# ST. PETER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

**OCTOBER 31ST, 2021** 



970-352-1060 (x1 for sacramental emergencies only) www.StPeterGreeley.org

## **MASS TIMES**

#### SATURDAY (ANTICIPATORY)

 $4:00~{\rm PM}~*{\rm signup~required}^*{\rm and}~6:00~{\rm PM}$ 

#### **SUNDAY**

7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 6:00 PM

#### WEEKDAY

Mon - Fri 12:10 PM Saturday 9:00 AM

#### **CONFESSION**

SATURDAY 2:00 PM WEDNESDAY 11:30 AM

# **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Monday 1pm Through Thursday 5pm

## **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Friday 8:00 am - 12 noon

#### ANGELIC ACCENTS GIFT SHOP

Wednesday-Thursday 10 am-1pm Sunday 8:00am-12:15 pm

	OBSERVANCES	READINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	CHURCH EVENTS
Sunday October 31	31st Sunday in Ordinary Time Priesthood Sunday; All Hallow's Eve	Deuteronomy 6:2-6 Psalms18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 Hebrews 7:23-28 Mark 12:28b-34	7:00 AM Jim Krenzel 9:00 AM People of St. Peter 11:00 AM The Rowe Family 6:00 PM +Zach Daughenbaugh	8:00 AM-12:15 PM Gift Shop Open 8:00 - 11:30 AM Religious ED Classes 3:00 - 6:00 PM EMHC Training — Church
Monday November 1	All Saints	Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14 Psalms 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 1 John 3:1-3 Matthew 5:1-12a	12:10 PM Marge Seery 6:00 PM The O'Hare Family	1:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Begins 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Food Pantry Open
Tuesday November 2	All Souls' Day: Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed Election Day	Wisdom 3:1-9 Psalms 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 Romans 5:5-11 John 6:37-40a	12:10 PM + Maria del Carmen Rodriguez	
Wednesday November 3	St. Martin de Porres, Religious	Romans 13:8-10 Psalms 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9 Luke 14:25-33	12:10 PM Communion Service	GIFT SHOP CLOSED  11:30 AM NO CONFESSION  6:30 - 8:00 PM Youth Group  6:30 - 8:00 PM Adult Faith Formation
Thursday November 4	St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop	Romans 14:7-12 Psalms 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14 Luke 15:1-10	12:10 PM +Giovanni Gigliotti	11:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Food Pantry Open 5:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Ends
Friday November 5		Romans 15:14-21 Psalms 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 Luke 16:1-8	12:10 PM +Fr. Leo Smith	12:30 PM - 3:00 PM Quilters Group
Saturday November 6	Blessed Virgin Mary	Romans 16:3-9, 16, 22-27 Psalms 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11 Luke 16:9-15	9:00 AM Jim and Jane Hoefs 4:00 PM +Deacon Bill Hastings 6:00 PM Steve Stank	2:00 PM Confession - Church
Sunday November 7	32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time; National Vocation Awareness Week Daylight Saving Time Ends	1 Kings 17:10-16 Psalms 146	5:7, 8-9, 9-10 Hebrews 9:24-28	Mark 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

# **Bear Catholic Campus Ministry**



Across from the President's Row info @ BearCatholic.com

## **Upcoming Events**

Sunday, October 31st

6:00 PM Mass at St. Peter 7:00 PM Dinner After Mass

Monday, November 1st

5:00-6:30 PM ESTEEM Session-Campus Center

Tuesday, November 2nd

6:00 PM-8:00 PM Dia de los Muertos

Wednesday, November 3rd

7:00 PM Fully Alive-Campus Chapel

Thursday, November 4th

4:45-5:15 PM Adoration and Confession-Campus Chapel 5:15 PM Mass-Campus Chapel

Friday, November 5th

4:45-5:15 PM Adoration and Confession-Campus Chapel 5:15 PM Mass—Campus Chapel

**Sunday November 7th** 

6:00 PM Mass at St Peter 7:00 PM Dinner After Mass

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# YOUTII GROUP

Middle School and High School

Wednesdays 6:30 PM-8:00 PM In the Youth Center

# Are You in Need this Thanksgiving?

Sign up to receive a Thanksgiving food box on November 1st and 2nd from 9:00 AM-4:00 PM at the school building.



