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#### MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS



The Sacrament of Penance will be available 30 minutes before every Mass. The Rosary will be said 30 minutes before weekend and most weekday Masses.

M-St. Mary | P-St. Peter | R-Resurrection

#### IN GOD'S ARMS

Peter Zides '59



#### Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord.

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

During Lent, Stations of the Cross will be held every Friday evening starting at 5 pm at St. Peter.

The Sorrowful Mysteries will be recited at 5 pm on Mondays.

All are welcome to attend and stay for Mass at 5:30 pm.

#### FROM THE PASTOR:



Hopefully you heard the news last weekend of the eventful five days of spiritual activity beginning this Saturday for our parishes. Details of that are given below in a reprint of my bulletin column from last week. I'm looking forward to Bishop Thomas joining us in prayer and sharing with us his spiritual insights on the

Eucharist. I'm excited about hearing the insights from our mission presenter, Fr. Hayes, O.P., on becoming closer to Christ.

The goal of the multiday event is to help us recognize and experience the Presence of the Living Christ among us. The meaning of these words are more profound than most people realize, even after they take time to study and reflect on them. What is being said is that the crucified, resurrected Christ is alive in our midst, and not just in a communal way, but personally to each person through the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. Can anything on earth be more profound than this?

Our multiday spiritual event will begin Saturday and Sunday (March 11-12) with Fr. Stephen Hayes, O.P., preaching all the weekend Masses. After he finishes his marathon task, he will rest that Sunday afternoon while Bishop Thomas comes to Mansfield for afternoon prayers (3:00-4:30pm) in St. Peter church. During that time, Catholics from our Diocese will gather to sing, hear the Word of God, and be inspired by the message of Bishop Thomas. Then there will be time for quiet prayer in the presence of Christ followed by benediction. The goal, once again, is to help us recognize and experience the Presence of the Living Christ among us.

After plenty of rest and fellowship at the rectory, Fr. Hayes, O.P., will preach our 3-day mission Monday through Wednesday evening from 6:30 to 7:30pm. As is the case with any parish mission, each evening will build on the previous evening. The sacrament of Confession will be offered Monday and Tuesday evenings. Then on Wednesday evening, after Fr. Hayes, O.P. concludes his 3-day presentation, there will be a reception with refreshments in the parish hall.

With this being a tri-parish mission, each parish will host an evening as follows: Monday @ St. Peter, Tuesday @ St. Mary, and Wednesday @ Resurrection. For each location, the spiritual talks will be in each parish's church building. Attendance is free. Feel free to invite a friend.

Lent is the time for spiritual growth and development. Please consider attending these spiritual opportunities. They will be occurring during the middle of Lent, which is often the time when we need a spiritual boost to stay committed to our Lenten plan of growth. Please pray for the success of our efforts to help us all to better recognize and experience the Presence of the Living Christ among us.

Yours in Christ, Fr. Miller

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# **ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Physical Address: 60 S. Mulberry St. Mailing Address: 104 W. 1st. St., Mansfield OH 44902-2199 Website: mansfieldstpeters.org/parish Parish Office (419)524-2572 x2101

#### **Office Hours:**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:30 am - 5:00 pm Wednesday: 8:30 am - 6:30 pm Saturday & Sunday: Closed

#### **New Parishioners:**

Welcome to St. Peter Parish! We encourage you to register as a parish family as soon as possible. You can call the parish office or register on our website.

#### Sacrament of Baptism:

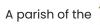
Please contact the Parish Center to begin plans for the baptism of your child.

#### Sacrament of Marriage:

Arrangements should always be made at the Parish Center office at least twelve months in advance of the ceremony.

#### **Bulletin Deadline:**

Friday at 12:00 p.m., one week prior to publication date. All submissions must be in writing to **bulletin@myspartans.org**.



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#### **PARISH NEWS**

#### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

Please welcome the following individuals to the St. Peter Parish family.

- Paul & Ashley Gullett
- Evan & Jennifer Jones & Family
- MaryLou Peters
- Daphene Troyer
- Matthew Seas

If you are new to St. Peter Church, you can register online at **mansfieldstpeters.org/parish** and click "I'm New Here". You can also call the parish office.

#### MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Congratulations to the following parishioners who are age 85+ and celebrating a birthday in March.

