

# ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 24, 2022



**“And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find;  
knock and the door will be opened to you.”**

Luke 11:9

970-352-1060 x1 FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCY  
[WWW.STPETERGREELEY.ORG](http://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 July 24	17th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Genesis 18:20-32 Psalm 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8 Colossians 2:12-14 Luke 11:1-13	7:00 AM ++Weldon, Marie, and Joel Oden 9:00 AM +Marybeth Gerkin 11:00 AM Father's Day Novena 6:00 PM People of St. Peter	8:00 AM-12:15 PM Gift Shop Open
Monday July 25	Saint James, apostle	2 Corinthians 4:7-15 Psalm 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6 Matthew 20:20-28	12:10 PM +Jean Peter Ruck	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Begins 1:00 PM Food Pantry Open
Tuesday July 26	Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Jeremiah 14:17-22 Psalm 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 Matthew 13:36-43	12:10 PM +Armando Villegas	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open
Wednesday July 27		Jeremiah 15:10, 16-21 Psalm 59:2-3, 4, 10-11, 17, 18 Matthew 13:44-46	12:10 PM +Joseph Corona	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 11:30 AM Confession
Thursday July 28		Jeremiah 18:1-6 Psalm 146:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab Matthew 13:47-53	12:10 PM Greg and Justyna Baustert anniversary	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM Food Pantry Open
Friday July 29	Saints Martha, Mary, and Lazarus	Jeremiah 26:1-9 Psalm 69:5, 8-10, 14 John 11:19-27	12:10 PM +Moses Ramos	
Saturday July 30	Saint Peter Chrysologus, bishop and doctor of the Church	Jeremiah 26:11-16, 24 Psalm 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34 Matthew 14:1-12	9:00 AM ++Scottie and Esther Andolsek 4:00 PM +Francisco Galindo, Sr.	2:00 PM Confession
Sunday July 31	18th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23 Psalm 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17 Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11 Luke 12:13-21		

# Youth Group

**Catholic Science Camp!**  
Saturday July 30th, 10:00 AM, Youth Center

**Fall Kick-off**  
Wednesday August 31st at 6:30 PM

## Angelic Accents Gift Shop

**JULY SALE**  
**25% OFF GARDEN STATUES, ANGELS**  
**(INCLUDING BRONZE ANGELS), AND T-SHIRTS**  
**CLEARANCE SALE**  
**AUGUST 6-7 IN THE PARISH HALL**

## DENVER CATHOLIC CATECHETICAL SCHOOL

### INFORMATION SESSION AND FREE LECTURE

BY INSTRUCTOR ANTHONY GALLEGOS, M.T.S.

Tuesday August 2nd, Tuesday August 16th,  
Tuesday August 30th 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Meet the instructor, find out in detail what the class is all about, what you will be learning and have all of your questions answered.

This is a great opportunity to learn what we believe as Catholics and why it should matter to you.



### The Eucharist "Discovering the Mass in the Bible"

Saturday mornings 9:45-11:15 AM  
in the office conference room

Beginning September 17th for 11 weeks

Cost is \$20.

Contact the office to register.

## ST. PETER FOOD PANTRY

*We are in need of the following items:*

Rice                      Saltine crackers                      Juice  
Soup                      Fresh produce (bring to office)  
Individual packages of oatmeal

*We are grateful for your continued generosity!*

## PRAYER REQUESTS

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST

+Harold Baran, Baby Barrs, +Ashley Brady, JoAnn Gifford, Margaret Grunning, +Merna Gunnels, Lee and Florence Hammond, +Jean Hawkins, George Healey, Judy Hergenreter, Helen Hurkes, Bev Jablonski, Chuck Jackson, Brandon Jimenez, NJ King, John Knespel, Aiden Martinez, +Marie Martinez, Philip Martinez, Tom McMahan, Maria Mercer, Phyllis Murphy, George Robert Nally, Glenn Neuerburg, Ed Ombremski, Louise Ortega, +Tony Ortega, Diane Quigley, +Seth Rickords, Penelope Robinson, +Berniece Rutz, +Janet Schmidt, Gay Solland, Ted Trujillo, Sonny Unrein, Manuel Valencia Jr, Crystal Vazquez, Shirley Villareal, Gary Witte

## The Knights of Columbus

Meets the 4th Thursday  
of every month at 7:00 PM

NEXT MEETING JULY 28TH

Knights Hall 2600 6th Ave, Greeley



If you would like to join or would like more information about the Knights of Columbus, contact Jerry Steffen 970-978-7350 or [thegreeley6@aol.com](mailto:thegreeley6@aol.com)

