctity, we must do our best to maintain patience despite uncertainty - patience with teachers, administrators, our neighbors, our children and ourselves. We are trying to find a way forward that serves the common good, and there are many opinions as to how to achieve that goal. Hot tempers, exasperation and frustration do not advance us down that path. Conditions are primed for division, and we have to be mentally prepared for fault lines to spring up. Resetting expectations means paying extra attention to mental health for students, parents, teachers and administrators. During times of challenge, strain and uncertainty, it can be easy to become discouraged or depressed. We should do our best to get regular exercise, eat well, pray abundantly and find frequent opportunities for gratitude. Finally, resetting expectations as we enter the school year means leading with charity above all else. If we enter into this year with the right mindset, we have the opportunity to make Catholic education payoff in the best possible way... by the growth of all involved, from students to parents to teachers and administrators, in virtue.



*Most holy Virgin and Mother, whose soul was pierced by a sword of sorrow
in the Passion of thy divine Son,
and who in His glorious Resurrection wast filled with never-ending joy at His triumph;
Help us to pray to thee so that we may look forward to the joy
that comes from remaining faithful witnesses to Christ, Your Son!
Virgin most sorrowful, pray for us.*

May mothers and their children have access to quality, life-affirming medical care.



WILL YOU HELP SAVE UNBORN BABIES?
NorthWest Families for Life
 together with the *Respect Life Ministries*
 at *St. Peter's and Surrounding Parishes*
 invite you to pray and save lives outside of
 the Wood Dale abortion facility.

One of the main reasons women give for changing their mind about having an abortion is the presence of someone there outside the clinic praying for them.

Advantage Clinic, 203 East Irving Park Road, Wood Dale
Tuesday, Friday, and Saturday from 8:30am to 1pm

Could you be there one day a month? One hour a week?

- Any time you can sacrifice will make a difference!
- You DO NOT need to sign up to come out to pray.
- Just show up any of the above days and times
- You DO NOT need special training

For more information and more ways to be involved in this pro-life ministry, email Maria Goldstein at NWFL526@gmail.com or call Laura 847-651-4877, or call parishioner, Nancy Magnus 630-606-5197.

AVENUE WOMEN'S CENTER

Avenue Women's Center is a local ministry that serves anyone facing an unexpected pregnancy. If you suspect that you may be pregnant, you can reach out to the Avenue Women's Center helpline at 630-455-0300. Pregnancy test and consultations are offered at no charge. Most women also receive a free ultrasound.

The caring staff will walk with you through your decision and beyond, connecting you with practical resources wherever needed—from emergency funding to housing to childcare to job training, and much more.

Visit their website at AvenueWomensCenter.com.

Centers are located in
 Naperville, West Chicago, Glen Ellyn,
 Darien, Wood Dale, and Elmhurst.

The Avenue Women's Center in Wood Dale is located at
 132 East Irving Park Road.

NATIONAL LIFE CHAIN



Sunday, October 4
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Advantage Clinic
203 E. Irving Park Road
Wood Dale, Illinois

Life Chain is a peaceful and prayerful public witness of pro-life individuals standing and praying for our nation and for an end to abortion. It is a visual statement of solidarity by the Christian community that abortion kills children and that the Church supports the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception until natural death. October 4 is Respect Life Sunday and the Life Chain will be in front of the abortion clinics in our Diocese as well as other locations throughout the country.

Please join your fellow St Peter the Apostle parishioners and other pro-life individuals from surrounding parishes in front of the Advantage Clinic in Wood Dale from 2pm to 3pm to give silent, prayerful witness for voiceless children who are threatened by surgical abortions.

Signs and prayers are provided.

Social distancing will be observed.

If you have any questions, please contact parishioner Nancy Magnus at 630-606-5197.



40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Help Save Lives by Praying to End Abortion

What is 40 Days for Life?

40 Days for Life is an internationally coordinated **40-day campaign that aims to end abortion** locally through prayer and fasting, community outreach, and a peaceful all-day vigil in front of abortion businesses.

