

Parish Events Calendar

Monday, January 29

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

Tuesday, January 30

7:00 pm Siervos de Cristo Vivo (Gymnasium)

Wednesday, January 31

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, February 1

6:00 pm Knights of Columbus (Parish Hall)

Friday, February 2

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

Saturday, February 3

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, February 4

4:40 pm Brief Tutorial: How to Pray Vespers (O'Brien Hall)
5:00 pm Solemn Vespers in English (Church)
5:30 pm Pot Luck Supper (Parish Hall)

Sacrificial Offerings

Weekly giving January 14 \$6,442
YTD weekly giving 236,489
YTD budgeted giving 187,385
Difference 49,104
Seminaries 2,265

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, January 29

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: George Nance+

Tuesday, January 30

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: Strunc Family
6:00 pm Confessions
6:30 pm Mass in Spanish: Eugenia Leopoldo Sánchez+

Wednesday, January 31

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: Abbie Nelson
6:00 pm Confessions
6:30 pm Mass in Spanish: Rene and Juliana Serrano

Thursday, February 1

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: Special Intention (AJ)

Friday, February 2

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in Latin: Richard, Roberta, Laurie Stevens, and Jessica Buresh+
8:30 am-7:30 pm Eucharistic Exposition
7:15 pm Benediction

Saturday, February 3

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: James and Cally Owens
4:00 pm Confessions
5:00 pm Mass in English: Stan and Gretchen Smith Family
6:15 pm-12:00 am Vespers in Spanish and Eucharistic Exposition

Sunday, February 4

7:30 am Confessions
8:00 am Mass in English: Yvonne Soucie+
9:00 am Confessions
9:30 am Mass in English: Altar Society
12:30 pm Confessions
1:00 pm Mass in Spanish: Carlos Luna+
5:00 pm Solemn Vespers in English
5:30 pm Confessions
6:00 pm Mass in Spanish: Juan Miguel Menjívar Guardado+

January 28, 2024

IV Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Parish Office

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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

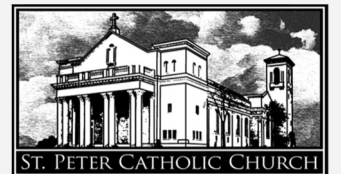
Telephone: 402-341-4560, ext. 113
Email: catechism.sp@gmail.com
Wednesday 5:30-7:00 pm
Saturday 10:30 am-12:00 pm

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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 Two – The moral act

The object of the deliberate act (paragraphs 78)

“The morality of the human act depends primarily and fundamentally on the ‘object’ rationally chosen by the deliberate will, as is borne out by the insightful analysis, still valid today, made by Saint Thomas [Aquinas].”

The “object” of the moral act is the act itself, the action rationally chosen and purposefully willed. As the Holy Father established early on in the Encyclical, our actions for the good perfect us as they orient us toward God who is our ultimate end. The object of a moral act is more than simply an action taken in the world; the object is the end of a deliberate decision which displays the heart of a

person and forms the person. This is why it is the teaching of the Church that “there are certain specific kinds of behavior that are always wrong to choose, because choosing them involves a disorder of the will, that is, a moral evil.”

St. Thomas teaches an example. Someone robs in order to feed the poor. The intention is a good one: to feed the poor. But that action taken (the object) is stealing which is immoral. “No evil done with a good intention can be excused.” Furthermore, St. Paul says in Romans: “There are those who say: why not do evil that good may come. Their condemnation is just.”

Good intentions are not sufficient. The object, or action in itself, must also be capable of ordering us toward God, and when that good action is taken because it orders us toward God it also perfects the person. As St. Alphonsus de Liguori teaches: “It is not enough to do good works; they need to be done well. For our works to be good and perfect, they must be done for the sole purpose of pleasing God.”

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.

The Feast of the Presentation of the Lord celebrated on Friday, February 2nd is also known as Candlemas Day because candles are traditionally blessed on this day. Parishioners may bring their own candles to be blessed at the beginning of Mass at 8:00 am. If you're late, you've missed it.

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 for details.

Old Blessed Palms Containers are at the church entrances for old blessed palm branches from previous Palm Sundays. These will be burned to make ashes for Ash Wednesday.

Vocation Crucifix You are invited to host a traveling Vocations Crucifix for a week. Place the Crucifix in your home and 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.

