



Saint Peter

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

October 12, 2025

TWENTY EIGHTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

PARISH CONTACTS

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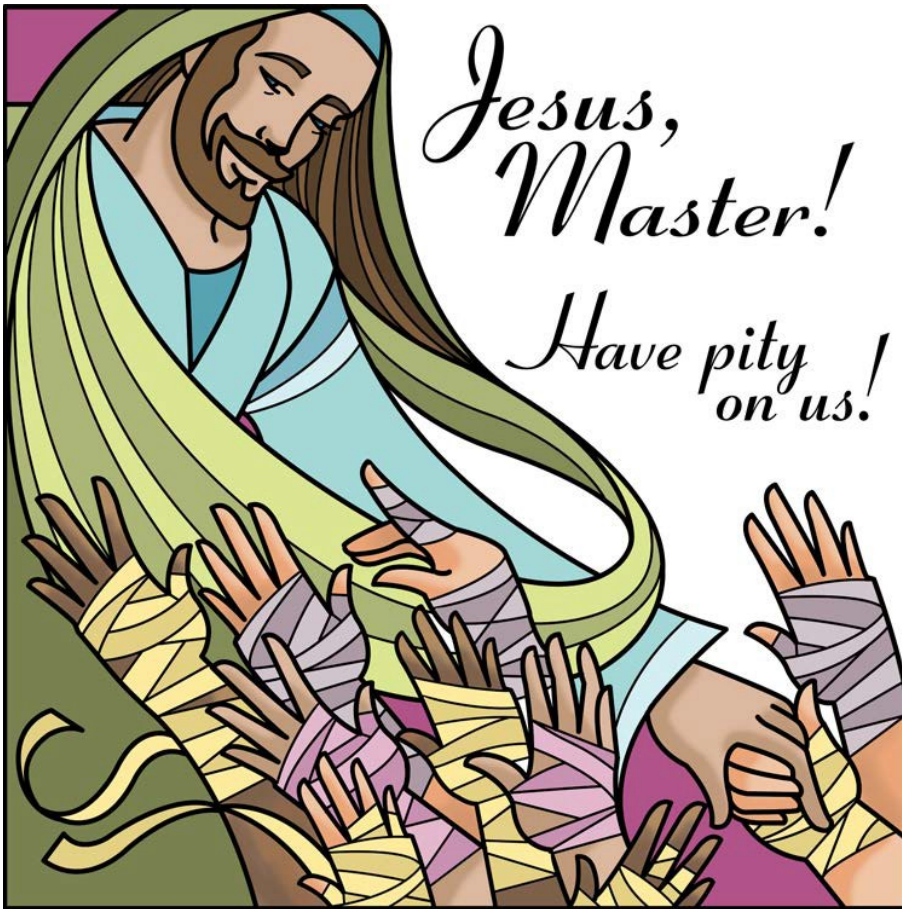
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Weekday Mass:

Tue 8:00am
Fri 12:00noon

Weekend Mass:

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday 9:00am

Confession:

Saturday 4-4:30pm

Adoration:

2nd Monday of
Month 7-8:00pm

Morning Prayer:

Mon, Wed 8:00am

Prayer Group:

Fri 12:30pm

On behalf of the entire St. Peter Catholic Parish community, we welcome you! Whether you are a parishioner, vacationer, or seeking a parish to call home, we hope that we can provide you with any desired information and spiritual support while you are here.

Deadline for bulletin submissions is Tuesday at noon.



St. Peter CATHOLIC CHURCH

Parish Organizations:

- *Parish Council * Finance Council * Choir
- * Servers * Lectors * Ushers * Greeters
- * Eucharistic Ministers * Mission Society
- * Grief Ministry * Art & Environment
- *St. Peter Prayer Group * Divine Mercy
- * Men's Group * Youth Group

To register with our parish or to schedule the Sacraments of Baptism, Marriage, or Anointing of the Sick, please contact the parish office.

If you are homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact Ken Kuruc at the parish office.

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of St. Peter Church are a community built on Jesus Christ, our foundation, rooted in the Gospel, and distinguished by a spirit of welcome and belonging. Therefore, we strive to worship joyfully, serve gladly, and be stewards of God's gifts. We nurture spiritual growth through faith formations and education. We support one another, reach out to all, spread the Gospel, and practice our faith in our daily lives.