- 3/1–Dolores Smith
- 3/4–John Heringhaus
- 3/7–Josephine Byrne
- 3/7–Sophie Stiteler
- 3/8–Jean Gurski
- 3/9—Barb Crawford
- 3/11–Hiltrude Kleshinski
- 3/12—Barbara Oliveri
- 3/13—Suzanne Stevens
- 3/13—Elizabeth Krebs
- 3/14—Frances Hursh
- 3/14—Stephen Schlosser

- 3/15–Janis Buckey
- 3/16–Frank Pewonski
- 3/17–Jean Kulka
- 3/22–Christine Franz
- 3/22—Dinean Tacik
- 3/23–Betty Schartl
- 3/24–Victoria Zack
- 3/29—Richard Bell
- 3/29—Evelena Klupp

3/31—Harold Cope

- 3/31–Jean Smith

### YOUTH NEWS





Did you know the center of a donut is 100% fat free? Try for yourself at our next Donut Sunday! Sunday, March 12 | 8:30 am & 10:30 am

Church Basement

#### FEED THE NEEDY

The dates for Feed the Needy in March are Sunday, March 5, and Sunday, March 19.

If you wish to volunteer for either Sunday, please come to the back door of the high school building by 1:15 pm.

If you would like to be added to the monthly email list for updates on the ministry, please send your email address to Paula Nestor at

#### nestor.paula@myspartans.org

#### SAVE THE DATE: PILGRIMAGE DAY TRIP!

Father Kevin will be leading a tri-parish bus pilgrimage to the Ark Encounter in Williamstown, Kentucky, on Thursday, April 20,



2023. The bus will leave from the Resurrection Church parking lot, with Mass at 7:00 am, and boarding immediately following Mass.

The estimated return time is 8:00 pm. You will explore the Ark Encounter at your own pace and lunch at their cafeteria is included in the cost. Light breakfast and a light supper will be provided on the bus ride.

The cost for adults is \$135.00, for those 60+ is \$127.00, and for youth ages 11-17 is \$113.00. Call the parish office for a detailed itinerary and registration form!



#### Your Comprehensive Tour Includes:

- Accommodations in first class hotels in Nazareth, Bethlehem
- ✓ Open buffet breakfast and dinners daily
- ✓ Special lunches-St. Peter's Fish and at Mt. of Temptation
- Farewell dinner with wine in local restaurant
- Private air conditioned modern motor coach
- Luggage handling for one suitcase per person included at hotels
- ✓ Local, certified, English-speaking guides
- ✓ Parking fees, local hotel taxes,
- Daily Mass/Divine Liturgy

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More Info: cantbemissedtours.com

**RECYCLING DAY: FRIDAY, MARCH 10** 10–11 a.m. & 2–4 p.m. – FAC Parking Lot H.O.P.E. PANTRY BLUE BARREL WEEKEND MARCH 11 & 12

#### KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS: RENEWAL NOTICE

Each year, you must re-enroll in Kroger Community Rewards annually by April. To enroll or re-enroll visit the link below and log into your Kroger account, and link your Kroger Shopper's Card.

#### kroger.com/i/community/community-rewards

Once registered, a portion of your grocery purchased will be donated to St. Peter's School.

#### PRISON MINISTRY CORNER

Lenten Blessings to our parishioners from our brothers at RiCl. We have had a powerful beginning to the Lenten season,



with 53 men coming to Ash Wednesday Mass and 40 attending Stations of the Cross (held every Saturday afternoon during Lent, with six different formats of the Stations). Thank you to Fr. Kevin Moebius for celebrating Mass on Ash Wednesday. We greatly appreciate the tremendous support and spiritual guidance from our priests. On the first Saturday of Lent we prayed *Stations of Mercy with Pope Francis*, with our music including *Attende Domine* and *Song of Mercy*. We also had one of our brothers share a brief testimony of how God's mercy has been manifested in his life. Please pray for our brothers as they daily lift our parishes in prayer.

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

The song **Ashes** we sing on Ash Wednesday and during the Lenten season was written by St. Peter's High School 1969 alumnus Tom Conry.

#### **SCHOOL NEWS**

# NATIONAL HONORS SOCIETY INDUCTIONS

On Monday evening, 12 members of the junior and senior class were inducted into the National Honors Society.

Seniors: Audrey Couch, Grace Dix, Hailea Montanez, Logan Rhodes, Andrew Wendt.

Juniors: Caelyn Brubaker, Tamera Lindsay, Analina McCabe, Zora Mills, Josephine Reef, Gisele Ward, Trinity Withrow-Gremling.



