



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

OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY-THURSDAY

8:00 AM-4:00 PM

FRIDAY 8:00 AM-12 NOON

CONFESSION

SATURDAY 2:00 PM

WEDNESDAY 11:30 AM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

MONDAY 1PM

THROUGH

THURSDAY 5PM

ANGELIC ACCENTS GIFT SHOP

MONDAY-THURSDAY

10:00 AM-AFTER DAILY MASS
SUNDAY

8:00 AM-AFTER 11AM MASS

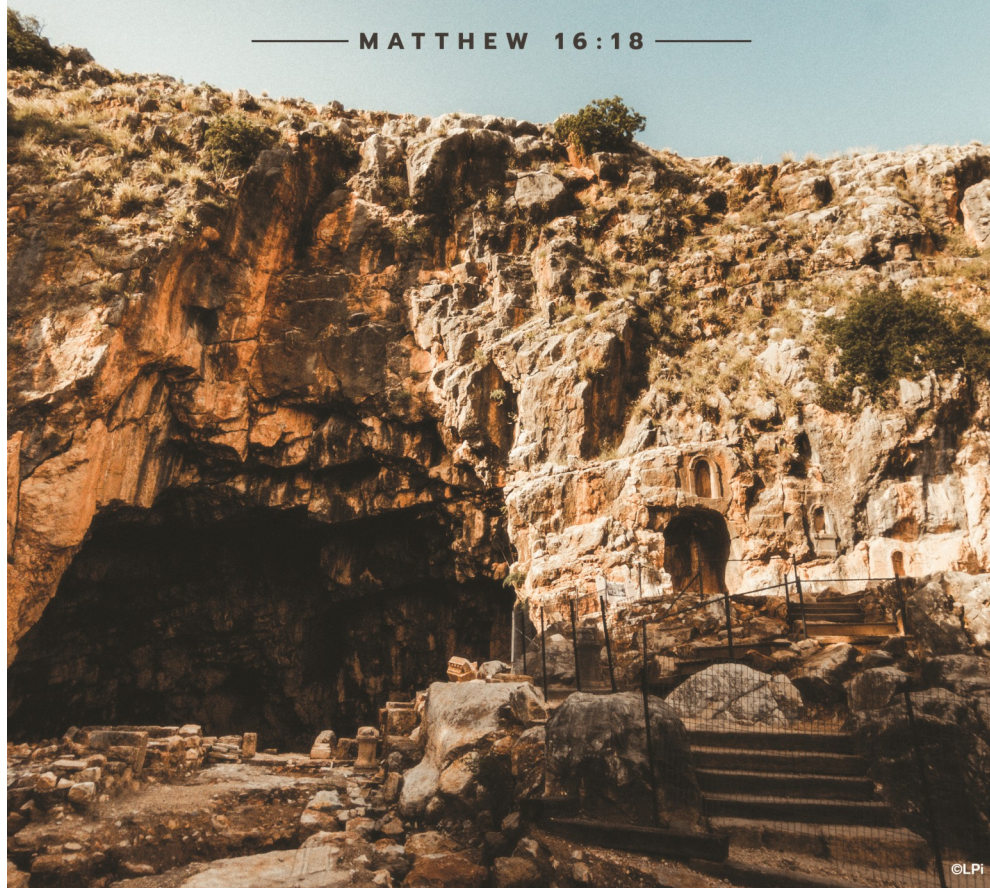
ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

THE SOLEMNITY OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL
JUNE 29, 2025