Our Family of Ministry

St. Edward Ashland stedwardashland.org	St. Stephen West Salem ststephen.ws	Ashland University Newman Center ashlandcatholic.org
Weekday Mass: Mon, Tue, Thu, & Fri 8:00am Wed 1:15pm	Weekday Mass: Mon & Thu 8:00am Wed 4:00pm	** Located in the Lower Chapel on campus, only when college is in session.
Weekend Mass: Saturday Vigil 4:30pm Sunday 8:30am, 11:00am	Weekend Mass: Saturday Vigil 4:00pm Sunday 10:30am	Weekend Mass: Sunday 4:30
Confession: Sat 3-4:00pm	Confession: Sat 3-3:45pm	Confession: Sun 4-4:30pm
Adoration: Thurs 8:30am- Sun 8:00am	Adoration: Wed 1-8:00pm	Newman Nights Adoration: Wed 8:30-9:30pm

Readings For This Week

Monday:	Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday:	Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday:	Rom 2:1-11; Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9; Lk 11:42-46
Thursday:	Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1b-6ab; Lk 11:47-54
Friday:	2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9
Saturday:	Rom 4:13, 16-18; Ps 105:6-9, 42-43; Lk 12:8-12
Sunday:	Ex 17:8-13; Ps 121:1-8; 2 Tm 3:14 — 4:2; Lk 18:1-8

Morning Prayer Note

There will be NO morning prayer celebrated at church on Monday or Wednesday this week.

Do you have unanswered questions about our faith or the Church? Bring them to this lively discussion to learn more and uncover the real meaning of what we do and why we do it this Tuesday morning, October 14 at 10:00am in the meeting room at church.

BETA



The Sanctuary Course

This Wednesday in the Sanctuary Course, we will be discussing mental illnesses, their complexities and how they are diagnosed. We will also be talking about how community responses can either help or harm. If you were unable to make it last week, but would like to join us, contact Linda at the parish office.

Mission Society

The next mission meeting will be October 20th at 9 o'clock and it will be a regular meeting.

Holy Hour

Our monthly hour of adoration will be moved to the third Monday, October 20th at 7:00pm for this month only.

Altar Servers

We are looking to train some new altar servers to assist during our weekend Masses. Boys and girls of any age may serve, the only requirement being that the student has received their First Holy Communion. Scheduling is very flexible so that the student can serve when their family attends Mass. Please contact the parish office to sign up.

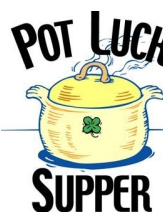
Church Directory Update



Our parish has selected Universal Church Directories to help us with our new church directory. Photo sessions will take place on Monday, December 1 and Tuesday December 2 from 2:00pm – 8:30pm in the Parish Hall. Sign-ups will be after Mass on the weekends of October 25-26 and November 1-2. There will also be opportunities to sign-up online during those weeks. More information will follow as we get closer to these dates.

Parish Social Media Help Needed

Do you enjoy working with social media and want to help our parish share the Good News online? We are looking for volunteers to assist with managing our parish social media pages. This could include posting parish updates, sharing events, and helping to highlight the life of our community. If you are interested in learning more, please contact Fr. Jim.



Join us for our Saturday evening parish pot luck on October 25th at 6:00 pm in the parish hall. Bring a dish to share if you are able and join us for some relaxing fellowship time. If this is something that you would like to help monthly with set up or clean up, please contact Linda.



Day	Date		Feast/Holiday			Mass Intention	Requested By
Saturday	Oct	11	Vigil	5:00 pm	✚	John & Jean Gardner	Jenny & Patrick Snyder
Sunday	Oct	12	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00 am	✚	Jane Bible	Ruth Stanger
Tuesday	Oct	14	Weekday	8:00 am	✚	John & Esther Allerding Family	Chuck Henley Sr. Family
Friday	Oct	17	St. Ignatius of Antioch	Noon	✚	Mark Woodson & Donna Fish	Renata Lunt & Susie Piskur
Saturday	Oct	18	Vigil	5:00 pm	✚	Roma & Peg Studer	Pat Studer
Sunday	Oct	19	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00 am	✚	Fr. Ed Dowling	Tom & Kelly Esselburn

All Masses are live-streamed on our Facebook page and at www.loudonvillecatholic.org.

upcoming events

Mon. Oct. 13 – Columbus Day (Office Closed)
Tues. Oct. 14 @ 10:00am – Beta
Wed. Oct. 15 @ 6:30pm – Sanctuary Course
Sat. Oct. 18 @ 9:00am – Youth Bible Study (Off-site)
Sun. Oct. 19 @ 10:10am – Jr. High Family of Faith
Mon. Oct. 20 @ 9:00am – Mission
@ 7:00pm – Holy Hour
Tues. Oct. 21 @ 9:00am – Bible Study
Wed. Oct. 22 @ 6:30pm – Sanctuary Course
@ 6:45pm – Youth Group
Sat. Oct. 25 @ 6:00pm – Potluck Dinner



The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, October 13th in observance of Columbus Day.