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#### MARY POPPINS: TICKETS NOW ON SALE

Tickets for the 2023 performance of Mary Poppins are now on sale. Show dates are:

Saturday, March 25 Sunday, March 26 Friday, March 31 Saturday, April 1



Tickets are \$12 & \$15 and all seats are reserved. Visit: mansfieldstpeters.org/theater to purchase.

Tickets will also be on sale after Masses next weekend.





#### **COME AND SEE US DAYS!**

Last week, we hosted the first Come and See Us Day for 8th graders from area Catholic Schools. Students from St. Mary of the Snows and Crestline St. Joe toured the high school and learned first hand about #SpartanSpirit! Later in March, we'll welcome students from **Discovery School and Richland** School for the Academic Arts.





The Second Sunday of Lent | March 5, 2023



#### **DIOCESAN & DEANERY NEWS**

#### LENTEN FISH FRY GUIDE

#### Mansfield Knights of Columbus

1114 Park Ave West. 5:30-7 pm Fried & Baked Fish—various sides (change weekly) \$12/adults \$6/children 12 and under

#### St. Mary of the Snows

1630 Ashland Road Doors Open at 5 pm Fried Fish \$12/adults \$6/children

#### Crestline—St. Joseph



333 N. Thoman St. 5:00-7 pm Drive-Thru only: Feb 24, Mar 10 & Mar 24 Dine-In & Drive Thru: March 3, Mar 17 & Mar 31 Fried/Baked Fish, baked potato, two sides \$13/person

#### Galion- St. Joseph

115 N. Liberty St. Fried & Baked Fish, Baked Potato, Vegetable, Apple Sauce & Tartar Sauce. \$13/person

### THEOLOGY ON TAP

The next Theology on Tap will be Thursday, March 16, from 6 - 8 pm, at Pete's Cafe in New Washington. Our featured presenter that evening is Jordan Phillips who will be speaking about Thomasian Philosophy.



All young adults and those who are young at heart are welcome to join us. Each person pays for the price of their meal and drinks. It would be wonderful if you could RSVP to assure that we have enough space reserved by emailing Elizabeth Wurm at **ewurm124@amail.com**. We hope th

have enough space reserved by emailing Elizabeth Wurm at **ewurm124@gmail.com**. We hope that you can join us!





#### PARISH PRAYER LIST

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Names will only be listed for four (4) weeks. If you wish to have additional time, contact the Parish Center Office.

Bill Ruhl Krista Marshall Dina Riley Eillana Nelson MaKaya Butler Sharon Valdry John Ziegler Marlene Ziegler Dorothy Trinter JoAnn Marbaugh Gwen Yockey Louise Steggall Keith Combs Mady Ziegler Jeannine Klotz Marilyn B. Williamson Tom Powell CMSgt. Joseph Basting Alice Baughman Peggy Basting Taylor Kathy Carcione **Carol Pittenger** David Donley

Jordan Hiser William Scales Kathy Deckard John & Cindy Lloyd **Bill Joyce** Rose Mary Martin Josephine Contra Marianne Cappadonna Colleen & Fred John Stewart Ziegler Bill, Linda & Cindy Thompson Jerry Bradner Michael Yoha **Rick Gasper** Cindy Lassen Alan Gleisenger **Richard Steele** Eileen Nelson Rose McKeon Barbara & Jud



Margaret Weber Larry Strauser Frederick Dale Joan Schonhardt Fr. Kris Sorenson Micah Galuzny Barbara Riley Schambre **Bill Johnson** Steve Reynolds Levi Boals Robert Vaccaro **Christine Caudill** Danny Marti

#### FAITH FORMATION



#### with Bishop Daniel E. Thomas

# SUNDAY, MARCH 12, 2023

St. Peter, Mansfield 3:00pm - 4:30pm 60 S Mulberry St, Mansfield, OH 44903



# **Readings for the Week**

Monday:	Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11 & 13; Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday:	Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 & 23; Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday:	Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16; Mt 20:17-28
Thursday:	Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6; Lk 16:19-31
Friday:	Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Mt 21:33-43. 45-46
Saturday:	Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Sunday:	Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42

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#### Sunday Stewardship As of January 2023 **Sunday and Holy Day Collections**

Sunday Collection & Holy Day Collection:	\$553,964
Total Budgeted Sunday Collection:	\$508,356
Sunday Collection Surplus/(Deficit)	\$45,608
School Collection	
Total School Collection:	\$60,858
Total Budgeted School Collection:	\$70,000
School Collection Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$9,142)

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