

Saint Peter's Parish



30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to him in reply, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man replied to him, "Master, I want to see." Jesus told him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." Immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way. - Mk 10:51-52

SCHEDULE OF LITURGIES

Saturday 4:30 pm
Sunday 8:30 and 11:00 am
Monday-Thursday 8:00 am
Rosary 7:35 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30 pm
Anytime by request

IN YOUR TIME OF NEED

Fr. Michael, Peter Sabourin,
George Murray, William Ballou,
Rebecca Siegle, Sharon Dupre

FAITH FORMATION COMMITTEE

Victoria Neville, Barbara Ramian,
Audra Gaul, Louise Forget
Christine Fung-A-Fat

MUSIC MINISTRY

Alice Bucca, Chris Harris,
Jim LeClaire

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

Sharon Dupre & Mary Sheehan

Rev. Michael Lavalley, Pastor
Rev. Mr. John McManamon, Deacon
39 Church Avenue, PO Box 446,
Northbridge, MA 01534

Parish Office Hours
Monday-Thursday 9:00am-1:00pm

Parish Office: 508-234-2156
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FrMichael@stpeterrockdale.org
Website: www.stpeterrockdale.org

Christine Fung-A-Fat: Administrative Assistant
George Murray: Business Manager

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Louise Forget: Religious Education Coordinator
Email: religioused@stpeterrockdale.org
Phone: 508-234-6355

Elementary: PreK to 4th
Middle School: 5th-8th
High School: 9th-10th Confirmation: 11th

*New to our Parish Family and
would like to join?
Please contact the
parish office.*

BAPTISMS

Please call the Parish Office.

MARRIAGES

Please call the Parish Office at
least twelve months in advance
to begin required marriage
preparation.

PARISH COUNCIL

Barbara Ramian,
Pete Sabourin,
Thomas Heney,
Jeff Roy, Kim Poudrier,
Mary Sheehan

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Thomas Heney,
Jeffrey Thibeault,
George Murray,
Bob Dziekiewicz,
James Archibald-ex officio

Saint Peter's Parish

Northbridge, MA



SATURDAY October 26th

4:30PM **Patricia Patnode** by the Patnode Family

SUNDAY October 27th

8:30AM **Mike Pare** by Sandy Chipman

11:00AM **Laura Caccia & Dale Neville**
by the Neville Family

6:30PM **For the Deceased Members of Saint Peter's**

MONDAY October 28th

8:00AM **SFC Squillachi** by Donna Jean Squillachi

TUESDAY October 29th

8:00AM **Sr. Alicia & her Family** by a Friend

WEDNESDAY October 30th

8:00AM **Anthony Kalinskas**
by Fr. Michael & Barbara Lavallee

THURSDAY October 31st

8:00AM **Robert M. Avedisian** by the Lavalles

FRIDAY November 1st- All Saints Day

8:00AM **For the Deceased Members of Saint Peter's**

6:00PM **For the Deceased Members of Saint Peter's**

SATURDAY November 2nd-All Souls Day

4:30PM **Raymond Renault** by his wife Mary

SUNDAY November 3rd

8:30AM **Gail Ryan** by Fr. Michael

11:00AM **Timothy Cronin**
by his Sister, Niece & Nephews



Beth Trifero-Clark, Nancy Lussier, Becky Jean Cascio,
Gail Arnold, Bill Lavallee, Michael Sliwoski, Alice Bucca,
Carole Neville, Lois Menard, Elaine Nowlan,
Michele Small, Christine Brouillard, John Letscher,
Jeff Thibeault, George Murray, Norman Gauthier,
Scarlett Hubsch, Kyle Osterman, Jeanne Weldon, Logan
Bernard Rich, Lori Alves, Robin Warwick,
Charles Giambusso, Rhonda Lavallee
and all those in our parish book of prayers.