## Corporate Communion

At the 11:00 AM Mass on Sunday, July 31st  
at St. Peter in Greeley

Rosary before Mass at 10:30 AM

All Knights and their families are invited to attend

Brunch after Mass at LaMariposa Restaurant  
3055 65th Ave, \$5.00 per person

Contact Ron Antista for more info 970-371-0047

## Volunteers Needed!

YOU are very important to our program!!  
Men and women of all ages – from older teens to retirees – are needed to serve in our RE Program. Being involved in the faith formation process allows you to deepen your own faith and meet new people. We will provide you with resources, support and training. If you are interested and would like more information, please contact Justyna 970-939-5872 or [justyna@stpetergreeley.org](mailto:justyna@stpetergreeley.org)



## STEWARDSHIP CORNER

### God's Extraordinary Generosity

A prominent theme in today's Gospel parable is generosity. Late at night, a sleepy friend responds to his neighbor's request for food for an unexpected guest. Jesus suggests that it would be unthinkable for a friend to deny a friend in need. A friend would most certainly give what is asked and more. Through this story, Jesus illustrates God's generosity. Good stewards realize the extraordinary love and graciousness with which God showers us. We need never convince God to be generous. God is already that generous friend. His abundant love bathes us in goodness. This week, prayerfully reflect on God's generosity to us. What should our response be to that generosity?

### Support our FOCUS Missionaries

The weekend of August 6-7, parishioners Travis Turner and Rachel Hogg will be speaking about their upcoming positions as FOCUS Missionaries.

FOCUS, the Fellowship of Catholic University Students, whose mission is to share Christ and the gospel with college students, has 205 locations all over the USA and abroad.

Please support the work of Travis and Rachel through your prayers and financial donations.

## Save the Date



*Grand Auction Dinner*  
*Saturday, October 22nd, 2022*



## Spiritual Adoption

**I am 4 months old.**

Well, I now weigh six ounces and mom can feel my movements. I have fingernails, eyelashes, and my own unique fingerprints, which will remain the same for the rest of my life. My taste buds are working and my sense of hearing is developing. I have soft hair all over my body. I can touch my hand to my face and grasp my feet. Basically, there will be no major new developments from here on. I just need nourishment, protection, and love...and prayers.

## ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

970-352-1060

*Sacramental Emergencies only 970-352-1060x1*

**PASTOR.....FR. TOMASZ STRZEBONSKI**

Father.Strzebonski@archden.org

**PAROCHIAL VICAR.....FR. DONATIAN KAIGOMA**

Father.Kaigoma@archden.org

### DEACONS

Rev. Mr. Cesar Perez

deacon.perez@stpetergreeley.org

Rev. Mr. Andy Sanchez

deacon.sanchez@stpetergreeley.org

### PARISH SECRETARIES

Annylse Gerkin and Marge Seery

secretary@StPeterGreeley.org

### BUSINESS MANAGER

Cheryl Martin.....Cheryl@St.PeterGreeley.org

### DIRECTOR OF EVANGELIZATION & CATECHESIS

Justyna Baustert.....Justyna@StPeterGreeley.org

### DIRECTOR OF FACILITIES/YOUTH MINISTER

David Hicks.....Youth@StPeterGreeley.org

### ANGELIC ACCENTS GIFT SHOP

Cathie 970-412-8621...AngelicAccents@hotmail.com

### LECTOR AND EMOHC

Susan Labonde and Ariane Rowe-Denning

970-353-3342

### ADORATION

Linda Gaspers 970-381-7567

1951.lgaspers@gmail.com

### ALTAR SERVERS/ADULT SACRISTANS

Andy Martinez.....970-539-3565 or 970-534-5486

### BULLETIN EDITOR

Sarah Morel.....Bulletin@stpetergreeley.org

### FINANCE COUNCIL

Joe Nally     Veronica Rovero     Luke Baumann

Mark Fogue     Matt Bruzewski     C.J. Shovlin

### BEAR CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY

Campus Center 800 19th St. Greeley, CO 80631

info@bearcatholic.com     www.bearcatholic.com

### CAMPUS MINISTER

Robert Delfin....Robert.Delfin@bearcatholic.com

### CAMPUS DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

Noah Watters.....Noah.Watters@bearcatholic.com

## Fr. Tomasz's Weekly Reflection

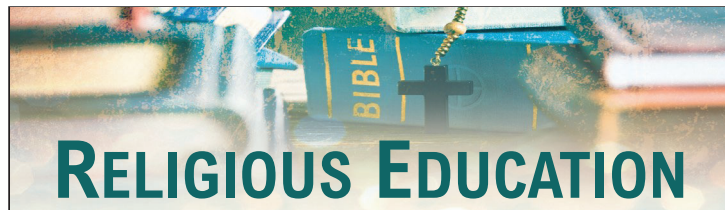
The three images presented today in the Liturgy of the Word are closely related to each other; they interpenetrate, overlap. First image: Abraham asking for mercy for doomed people of Sodom, insisting on looking for the righteous ones. The second image: just like a father teaches his children, so Jesus teaches his disciples how to pray to the Father – God. The third image: an example of the right attitude of each of us towards God.

To get something, we need to ask, just like we need to pay to buy something. But how can we get something from God? The only possibility is through prayer. God does not sell anything, but in His infinite love for us He gives when we ask – gives when we pray. Abraham knew this – we see him interceding on behalf of the inhabitants of Sodom, who are about to be destroyed because of their sins. God, in fact, wants to save them, this is why He allows Abraham to "haggle" as much as possible. God allows us to ask Him, just because He already wants to give us what we need.

God himself, in the person of Jesus Christ, taught us how to pray. Today's Gospel reminds us about it. Jesus – the Son – teaches us how to talk to the Father, how to pray to Him. He teaches us one of the most important, yet simplest prayers – the Lord's Prayer. In Luke's telling of the Gospel the prayer is even more simple than the one we're most familiar with: *When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread and forgive us our sins for we ourselves forgive everyone in debt to us, and do not subject us to the final test.* We learn these words when we are only children, repeating them until we die. What Jesus teaches his disciples is an art of conversation, which is an essential element of any relationship, also the relationship we have with God. Jesus presents us with an opportunity to realize that we always can turn to God with our problems, as well as with our joys, because He is Our Father.

Jesus uses the parable to make us realize that if we ask for something, look for something, we can always turn to the Father for help; that He will bestow upon us His mercy, encourage us and show us the way when we are lost. The most important thing though is the realization that we should not miss the opportunity to enjoy a relationship with God.

Lord, teach us to pray, support us with your grace, so that we can always find time to pray, to maintain our relationship with you.



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**REGISTRATION IS OPEN TO EVERYONE  
FOR ALL CLASSES!**

Please come to the office to sign-up.

Bring your payment and Baptism certificate to complete your enrollment.

Regardless of your age or what sacraments you would like to receive, St. Peter's has a program for you.

Call Justyna with any questions 970-939-5872

**BEETHOVEN**  
*in the*  
*Rockies*  
CONCERT SERIES



**Founded and directed by  
Dr. Adam Zuchiewicz**

**Associate Professor of Piano at UNC**

Friday evenings at 7:30 PM in the new  
UNC Campus Commons Performance Hall  
1051 22nd St

**AUGUST 19TH WITH THE COLORADO PIANO TRIO  
AND GUEST SPEAKER DR. HOWARD SKINNER**

**SEPTEMBER 16TH: BOULDER CHAMBER ORCHESTRA**

**SEPTEMBER 30TH: GREELEY CHAMBER ORCHESTRA**

**OCTOBER 14TH: UNC ASIAN MIXED ENSEMBLE**

**OCTOBER 28TH: LOVELAND ORCHESTRA**

Visit [beethovenintherockies.com](http://beethovenintherockies.com) for more info  
Buy tickets at [tickets.unco.edu](http://tickets.unco.edu)

## Piano and Violin Concert and Art Gallery

At St. Francis of Assisi in Longmont 6-8:30 pm  
Featuring Adam Zuchiewicz and Jubal Fulks from UNC  
Including Scripture readings and commentary by  
Fr. Jim Crisman, our former pastor at St. Peter  
Reception and Art Gallery to follow, featuring  
an icon painting by Robin and Wren Skinner,  
parishioners here at St. Peter



## World Youth Day 2023

Pilgrimage with the Archdiocese of  
Denver July 29-August 8, 2023

Space is limited, so register today!

For more info visit  
[archden.org/eflm/youth-ministry/world-youth-day-2023](http://archden.org/eflm/youth-ministry/world-youth-day-2023)

Or contact [youthministry@archden.org](mailto:youthministry@archden.org)