

# ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 5TH, 2023



“You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden.”

Matthew 5:14

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## 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 1:00 PM  
THROUGH  
THURSDAY 5:00 PM

## 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                                                                                                        |
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| Sunday<br>February 5    | 5th Sunday<br>in Ordinary Time                           | Isaiah 58:7-10<br>Psalm 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (4a)<br>1 Corinthians 2:1-5<br>Matthew 5:13-16 | 7:00 AM ++Hurd & Betty Wright<br>9:00 AM People of St. Peter<br>11:00 AM +Arlene Updyke<br>6:00 PM +Virginia Rodriguez | 8:00 AM - 12:15 PM Gift Shop Open<br>RE Classes                                                                      |
| Monday<br>February 6    | St. Paul Miki<br>and Companions,<br>Martyrs              | Genesis 1:1-19<br>Psalm 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c<br>Mark 6:53-56                   | 12:10 PM +Talca Broacher                                                                                               | 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM Gift Shop Open<br>1:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Begins<br>1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Food Pantry Open      |
| Tuesday<br>February 7   |                                                          | Genesis 1:20—2:4a<br>Psalm 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9<br>Mark 7:1-13                                | 12:10 PM +Victor Gonzales                                                                                              | 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM Gift Shop Open                                                                                    |
| Wednesday<br>February 8 | St. Jerome Emiliani,<br>St. Josephine Bakhita,<br>Virgin | Genesis 2:4b-9, 15-17<br>Psalm 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30<br>Mark 7:14-23                  | 12:10 PM Pat & Jim Musgrave                                                                                            | 10:00 AM -1:00 PM Gift Shop Open<br>11:30 AM Confession<br>6:00 PM Adult Faith Formation<br>6:30-8:00 PM Youth Group |
| Thursday<br>February 9  |                                                          | Genesis 2:18-25<br>Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5<br>Mark 7:24-30                                 | 12:10 PM +Oliva Brummer                                                                                                | 10:00 AM -1:00 PM Gift Shop Open<br>1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Food Pantry Open<br>5:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Ends         |
| Friday<br>February 10   | St. Scholastica, Virgin                                  | Genesis 3:1-8<br>Psalm 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7<br>Mark 7:31-37                                   | 12:10 PM Monica Friedman                                                                                               | 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Quilters<br>Church Basement<br>5:30 PM - 9:00 PM Women's Retreat                                   |
| Saturday<br>February 11 | Our Lady of Lourdes                                      | Genesis 3:9-24<br>Psalm 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13<br>Mark 8:1-10                          | 9:00 AM +Timothy Grossaint<br>+Donald Leslie<br>4:00 PM +Deacon Bill Hastings                                          | 8:30 AM - 2:00 PM Women's Retreat<br>2:00 PM Confession                                                              |

# THAT MAN IS YOU

THAT MAN IS YOU!  
REVELATION OF THE FATHER

**THURSDAYS 6:00 AM - 7:00 AM**  
**ST. MARY GREELEY | PARISH HALL**

Honestly addresses the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, especially those relating to their roles as husbands and fathers. The program harmonizes current social and medical science with the teachings of the Church and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of man fully alive!

## WOMEN'S RETREAT ON THE EUCHARIST

**Led by Sarra Stanley (FOCUS Missionary)**

Friday,  
February 10th

6:00 PM - 9:00 PM



Saturday,  
February 11th

8:30 AM - 2:00 PM

***"after bidding them farewell, he departed to the mountain to pray" and exhorted his disciples to do the same.*** Mark 6:45-46

Cost is \$25 per person:

Register online at [www.stpetergreeley.org](http://www.stpetergreeley.org)  
call or stop by the office.

Informative and inspirational talks, social time,  
Eucharistic adoration, Mass and prayer time.

**Coming this summer!**  
**TOTUS TUUS** 

**1<sup>ST</sup> - 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE | DAYTIME PROGRAM**

**Monday, June 19<sup>TH</sup> - Friday, July 23<sup>RD</sup>**  
**9:00 AM - 2:30 PM**

**EVENING PROGRAM 6<sup>TH</sup> - 12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**

**Sunday, June 18<sup>TH</sup> - Thursday, July 22<sup>ND</sup>**  
**9:00 AM - 2:30 PM**

## Baptism Class

If you are a parent or a godparent of a child to be baptized, our next class will be on Monday, February 13th, 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Please contact the office to sign up: 970-352-1060



## ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## Healing & Recovery from Abortion

Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Weekend retreats offer a supportive, confidential and non-judgmental environment where women and men can express, release and reconcile painful post-abortive emotions to begin the process of restoration, renewal and healing.

### ABORTION RECOVERY RETREAT

**FEBRUARY 17 - 19**

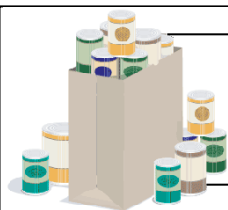
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Contact Lori 303-904-7414 or Pam 720-936-0953

## STEWARDSHIP CORNER

In this weekend's readings and psalm, the prevailing theme is that of light: We are the light of the world; our light breaks forth like the dawn; our light shines in the darkness; our light reflects generosity and justice. Good stewards know they are the lamp, and Christ is the flame that, through them, illuminates the earth. They know that they carry Christ's light in their hearts, and let it shine through their words and deeds.

