ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

PENTECOST SUNDAY

JUNE 5, 2022



Jesus breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained."

John 20:22-23

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

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

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

	OBSERVANCES	READINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	CHURCH EVENTS
Sunday June 5	Pentecost Sunday	Acts 2:1-11 Psalm 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 John 20:19-23	7:00 AM ++Arcelia Brizal and Ruth Boyd 9:00 AM +Jerome Weydeer 11:00 AM People of St. Peter 6:00 PM +Steve Galindo	8:00 AM-12:15 PM Gift Shop Open
Monday June 6	Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church	Genesis 3:9-15, 20 Psalm 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7 John 19:25-34	12:10 PM +Marybeth Gerkin	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Begins 1:00 PM Food Pantry Open
Tuesday June 7		1 Kings 17:7-16 Psalm 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8 Matthew 5:13-16	12:10 PM Elora Trotter	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open
Wednesday June 8		1 Kings 18:20-39 Psalm 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11 Matthew 5:17-19	12:10 PM Mother's Day Novena	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 11:30 AM Confession
Thursday June 9	Saint Ephrem, deacon and Doctor of the Church	1 Kings 18:41-46 Psalm 65:10, 11, 12-13 Matthew 5:20-26	12:10 PM Sue Landretti	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM Food Pantry Open
Friday June 10		1 Kings 19:9a, 11-16 Psalm 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14 Matthew 5:27-32	12:10 PM +Gerry Moran	
Saturday June 11	Saint Barnabas, apostle	Acts 11:21b-26; 12:1-3 Psalm 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 Matthew 5:33-37	9:00 AM Ann Obrzut 4:00 PM Marty and Lori Frank	2:00 PM Confession
Sunday June 12	The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity	Proverbs 8:22-31		



Tri-Parish Pinochle Club (St Mary, St Peter, Our Lady of Peace)

Meets at 12:00 PM on the 2nd Saturday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

No experience necessary; we'll teach you how to play! All are welcome!

For more information call Jill Sauter at 970-673-2635 or Susan LaBonde at 970-353-3342

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers who will take turns cleaning the Adoration Chapel.

Please call the office if you can help.

Angelic A ccents Gift Shop June Sale

25% off crosses, crucifixes, and jewelry

Burse and pyx available for bringing the Eucharist to the homebound

Monastery cookies are 30% off!



Denver Catholic Catechetical School coming to St. Peter!

Classes begin on Tuesday, September 13th.

Visit <u>sjvlaydivision.org</u> or call 303.715.3195 to learn more and to register.

PRAYER REQUESTS

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST

+Harold Baran, Baby Barrs, +Ashley Brady, Teresa Casey, Marin Duenas, Margaret Grunning, +Merna Gunnels, Jean Hawkins, George Healey, Judy Hergenreter, Helen Hurkes, Brandon Jimenez, Ashley Jones, NJ King, Rico Lopez, Lorene Madrid, +Marie Martinez, Philip Martinez, Maria Mercer, Glenn Neuerburg, Louise Ortega, +Tony Ortega, Stan Parker, Diane Quigley, Penelope Robinson, +Berrniece Rutz, Jose Sanchez, Olive Scheid, Peggy Sieber, Ted Trujillo, Sonny Unrein, Andrew Valdez, Shirley Villareal

TOTUS TUUS

Starts Tomorrow! www.StPeterGreelev.org or come to the office.

Daytime Program $1^{ST} - 5^{TH}$ grade

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

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

St. Peter Food Pantry

We are in need of the following items:

Pasta sauce Canned fruit

Soup Tomato sauce Pancake mix

We are grateful for your continued generosity!

YOUTH GROUP

Totus Tuus 6TH – 12TH grade Starts Today!

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

ELEVATE RALLY FOR INCOMING 6TH GRADERS

Saturday June 11th 9:00 AM-5:00 PM At Bishop Machebeuf High School

Cost is \$25 which includes the conference and lunch The day will include great speakers, a worship band, Mass, games, and more fun.

