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WELCOME

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.

MASS SCHEDULE

The Lord's Day

Weekday Masses

Saturday 5:00 p.m. * Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Mon. - Wed. 8:00 a.m. * Friday Noon (See inside for occasional changes.)

CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS Councils, Ministries & Groups

Parish Council * Finance Council * Choir * Servers * Lectors * Ushers * Greeters * Eucharistic Ministers * Mission Society * Knights of Columbus * Grief Ministry * Gabriel Project * Art & Environment * St. Peter KEYS Youth Group * St. Peter Prayer Group * After Alpha

Social Concerns

Community Help Mission, Helping Hands & Support of Community Projects

SACRAMENTS Sacrament of Baptism

Please contact the parish office to attend classes and schedule a Baptism.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. or by appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage

Contact the parish at least 6 months before the wedding for required pre-marriage preparation.

Anointing of the Sick

If you are in the hospital, contact the hospital Chaplain.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND YOUTH MINISTRY

Call the parish office for programs and details.

RCIA/ Inquiry Class

Are you thinking of becoming Catholic? Contact Father Hawk at the parish office for further information.



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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 formation and education. We support one another, reach out to all, spread the Gospel, and practice our faith in our daily lives.

April 1, 2018



THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS IS BEING OFFERED FOR ...



Day	Date		Feast/Holiday	Mass Time		Mass Intention	Requested By
Saturday	March	31	Holy Saturday (vigil)	8:00 pm	†	Mary Simon Chackunkal	Annie Kuttothara
Sunday	April	1	Easter Sunday of the Res- urrection of the Lord	9:00 am	†	John & Jean Gardner	Patrick & Jenny Snyder
Monday	April	2	Monday within the Octave of Easter	10:00 am	†	Funeral for Andy Kochera	
Tuesday	April	3	Tuesday within the Octave of Easter	8:00 am	†	Anthony Ruina	Monica S∨ed
Wednesday	April	4	Wednesday within the Octave of Easter	8:00 am	†	Jeff Lape	Larry & Deb Henley
Thursday	April	5	Thursday within the Octave of Easter			No Mass	
Friday	April	6	Friday within the Octave of Easter	Noon	†	Frank Mitsch	Toni Dunmire
Saturday	April	7	Vigil	5:00 pm	†	Ruth & Cleland Wingart	Ken & Sharon Gosche
Sunday	April	8	Sunday of Divine Mercy	9:00 am		People of St. Peter	

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR APRIL 7 & 8

Mass Time		Greeter	Lector Server		Server	Eucharistic Minister	Cup Ministers
April 7	5:00 pm	Christine Shepherd	Alan Ohler	Ashton Henley	Х	Donna Foote	Please sign up
April 8	9:00 am	Bob & Norma Huy	Rita Henley	Andrea Esselburn	Alesha Felix	Rich Stoker	Please sign up

COUNTING 04-01-18 TEAM 2

04-08-18 TEAM 3

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Peter is an eyewitness: The Lord is risen (Acts 10:34a, 37-43).

Psalm — This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad (Psalm 118).

- (1) Second Reading All who are baptized, set your hearts in heaven (Colossians 3:1-4) or
- (2) Second Reading Christ our Passover is sacrificed; therefore let us celebrate (1 Corinthians 5:6b-8).

Gospel — Three witnesses, Mary, Peter, and John; each responds to the empty tomb (John 20:1-9) or Mark 16:1-7 (or, at an afternoon or evening Mass, Luke 24:13-35).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11;

Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22;

Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Lk 24:13-35 Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab, 5-9; Lk 24:35-48 Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27a;

Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-15ab, 16-21;

Mk 16:9-15

Sunday: Acts 4:32-35; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24;

1 Jn 5:1-6; Jn 20:19-31

	dship Report 25, 2018	Thank You! Saint Peter parishioners are re-			
	Weekly Budget	Last Week	YTD Budget	Total YTD	markably generous. Sharing a portion of our income with the Church is a sign everything be-
Offertory	\$2,939.00	\$2,103.50	\$114,621.00	\$117,345.03	longs to God and we dedicate our
General Fund Envelope	363.00	90.00	14,157.00	11,337.00	"first fruits" to the work of the kingdom of Christ. Thank you so
Unrestricted Donations and Bequests	289.00	0.00	11,271.00	15,115.34	much for your faith and generosity.

Easter Sunday



Follow Pope Francis on Twitter @Pontifex Jesus changes our sins into forgiveness and our fears into trust. In His Cross our hope is reborn again and again.

Parish Calendar of Events

April	1	Easter Mass	9:00 am
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	8	PSR	10:15 am
	11	Confirmation Prep Class	7:00 pm
	11	K of C Meeting	7:30 pm
	14	Parish Pastoral Council	9:00 am
	15	PSR	10:15 am
	16	Mission Society meeting	8:30 am
	17	Loudonville Church Women Mtg	6:30 pm
	18	Confirmation Prep Class	7:00 pm
	21	Finance Committee Mtg	8:30 am
	22	PSR	10:15 am
	22	Confirmation Practice	10:30 am
	24	After Alpha	10:00 am
	25	Confirmation Prep Class	7:00 pm
	26	Adult Enrichment	7:00 pm
	29	Confirmation Mass	9:00 am
	29	PSR	10:15 am

Adult Education Opportunities

Adult Reflection – NO SESSION in April. Have a happy and blessed Easter week!

Adult Enrichment - We will resume our study of the Acts of the Apostles on April 26. Mark your calendars and invite a friend to explore this fascinating book as the Sunday readings turn to Acts during the Easter season

St. Peter Mission Society

St. Peter Mission Society is collecting coupons, cancelled stamps and fronts of greeting cards. We also need blankets (full or larger), bedding sheets (flat or fitted) which are either cut and rolled into bandages or used for the backs of our comforters which are donated to the Day of Sharing event. Please put in the mission basket in the vestibule. Thanks!



PROCLAIM THE RISEN CHRIST



On Easter morning everything—the spring weather, the flowers, birds and butterflies, the people around us in their finery, the beautiful liturgy and music—everything seems to bear witness that Jesus Christ is risen today! Like the eye-

witness accounts in today's scriptures, the glorious and joyful life all around us helps us to believe the good news of the Resurrection and sing "Alleluia!"

In the scriptures today we hear from Peter and Paul and John. All three speak with conviction about witnessing the resurrected Christ. John's Gospel account includes Mary of Magdala, who also was privileged to witness the Resurrection and tell others the good news. On this glorious Easter Sunday can we ourselves give eyewitness accounts that Jesus Christ is risen today, alive and active in our lives?

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Breakfast Schedule

April 1 No Breakfast April 8 PSR Parents

April 15 Knights of Columbus



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The Paschal Mystery is the key to our Christian faith: the dying and rising of Jesus that is the pattern of our life. In their first steps on the road of faith, the catechumens feel the cross of glory traced over their eyes, on their lips, across their shoulders, on their ears, over their heart, and on their feet. The mystery is that even death gives way to life for those who are held in the embrace of Jesus. Today, many new Christians arise from the waters of the font. Yet the font is not the destination of their journey. The goal is Pentecost, fifty days from now, and a lifetime of praise to the Father, in Christ, in the embrace of the Holy Spirit, for the sake of the world. "Neophyte," our ancient word for newly-baptized people, means "newly-planted" in Greek. If someone in your parish has just been baptized, welcome them today. The smiles on their faces and the light in the eyes is a foretaste of heaven.

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