



# Saint Peter

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

*August 24, 2025*

TWENTY-FIRST  
SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME

*Some who are last will be first,*



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## PARISH CONTACTS

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Chuck Henley, Jr. ❖ Carley Roberts  
Justin Esselburn ❖ Deb Allerdin  
Eleanor Chapman ❖ Jan Seabold

### 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

**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.

**St. Edward**  
Ashland  
[stedwardashland.org](http://stedwardashland.org)

**St. Stephen**  
West Salem  
[ststephen.ws](http://ststephen.ws)

**Ashland University**  
Newman Center  
[ashlandcatholic.org](http://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 THE WEEK

- Monday:** 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Mt 23:13-22
- Tuesday:** 1 Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-6; Mt 23:23-26
- Wednesday:** 1 Thes 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-12ab; Mt 23:27-32
- Thursday:** 1 Thes 3:7-13; Ps 71:1-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab, 17; Mk 6:17-29
- Friday:** 1 Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1, 2b, 5-6, 10-12; Mt 25:1-13
- Saturday:** 1 Thes 4:9-11; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Mt 25:14-30
- Sunday:** Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-7, 10-11; Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14



**FINANCE COUNCIL** Our next meeting will be this Monday, August 25 at 5:30pm in the meeting room at church. We will be reviewing results for the 2024-25 fiscal year which ended on June 30.

Join us for a discussion on topics and questions brought up by those in attendance. Come and learn more about our faith this Tuesday, August 26 from 10:00am – 11:30am in the meeting room at church.

**BETA**

## Truck Show Parking

Thank you to those who signed up to help park cars at church for the upcoming truck show being held next Saturday, August 30 from 9:00am to 4:00pm. The sheet is at the entrance to the church if you need to check when you are scheduled.



A MINISTRY FOR MOMS  
ROOTED IN CHRIST  
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For questions or for  
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440-225-3257

St. Albert the Great  
Parish Life Center  
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North Royalton

We Invite You To Join Us

Sunday  
**September 28**

for our Mother-Daughter Retreat

— LET LOVE IN —

Guest Speakers & Mother-Daughter Duo

*Debbie & Rachel*  
*Herbeck*

from

**Be Love Revolution**

a dynamic ministry focused on helping young women know the personal and transformative love of Jesus, and empowering them to be God's love in the world today.

Open to mothers and daughters 6<sup>th</sup> grade and up.  
Grandmothers, godmothers, aunts, and friends also welcome!

12:30 PM – 4:00 PM, doors open at 12:15 PM

Tickets: \$35 Per person

To register, visit <https://tobcble.org/event/let-love-in>



## Weekly Prayer Group

A small group gathers to pray together Thursday evenings at 8:00pm in the church. All are welcome join in prayer.



## Are you new to our parish?

If you are new to our parish, or if you have been joining us for a while and have not yet registered, please contact the parish office to introduce yourself and to register as a member.

## The St. Monica Ministry at St. Mary's in Wooster



A community of prayer and mutual support, offering hope to the families and friends of fallen-away Catholics. First meeting: Saturday, Sept 6, about 9:15 AM (after the 8:30 mass). Subsequent meetings every first Saturday. Meetings will include prayer, shared intentions, and discussion of a chapter in the book Return by Brandon Vogt. Light breakfast food available. Please call the St. Mary Church office (330-264-8824) to RSVP. If possible, bring a rosary and a copy of the book, Return, to the Sept 6 meeting. We will discuss the brief Introduction to the book at the first meeting. If you would like assistance ordering the book, please call the St. Mary Church office. Cost is \$21.00.



Masses for  
the Week



Day	Date	Feast/Holiday			Mass Intention	Requested By
Saturday	Aug 23	Vigil	5:00 pm		Jim & Linda O'Brien 50th Wedding Anniversary	
Sunday	Aug 24	21st Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00 am	✙	Stephen Arkley & Charlie Peeling	Pat & Amanda Lipps
Tuesday	Aug 26	Weekday	8:00 am	✙	William & Monnah Henley Family	Chuck Henley Sr. Family
Friday	Aug 29	Passion of St. John the Baptist	Noon	✙	Anna Simpson & Karen Schweyer	Mary Ann Bilick
Saturday	Aug 30	Vigil	5:00 pm	✙	Sharon Bureind	Paula Bush Adam
Sunday	Aug 31	22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00 am	✙	Jane Bible	Tom & Kelly Esselburn

All Masses are live-streamed on our Facebook page and at [www.loudonvillecatholic.org](http://www.loudonvillecatholic.org).

