

ST. PETER the APOSTLE Catholic Church



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APRIL 20, 2025 | EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm
Sunday: 8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am
Monday - Friday: 8:00am
First Saturday: 8:30am

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 4:15pm - 4:45pm
Wednesdays: 8:30am
First Saturdays: 9:30am

PARISH CENTER HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 8:30am - 3pm
Friday - Sunday: CLOSED
or by appointment

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please stop by or call the Parish Center (ext.200) to register or visit the parish website.

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, FUNERALS

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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are available at each Mass to distribute Communion to those who have difficulty walking to the front. If you would like to have the Communion brought to you, please let an usher know before Mass begins. At Communion time, when you see the Extraordinary Minister come to the back, please raise your hand to identify yourself to be given Holy Communion.



NATIONAL
**Eucharistic
Revival**
2022
2025



Bishop Ronald A. Hicks has designated St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church as a place of pilgrimage for the Diocese of Joliet.
(scan more information)



The women who had come from Galilee with Jesus took the spices they had prepared and went to the tomb. They found the stone rolled away from the tomb; but when they entered, they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. - Lk 24:1b-3

OUR MISSION

We, the people of St. Peter the Apostle, a Roman Catholic Parish in the Diocese of Joliet, a faith-filled people, united in the Holy Spirit and nourished by the Eucharist, strive to be the Body of Christ. We manifest our unity through the celebration of the Sacraments. We pledge to use our gifts and resources to live the Faith, preach the Word, and Service others as we welcome all into our faith community.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday	April 20 (<i>Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord</i>)
8:30 am	†Carmine Novello
10:00 am	†Ted and Christopher Kosk
11:30 am	†Harold Elwards
	†Bruce Gariti
	†Charles and Loraine Weyer
	†Andrzej Szymikowski
	Nicholas Vitellaro - <i>Special Intention</i>
Monday	April 21 (<i>Monday within the Octave of Easter</i>)
8:00 am	†Kenneth and Anna Kron
Tuesday	April 22 (<i>Tuesday within the Octave of Easter</i>)
8:00 am	†Patricia DeBella
Wednesday	April 23 (<i>Wednesday within the Octave of Easter</i>)
8:00 am	For an End to Abortion
Thursday	April 24 (<i>Thursday within the Octave of Easter</i>)
8:00 am	†Deceased Members of the Franz and Ziebka Families
Friday	April 25 (<i>Friday within the Octave of Easter</i>)
8:00 am	The Kveck Family - <i>Special Intention</i>
Saturday	April 26 (<i>Vigil: Second Sunday of Easter; Divine Mercy Sunday</i>)
5:00 pm	†Irene Jaros
	†Dianna Kompanowski
	†John "Jack" McNalley
	†Renee Slighting
	Government Leaders - <i>Special Intention</i>
	For an End to Abortion
Sunday	April 27 (<i>Second Sunday of Easter; Divine Mercy Sunday</i>)
8:30 am	†Andrzej Szymikowski
10:00 am	†Ken Hemstreet
11:30 am	†Bruce Gariti
	†Carolyn "Carrie" Krush
	†John "Jack" McNalley
	†Jeanne Murphy
	†Ida Sularz
	The Krush Family - <i>Special Intention</i>
	People of the Parish

WEEKLY READINGS

Sunday:	Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/ Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12
Monday:	Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/ Mt 28:8-15
Tuesday:	Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22/Jn 20:11-18
Wednesday:	Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:13-35
Thursday:	Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:35-48
Friday:	Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a/Jn 21:1-14
Saturday:	Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21/ Mk 16:9-15
Next Sunday:	Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/ Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31



