

Parish Events Calendar

Monday, April 29

7:00 pm Siervos de Cristo Vivo (Upper Room)
7:00 pm Sacramental preparation in Spanish (O'Brien Hall)

Tuesday, April 30

7:00 pm Siervos de Cristo Vivo (Gymnasium)

Wednesday, May 1

5:30 pm-7:00 pm Catechism Classes (School)
6:30 pm Youth Group (Parish Hall)
7:15 pm Legion of Mary (O'Brien Hall)

Thursday, May 2

6:00 pm Knights of Columbus (Parish Hall)

Friday, May 3

8:30 am-7:30 pm Eucharistic Exposition (Church)
7:00 pm Crecimiento (Gymnasium)

Saturday, May 4

10:30 am-12:00 pm Catechism Classes (School)
1:30 pm-2:30 pm Applications for assistance (Parish Hall)
6:15 pm-12:00 am Vespers in Spanish and Eucharistic Exposition (Church)

Sunday, May 5

9:30 am May Crowning (Church)
5:00 pm Solemn Vespers in English (Church)

Sacrificial Offerings

Weekly giving April 14.....\$8,471
YTD weekly giving.....359,416
YTD budgeted giving334,385
Difference.....25,031

St. Vincent de Paul Society Next Sunday, we will have a second collection to assist those in need in our parish and neighborhood.

Electronic Giving

Paypal or an automatic payment sent from your checking account are two options available to St. Peter parishioners to give electronically. To donate to St. Peter Church online through Paypal, please see stpeterchurch.net/donate for the link.

Sacred Liturgies

Monday, April 29

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: Dave Zebolsky

Tuesday, April 30

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: Sandie Rayer+
6:00 pm Confessions
6:30 pm Mass in Spanish: Jessica Leticia Rivera, Diana Trejo Rivera, Elmer Yovani Rodas, Rivera Argueta Family

Wednesday, May 1

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: Sr. Mary Lucy Astuto+
6:00 pm Confessions
6:30 pm Mass in Spanish: María Fátima Diaz Castelán

Thursday, May 2

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: Grandchildren and godchildren of Jim and Tana Koch

Friday, May 3

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in Latin: Benedict Harvey
8:30 am-7:30 pm Eucharistic Exposition

Saturday, May 4

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: Sr. Maria de Guadalupe of Jesus Crucified, PCC
4:00 pm Confessions
5:00 pm Mass in English: Kaelyn Jensen
6:15 pm-12:00 am Vespers in Spanish and Eucharistic Exposition

Sunday, May 5

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: Emily Sprader+
9:00 am Confessions
9:30 am Mass in English: pro populo
12:30 pm Confessions
1:00 pm Mass in Spanish: Gabino Gallegos+
5:00 pm Solemn Vespers in English
5:30 pm Confessions
6:00 pm Mass in Spanish: Soledad Gonzalez+

April 28, 2024

V Sunday of Easter

Saint Peter Catholic Church



GENERAL SCHEDULE

HOLY MASS

Saturday 5:00 pm English
Sunday 8:00 am, 9:30 am English
1:00 pm, 6:00 pm Spanish
Monday-Saturday 8:00 am English
Tuesday-Wednesday 6:30 pm Spanish

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Every day of the week 7:30 am
Saturday 4:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am
Sunday 12:30 pm
Sunday 5:30 pm
Tuesday and Wednesday 6:00 pm

SOLEMN VESPERS

Saturday in Spanish with Exposition 6:15 pm
Sunday in English 5:00 pm

EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION

First Saturdays 6:15 pm-12:00 am
Other Saturdays 6:15 pm-7:00 pm
First Mondays 7:00 pm-8:00 pm
Second Tuesdays 7:30 pm-8:30 pm
Third Wednesdays 7:00 pm-8:00 pm
First Fridays 8:30 am-7:30 pm
Other Fridays 8:30 am-6:00 pm

CLERGY

Rev. John P. Broheimer, Pastor
Rev. Joseph Broudou, Parochial Vicar
Deacon John J. Zak
Deacon Gregorio Elizalde
Deacon Daniel DeLuca