Contact David for more info youth@stpetergreeley.org

Special Mass Times for Sunday, June 19th

7:00 AM Sunday in the church 10:00 AM at Lincoln Park: Good Ol' Days 6:00 PM in the church

There will be no 9AM or 11AM Masses at the church on this day.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

The Spirit Draws Us Out of Our Comfort Zones

In today's first reading we encounter the Holy Spirit who at Pentecost came rushing in over Jesus' followers like a powerful wind. It must have been a frightening experience for them. But their great acts of prophetic witness began when the Spirit drew them out of their "comfort zones." Jesus said the Holy Spirit, like the wind, blows where it wills; into the lives of good stewards, empowering them to perform wondrous acts of healing, reconciliation and evangelization; encouraging them to proclaim the Gospel with boldness and confidence. All of that is a little beyond the comfort zone where most of us live our lives. This week, reflect on how the Holy Spirit may be calling you out of your personal comfort zone.



3 PART NFP CLASS

SYMPTO-THERMAL METHOD

Through The Couple to Couple League

July 25th at 6:30 PM at Our Lady of the Valley in Windsor

Follow up classes August 29th and September 26th

COUPLES IN <u>ALL</u> STAGES OF LIFE ARE WELCOME!
ENGAGED COUPLES: THIS CLASS CAN
FULFILL THE REQUIREMENT FOR YOUR
MARRIAGE PREP.

NFP is highly effective at achieving and postponing pregnancy and is all natural.

For more info and to register contact Elizabeth Timpe setimpe@ccli.org or 970-690-5927

*Couple to Couple League also offers postpartum and pre-menopause classes

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Fr. Tomasz's Weekly Reflection

Jesus said of the Holy Spirit that He would remind the Apostles of all His words when He came. Therefore, it must be said that the Word of God was not originally passed on in the form of a scripture: it wasn't written; it was memorized and then passed on by word of mouth, as a form of an experience shared between the one who proclaimed it with the one who received it. In the Book of Exodus, Moses makes an interesting call to the Israelites, the call to place the Words of God in front of their eyes, as a reminder. Till this day, Orthodox Jews are faithful to this call by wearing on their foreheads a container, in which are hidden the words credited to God himself.

The memory of what God has done for us, how He saved us from the bondage to sin, from death and the forces of darkness, is what strengthens us in doing good. We should often pray in gratitude, to remind ourselves of the events in our lives that paved for us the way out of Egypt of sin, ignorance, unbelief and disordered attachments. We need to retell the story how Jesus reached out to us and lifted us from another fall. How He freed us from our relapsing addictions. Each Israelite knew by heart their genealogy and the history of their nation. They knew it all happened thanks to divine intervention. Could we write the story of our lives to make it fit the narrative of the Bible? Do we even remember the events, words, emotions, experiences, people, and did we ever perceive the signs of God's supernatural presence that made our lives what they are?

In our religious practices there is not enough of the reflection in general, but especially on what has been written in the Sacred Scripture, in the Word of God. I experienced that in the seminary, when it was easy for most of us to say the Rosary, pray the Liturgy of the Hours, or even read the liturgical texts. But there wasn't enough, or sometimes at all, serious thought or consideration on what it actually means in the context of one's life. It hit me when I read this verse from Psalm 49: In his prime, man does not understand. He is like the beasts they perish. The thoughtless reciting of texts, even the most sacred ones, does not change anything in us, because they are not magical. Those texts are enlivening, and need to be read and meditated on in the context of the life of the reader, with the assistance of the Holy Spirit. Reading Jesus' words is not just about an exercise of diction or a recitation, but it needs to be a meditation or an interior reflection on one's own life.

If we are to ask for the coming of the Holy Spirit to us today, let us ask Him to enkindle in us the desire to see our lives as a part of the History of Salvation, recorded sometimes with the smallest details, that only us and God know. Nothing is meaningless as we make the effort on our way to salvation. To see the world and life in a way that is seen by God requires a memory enlightened by the Holy Spirit. He prevents us from succumbing to a spiritual dementia. Thanks to Him, we also have a vision of what's forthcoming, because the memory of the past is the root of a future.

Important Announcement

Parents, please accompany your children to the bathroom during Mass.

This is for their safety and to ensure no children are wandering the church unsupervised.



Meet Our New Parochial Vicar Fr. Donatian Kaigoma

Fr. Donatian Kaigoma will be joining St. Peter's as our Parochial Vicar in July. Fr. Donatian is originally from the Diocese of Geita, Tanzania.



Currently he serves as the Chaplain for the Annunciation

Heights Summer Camp near Estes Park, helping campers, retreatants, and adult leaders to encounter Jesus Christ.

Fr. Donatian enjoys long-distance hiking, music, and traveling. His favorite Bible story is the Washing of the Disciples' Feet in John's Gospel. We can't wait for Fr. Donatian to join us here at St. Peter's soon!