Anthony Arboleda	Martha Hayes	John O'Dea
Olivia Balistreri	Cambria Helle	Abraham Ortega
Sue Bobka	Melissa Janik	Cliff Peters
Donna Brandonisio	Ryan Janik	Marian Reidy
Ken Buffo	Mary Kelly	Timothy Reidy
Ginger Busato	Sylvia Kleinedler	Dennis Rosy
Joe Busato	Lynne Kryger	Tom Sepka
Santiago Calip	Ruth Kryger	Cindy Serrano
Elio Campanella	Thomas Kryger	Wayne Slowiak
Bill Carpenter	Kathy Nakis	David Snyder
Regina Conti	Brianna Nehf Lund	Belinda Sobucki
Teresa Dassie	Cathy Nehf Lund	Michael Soland
Charlie DeFranco	Sue McNamara	Fr. Miroslaw Stepien
Beth Dobose	Peter Maier	Randy Sweda, USMC
Marie Elarde	Maria Mizera	Dennis Torii
Linda Fischer	Michael Mondelli	Marlene Torii
Geri Gerard	Angie Morano	Holly Vana
Mel Gerard	Delores Olenek	Rose Wojcicki
Giavanna Granata	Don Olenek	Carol Zell
Gary Grote	Loretta Nicolini	

Published prayer requests require permission from the named individual or their family. Names will be listed for six weeks, after which time you may call to renew your request.



**Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands.
Protect them as they protect us. We ask this in Jesus' name.
Amen.**

PFC Ryan Caspary, US Army 101st Airborne
Cpl James J. Cullotta, US Marines
SGT Michael D'Andrea, US Army
MAJ Joseph DeHaven, US Army
PFC Collin Ensing, US Marines
Cpl Michael Fudacz, US Marines
SSG Michael Helle, US Army
Cpl Brandon Helm, US Marines
PVT Aleksandra Juzwiak, Army National Guard
CMC Mike Kaszubowski, US Navy
LTJG Sean Kaszubowski, US Navy
2LT Jacob Los, US Army
MAJ Ryan L. Morrissey, US Army
1stLt John Kenneth Murphy, US Marines
MAJ Gary Owen, Army National Guard
GySgt Marcin Platek, US Marines
2LT Megan Putze, Army National Guard
SGT MacLean Read, Army National Guard
LTJG Albert J. Schrautemyer III, US Navy Pilot (Persian Gulf)
SSGT Jeremy Schumacher, US Marines
LT Robert P. Woods, US Navy
Thomas Zablocki, US Marines

PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear parishioners,

Jesus Christ is Risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Today is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad. The Resurrection has a very special significance in this Jubilee Year of Hope. On our pilgrimage through this life, Jesus' Resurrection anchors our hope in eternal salvation for us sinners. Our hope is that one day we all will live with Christ, who is the anchor for our faith.

In this Jubilee year, we recognize that we are pilgrims of hope in this life as disciples of Jesus. We place our hope in the Lord, who is the Resurrection and the Life, who died to redeem us from our sins, our weaknesses, our brokenness, and who rose from the dead to live to eternal life with God. This ultimate hope in life-everlasting is our anchor, giving us the confidence that our journey through life will not end with the cross or the tomb, but in the Resurrection.

We are so blessed to have our parish designated as a Pilgrimage Church. I invite everyone to take advantage of the benefits of this opportunity in this Jubilee Year of Hope. Please continue to attend Mass, visit and pray in our church, and go to confession — all of which will help fulfill the conditions for a plenary indulgence which can be received for oneself or for someone who has died. (see page 7 for additional details).

On behalf of our deacons and staff, I wish all of you a blessed Easter. May the Risen Christ bring you hope and peace and joy.

This week, I will be leaving to travel on a Pilgrimage to Fatima and Lourdes. I will be gone April 22 - May 2. While I'm there, I will pray for you and dedicate our parishioners to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Please pray that I have a safe and spiritual Pilgrimage. In my absence, I ask you to extend a warm welcome to Fr. Robert Karris OFM, from Food For the Poor, who will be celebrating Masses next weekend.

Remember God loves you, and I love you and pray for you. Happy Easter!

Love and Prayers,

Fr. Tuan

Pastor, St. Peter the Apostle Parish



FR. TUAN, PASTOR

NEW HERE?
Welcome to the

ST. PETER THE APOSTLE
Catholic Community!

