

Welcome to the Catholic Community of
HOLY FAMILY & ST. PETER

Athens, IL

SUNDAY, JANUARY 9, 2022

Petersburg, IL

PARISH INFORMATION

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MASS SCHEDULE

ST. PETER

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, 8:00am

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00-3:45pm

HOLY FAMILY

Sunday: 10:00am

Tuesday, Wednesday, 6:00pm

Thursday, 8:00am

Reconciliation

Wednesday, 5:00pm-5:45pm

Holyday Masses As Announced



THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

After all the people had been baptized and Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. - Lk 3:21-22a

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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MASS INTENTIONS

WEEKEND LITURGIES

ST. PETER JANUARY 15TH & 16TH

Saturday 4:00PM † Msgr. Tom Holinga
Sunday 8:00AM † Intentions of Parishioners

HOLY FAMILY JANUARY 16TH

Sunday 10:00AM † Dan & Jessica Muller
(24th Wedding Anniversary)

WEEKDAYS: JANUARY 10TH—JANUARY 14TH

ST. PETER

Monday NO MASS
Tuesday 8:00AM † Intentions of Parishioners
Wednesday 8:00AM † Stewart Family
Deceased Members
Thursday NO MASS
Friday 8:00AM † Intentions of Parishioners

HOLY FAMILY

Monday NO MASS
Tuesday 6:00PM † Norman Wiseman
Wednesday 6:00PM † Melinda Markey
Thursday 8:00AM † Intentions of Parishioners
Friday NO MASS

ADORATION: TUESDAY 2:00PM

BENEDICTION: TUESDAY 5:30PM

RECONCILIATION

ST. PETER: SATURDAYS, 3:00PM-3:45PM

HOLY FAMILY: WEDNESDAYS, 5:00PM-5:45PM

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE JANUARY 15TH & 16TH

ST. PETER, SATURDAY, 4:00PM

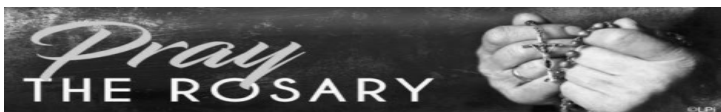
Coordinator: Jacki Williams
Hospitality: Jacki Williams & David Churchill
Lector: Joe Meister

ST. PETER, SUNDAY, 8:00AM

Coordinator: Chuck Muller
Hospitality: David & Karen Devine
Lector: Meg Murphy

HOLY FAMILY, SUNDAY, 10:00AM

Lector: Lambert Fleck IV
Petitions: Todd Corbin
Sacristan: Lambert Fleck III
Hospitality: Randra Church & Kathy Clemens
Altar Server: Monica Parker



PRAY THE ROSARY ST. PETER CHURCH

3:30PM SATURDAY BEFORE 4:00PM MASS
7:30AM SUNDAY BEFORE 8:00AM MASS

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

9:30AM SUNDAY BEFORE 10:00AM MASS
5:30PM TUESDAY BEFORE 6:00PM MASS
5:30PM WEDNESDAY BEFORE 6:00PM MASS

FACE COVERINGS IN CHURCH

Out of concern for the elderly, immune compromised and others we request that face mask be worn during mass. This would include all individuals who are age two or over and able to medically tolerate face coverings.



GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

January 9, 2022

The Baptism of the Lord

"We are called to live our baptism every day, as new creatures, clothed in Christ."

— Pope Francis

What reference point do you use when making decisions? Many times, impulse takes control and decisions are made based solely on emotion and desire. We all know that these types of decisions can often get us into trouble. When a person has a confident sense of who they are and a real understanding of what is important and of value, the likelihood of kneejerk impulsive choices diminishes. Baptism gives us what we need to make well informed and purposeful decisions. By this simple gesture, God claims us as His own and provides us with the identity and purpose we need to properly live life.

It is tremendously reassuring, when we truly embrace this revelation and realize that we no longer have to wonder about the purpose of our lives or struggle to find our way. The answer of who we are in God has been given to us. We no longer have to fumble around, trip over ourselves or walk aimlessly about. Issues surrounding the sacredness of life, the meaning of death, the protection of those most vulnerable, care for the weak and the poor, offering hospitality to those in search of a home, the purpose and proper place of work, how to create a just social order, caring for creation, and understanding our roles as heralds and stewards are just a few of the wonderful gifts baptism brings. When we make decisions based on things such as these core Gospel truths we really act as Christ himself, revealing to others the new creations that we are. This is how we live our baptism.