This week, our Respect Life focus turns to abolishing the death penalty and supporting restorative justice. As Catholics, we believe that every person—no matter their past actions—image of God, and that “not even a murderer loses his personal dignity” (Pope Francis, *Evangelium Vitae*, 269). Let us pray, learn, and act to reject vengeance and build a culture of healing and restores

Oct 12 Men's Group
Oct 19 Mission Society
Oct 26 Parish Members
Nov 2 Parish & Finance Councils



PRAY FOR...

David Hollinger,
David Adam,
John Kick,
Dorothy Thompson,
Larry Kline,
Sam & Flora Taghiani
Elizabeth Ferguson,
Bruce Bible,
Erin Smith,
Bill Heichel,
Kathy Miller,
Lori Baker,
Eleanor Chapman,
Sharon Gosche,
Barb Walls,
Carol Roberts,
John Wagner,
Conner Butler,
Janet Van Kuren,
Stella Joel,
Jeanne Peterson,
Josephine Grega,
Everett Flottrud,
Midge McKinley,
Marg Leffler,
Sr. Joan Rader,
Fr. Elmer Marquard,
and for peace
throughout the world.



In today's readings we hear about cures and the responses they generated. It takes a certain amount of faith to proceed even when we are given some clue that the outcome may be beneficial to us. It may take just as much faith to realize that the answer to our prayers comes from our God and not from other sources. Being thankful is not reserved for a day which bears the same name. An "attitude of gratitude" should not just be a saying we are familiar with, but a way of life that we strive for. An appreciation for our many gifts helps us in giving where it is needed. I am so thankful for the support that YOU, parishioners and visitors, have shown for our parish in what you say and do! Our parking event for the street fair is but one example of where you came together to help support our community and needs of the parish at the same time.

Stewardship Report



	9/30/25-10/6/25	Fiscal YTD
Offertory	\$4,812.88	\$62,992.93
General Fund Envelope	470.00	10,224.00
Unrestricted Donations and Bequests	1,000.00	6,743.59

Communications Campaign

\$15.00

Fair Parking

\$5,280.00

Thank You!

Saint Peter parishioners are remarkably generous. Sharing a portion of our income with the Church is a sign everything belongs to God and we dedicate our "first fruits" to the work of the kingdom of Christ. Thank you so much for your faith and generosity.

Mass Time	Greeter	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Counting Team
October 18 5:00 pm	Bill & Lourene Heichel	Kayla Vistucis	Rob Turk	
October 19 9:00 am	Chuck Henley	Tom Esselburn	Annie Kuttothara	1



Do you play the keyboard or guitar? Do you enjoy singing? Would you be willing to lead the choir for one or two Saturday evening Masses a month? If so, please contact Katie or the parish office.

Prayer Group



Please note that our weekly prayer group will now meet at 12:30pm on Fridays in the church instead of on Thursday evenings. Anyone is welcome to come, and you do not need to commit to every week. The group prays the rosary, chaplet and other prayers.

Wood Cutting

Every year, some men from New Hope meet to cut and deliver firewood to people in need for their use during the winter months. They are opening it up this year for other churches to join in and help. After blessing others, there is usually wood to keep for yourself. This year's woodcutting event is Saturday October 18th from 7:30am until lunchtime. Meet at the Mohican State Forest Maintenance Buildings at 945 ODNR Mohican 60 Perrysville, Ohio 44864. The permit is for 24 hours and you may cut wood for yourself after lunch. Cutting, Splitting, and Hauling equipment is always needed, so please bring what you have. If you have questions, contact Joe Heath 330-635-9345 or Vickie Heath 330-231-6339

Ecumenical Prayer Service

All are invited to an ecumenical prayer service commemorating the 1700th anniversary of the Council of Nicaea. The prayer service, Christian Prayer: The Faith We Profess, will be held on Wednesday, October 22nd, at 7:00pm, in the Jack and Deb Miller Memorial Chapel at Ashland University, on the corner of College, King, and Claremont. Sponsored by the Ashland University Office of Christian Ministry, the service will offer an opportunity for Christians of every tradition to reflect, sing, pray, and profess the creedal faith that has defined what we believe since the year 325 AD. In gathering as one, we hope this celebration furthers the unity among Christians for which Jesus prayed in John 17:21, "that the world may come to believe." Leading the liturgy will be Dr. Josh Sumpter (AU Chaplain), Rev. Nancy Hollomon-Peede (Baptist), Rev. Dr. Adam Carrington (Anglican), Rev. Dr. Eric Riesen (Lutheran), Dcn. Greg Loya (Byzantine), Dcn. Mike Hayes (Catholic), Fr. Jim Winings (Catholic). Lessons, prayers, and songs will be led by students and faculty representing various ministries/departments of Ashland University and Ashland Theological Seminary. A light reception will follow the service. For more information, please contact the Ashland University Office of Christian Ministry at OCM@ashland.org or 419-207-6100

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