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— MATTHEW 16:18 —



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	OBSERVANCES	READINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	CHURCH EVENTS
Sunday June 29	Saints Peter and Paul	Acts 12:1-11 Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18 Matthew 16:13-19	7:00 AM +Joel Oden 9:00 AM +Jean Peter Ruck 11:00 AM +Isha Castro 6:00 PM People of St. Peter	8:00 AM-12:30 PM Gift Shop Open
Monday June 30	The First Holy Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church	Genesis 18:16-33 Psalm 103:1b-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10-11 Matthew 8:18-22	12:10 PM +Jon Hergenreter	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Begins 1:00 PM Food Pantry Open
Tuesday July 1	Saint Junipero Serra	Genesis 19:15-29 Psalm 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12 Matthew 8:23-27	12:10 PM Father's Day Novena	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open
Wednesday July 2		Genesis 21:5, 8-20a Psalm 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13 Matthew 8:28-34	12:10 PM Mother's Day Novena	10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 11:30 AM Confession
Thursday July 3	Saint Thomas the Apostle	Ephesians 2:19-22 Psalm 117:1bc, 2 John 20:24-29	12:10 PM Dan Lauters	OFFICE CLOSSES AT NOON 10:00 AM-1:00 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM Food Pantry Open
Friday July 4	Independence Day Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati	Genesis 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67 Psalm 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5 Matthew 9:9-13	9:00 AM +Frances Powers	OFFICE CLOSED
Saturday July 5	Saint Anthony Mary Zaccaria Saint Elizabeth of Portugal	Genesis 27:1-5, 15-29 Psalm 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6 Matthew 9:14-17	9:00 AM Fr. Tomasz, Rob Powers, Randy Post 4:00 PM Montserrat Cervantes	2:00 PM Confession
Sunday July 6	14th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Isaiah 66:10-14c Psalm 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 Galatians 6:14-18 Luke 10:1-12, 17-20		

Fr. Tomasz's Weekly Reflection

On this Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, we celebrate not only two towering figures of the early Church, but also the enduring truth that God never leaves His people without help. In every age, in every trial, God raises up those who will lead, teach, and strengthen His Church. Peter and Paul are not just historical figures – they are divine gifts, entrusted to the Church to guide her in faith and mission.

In the Gospel of Matthew, Jesus asks His disciples, “*Who do you say that I am?*” It is Peter who responds with bold faith: “*You are the Christ, the Son of the living God.*” And Jesus, in turn, entrusts him with the keys of the Kingdom, establishing him as the rock upon which the Church would be built. Peter’s leadership is not rooted in personal strength, but in divine appointment. And when persecution comes, as we hear in Acts, God sends an angel to free him from prison. Even in chains, Peter is not abandoned. God provides the help he needs to continue his mission.

Paul, in his letter to Timothy, speaks of himself as one who has poured out his life for the Gospel. “*I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.*” His words are not of resignation, but of fulfillment. And even in his trials, Paul testifies that “*the Lord stood by me and gave me strength.*” God did not remove the hardship, but He gave Paul the grace to endure and to proclaim the Gospel to the nations. Through Paul, the Church received a profound theological foundation – one that continues to shape her understanding of grace, salvation, and mission.

Peter and Paul are distinct in personality and mission: Peter the shepherd, Paul the scholar and missionary. However, together they form the twin pillars of the Church. God, in His wisdom, gave us both: one to anchor the Church in unity and authority, the other to expand her reach and deepen her understanding. Their lives remind us that God equips His Church with exactly what she needs: leadership, courage, intellect, and faith.

As we honor Saints Peter and Paul today, let us recognize in them the providence of God. He does not leave His Church orphaned. He sends help – sometimes in the form of angels, sometimes in the form of apostles. And He continues to send us what we need: faithful leaders, wise teachers, and the grace to persevere. May we trust in that divine provision, and may we, like Peter and Paul, offer our lives in service of the Gospel.

Thank You!!

Good Ol' Days

Parish Family Picnic

Another beautiful and blessed celebration of Corpus Christi! The Body of Christ was present and celebrated in multiple ways: the Mass, the Procession, Adoration and gathering as a parish to enjoy some food, family and fun!

I would like to thank the committee: Chris Sanchez, Stephen Stank, Kate Shovlin, Carl Joerschke, Teresa & Rudy Santos, and David Ralston.

A special thank you goes to the Knights of Columbus! To **all** the volunteers, thank you from the best part of my heart! We could not do this without you!

Finally, a thank you to all who attended our 5th Good Ol' Days, it was wonderful to see you all!

