

# 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

### CONFESIONS

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.



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



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)



### 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

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

## WEEKLY READINGS

<b>Sunday:</b>	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
<b>Monday:</b>	Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/ Mt 28:8-15
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22/Jn 20:11-18
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:13-35
<b>Thursday:</b>	Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:35-48
<b>Friday:</b>	Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a/Jn 21:1-14
<b>Saturday:</b>	Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21/ Mk 16:9-15
<b>Next Sunday:</b>	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 Szweda, 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
Giovanna 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.



## PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

*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
1st Lt 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

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 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025**

**Buona Itasca**

**1170 N Arlington Hts Rd, IL 60143**

**(630) 773-2333**

Upon checkout, please show this flyer to cashier. Email [fundraising@buona.com](mailto:fundraising@buona.com) to plan your Buona Fundraising event. Not valid with online, app, phone order, catering orders or gift card purchases. Promoting Buona's premises is prohibited.



## 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

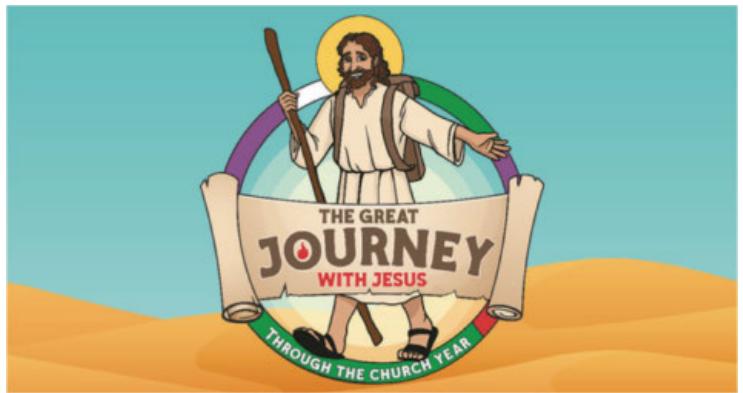
**Cost (with cart):** \$30.00 per golfer

*(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](mailto: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 Maroz*

Parish Music Director

## OUR PARISH LENTEN JOURNEY - 2025





*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 Demagala  
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

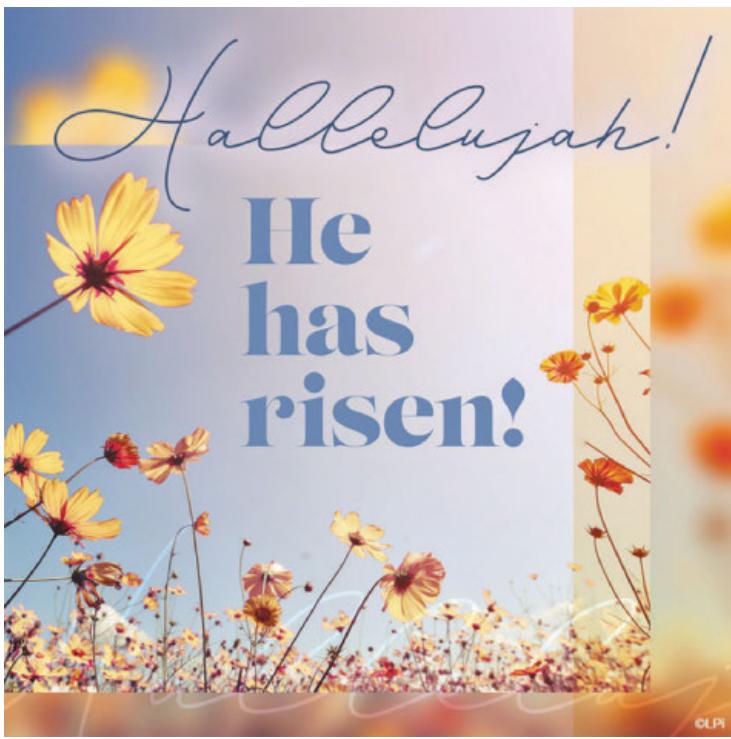
### *Donations made in honor or memory of...*