WE ARE SO GLAD YOU ARE ABLE TO VISIT!
ST. PETER THE APOSTLE IS A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY
THAT STRIVES TO EMBRACE EVERYONE WHO WALKS THROUGH

WE OFFER:

- DAILY MASS
- WEEKLY CONFESSIONS
- FIRST FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
- SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION
- MARRIAGE PREPARATION
- YOUTH AND ADULT FAITH FORMATION
- BIBLE STUDIES
- COMMUNITY EVENTS AND CELEBRATIONS
- RESOURCES FOR THOSE IN NEED
- MANY MINISTRIES TO BE INVOLVED WITH
- SUPPORT GROUPS
- AND MORE!

Want to learn more or register to be part of our parish?

CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE USING THE INFO BELOW
OR CONNECT WITH US ON SOCIAL MEDIA!

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God's blessings on the newest members
of our Catholic Faith and
Saint Peter the Apostle Catholic Parish

Anthony Franco
Steven Hernandez
Marissa Hernandez
Mark Mears
Matthew Serrano
Debbie Teglia

Confirmed into the Catholic Faith at Easter Vigil
Saint Peter the Apostle Catholic Church
Itasca, Illinois
April 19, 2025

If you or someone you know is not Baptized, or have not yet received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation, please consider the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) next Fall.

Contact Father Tuan or Deacon Bob for additional information.

BUONA FUNDRAISING

20% OF SALES WILL BENEFIT

St. Peter the Apostle Youth Group

April 23rd, 2025

Buona Itasca

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(630) 773-2333

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ST. PETER THE APOSTLE GOLF GROUP

SPRING IS HERE!
It's time to get out the golf clubs!!
EVERYONE IS WELCOME!!!

Where: Salt Creek Golf Course (Thorndale and Prospect Aves.)

When: Every Thursday morning (beginning May 1);

Starting tee time: 9:10 am

Cost (walk/no cart): \$19.00 per golfer

Cost (with cart): \$30.00 per golfer

(Some golfers prefer to walk; some use a cart.)

We have a great time and would like others to join in on the fun. It is not a competitive league, there are no trophies. It's a day of getting together and having fun.



If you are interested or have any questions, contact—

Chris Aument
caument@att.net
630-363-0266



SAVE THE DATE

ST. PETER VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 16 – June 20 | 9:00am - 2:30pm

5-11 years old

Registration coming soon.

Contact Toni Pietrowski for additional information.



MUSIC MINISTRY

Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!

Today, various forms of this Resurrection greeting ring out across every country where Christians gather, and reverberate in untold languages around the world. Christ is risen! Alleluia! He is risen! What pure, unadulterated joy is in these words. What hope! What triumph! Because He lives, we shall live also.

It is so good to gather with family and friends on Easter. Doesn't it feel great to return home during this time? To attend Easter Sunday mass as a family, and to once again join in singing the familiar songs of the season?

One of the hymns we sang during Lent encourages us to:

*Return to the Lord with all your heart,
With fasting and weeping and mourning...*

Yes, we fast and weep and mourn in repentance. Then with clean hearts we rejoice in Christ's triumph over death. But there is another side to weeping and mourning. When a loved one dies, when a relationship ends, when we are jobless, friendless, penniless, childless or any number of situations that cause us to weep and mourn, we feel like the night of our soul will never end. But regardless of how we feel, the Son has risen, and joy comes in the morning. We can accept it or reject it. Joy is not a feeling. It is a confidence and security in our risen Savior. The choice to reject or accept is ours to make.

I encourage you today – lift your head. Dry your tears. You can do all things through Christ, who gives you strength. Allow the Risen One to put a new song in your heart. The song you lost? He can restore that, too. The choice is yours. What will your decision be?

