

ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 24TH, 2022



970-352-1060 x1 FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCY
WWW.STPETERGREELEY.ORG

MASS TIMES

SATURDAY (ANTICIPATORY)
4:00 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

EUCCHARISTIC 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

MONDAY-THURSDAY
10:00 AM-1:00 PM
SUNDAY 8:00 AM-12:15 PM

	OBSERVANCES	READINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	CHURCH EVENTS
Sunday April 24th	2nd Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday	Acts 5:12-16 Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19 John 20:19-31	7:00 AM +Marybeth Gerkin 9:00 AM +Ethel Martin 11:00 AM People of St. Peter 6:00 PM +Jeanette Powers	7:00 AM-12:15 PM Gift Shop Open 10:00 AM AHG meeting-school 3:00 PM Divine Mercy holy hour
Monday April 25th	Saint Mark, evangelist	1 Peter 5:5b-14 Psalm 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17 Mark 16:15-20	12:10 PM +Audrey Keberlein	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Begins 1:00 PM Food Pantry Open
Tuesday April 26th		Acts 4:32-37 Psalm 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 John 3:7b-15	12:10 PM Ania Soto	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open
Wednesday April 27th		Acts 5:17-26 Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 John 3:16-21	12:10 PM +Lawrence Wagener	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 11:30 AM Confession 6:30-8:00 PM Youth Group 6:30 PM Adult Faith Formation
Thursday April 28th	Saint Peter Chanel, priest and martyr Saint Louis de Monfort, priest	Acts 5:27-33 Psalm 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20 John 3:31-36	12:10 PM Mary Blatner	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM Food Pantry Open
Friday April 29th	Saint Catherine of Siena, virgin and doctor of the Church	Acts 5:34-42 Psalm 27:1, 4, 13-14 John 6:1-15	12:10 PM ++Dick and Mary Ellen Budd	1:00 PM Quilter's Group
Saturday April 30th	Saint Pius V, pope, religious	Acts 6:1-7 Psalm 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 John 6:16-21	9:00 AM Ann Obrzut 11:00 AM The Confrimandi 4:00 PM +Tomas Albarra	11:00 AM Confirmation Mass 2:00 PM Confession
Sunday May 1st	3rd Sunday of Easter	Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41 Psalm 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 Revelation 5:11-14 John 21:1-19		

Bear Catholic Campus Ministry



Across from the Presidents' Row

info@BearCatholic.com

Upcoming Events

April 26-28 Sisters of Life in Town

Sunday, April 24th

6:00 PM Mass at St. Peter

Dinner After Mass

Tuesday, April 26th

6:00PM Food for the Feminine Heart-Campus Center

Wednesday, April 27th

6:00 PM Dinner with the Sisters

7:00 PM Fully Alive-Campus Chapel

Thursday, April 28th

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

5:15 PM Mass-Campus Chapel

Friday, April 29th

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5:15 PM Mass-Campus Chapel

Sunday, May 1st

6:00 PM Mass at St. Peter

Dinner After Mass

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Parishioners Invited!

Bear Catholic students would like to serve
St. Peter's parishioners in appreciation
for the prayers and support to the campus ministry.

Join the students for a breakfast-dinner today, April 24th,
after the 6:00 PM Mass. All are welcome!



Women Growing in Christ

Our next gathering is Saturday May 7th

At 9:45 am in the church basement

We will have a joyful discussion on all things Mary.
Bring your favorite devotion to share.
Potluck brunch, fellowship, and prayer.