Humbly yours,
Stephanie Ralston

See you for Good Ol' Days

June 7, 2026



FOOD

FAMILY

FUN

4th of July Hours

Thursday, July 3rd

Office closes at Noon

Friday, July 4th

Office Closed

Daily Mass at 12:10 PM

Daily Mass at 9:00 AM

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

“Who do you say that I am?” (Matt 16:15). The question Jesus poses to his disciples in today’s Gospel comes at a critical turning point in his ministry. Jesus truly wants his disciples to know how they understand him. He, in turn, wants to know if they have the courage and commitment to follow in his footsteps on the remainder of his journey to the cross. He also wants to know how they identify themselves as disciples. Good stewards know they are invited to let Jesus and their faith community call forth their deepest identity as followers of Christ Jesus. What is Jesus saying to you about your identity as his follower? Who do you say you are?

Parish Ministries

PRAYER REQUESTS

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST

Anne Marie & family, Brian and Matthew Berning, Laura & Francisco Botello and family, James Brinkman, Kim Guy, Myrlo Hayden, Randy Hill, Jackie and family, Melissa Johnson and family, NJ King, +Jean Koch, Larry & Melanie and family, +Rico Lopez, +Sally Martinez, Michael Morel, Ruben Sendejo, +Hod Soto

Youth Group

Kickball at Sanborn Park

6:30 PM-8:30 PM (weather permitting)
July 10th July 17th July 31st

ST. PETER FOOD PANTRY

We are in need of the following items:

Canned fruit	Rice	Peanut butter
Canned chicken	Syrup	Canned pasta meals
Individual cereals	Sugar	Pancake Mix
Mac & Cheese cups	Beans	Baking Mixes
Ramen noodles	Crackers	Granola bars/snacks

We are grateful for your continued generosity!

First Saturday Rosary and Chaplet

This Saturday July 5 the rosary will be said at 8:20 AM with the Divine Mercy Chaplet immediately following.
Mass begins at 9:00 AM

Baptisms

Congratulations to those who have recently received the Sacrament of Baptism.

Welcome to the Church!

*Diego Joseph Brown
Everett Capraro Pendleton
Penelope Maria Perez Morgani
Leonardo X Holguin
Ryder James Engen
Rosie Lynn Baumann
Mateo Jimenez Carmona
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Coffee and Donuts

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Young Adult Group

Co-Ed Bible Study

Mondays at 7:30 PM at the youth center

Contact Katelyn Mendoza

970-691-1449

katelyn.mendozaweiss@outlook.com

Text STPETERYA to 84576 to join our contact list on Flocknote.

Moms Group

Play at the Park

Thursday, July 3rd at 9:30 AM

Sanborn Park (2031 28th Ave)

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to join our contact list**



Bear Catholic Golf Tournament

Saturday, September 13, 2025

Registration is Open!

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Baptism Class



If you are a parent or godparent of a child to be baptized, our next class is

Saturday, July 12th at 10:00 AM

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September 27, 2025

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St Mary Catholic Church Greeley

July 6th-11th

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July 13th-18th | Register online
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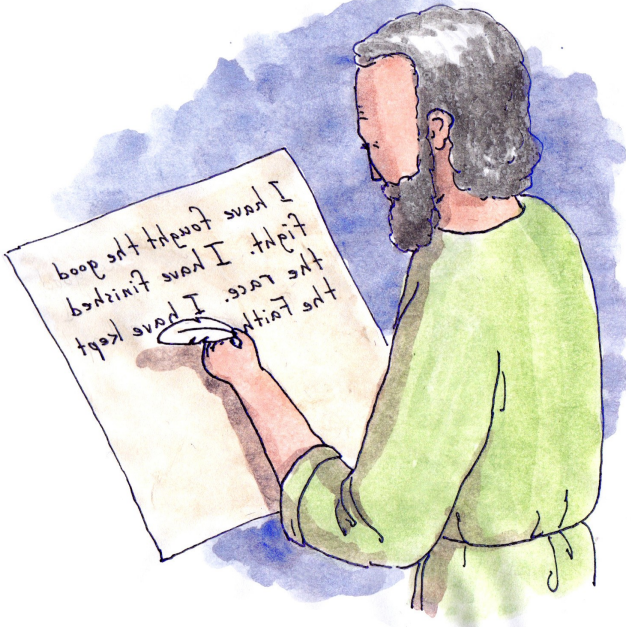


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Answers to True or False: 1. True 2. False 3. True
4. False 5. True 6. True 7. True

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Today is the feast day of Saints Peter and Paul.
Today's second reading is part of a letter
Saint Paul wrote shortly before he was martyred.
What did he say?
Look at the picture in the mirror to find out!