Learn More & Sign Up to Pray Locally:

Downers Grove:

40DaysForLife.com/DownersGrove

Contact: Bob LeMay 40DaysDG@gmail.com or (630) 464-5344

Aurora:

40daysforlife.com/Aurora

Contact: Beth Doroff (630) 854-1092
 or doroffbeth@gmail.com

Congratulations to our newest Catholics!

Welcome to the Church and St. Peter the Apostle Parish.



From left to right, Jaimie Kim, Jessica Finn, Fr. Noesen, David Hosnedl, Jeffrey Hosnedl, and Evelyn Hosnedl

Please Pray for the Sick of our Parish Family

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| Brian Beers | Phil Hatke | Bonnie Pollock |
| Sue Bobka | Jack Hayes | Megan Putzke |
| John Booth | Ken Hemstreet | Brendan Reidy |
| Janet Both | Mary Hosters | Jerry Riordan |
| Ken Buffo | Shirley Janik | Ann Marie Rossi |
| Theodora Calip | Brian Josephus | John Rossi |
| Mike Carey | Anne Keeton | Jennifer Ruffing |
| Jacqueline Castellano | Debra Kelly | Savannah Rose Russo |
| Eunice Cleveland | Joe Kryger | Roxanne Ruiz |
| Regina Conti | Ruth Kryger | Alana Ruiz |
| Joseph Crocilla | Tom Kryger | Janina Sabat |
| Collin Cummins | Rickie Kruzal | Angela Scanlon |
| Mary Cummins | Celeste Kucharczyk | Mark Sgarbossa |
| Michael Cummins | JoLynn Lash | Shauna Sheffer |
| Paul Cummins | Sharon Laughlin | Marilyn Sieradzki |
| Margaret Del Preto | Elizabeth Lisak | Wayne Slowiak |
| Tom Derma | Pasquale Lopardo | Dan Sobucki |
| Angeline DiFranco | Eileen Marino | Belinda Sobucki |
| Charles DiFranco Jr. | Patricia McMahon | Sharon Sowers |
| Teresa Dunhac | Ann McNally | Karen Stewart |
| John Elia | Jack McNally | Linda Szweda |
| Scott Erickson | Gene Mikulecky | James Thompson |
| Tracy Fink | Christopher Mizera | Patricia Vitale |
| Stephanie Fortino | Rich Mrugacz | Jennifer Weil |
| Sally Franz | Robert Neumann | Helen Wilczko |
| Dan Galuszek | Barbara Neumann | Agnieszka Wisniewska |
| Joe Galuszek | Jean Nowobielski | Grzegorz Wisniewski |
| Geri Gerard | Don Olenek | Ray Young |
| Mel Gerard | Vince Oraziatti | Carol Zell |
| Mike Graziano | Fred Oslager | Deacon Bob Ziomek |
| Joseph Halec | Anne Marie Pagni | |
| Carole Hatke | Harriett Pinkowski | |

Published and/or announced prayer requests require permission from the named individual or their family. Names will be listed for six weeks, after which time you may call the Parish Center to renew your request.



Join our Holy Father, Pope Francis, in his September prayers for the Church and for the world:

Respect for the Planet's Resources

We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered, but shared in a just and respectful manner.

Turn to the LORD for mercy;
to our God, who is generous in forgiving.

— Isaiah 55:7b



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Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen

- PFC Ryan Caspary, US Army 101st Airborne**
 LCpl James J. Cullotta, US Marines
 SGT Michael D'Andrea, US Army
 Maj Joseph DeHaven, US Army
 CPT Stephen Grabinski, US Army
 CPT Steven Gregor, US Army
 PFC Michael Helle, US Army
 Cpl Brandon Helm, US Marines
 PVT Aleksandra Juzwiak, Army National Guard
 SGT Jacob Los, US Army
 Major Ryan L. Morrissey, US Army
 1stLt John Kenneth Murphy, US Marines
 SGT Marcin Platek, US Marines
 2LT Megan Putze, Army National Guard
 Cpl MacLane Read, US Army
 SGT Michael Schatzman, US Army
 LTJG Albert J. Schrautemyer III, US Navy Pilot (Persian Gulf)
 SGT Jeremy Schumacher, US Marines
 Robert P. Woods Lt. JG. US Navy
 Thomas Zablocki, US Marines
 PO2 Benjamin Zubak, US Navy