# Coming Sunday, June 19th, 2022

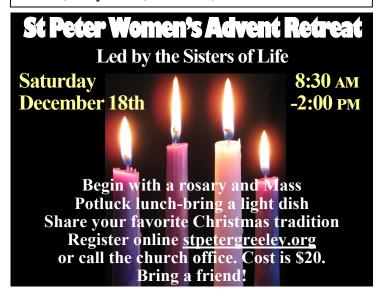
Are you interested in helping out with next year's event? If so, join us on Friday, November 5th at 7:00 PM in the church basement

If you cannot attend but want to help, email Stephanie at mamaralston@gmail.com.

## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST

Staci Behne, Victor Garcia, NJ King, Jim Krenzel, Peggy Martin, +Florentina Milhone, Rob Minner, Penelope Robinson, Dorothy Ruzyla, Mike Shovlin, Ray Sobieski, +Danny Tarr, Sonny Unrein, Joe Weurtz, Amy Yates, Joe Yates, Jim Yates



# Angelic Accents Gift Shop

MONASTERY BAKED GOODS FROM THE SISTERS OF ST. BENEDICT NOW FOR SALE!

The Gift Shop will be closed on Wednesday November 3rd.

# FOOD BOXES

Pick up a paper bag and/or a list at the entrances of the church. Purchase non-perishable Thanksgiving food items and return them to the church by November 22nd. Thank you for your generosity!

We need turkeys! Bring your frozen turkeys to the office during office hours.

# First Saturday Rosary and Chaplet

On the First Saturday of each month, the rosary will be said at 8:20 AM instead of 8:30.

After the rosary we will say the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

# We are Hiring

# Director of Development for Bear Catholic Campus Ministry

- Full time position with benefits
- Will report directly to the Pastor and is responsible for advancing the mission of Bear Catholic through fundraising and marketing

## Director of Liturgical Music

- Part time position
- Will coordinate with Pastor to plan, direct, oversee, and manage all activities and operations related to liturgical music including weddings, funerals, and Holy Days
- Able to proficiently play the piano as well as accomplished vocal skills

For more detailed descriptions and to apply stpetergreeley.org

# CHILDREN'S CHOIR

**Sunday, November 21st at 11:00 AM Mass** Practice: Tuesday November 16th, 6:00-7:00 PM

For more info, contact Tomoko Creed tomoko.creed@gmail.com

# ST. PETER'S SENIORS

Our next meeting is November 17th.

We will be gathering
with the St. Mary Seniors.

Potluck after the 11:30 am mass at St. Mary.
Bring a dish to share.

Don't forget to buy your Christmas Tea tickets in the gift shop. \$15.00 per person The tea will be on December 15th at 1:00 pm

For questions or more information call Cathie 970-412-8621



# Job Opening at St. Mary

# **Maintenance Supervisor**

We are looking for a full time maintenance supervisor. This is a benefited position.

Please send your resume to susan.benke@stmarygreeley.org

or come to the office and complete an application.

No phone calls please.

## STEWARDSHIP CORNER

#### **Love Your Neighbor**

In today's Gospel Jesus said: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." It was not meant to be a suggestion or an option. He didn't say we shall love our neighbor when it fits into our day or suits our schedule, or after we've completed our various recreations. It is a requirement for Christians; to exercise good stewardship over the neighbors entrusted to us by God. It is a requirement often ignored when we put up barriers of anger, fear, or intolerance for a neighbor. How can we look beyond our own personal difficulties to see what we can do to love the person who lives next door, works next to us, or who sits next to us in the church pew?