True or False: Who Knows Who Jesus Is?

Jesus asked His disciples "Who do men say that the Son of man is?" See if you know how they responded.

1. The apostles said, "Some say John the Baptist, others say Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets." True or False?
2. The apostles said, "Some say Methuselah, others say Barnabas, and still others say Solomon." True or False?
3. Then Jesus asked the disciples Who THEY thought He was. True or False?
4. Peter said, "You are John the Baptist resurrected from the dead!" True or False?
5. Peter said, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." True or False?
6. Jesus told Peter that the Father in Heaven had told him Who He was. True or False?
7. Jesus said to Peter, "...you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my Church, and the gates of Hell will not prevail against it." True or False?

Church History Part 4 (Last Week)

Church History: Constantine

Church History: The Church Fathers (Next Week)

- Constantine's conversion to Christianity seemed sudden to many, but prior to it, "certain elements in Roman culture were helping to prepare for the triumph of the new faith."
- Romans saw fulfillment in being a good citizen, which included participating in required sacrificial rituals. But "the simple religion had nothing to say about the meaning of life except that men were under the power of inscrutable Fate, which left people free to seek for meaning in any way they could."
- Christianity offered meaning to life that pagan religions did not.
- Constantine credited the "God of the Christians" to his victory that led him to become the ruler of Rome.
- Oftentimes Romans honored both God and their pagan gods, as did Constantine.
- The Edict of Milan in 313 granted "complete toleration" of Christianity within the Roman empire.
- Constantine abolished crucifixion and established Sunday as a day of rest, among other reforms.
- Christianity helped the Roman family by emphasizing the importance of the lifelong bond of a husband and a wife as a model for the relationship between Christ and the Church.
- In 330 Constantine made Byzantium (modern-day Istanbul) the capital of the Roman Empire and renamed it Constantinople. Because of this, Rome was better able to be the capital of the Church outside of political control.
- Once Christianity was widely accepted, the system of bishops presiding over dioceses and priests presiding over parishes began to take shape.
- Around this time the Liturgy had many elements that are still practiced today, such as the use of incense, the sign of peace, the Gloria, and readings from the Old Testament, from Paul, and from the Gospels. The Liturgy was celebrated Ad Orientem, in which both celebrant and congregation faced east, which symbolized the rising sun and the Resurrection of Jesus.
- The Church calendar was a cycle of feasts, such as memorials for saints, and celebrations of major feasts of Jesus.
- Some Roman influence remained; even today, the months of the year and the days of the week are named after Roman gods and emperors.

—source: *The History of the Catholic Church*
by James Hitchcock (available on Formed)

Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati

Feast: July 4th
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Quick Facts

- Born in Turin, Italy in 1901
- From a wealthy family who owned a newspaper
- Involved with Catholic youth groups, and had a heart for social reform and works of charity.
- Was known for donating his money to the poor instead of using it for himself.
- Was a member of several Church organizations, including the 3rd Order of St. Dominic and the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.
- Opposed fascism and was once arrested while protesting with the 1921 Young Catholic Workers' Congress.
- Established a newspaper called *Memento* in which he advocated for social reform.
- Died in 1925 of polio
- All were surprised when the streets of the city were filled with people gathered for his funeral, drawn by his charity toward all.
- Beatified in 1990 by Pope John Paul II, who called him the "Man of Eight Beatitudes."
- Will be canonized in September 2025 with Carlo Acutis.

Jubilee 2025

December 24, 2024-December 23, 2025



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Sunday, July 6th at 10:30 AM
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