What are we doing to shine Christ's light on the hungry, the homeless and others most in need of God's mercy? How do we exercise good stewardship over the light of Christ that burns within each of us?



## ST. PETER FOOD PANTRY

*We are in need of the following items:*

|        |                 |                |
|--------|-----------------|----------------|
| Tuna   | Spaghetti       | Various pastas |
| Juice  | Hearty Soups    | Crackers       |
| Jell-O | Canned Tomatoes | Baking Mixes   |
| Rice   | Flour           | Sugar          |

With the very cold weather we also need warm hats, thermal gloves.

*We are grateful for your continued generosity!*

## Bear Catholic Campus Ministry Across from the Presidents'



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## CHILDREN'S CHOIR

**Sing:**

**Sunday, February 26th at 11:00 AM**

**Rehearsal:**

**Tuesday, February 21st at 5:45 PM -6:45 PM**

For more information contact [tomoko.creed@gmail.com](mailto:tomoko.creed@gmail.com)

## PRAYER REQUESTS

**PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST**

Keelan Arbuckle, Baby Barrs, Gary Bellendir, +Annette Sands Botello, +Jamie Bourgeois, Peg Bourgeois, +Deborah Cullison, +Shirley Dillarreal, Angie Garrette, JoAnn Gifford, Preston Gifford, Teresa Gifford, +Richard Gray, ++Rose and Joseph Jelinek, Susanna Johnson, +Angela Juarez, +Edwing Juarez, +Jeff Johns, NJ King, Dorothy Long, Cristin Lopez, +Rogello Lujan, Jerry McDonough, Ruthie McDonough, Michael Milgares, Sarah and Baby Morel, +Pete Moreno, Mary Neuerburg, +Bessie Odell, Jim Patrick, +Rita Paukune, Christine Picarsic, +Josephine Pospical, Penelope Robinson, Collette Roscoe, Joe and Susan Ruck, Jose Omar Sanchez, Dirk Speyer, +Don Teller, Gary Unrein, Sonny Unrein, Crystal Vasquez, +Betty Wade, +Bill White, Augie Wilson, Jim Yates, Joe Yates

## Youth Group

**Wednesdays 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM**  
**in the youth center**

**All 6th - 12th graders and invited to join us!**

## Fr. Tomasz's Weekly Reflection

It's interesting that even in English we have the expression attributing saltiness to a person's behavior, calling them salty when they are acting annoyed. The word referring to salt in Hebrew not only denotes the particularly flavored substance, but also means 'to tear', in the sense of torn clothes, or to irritate. We have the expression 'to rend one's clothes' – it was done as an act of someone deeply repentant, a person who was making an act of contrition or wanted to reveal or testify to the truth. However, the same word was also used to describe the experience of being torn, pulled in two directions.

It's a familiar reality in our lives: we follow Christ, in the same time being attracted by what the devil has to offer. We are indignant at human greed and yet we dream about money. We praise modesty and humility, but if there is someone next to whom we look unimpressive – we fall into envy. We want to be respected, listened to and treated with dignity, but do we treat others that way? And finally, we despise this world as being ruled by the enemy and filled with immorality, meanwhile it is the same world that we all peek at through the keyholes of various screens, magazines, headphones. The symbol of such internal division is Lot's wife, who initially recognized the land of Sodom and Gomorrah as unworthy, sinful, condemned, yet she looked back and became a pillar of salt.

When Jesus mentions salt, He indicates his desire for an unambiguity of his followers, it is a taste of radicality, for which one has to fight with their own demons. We tend to deceive ourselves. That's why God gave us conscience whose role is to truly assess the situation, tell good from evil. The voice of 'salty' conscience tells the difference between pride and dignity, rebellion and defense, greed and self-care. Be like salt means stop believing your lies so much that they seem like truths. It means be honest with yourself, even if it irritates, even if it hurts.

The truth liberates, burns like salt sprinkled on a fresh wound, irritates, but finally also tears the good from the bad and gives flavor to our lives. When Elisha threw salt into the springs, the waters became good and the area fertile. In our lives throwing salt into the springs is done by sprinkling the Word of God into the sickness of our sinful wounds. It does hurt to hear the truth about ourselves, but it also liberates, giving us an opportunity to change, to do good and to be fruitful.

## ST. PETER'S SENIORS

Our next meeting is  
Wednesday, February 15th  
1:00 PM in the Church Basement  
Call Cathie 970-412-8621 for more information



### SUPPORT LOCAL TEENS WHO ARE HEADED TO WORLD YOUTH DAY!

This weekend you met some of our teens who spoke at our Masses, inviting your support as they prepare to head to Portugal for World Youth Day 2023.

Please prayerfully consider supporting them today by visiting this QR code.



*Thank you for your support!*



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MONDAY-THURSDAY 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

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We will celebrate with a chili cook off, desert contest, face painting, mask decorating, live music and dancing!

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\$5 Individual**

**02.18.22  
5PM**

**Tickets will be sold after the weekend Masses.**

**Sign up for chili and dessert contest  
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