Best regards,

Roberta Moroz

Parish Music Director

OUR PARISH LENTEN JOURNEY - 2025



Satations of the Cross

Knights of Columbus Fish Fry



Friday Evening Soup and Salad



St. Joseph's Table



*Thank you to all who contributed to the beautiful flowers
adorning our Church this Easter season...*



*Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Banas
Mrs. Diane Berardi
Mr. Michael Campanella
Mr. & Mrs. Steve Castellano
Mr. & Mrs. Mike DiSilvestro
Mr. Bogdan Domagala
The Luka Family
The Grothendieck Family
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Florina
Mr. & Mrs. Ted Gamboa*

*Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Goffron
Mr. & Mrs. Gary Grote
Mr. & Mrs. Salvatore Guagliardo
Mr. Jeffrey Holmes
Mrs. Helena Hoyne
Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Kollias
Mr. & Mrs. Witek Kopacz
Mrs. Maria Mariani
Mr. & Mrs. Christopher Onyenemezu
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Pultorak
Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Robertson*

*Mr. Freddie Saavedra Sr.
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Santelli
Mr. & Mrs. Albert Schrautemyer Jr.
Mr. & Mrs. William Schwartz
Mr. & Mrs. Ernesto Serrano
Dr. Eva Sledz
Mr. & Mrs. Stanislaw Slotwinski
Mr. Ralph Spaccapaniccia
Mr. Giovanni Terracciano
Mr. & Mrs. Laura Valeriano*

Donations made in honor or memory of...

*The Adinolfi Family
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Nicola & Carolina Alfano
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Elizabeth Lisak
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 The Roll & Pacione Families
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 Helen Scharberger
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 the Silchuck Family
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 The Slowiak Family
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 Victor & Betsy Smith
 Leroy & Eleanor Sobeski
 John & Marie Spiezio
 Ida Sularz
 Helen Sularz
 Bob Sunden
 Deceased Members of
 the Thude Family
 Alfredo & Lednita Ticsay
 Helen Wajda
 The Walters Family
 Edward & Violet Weiss
 Charles & Loraine Weyer
 Eugene & Frances Wiesneth
 The Wood Family
 Margaret Woods
 Mildred Woods
 Linda Wuerffel

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Below is schedule of opportunities for celebration of Mass,
 Adoration, Confessions, and private prayer opportunities.



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm
 Sunday 8:30am | 10:00am | 11:30am
 Monday-Friday 8:00am
 First Saturday 8:30am

HEALING MASSES

March 1 8:30am
 June 7 8:30am
 September 6 8:30am
 December 6 8:30am



CONFESSIONS

Wednesdays 8:30am (following 8:00am Mass)
 First Saturdays 9:30am (following 8:30am Mass)
 Saturday 4:15pm - 4:45pm



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Fridays 8:30am - 8:00pm



CHURCH HOURS FOR PRAYER

Monday 7:00am - 7:00pm
 Tuesday 7:00am - 8:00pm
 Wednesday 7:00am - 7:00pm
 Friday 7:00am - 7:00pm
 Saturday 7:00am - 7:00pm
 Sunday 7:00am - 7:00pm

NOTE: Holidays and special events may affect these times.
 Visit stpeteritasca.com for updates.

As a designated pilgrimage church, everyone who makes a
 pilgrimage to our church during the Jubilee Year 2025, and
 fulfills the conditions for a plenary indulgence can receive
 an indulgence for oneself or for someone who died.

What is a Plenary Indulgence?

A significant feature of the Jubilee year is the granting of a
 plenary indulgence – which is the complete removal of the
 effects of sin that remain in us even after we're forgiven.

These conditions need to be met for a plenary indulgence:

- Have complete detachment from sin in your life
- Pray for the intentions of Pope Francis
- Make a Sacramental Confession and be in the state of grace
- Receive Holy Communion

After these four conditions are met, a plenary indulgence
 can be obtained by visiting a pilgrimage site.



TUESDAY ROSARY MINISTRY

The Tuesday Rosary Ministry meets weekly in the church at 7:15pm.