## upcoming events

Mon. Aug. 25 @ 5:30pm – Finance Council  
 Tues. Aug. 26 @ 9:00am – Beta  
 Sat. Aug. 30 from 9 – 4 Truck Show Parking  
 Sun. Aug. 31 @ 10:00am – PSR Parents Meeting  
 Mon. Sept. 1 – Labor Day (Office Closed)  
 Wed. Sept. 3 @ 6:30pm – Men's Group  
 Mon. Sept. 8 @ 7:00pm – Holy Hour  
 Tues. Sept. 9 @ 10:00am – Beta  
 Tues. Sept. 16 @ 10:00am – Bible Study  
 Sun. Sept. 21 @ 10:15am – PSR Begins/Breakfast  
 Mon. Sept. 22 @ 5:30pm – Pastoral Council



Registration is open for Parish School of Religion (PSR) students. We will have a parent meeting for PSR students on Sunday August 31, 2025 at 10:00am; registration is due at that time. PSR Class will kick off on Sunday September 21. Registration is available on the website, at the entrance to the church, and from the home mailing.



PRAY FOR...

Mary Moses,  
 David Adam,  
 John Kick,  
 Dorothy Thompson,  
 Larry Kline,  
 Sam & Flora Taghiani  
 Elizabeth Ferguson,  
 Bruce Bible,  
 Erin Smith,  
 Bill Heichel,  
 Kathy Miller,  
 Lori Baker,  
 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.



The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, September 1 in observance of Labor Day.



We are so blessed in our parish to have so many who have given of their time, talent and resources to help build a strong and lasting community. As we listen to the parable in today's Gospel about those who are seeking positions of honor, I see the opposite reactions in so many cases. You are not looking for attention, but to serve others. Yet there is nothing wrong with receiving a pat on the back or words of encouragement from others. In fact, that is what we are asked to offer others. Continue doing what you are doing with the spirit in which you do it. God will see and reward you, for God exalts those who are humble in their dealing with others.

### Stewardship Report

Weekly  
Offering



	8/12/25-8/18/25	Fiscal YTD
<b>Offertory</b>	\$3,452.00	\$24,521.83
<b>General Fund Envelope</b>	0.00	2,935.00
<b>Unrestricted Donations and Bequests</b>	3,000.00	3,310.00

### Thank You!

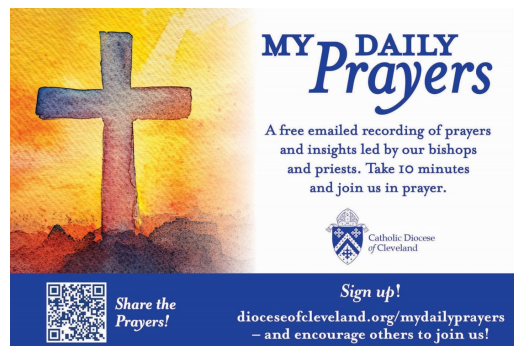
Saint Peter parishioners are remarkably generous. Sharing a portion of our income with the Church is a sign everything belongs to God and we dedicate our "first fruits" to the work of the kingdom of Christ. Thank you so much for your faith and generosity.



Mass Time	Greeter	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Counting Team
August 30 5:00pm	Mary Davis	Michelle Crider	Leslie Kamenik	
August 31 9:00am	Jerry & Judy Dudte	Pat Lipps	Amanda Lipps	1

### Make a will. Make an impact rooted in faith.

August is National Make-A-Will Month, and there's no better time to create or update your will. Catholic Community Foundation offers a free resource through FreeWill, a simple online tool that can help you plan ahead in about 20 minutes. Your will reflects your values—caring for your loved ones and strengthening faith-based stewardship for generations to come. Visit [FreeWill.com/CatholicCommunity](http://FreeWill.com/CatholicCommunity) to put your faith into action.



### 2025 Cleveland Catholic Women's Day of Reflection

The 2025 Cleveland Catholic Women's Day of Reflection is Saturday, October 11, 2025, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Holiday Inn, 6001 Rockside Road, in Independence. Join us for a day of spiritual renewal featuring:

- Mass with Bishop Michael Woost
- Speakers: Jackie Angel and Fr. Ryan Mann
- Music by Kira Andrea

Register at [tobcle.org](http://tobcle.org). Cost: \$45 (Students \$25, Religious free)



We still have openings for Mass intentions for the remainder of the year. If you were not able to schedule all of the intentions earlier in the year and would like to do so, please contact Linda at the parish office.

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