Mothers & Daughters Bowling Party (ages 7 and up, please) of St. Peter Parish are will be on Saturday, February 3 from 2:30 pm to 4:30 pm at the ICC Bowlatorium. Drinks and pizza (regular and gluten-free) will be provided. Please sign up by Thursday, February 1. At signupgenius.com, search for the sign-up link by the creator's email: virgilgoyazone@yahoo.com. For questions, contact Virgil Gutierrez at virgilgoyazone@yahoo.com. Sponsored by the St. Peter Knights of Columbus.

Pot Luck Supper

The Altar Society is hosting a pot luck supper in the Parish Hall in conjunction with the celebration of Sunday Vespers on February 4 at 5 pm. Attendees may gather at 4:40 pm in O'Brien Hall for a short tutorial on how to pray Vespers. Please bring a soup, main dish, salad, or dessert if you are able.



The St. Vincent de Paul Society Food Pantry needs crackers, pasta sauce, soup, cereal, oatmeal, dried or canned fruit, 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, and conditioner. Leave items in the brown bins at the church entrances.

Community Meal February 17

The St. Peter SVdP will serve a Community Meal for our neighbors on Saturday, February 17, 11 am-1 pm in the Parish Hall. If you'd like to help serve or donate food, sign up online at SignupGenius.com by searching for the email address angwilder3@gmail.com or contact Angela Wilder at 402-690-3330.

Please Pray for the Sick

Juan Arce and Juana Ochoa, María Isabel Arce Peña, Juliana Arciniega, Brigitta Aumen, Phil Bawden, Judy Buhlke, Aniceta Carmona Pérez, Carlos Carrillo, Minerva Castro, Juan Manuel Chaidez, José Lucio Chávez, Gabe Chubb, Maximina Cruz, Sidonia De la Rosa, Rick Duros, Kevin Engelkamp, Daniela Escalante, Lilia Gloria Espinosa, Justina Franquez, Juanita García, María García, Dolores Hernández, Octavia Hurtado, Ashley Ibach, Rosalba Kohout, Ruby Mesa Lara, Patricia López Elizalde, Jerry M., Francisca Magallón, Michelle Methe, Juan Esteban Ocaña Balboa, Cindy Ortiz, Carol Ortlieb, Nora Guadalupe Peralta, Michael Phillips, John Piper, Susan Polson, Mark Ptacek, Patrick Ptacek, Edith Rodríguez, Matt Shimerdla, Mary Kay Sullivan, Rick Swanson, 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
PFC Estrella Flores, Marine Corps
Cpl. 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. Peter Altar Society is accepting donations and memberships during the month of January. All donations help to provide the things needed for the celebration of the Sacraments, priests' and deacons' vestments, and other liturgical needs of the church. All are invited to become members of the Altar Society. Learn how you can help care for the altars and things needed for the celebration of the Sacraments. Contact the office for details.

50th Annual Celebration of Life Banquet

January 31, 5:30 pm social, 6:30 pm dinner at St. Vincent de Paul Parish Center, 14330 Eagle Run Dr. Reservations at NebraskansEmbracingLife.org or call 402-399-0299.

Sidewalk Advocates for Life is a national network of men and women who are the hands and feet of Christ standing on the sidewalks in front of abortion facilities and reaching out to women in crisis by offering loving, life-affirming alternatives. For more information call Linda Carney at 402-290-7920.

Prayers for Respect for Life are offered on Saturdays at 10 am outside Planned Parenthood at 3105 N. 93 St., Omaha.

Holy Hour for Priests and Vocations Thursday, February 8, 7 pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Church.

St. Peter's Parish Knights of Columbus invite you to a...

Mothers & Daughters Bowling Party

Where: ICC Bowlatorium | 2701 S. 25th Steet

When: **SATURDAY**, February 3rd from 2:30pm to 4:30pm

Drinks and Pizza (Regular and Gluten-Free) Provided.

For St. Peter's Moms and Daughters (ages 7 and up only, please). Come enjoy the lanes and laughs.

Eat, drink, relax, visit with friends, make new ones and, enjoy the bowling at a beautiful, vintage alley!

Traditionally, we have held this event on Sundays, but due to ICC's renovations and relocating services to their gym, we have moved to Saturday.

Sign up by Thursday, February 1st. See link below.

Email Virgil Gutierrez with any questions -
virgilgoyazone@yahoo.com



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