# ANNUAL SEMINARIES' APPEAL NOVEMBER 6TH-7TH

Next weekend, our parish will conduct the
Annual Seminaries' Appeal.
Reflect on the future of our Church
and consider a gift to support these young men on
their path to priesthood.
If you would like to donate today, please
visit archden.org/futurepriests. Thank you.

# Chesterton Academy of St. John Paul II Virtual Fundraiser



Handcrafted Catholic Candles from CORDA, a Catholic small business

Enter code CAJPII21 at <a href="www.cordacandles.com/?ref=CAJPII21">www.cordacandles.com/?ref=CAJPII21</a> and 15% of your purchase will be donated to St. John Paul II High School through 11/23/21

# St. Peter Food Pantry

We are in need of the following items:

Crackers Pasta Sauce Canned Fruit

Juice Rice Peanut Butter

Pop-top Canned Meals

We are grateful for your continued generosity!

# Fr. Tomasz's Weekly Reflection

There is one virtue without which human life cannot be imagined: a virtue that helps soften hearts, aids development of great ideas, pushes people to heroic deeds; a virtue that is the drive behind every human action; a virtue that unites people and nations. We call this virtue: Love.

When Christ, asked by the scribe about the greatest commandment, responds referring to the commandment of Love of God and one's neighbor, He means to say that without this commandment it is impossible to imagine human life.

But what is Love anyways? The most difficult question to answer. One could say that Christ responded to it not so much with words as with his whole life. That is why He could say at the end of his life that no one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends.

Why do we have a duty to Love? Because God loved us first. Out of Love for us, He created the world and gave it to us to rule over. He made us in his image and likeness, and elevated us above all creatures. He has endowed us with the greatest gift: his divine friendship.

But we continuously underappreciate this gift. Through sin, we break that friendship and depart from God. But thankfully, God does not depart from us. For the sake of our salvation and eternal happiness, God promised to send us a Redeemer. And then He constantly announced his coming through the patriarchs, prophets and other messengers. And when finally the promised Savior came, He testified with his word and deed to God's love for man.

Today we must ask ourselves these questions: what do we actually Love, what do we carry in the inner recesses of our hearts? What are our innermost desires and thoughts? St. Paul, in his hymn of Love, instructs that If I speak in human and angelic tongues...and if I have the gift of prophecy and comprehend all mysteries and all knowledge; if I have all faith so as to move mountains but do not have love, I am nothing. Only Love matters, but it matters in a long term, as St. Paul concludes his hymn by stating that Faith, Hope, Love remain, these three; but the greatest of these is Love. No more explanation needed.

One thing is needed however, in a response to God's Love: we need to live the life of Love. Love needs to be introduced into all the aspects of our lives. The scribe in today's Gospel learned from Jesus not only that Love is the most important commandment, but also that it should cover everything: from our relationship with God, through our healthy self-Love, to the Love of our neighbor. After all *Love...is worth more than all burnt offerings and sacrifices*.



## Our meetings are moving to Sundays!

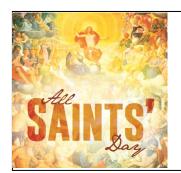
Next meeting is Sunday, November 7th at 10:00 AM at the school

We will be working on our BIBLE BASICS PATCH Fr. Tomasz will be our speaker

> Open to all girls ages 5 (K) and up Come join us!

Some of Our Upcoming Badges

Ancestor Detector Photography
Cooking Dance
Pet Care Music
Sewing And more!



#### November 1st

All Saint's Day is not a holy day of obligation this year, but Mass will be offered at 12:10 PM and 6:00 PM for those who wish to attend.



Please bring in photos of your beloved dead.

They will be displayed near the altar in the Church during the month of November. (Write your name and phone number on the photo.)

All Souls Day Novena Envelopes are available at the entrances to the Church.

## **NOVEMBER 6TH**

Remember to move your clocks BACK one hour on Saturday night!

