ST. PETER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JANUARY 16TH, 2022



Jesus said to her, "Woman, how does your concern affect me? My hour has not yet come."

John 2:4

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MASS TIMES

<u>Saturday (Anticipatory)</u> 4:00 pm <u>Sunday</u> 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 1:00pm Through Thursday 5:00pm

OFFICE HOURS

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

ANGELIC ACCENTS GIFT SHOP

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

	OBSERVANCES	READINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	CHURCH EVENTS
Sunday January 16	2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Isaiah 62:1-5 Psalms 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 John 2:1-1	 7:00 AM +Marybeth Gerkin 9:00 AM +Melanie DeHart 11:00 AM ++Inez Arkell, Marcie & Fred Sieber 6:00 PM People of St. Peter 	8:00 AM-12:15 PM Gift Shop open 8:00 AM-12:00 PM Religious Ed Classes
Monday January 17	Martin Luther King Jr. Day St. Anthony, Abbot	1 Samuel 15:16-23 Psalms 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23	9:00 AM +Rose Lambert	Office and Gift Shop Closed 1:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Begins 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Food Pantry Open
Tuesday January 18		1 Samuel 16:1-13 Psalms 89:20, 21-22, 27-28 Mark 2:23-28	12:10 PM +Diedre Forgue	10:00 ам-1:00 рм Gift Shop Open
Wednesday January 19		1 Samuel 17:32-33, 37, 40-51 Psalms 144:1b, 2, 9-10 Mark 3:1-6	12:10 PM +Rita Brady Kiefer	 10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 11:30 AM Confession 6:30 PM-8:00 PM Adult Faith Formation 6:30 PM-8:00 PM Youth Group
Thursday January 20	St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr	1 Samuel 18:6-9; 19:1-7 Psalms 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13 Mark 3:7-1	12:10 PM +Christopher Lilly	10:00 AM-12:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Food Pantry Open 5:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Ends
Friday January 21	St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr	1 Samuel 24:3-21 Psalms 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11 Mark 3:13-19	12:10 PM All the Priests in the World	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Quilter's Group
Saturday January 22	Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children	2 Samuel 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27 Psalms 80:2-3, 5-7 Mark 3:20-21	9:00 AM +Melanie DeHart 4:00 PM +Margo Bishop	2:00 PM Confession
Sunday January 23	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time St. Vincent, Deacon & Martyr St. Marianne Cope, Virgin	Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10	Psalms 19:8, 9, 10, 15 1 Corinthians 12:12-30	Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-2

Bear Catholic Campus Ministry



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

Upcoming Events

Sunday, January 16th 6:00 PM Mass at St. Peter 7:00 PM Dinner After Mass

Monday January 17th 5:00-6:30 PM ESTEEM Session-Campus Center Tuesday, January 18th First day of Classes for AIMS students 7:00 PM Dr. John Volk Talk-Campus Center

> Wednesday January 19th 7:00 PM Fully Alive-Campus Chapel

Thursday, January 20th 4:45-5:15 PM Adoration and Confession-Campus Chapel 5:15 PM Mass--Campus Chapel

Friday, January 21st 4:45-5:15 PM Adoration and Confession-Campus Chapel 5:15 PM Mass--Campus Chapel

Sunday January 23rd 6:00 PM Mass at St Peter

7:00 PM Dinner after Mass f

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ST. PETER'S SENIORS

Our next meeting is: Wednesday January 19th at 1:00 PM

Call Cathie for more information 970-412-8621

YOUTH GROUP Next meeting January 19th 6:30pm-8:00pm



PRAYER REQUESTS

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST

Tera Allen, Jazmine and Daniel Bocanegra, Renee Crowe, +Mira Dean, Randy G., +Jose Gonzales, Merna Gunnells, Jean Hawkins, NJ King, Robert Kirk, Jean Koch, Garrett Mardesen, Barb Martinez, Andrew Miller, Joan and Dennis Moore, Sirous Moreno, Shacaira Munoz and baby, Mary Neurerburg, Penelope Robinson, Gil Romero, Lisa Scott, +John Shinners, Ray Sobieski, Sonny Unrein, Juanita Vigil-Guy



AMERICAN HERITAGE GIRLS[®]

Our next meeting is Sunday, January 30th At 10:00 AM at the school.

We will continue to learn about fire safety.

Our full schedule is available at stpetergreeley.org/ministries/ahg

Angelic Accents Gift Shop

January Sale 20% off all Madonnas

A huge thank you to everyone who supported the gift shop this past year. We had record-breaking sales! Thank you so much!