Attendees are welcome to lead one of the decades if comfortable and inspired to do so.

Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend.

Bring your Rosary, your personal intentions and your voice.



FIRST FRIDAY EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION MAY 2

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament begins following 8:00 am Mass.

Come spend quiet time with Jesus before this Most Blessed Sacrament. This is a wonderful time to offer your prayers of thanksgiving or prayers of petitions for yourself or loved ones.

To ensure that two people are present at all times, anyone able to commit to a one-hour time slot is asked to sign up. Use the link on the parish website or scan the QR code to sign-up.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED...

Over the past few Summers, the Sunday Hospitality crew has taken a much needed break. The Parish would like to continue Donut Sunday throughout the summer but volunteers are needed.

If you are able to volunteer for Donut Sunday this summer, please contact the parish center.

"DIVINE MERCY,
SWEET RELIEF FOR
ANGUISHED HEARTS,
I TRUST IN YOU."

SAINT FAUSTINA



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY - Next Weekend



PILGRIMS OF HOPE 2025 JUBILEE YEAR OF PRAYER

Father in heaven,
may the *faith* you have given us
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of *charity* enkindled
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed hope
for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.
May those seeds transform from within
both humanity and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished,
your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread
the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth.
To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever.

Amen.

POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION JOIN POPE FRANCIS IN HIS APRIL PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH AND FOR THE WORLD:

For the use of the new technologies.

Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

FISCAL WEEK 40 / APRIL 13, 2025

Weekly Goal **\$11,250.00** | **Annual Goal** **\$585,000.00**

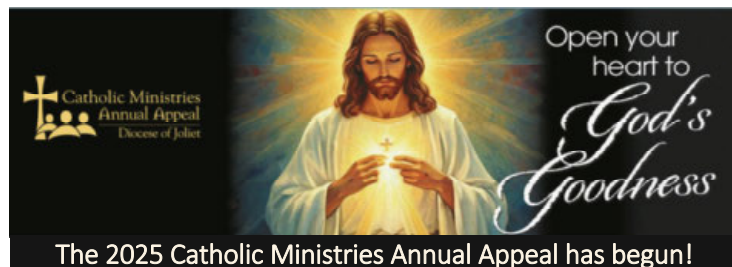
Sunday Collection	\$ 9,947.03	\$ 435,826.48
E-basket	\$ 575.00	\$ 42,489.00
GiveCentral	\$ 830.00	\$ 45,480.32
Candles	\$ 602.00	
Donuts	\$ 102.00	
Transitional Housing	\$ 1,000.00	
Easter	\$ 100.00	
Mother's Day Flowers	\$ 1,979.00	

thank you
for your generous support!

GIVE ONLINE TODAY!

Please visit the parish website and look for the GiveCentral icon to link to the secure online giving portal.

You can also connect directly by using the QR code provided or visiting the website directly at givecentral.org/location/1251



As the Diocese of Joliet launches the 2025 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA), we are humbly asking all parishioners to pledge their support for this important effort, as together we can make a profound difference.

This year's CMAA theme is ***Open Your Heart to God's Goodness***. Through our support, we ensure that the mission and ministries of Christ's Church are available to everyone. Together, we can help provide safe shelter for the homeless, feed the physical and social needs of those who are hungry, inspire those discerning a life of vocation, and aid in the education of our next generation of Catholics. Our parish could not accomplish all of this on its own. As a diocese working together, we can do so much more. Our parish goal for the 2025 CMAA is **\$62,100**, and 70% of any amount we raise over our goal will be returned to us and used fruitfully within our own parish. Please review the materials you receive in the mail from the Diocese of Joliet this month and prayerfully reflect on your gift to this year's annual appeal. If you do not receive a CMAA mailing, please contact the parish office. Thank you!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