Questions? Contact Susan Labonde 970-353-3342



PRAYER REQUESTS

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST

Ann Bruch, Teresa Casey, Barbara Castro, Carolyn Cecil, Kimberly Cecil, Carol Dahlgren, Maria Duenas, Richard Felice, Mason Ferrari, John Morgan Gerkin, Betty Gonzales, Jose Gonzales, Ernest Griego, Ruben Gutierrez, Jr., Dick Hamilton, Angela Herrera, Paul and Stephanie Hittle, Eva Holquin, Ashley Jones, NJ King, Robert Kirk, Gini Koenig, Wade Little, Lorene Madrid, +Shirley Martin, Mary McDaniel, James Ortega, Stan Parker, Christy Peckham, +Richard Popp, +Beatrice Ramos, Joseph Read, Spencer Renfroe, Penelope Robinson, Aaron Romero, Andrea Romero, Jose Sanchez, Jean Schmidt, Lisa Scott, Peggy Sieber, Amy Smith, Sonny Unrein

YOUTH GROUP

Wednesday, April 27th

6:30 PM-8:00 PM

**OUR LAST YOUTH GROUP OF THE
SCHOOL YEAR WILL BE ON MAY 11TH**



Angelic Accents Gift Shop

APRIL SALE

25% OFF ROSARIES,

PLAQUES, AND FRAMED ART

Benedictine Monastery cookies are back in stock!



**AMERICAN
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FAITH | SERVICE | FUN

Our next meeting is today, April 24th at 10:00 AM
JOIN US FOR A MOTHER'S DAY PROJECT!

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

RETURN YOUR ALMSGIVING BOXES!

Drop them off in the collection
bins at the entrances
this weekend!
Or bring them to the office
this week.



STEWARDSHIP CORNER

“Signs and Wonders”

In today's first reading from the Acts of the Apostles we hear it proclaimed that many “signs and wonders” were performed in public by Christ's followers, a demonstration that produced two results. First, the people of Jerusalem outside the Christian community were awed by what the disciples were performing. And in the midst of all this amazement, many were being converted. Good stewards know of the evangelizing power emanating from their daily acts of love, compassion, kindness and generosity. They believe that if they stay focused on Christ each day, every act has the power to transform a broken world. What “signs and wonders” will we perform today?



Save the Date!

6th Annual Catholic
Women's Conference

Saturday September 17th, 2022
At Assumption Parish in Denver

THIS YEAR'S KEYNOTE SPEAKER IS TERESA TOMEIO!

Registration begins on June 1st, \$45 early bird price
We are expected to sell out, so register early!

denvercatholicconference.com



Join us in praying the Litany of Loreto to the Blessed Virgin Mary during the month of May. This Litany was composed during the Middle Ages and was approved by Pope Sixtus V in 1587. Copies of the Litany will be available at the entrances to the church.



ARCHBISHOP'S CATHOLIC APPEAL

Help grow HOPE, EDUCATION and FAITH through a donation to the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal which supports more than 40 ministries that answer the needs of our neighbors each day. To make an immediate impact on our faith community visit www.archden.org/givetoday or call 303-867-0614.

Parish Mission Donation Thank You

Fr. Tomasz would like to personally thank everyone who made a donation to the Parish Mission. The \$300 collected will be sent to Ukraine.

ST. PETER FOOD PANTRY

We are in need of the following items:

Fresh produce (bring to office)

Canned fruit

Dry Milk

Individual cereal

We are grateful for your continued generosity!

Calling all Gardeners!

Do you have the gift of gardening? We are looking for people to care for our flower plots at St. Peter.

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO RESERVE YOUR PLOT.
970-352-1060

Keep our church the most beautiful in Greeley!

Thank You

Thank you for your donations to the Knights of Columbus Fish Fry.
We raised \$543 for the youth group!



STEUBENVILLE
CONFERENCES

FEARLESS

Steubenville of the Rockies

July 1-3rd, 2022

For incoming 8th graders-graduating seniors

Contact David for more info
youth@stpetergreeley.org



DENVER CATHOLIC
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ST. JOHN VIANNEY THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY LAY DIVISION

St. John Vianney Theological Seminary
Lay Division
2022-2023 Biblical School
and Catechetical School

**New Year 1 in-person Catechetical School
class will be here at St. Peter's!**

Tuesdays from 6:30 PM-8:30 PM
beginning in September.