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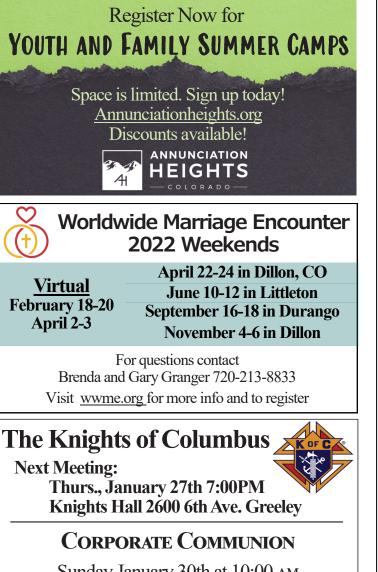
MagnifiKid is now available in the gift shop! Help your child pray and follow the Mass. Weekly issues have the readings and prayers, as well as some fun activities. Get yours today!



STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Being Good Stewards of Our Gifts

In today's second reading, Saint Paul makes a list of gifts dispensed to members of the Christian community by the Holy Spirit. Each gift bestowed has a specific purpose for the person for whom it is intended: wisdom, knowledge, faith, healing, mighty deeds, prophecy, discernment, tongues, and interpretation. Good stewards know these gifts are not meant to be kept hidden by the recipient but to be shared with the community and beyond. As we begin a new year, let us reflect on the gift the Holy Spirit has given to each of us. Do we recognize this gift? How was it intended that we use this gift? Are we being good stewards of this gift?



Sunday January 30th at 10:00 AM At Our Lady of Peace Rosary at 9:30 AM

Brunch at La Mariposa afterwards All Knights and their families are invited.

St. Peter Catholic Church

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Fr. Tomasz's Weekly Reflection

It always amazes me when I remind myself that the word that is used in Polish to address the wedding reception is the word 'Joy'. Jesus attending the wedding at Cana reminds us that our God is a God of joy, not sorrow. He created within us this longing, the desire for joy. The problem is that this yearning, from early childhood, is exposed to the danger of disfiguration or misinterpretation what joy actually is. This makes us close in on ourselves, cut ourselves off from true desires, take away our feelings, stop believing in happiness, suspect every joy of being a trick of mind.

Fewer and fewer people believe in successful marriages, more and more often the word 'family,' rather than with love, is associated with psychological torture. People close themselves to the experience of joy; instead they look for cheering up in chemical substances, in workaholism, in attention-consuming activities, even in acts of charity. We fall victims to the temptations of masturbation and gluttony, sex and the Internet, removing ourselves from this world by getting drunk or entering the virtual world where we take revenge on generated monsters in video games. And all that because the suppressed longing for a real joy has been blocked by our culture brainwashed minds, and replaced by hedonistic imitations.

The substitutes for love, tenderness, joy, faithfulness and friendship are at our fingertips. But all of this only depressingly deepens the sadness. Many mothers give their children food instead of affection, many fathers give their children money instead of a time for conversation. Many young people have nothing to offer their partners but sex. Many people prefer to watch on-screen dramas for hours to forget their own real-life misery. We dissociate ourselves from feelings. We don't want to experience this spiritual hunger and want, so we stuff ourselves with anything that will deceive us even for a moment, even if it will never be able to satisfy us.

What do we really long after? Happiness, tenderness, love, conversation, cheering up? Who can give us this? Is it even possible? Only Jesus remedies the emptiness of the stone jars. There were six of them. Not an accidental number. Remember that it was the sixth day that man was created. To taste true happiness, we must do whatever Jesus says – in line with Mary's exhortation: *Do whatever he tells you*. The wedding at Cana is not only the event that begins the series of miracles of Jesus, but also a symbol of the vocation of man to experience an endless and inexhaustible joy.

It was the third day and there was no wine: in an hour or two the wedding could end in a very unpleasant way. Until then the head waiter pretended that everything was fine. He kept an appearance of being in control of the situation. There are many people who are doomed to keeping a false smile, hiding behind it the disintegration of their lives. Their jovial attitude has become a curtain that covers despair and hopelessness, disenchantment and disappointment. The more they party, the greater the fear of loneliness; the more they seek the sensual gratification and intoxication, the more robbed their spirit becomes.

True joy is not without but within us – in discovering in our hearts the will of God and doing it – whatever He tells us. But who will believe it takes to fill the stone jars with water to get the best wine out of them?