WEEK OF APRIL 20 - 27

Sunday	April 20	Happy Easter!	
Monday	April 21	Knights of Columbus Officer's Meeting	MW Hall
Tuesday	April 22	Crochet Group	MW Hall
		OCIA Class	PC Conf Rm
		Tuesday Evening Rosary	Church
Wednesday	April 23	Confessions	Church
		10:30 am- 10:00 pm Buona Benefit Day	Buona - Itasca
		Religious Education	School/Church
		6:15 pm Adult Hand Bell Choir	Church - Loft
		7:15 pm Adult Choir	Church - Loft
Thursday	April 24	Religious Education	School/Church
Saturday	April 26	Confessions	Church
Sunday	April 27	Faith & Fellowship (after all masses)	MW Hall



In honor of Holy Week and Easter, the Parish Center is closed from Thursday, April 17, through Monday, April 21.



LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, APRIL 26 | SUNDAY, APRIL 27

Celebrant

5:00 pm	Fr. Robert Karris
8:30 am	Fr. Robert Karris
10:00 am	Fr. Robert Karris
11:30 am	Fr. Robert Karris

Lectors

5:00 pm	Diane Blackburn
8:30 am	Chris Aument
10:00 am	Kathy Laken
11:30 am	Paul Gennuso

Communion Ministers

5:00 pm	Reetha George Kay North Deacon Anthony
8:30 am	Barb Castellano Phyllis Cimaglia Kathy Frank Marty Hower Sharon Hower
10:00 am	Allyson Fricano Kurt Kaufman Deacon Fred
11:30 am	Carmela Graziano Michael Graziano Edgar Garcia

Everyone is Welcome



REGISTER TODAY!

Many people worship with us on a regular basis, and, in fact, regard Saint Peter the Apostle Parish as their "spiritual home."

If you attend on a regular basis, and regard this parish as your "spiritual home," we encourage you to register as a parishioner. You are most welcome as part of our parish family.

Please fill out the form below and mail it or drop it in the Sunday collection basket. You can also register by calling the parish center or by visiting the parish website.

Welcome to Saint Peter the Apostle Parish!

INVITATION TO REGISTER!

We're so glad you are here and invite you to walk the path to faith with us. The community of St. Peter the Apostle strives to grow closer to Christ in all that we do. We care for one another and together with Christ, we make a difference.

If you would like to become a registered parishioner, please fill out the information below and drop it into the collection basket at any mass or call the Parish Center at 630-773-1272 (ext. 200).

Family Name _____

Family Member Name(s) _____

Addressee _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

E-mail Address: _____

ARE YOU CONNECTED???

DO YOU RECEIVE ST. PETER'S ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTERS?

This is a great way to stay informed and receive reminders about events that you may have forgotten about or overlooked in the bulletin.

If you have access to e-mail, but do not receive the parish's electronic newsletters, then please visit the parish website at stpeteritasca.com to sign up; you may also send your e-mail information to bulletin@stpeteritasca.com. Please be sure to provide your name together with your e-mail address.

And don't forget to connect with the parish on Facebook:



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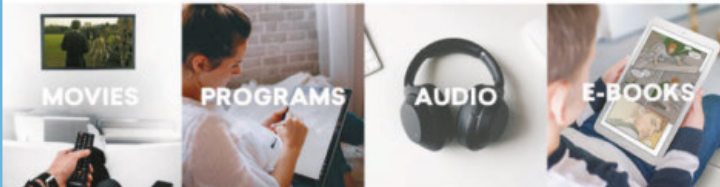
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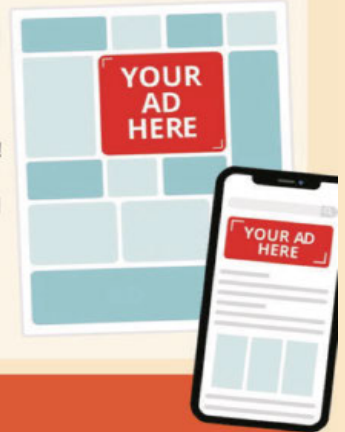
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