For more info about online classes,
[visit sjvlaydivision.org](http://visit.sjvlaydivision.org)

Registration opens on May 1st!

Fr. Tomasz's Weekly Reflection

In the face of the news about the Risen Christ, Thomas – one of the twelve – utters words of protest and challenge: *Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger into the nailmarks and put my hand into his side, I will not believe.* The first day after Jesus' Resurrection becomes a witness to the problem of faith in the Mystery of Merciful Love, more powerful than sin and death. The challenge presented by Thomas shows us the ever-recurring drama of the human heart, which experiences the mystery of suffering and death, and at the same time is filled with longing for a real life and immortality.

The Apostles' faith was challenged because they directly experienced the Passion and Death of Jesus. Suffering and Death of Christ, till this day, remains a drama of spiritual shattering. Primarily because it means the loss of purpose, forfeiture of the path that was being followed. For to go ahead means to be aware of the goal. It reminds me that Thomas, during the Last Supper, asks Jesus a more fundamental question: *Lord, we don't know where you are going, how can we know the way?* It is difficult to accept Christ's answer: *I am the Way, and the Truth, and the Life. No one comes to the Father except through me.* Especially when one witnessed Jesus' Passion and Death, it is hard to agree with the ending of *the Way*.

Let us be open and honest: Thomas' skeptical attitude was not an isolated incident, but the general attitude of the disciples, who did not always understand their Master; to mention only the story of Jesus and his disciples at the Caesarea Philippi, when Peter first correctly identifies Jesus as the Son of the Living God, but then completely misunderstands the mission of the Messiah; or the two disciples on the way to Emmaus uttering their famous *But we were hoping that...*

We can imagine the Apostles, fearing the vengeance of the Jewish leaders, isolated from the world, closed in their pain after the loss of their Teacher and Master, losing sight of the perspective of the way ahead and the awareness of the goal to which Jesus Christ was leading them. That is why Thomas' crisis of faith was needed at that time for the entire community, but it is also needed for us today. Thomas' doubting became the basis of a new encounter with Christ. For faith in Jesus Christ is more than just a dry statement and summary of the facts, e.g., that Jesus *was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people*, or that when the disciples were in the Upper Room, for the fear of the Jews, Jesus came despite the closed doors, and *he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you."*

Faith in the Risen Christ is a divine gift, a proof of those realities we do not see, but at the same time it is a human response through internal struggle. In this human struggle for the true sense of faith, one often needs to lose faith, the "official" one, puffed up, cocky, protective, preached from here to there, in order to find the real one, the one that is simply an encounter in the dark: when doubt becomes cast-iron certainty, true faith that is completely unbelievable.

Experiencing the presence of the Crucified and Risen Christ in every Eucharist, let us ask Him that – in the midst of the daily difficulties of faith – we never lose our goal and the perspective of participating in His final victory over sin and death.



Congratulations to our elect who, at the Easter Vigil, "made a solemn Profession of Faith, were confirmed, and received the Precious Body of Christ according to the Rite of the Roman Catholic Church."

Nico Rodrigues

Katie Küss

Liam Croatt

TOTUS TUUS TOTALLY YOURS

Totus Tuus is a fun and energetic summer catechetical program to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ to youth. The program is specially taught by college students and seminarians.

Registration Now Open!
Space is limited, so register early.
www.StPeterGreeley.org
or come to the office.

DAYTIME PROGRAM

1ST – 5TH GRADE

Monday, June 6th – Friday, June 10th
9:00AM – 2:30PM

\$40 per Child
\$100/ 3 or more children

JUNIOR AND HIGH SCHOOL EVENING PROGRAM

6TH – 12TH GRADE

Sunday, June 5th – Thursday, June 9th
7:30 PM – 9:30 PM (Free)

Totus Tuus Support needed!

Call the office if you can help:

Pray for our Totus Tuus Team
Provide lunch for the Totus Tuus Team
Provide dinner for the team

We need 2 host families to house 2 young ladies or 3 young men from the team.