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Parish Office Hours

Tuesday through Friday
9:00 am-12:00 pm; 1:00-5:30 pm
Closed on Mondays

Emergencies

402-346-9273

Catechism Office

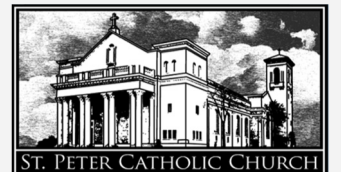
Telephone: 402-341-4560, ext. 113
Email: catechism.sp@gmail.com
Wednesday 5:30-7:00 pm
Saturday 10:30 am-12:00 pm

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This is an ongoing summary of *Veritatis splendor*, an encyclical by Pope St. John Paul II 30 years ago. This was the first magisterial encyclical devoted entirely to issues regarding a fundamental understanding of the Church's teaching on moral theology. It is a magisterial document of the highest importance and relevance then, today, and ages to come.

Chapter Three – Moral good for the life of the Church and of the world – Grace and obedience to God's law (paragraph 102-103)

No matter how difficult a situation may be, the norm of morality must be respected so man can be obedient to God and uphold his own dignity. It will demand sacrifice to uphold both freedom and truth; this can even mean martyrdom at times. However, man is always tempted to break the harmony between freedom and truth. This inner division in man results from him no longer acknowledging the Lord as Creator and instead desires to be the one who determines what is good and what is evil.

This temptation can be overcome and sins avoided because along with the Commandments of the Lord he grants us the ability to keep them. While keeping God's Law can be difficult, it is not impossible.

If you are an adult not receiving Communion, please do not approach the Communion rail. Children who have not received their First Communion should not kneel or stand at the Communion rail. Children are always welcome at Sacred Liturgies, however, if children become noisy and need a break, there are speakers in O'Brien Hall and the church vestibule from which the Mass may be heard.

Vocation Crucifix You are invited to host a traveling Vocations Crucifix for a week to pray for vocations in the Archdiocese of Omaha. There is a signup to reserve your week at SignupGenius.com. Search for the signup using the creator's email olsotszakpak@yahoo.com. Pass on the Crucifix kit to the next household before or after the 9:30 am Mass in O'Brien Hall.

First Saturday Devotions will be held on Saturday, May 4th before the 8:00 am Mass with the Rosary and other prayers. A meditation guide is available.

There is always hope for man in this struggle thanks to the help of Divine Grace and cooperation of human freedom. From the Cross of Christ with the gift of the Holy Spirit, the Sacraments flow from the pierced side of our Lord, and it is there "believers find the grace and the strength always to keep God's holy law, even amid the gravest of hardships."

"It would be a very serious error to conclude... that the Church's teaching is essentially only an 'ideal' which must then be adapted, proportioned, graduated to the so-called concrete possibilities of man, according to a balancing of the goods in question.... Christ has redeemed us! This means that he has given us the possibility of realizing the entire truth of our being; he has set our freedom free from the domination of concupiscence. And if redeemed man still sins, this is not due to an imperfection of Christ's redemptive act, but to man's will not to avail himself of the grace which flows from that act. God's command is of course proportioned to man's capabilities; but to the capabilities of the man to whom the Holy Spirit has been given; of the man who, though he has fallen into sin, can always obtain pardon and enjoy the presence of the Holy Spirit."

The Ordination of Parishioner Brian Hula to the Transitional Diaconate is Friday, May 24th at 7 pm at St. Cecilia Cathedral. The Cathedral will have plenty of room for many, many parishioner to attend this wonderful event in the life of the Church. On Sunday, May 26th after the 9:30 am Mass, we will have a reception in the Parish Hall.

St. Peter Grade School Alumni If you are interested in attending or helping to plan an alumni reunion dinner at a local restaurant, please contact Mary Anania at 402-341-7921.

Parish May Crowning May 5 at the 9:30 am Mass Anyone can bring flowers for the Blessed Mother, but children are especially invited to offer flowers to her this day. Those who have received First Communion or will receive Confirmation this year are specially invited to take part in the procession, but any children ages 7-12 can process and bring flowers. Those who take part in the entrance procession should wear their special First Communion or Confirmation attire and arrive by 9:00 am in O'Brien Hall with a flower to prepare for the procession.

St. Peter Corpus Christi Procession is on June 2.

The Procession will begin in Our Lady of Lourdes Church at 2:30 pm and end in St. Peter Church with final Benediction before 5:00 pm. An ice cream reception will be held in the St. Peter Parish Hall. Pray for good weather.