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Italian Catholic Federation (Branch 418) (Nick Tenerelli, Pres.)
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PARISH CENTER BUSINESS HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

Friday-Sunday: CLOSED (or by appointment)

**TRAVELING?**

Call 410-676-6000 or log onto www.masstimes.org for the location and schedule of Masses throughout the U.S.

PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENT AND BULLETIN DEADLINES

NOTE: Parish staff reserves the right to accept and/or decline, as well as edit, both pulpit announcements and bulletin submissions.

Pulpit announcement requests are to be submitted to the Parish Center no later than the **Tuesday preceding** the weekend during which the announcement is to be made. Announcements may be submitted by phone at 630-773-1272 (ext. 200) or by e-mail to office@stpeteritasca.com.

Bulletin submissions are to be submitted **no later than 8 days preceding** requested publication date. Notices and full page flyers will run for a maximum of two weeks, and priority will be given to items that are date sensitive. If possible, all items should be typed for legibility and accuracy and dropped off at the Parish Center or sent via e-mail to bulletin@stpeteritasca.com.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please visit or call the Parish Center (ext. 200) to register.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Adults interested in becoming Catholic or learning about the Catholic faith should contact the Parish Center for information.

BAPTISMS

The sacrament of Baptism is celebrated either during a weekend Mass or on the third Sunday of the month at 12:30 pm (immediately following 11:15 am Mass). Parents must attend a Baptism Preparation class prior to the Baptism. Classes are held in the Parish Center at 7:00 pm on the first Thursday of each month. Please call the Parish Center for more information.

Required paperwork **MUST** be submitted to the parish office **no later than ten (10) business days prior to the baptismal date or your date will be rescheduled.** This includes all necessary information regarding family records and godparents. Please read the **baptism planning information** provided before selecting a godparent. A sponsor certificate must be provided **by each godparent.** The proper **sponsor certificate** for St. Peter the Apostle is included with the baptism packet. Christian witnesses are most welcome to celebrate with the family and community, but please note they are not recorded as sponsors on the Baptismal Certificate or in the Baptismal Register.

WEDDINGS

According to diocesan policy, the parish must be contacted six months prior to the intended wedding date. Please call the Parish Center (ext. 201) for information.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you or someone you know is in need of this Sacrament, please contact the Parish Center at any time. Upon admission to the hospital, please make it known you.

IF YOU ARE HOSPITALIZED...

If you or a family member are admitted to the hospital, please contact the Parish Center to let us know. Due to federal regulations, most hospitals will not contact parishes unless you specifically request it. We want to visit parishioners in the hospital, but are often unaware of their hospitalization.

FRIDAY COMMUNION CALLS

Communion calls are made every Friday for those unable to attend Sunday mass due to health issues.

Please call the Parish Center at 630-773-1272 (ext. 200) to make arrangements.



If it is too difficult for you to walk to the front of the church to receive Communion, please know that at each Mass an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion comes to the back of the church to distribute Communion. If you would like to have the Extraordinary Minister give you communion in the back of church, please let an usher know before Mass begins. At Communion time, when you see the Extraordinary Minister come to the back, please raise your hand so that they can see you and give you Holy Communion.

Welcome Guests and Visitors!

We're so glad you are here and invite you to walk the path to faith with us. The community of St. Peter the Apostle strives to grow closer to Christ in all that we do. We care for one another and together with Christ, we make a difference.

If you would like to become a registered parishioner, please fill out the information below and drop it into the collection basket at any mass or call the Parish Center at 630-773-1272 (ext. 200).

Family Name _____

Family Member Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

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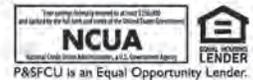
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