It is difficult to walk against the tide. Yet, that is precisely what baptism calls us to do. Although we are sinners, in need of mercy and far from perfection we are called to order our life and make decisions based upon the wisdom and guidance of Almighty God. He alone is the one who can claim us as His sons and daughters. Standing up for our principles will not make us popular. But who ever said Christianity is a popularity contest? Baptism calls us to stand up for that which goes against the grain of secularism. Standing in line with other sinners, we have our anchor to steady us in the tempests of life and God is very pleased. Forge ahead. There is nothing to fear. ©LPi

THANK YOU FROM FR. MAURICE

Fr. Maurice would like to thank everyone for the Christmas gifts and kind wishes during the Christmas and New Year's season. May this year be prosperous, happy and joyful for each one of you and especially for our parish community.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR DAILY BREAD MEALS ON WHEELS

Need volunteers to take meals out in Petersburg area, Monday-Friday in December and January. If you can help contact Vicky at Daily Bread (217-632-4314) 9am-Noon, Monday-Friday.

AT THE CATHEDRAL

NEW ADULT FAITH FORMATION SERIES

Are you new to the Church? Have you been away from the practice of the faith? Do you have gaps in your knowledge of Catholic teaching? Or do you just want to know more about what the Church teaches? Join us for a new adult faith formation series on Tuesdays, 6:00-7:00pm in the Cathedral School Library. Everyone is welcome!

Jan 11 – Sacrament of Marriage

Jan 18 – Sacred Scripture

Jan 25 – Our Prophetic Voice in Christ

Feb 1 – Tradition

Feb 8 – Our Vocation to Beatitude

Feb 15 – Loving Your Enemies

ST. PETER & HOLY FAMILY

“GIFT” FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM (K-6)

Call Monique, (971-1704) with questions or concerns.

JANUARY 9, “GIFT” CLASS, 4:30-5:30PM

JANUARY 16 “GIFT” FAMILY NIGHT 4:30-5:30

ADULT SCRIPTURE STUDY

ST. PETER PARISH CENTER, TUESDAY, 8:30AM

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH, WEDNESDAY, 6:30PM

SACRIFICIAL GIVING SUMMARY OF CONTRIBUTIONS

HOLY FAMILY	ACTUAL	NEEDED
DECEMBER 25, 2021		
Envelopes (3) & Loose Cash	\$315.50	
Christmas Flowers	20.00	
Catholic Children's Home	1260.00	
Christmas Offering	815.00	
Immaculate Conception	20.00	
DECEMBER 26, 2021		
Envelopes (20) & Loose Cash	\$1280.00	\$1365.00
Christmas Offering	10.00	
JANUARY 1, 2022		
Envelopes (1) & Loose Cash	\$ 35.00	
Catholic Children's Home	100.00	
JANUARY 2, 2022		
Envelopes (16) & Loose Cash	\$1152.00	\$1365.00
Building Fund	570.00	
Catholic Times	15.00	
Solemnity of Mary	309.00	
ST. PETER		
DECEMBER 25, 2021		
Envelopes (28) & Loose Cash	\$2580.00	
Building Fund	7.00	
Votives	3.00	
Christmas Flowers	20.00	
Solemnity of Mary	50.00	
Religious Retirement Fund	90.00	
Catholic Children's Home	230.00	
Christmas Offering	2232.00	
Tornado Relief	320.00	
DECEMBER 26, 2021		
Envelopes (9) & Loose Cash	\$2515.00	\$2746.00
Building Fund	70.00	
Micro Food Pantry	100.00	
Catholic Children's Home	20.00	
Religious Retirement Fund	200.00	
Catholic Times	20.00	
Christmas Offering	25.00	
DECEMBER 31, 2021		
Envelopes (9) & Loose Cash	\$1190.00	
Building Fund	15.00	
Catholic Children's Home	160.00	
Christmas Offering	100.00	
JANUARY 2, 2022		
Envelopes (17)	\$ 828.01	\$2746.00
Building Fund	20.00	
Solemnity of Mary	116.00	
Tornado Relief	200.00	
Catholic Times	125.00	
Micro Food Pantry	100.00	

New Parishioners

We welcome you to St. Peter Church and Holy Family Church. We invite you to call the Parish Office to register.

Baptism

Anyone interested in having their infant baptized need to attend a pre-baptismal class. Call the Parish office to register.

Matrimony

Couples planning to marry are to contact the Pastor at least six months prior to the marriage date.

Anointing of the Sick

Notify the parish office when a parishioner is hospitalized or homebound. Communion is available.

“GIFT” (Growing in Faith Together) Faith Formation

Contact Monique Sullivan (217-971-1704) to register.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Anyone wanting to learn more about the Catholic Faith or to join the Catholic Church call the Parish Office.

Prayer Requests

The Prayer Chain is composed of members of the parish. Contact Paulette Doellman (217-636-7227) or Contact Meggann Bell by E-mail at (twobells32@hotmail.com) to make a prayer request.



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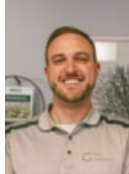
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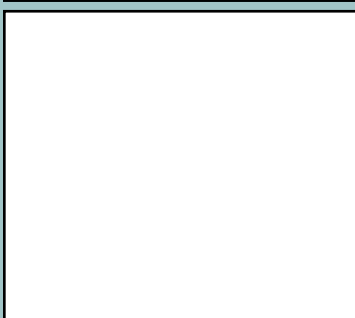
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