Totus Tuus: June 9-14 for children and teens at St. Peter Church. Junior and senior high school program is Sunday-Thursday 7 pm to 9 pm. The program for grades 1-6 is Monday-Friday 9 am to 2:30 pm. To register, please contact Sara Jane Koch at sarajcc7@gmail.com. Adult chaperones with safe environment certification are needed to host the program. Please email Sara Jane Koch if you are able to volunteer for half or all of the day.

Friday Eucharistic Exposition is typically offered after the 8:00 am Mass until 6:00 pm. On the first Friday of the month, Exposition ends at 7:30 pm. More dedicated adorers are needed. Contact the parish office if you are interested.

A petition is circulating for an amendment to the Nebraska Constitution which will allow abortion on demand up to birth. If enough signatures are collected by July 13, it will be on the general election ballot in the fall. Please decline to sign this very misleading petition. More information can be obtained on the parish website.

Please Pray for the Sick Juan Arce Peña, Juana Ochoa, María Isabel Arce Peña, Juliana Arciniega, Brigitta Aumen, Phil Bawden, Francis Bogdanyi, Judy Buhlke, Aniceta Carmona Pérez, Carlos Carrillo, Juan Manuel Chaidez, José Lucio Chávez, Nancy Christman, Maximina Cruz, Sidonia De la Rosa, Rick Duros, Kevin Engelkamp, Daniela Escalante, Lilia Gloria Espinosa, JoAnn Foglia, Rosanna Frangenberg, Justina Franquez, Juanita García, María García, Noe García, Dolores Hernández, Octavia Hurtado, Rosalba Kohout, Delores Kush, Jerry M., Francisca Magallón, María de Lourdes Maya, Michelle Methe, Juan Esteban Ocaña Balboa, Javier Oñate, Cindy Ortiz, Carol Ortlieb, Cindy Ortlieb, Nora Guadalupe Peralta, Michael Phillips, John Piper, Susan Polson, Mark Ptacek, Patrick Ptacek, Edith Rodríguez, Jessica Santiago Colón, Matt Shimerdla, Mary Kay Sullivan, María Jerónima Trejo Vizcaya.

Pray for Parishioners Serving in the Military

SSgt. Luke Anderson, Marine Corps
Capt. Jacqueline Baude, Air Force
Senior Airman James P. Carl, Air Force
Senior Airman Reyna Carl, Air Force
Lt. Col. John Casey, Air Force
Capt. Tyler Clawson, Air Force
Spc. Eric Diego Mateo, Army
Lance Cpl. Estrella Flores, Marine Corps
Sgt. Xotchil Flores, Marine Corps
Lance Cpl. Nathan Leuck, Marine Corps Reserve
Sgt. Joseph Methe, Army National Guard
Capt. Nicholas F. Petro, Air Force
Capt. Peter Roach, Air Force
Lt. Mary Emma Schreffler, Air National Guard
Lt. Andrew Steadman, Navy
Ens. Kenneth Steadman, Navy
Sgt. Gerard Zak, Army

The St. Vincent de Paul Society Food Pantry needs crackers, pasta sauce, soup, tuna, canned vegetables, cereal, oatmeal, dried or canned fruit, canned beans, boxed side dishes, mac & cheese, pasta, ramen, toothbrushes, tooth paste, travel size toiletries, toilet paper, small size dish and laundry soap, multi-purpose cleaners, shampoo, conditioner. Leave items in the brown bins at the church entrances. Thank you.

Pro Life Presentation by the Nebraska Catholic Conference and Abortion Dialogue Academy will be on Saturday, May 4, 9 am-12 pm at St. Robert Bellarmine Parish Mainelli Center. Pro-abortion activists are leading an effort to create a right to late-pregnancy abortion in the Nebraska Constitution. Join Marion Miner of the Nebraska Catholic Conference and Katherine Burow of the Abortion Dialogue Academy to learn about this deceptive proposal and how you can help defeat it. A light breakfast and rosary will be included.

Heart of a Child Ministries Celebration of Life May 11, 6-8 pm at St. Charles Borromeo Church in Gretna. Family friendly presentations and spaghetti dinner. Dinner prices: adults \$12, kids \$6, ages 3 and under are free. Speakers Jonathan and Amanda Teixeira will share their story of adoption. Sarah Howarth will share her compelling story of choosing life for her son. heartofachildministries.org