The Adinolfi Family  
The Affarano Family  
Luigi & Giulietta Alfano  
Nicola & Carolina Alfano  
The Arrabito Family  
Harry Aument  
Charles & Stella Aument  
Beverly Balke  
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Alvin & Mardelle Gerard  
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The Hoffman Family  
Angie Holthaus  
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Edward Kelly  
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Ernest Lale  
Anna Lale  
Tom Landers

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Michael Laughlin  
Mick & Anne Laughlin  
Nicholas & Teresa Leitner  
Leonard Lisak  
Elizabeth Lisak  
Johann & Johanna Lorenz  
John Lorenz  
Sepp Lorenz  
Joseph & Adeline Magnus  
Carolyn Malsam  
Sophie Mandel  
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Betty Owen  
Assunta Pagnucci  
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 Frank Pedota  
 Francesca Pedota  
 Frank Pedota  
 Michele Pellegrino  
 Antonio Pellegrino  
 Rosa Pensa  
 Bob & Tony Phillips  
 The Pucek Family  
 Elizabeth Raiford  
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 Gerald & Clea Roll  
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 Frank Rossi  
 Joseph & Rose Salvato  
 The Salvato Family  
 Helen Scharberger  
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 Heinz & Mitzi Schubert  
 Pietro & Rosaria Scola  
 Angie Scott  
 Ady & Karoline Seitz  
 The Sepka Family  
 Al Serpico  
 Isabel Serpico

Louis & Harriet Serzen  
 Larry Serzen  
 Walter Shaban  
 Art & Joe Sikorski  
 Deceased Members of  
 the Silchuck Family  
 Maria Skotnicka  
 Alex & Sally Slowiak  
 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 & Lednila 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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(scan more information)



**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

#### CONFESIONS

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

#### EUCARISTIC ADORATION

First Fridays	8:30am - 8:00pm
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#### 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](http://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.



### 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



## FIRST FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC 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.



## 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.



## STEWARSHIP 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](http://givecentral.org/location/1251)



The 2025 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal has begun!

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

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>April 20</b>	Happy Easter!
<b>Monday</b>	<b>April 21</b>	Knights of Columbus Officer's Meeting <i>MW Hall</i>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>April 22</b>	10:00 am Crochet Group <i>MW Hall</i> 6:45 pm OCIA Class <i>PC Conf Rm</i> 7:15 pm Tuesday Evening Rosary <i>Church</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>April 23</b>	8:30 am Confessions <i>Church</i> 10:30 am- 10:00 pm Buona Benefit Day <i>Buona - Itasca School/Church</i> 5:00 pm Religious Education <i>Church - Loft</i> 6:15 pm Adult Hand Bell Choir <i>Church - Loft</i> 7:15 pm Adult Choir <i>Church - Loft</i>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>April 24</b>	6:00 pm Religious Education <i>School/Church</i>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>April 26</b>	4:15 pm Confessions <i>Church</i>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>April 27</b>	Faith & Fellowship ( <i>after all masses</i> ) <i>MW Hall</i>



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

### Communion Ministers

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



## 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!

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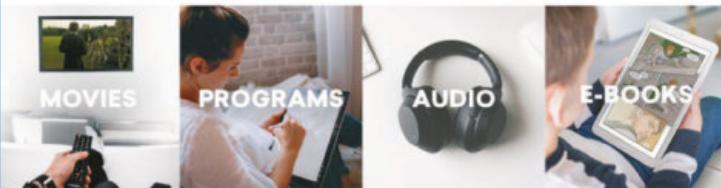
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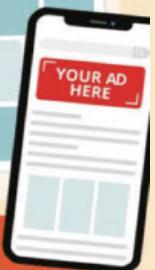
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