October 20, 2024

Envelopes Weekly	47	\$ 2,039.00
Electronic Giving	17	501.50
Renovation	7	645.00
Music Ministry	6	210.00
Winter Envelopes	13	330.00
Donations		125.00
All Saints		5.00
All Souls		5.00
Parish Religious Education		75.00
Hospital Stipend		600.00
Peace of Bread Refund		51.58
K of C Donation		3,500.00
Religious Ed Registration		90.00
Candles		137.00
Ham Dinner		2,090.00
50/50 Ham Dinner		233.00

Total		\$ 10,637.08

October 20, 2024

In Your Time of Need <i>(Stays in our parish)</i>		\$ 110.00
Propagation of the Faith		239.00
Annual Catholic School <i>(Does not stay in our parish)</i>		75.00

Total		\$ 424.00

Total Weekly Collected: \$10,951.08
Weekly Budgeted Amount Needed: \$5,290.00
Year To Date Surplus: \$7,742.57



A Note From Father Michael

Dear Friends in Christ,

For over a year, I have been meeting with a group of parishioners to discuss the foundations of total parish renewal. Our meetings have been prayerful, dynamic and insightful. All members of the group are excited about the prospects for parish growth and have rejoiced in the strides St. Peter's is already taking to move forward in faith and charity.

The foundation of parish renewal is prayer and a shared vision of what a renewed parish community will look like. This weekend, we will be presenting to the parish what our vision looks like. The elements of this vision are as follows...

We envision St. Peter's Parish to be...

A true family of faith, one which encourages the growth of charity among its members.

A learning community in which people pursue lifelong formation in the Catholic Faith.

A parish that actively reaches out to those in need within our parish and in the wider community.

A place of healing and grace for all.

A church which forms and equips believers to be joyful, enthusiastic, effective and passionate disciples of Christ.

A welcoming parish.

A place of deep prayer and spiritual growth where many are fed in their relationship with God; a place of spiritual nourishment.

A parish with excellent liturgy and the active participation of all members.

In the weeks and months to come, we will be sharing with you more specifics about St. Peter's vision which will be realized through total parish renewal. We ask that each parishioner pray daily for the renewal of our parish in the power of the Holy Spirit so that the good work of God, which He has already begun in us, is brought to completion through His grace and blessing.

*In Christ,
Fr. Michael*



**Tuesdays
6:00pm
in the parish hall**

Discovering a Deeper Relationship with the Holy Spirit Unleash the Holy Spirit in Your Life! "The Wild Goose"

Each week will start with a light meal.
A free will donation will help offset the cost of food.

We will then show a video presentation,
followed by small group discussion.

Join us in a weekly series, where Fr. David Pivonka, TOR, leads us on a unforgettable journey around the world and into the heart of God. We will discover the power and beauty of the unconditional Love of God that is the Holy Spirit.



Saturday, October 26th

Donations are still being accepted!
St. Peter's Parish along with other teams from the Northbridge Association of Churches, will be participating in the local Christian World Services Crop Walk.

Jill Patnode will be leading the St. Peter's team and is looking for walkers to form a team. We are also looking for donations and will have a basket in the gathering area if you would like to donate. If you would like a receipt for tax purposes please write out a check made out to CWS Crop Walk, and we will make sure you receive a receipt for your donation.

If you have any questions or would like to walk please contact Jill at 508-887-6915 or jpatnodekrause@yahoo.com.
Thank you again for your support.

Calendar of **EVENTS**

Saturday, October 26th

8:30am Crop Walk—Village Congregational Church
9:00am-1:00pm Drop Off- Parish Hall
10:00-2:00pm Day of Reflection-Parish Hall
Sacrament of the Sick after the 4:30pm Mass

Sunday, October 27th

Sacrament of the Sick after both Masses
9:30am In You Time of Need Meeting—Church

Tuesday, October 29th

6:00pm Wild Goose Video Series –Parish Hall

Wednesday, October 30th

7:00pm Bible Study—Parish Hall



Sunday, November 3rd

8:00am-12:00pm

Mumford Hall

77 Prescott Road, Whitinsville

Omelets to Order, French Toast,
Scrambled Eggs, Home Fries, Baked
Beans, Sausage, Coffee & More

Adults \$12.00 Seniors \$10.00
Children under 12 \$5.00

Upcoming Collections

Parish Collection

Winter Expenses
All Saints-November 1st
All Souls-November 2nd
Music Ministry-November 3rd



Catechesis of the Good Shepherd **Ages 3-6 and Grades 2-4**

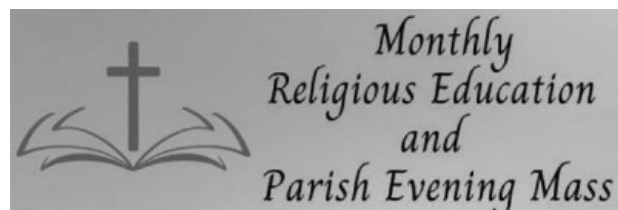
Sunday, October 27th 9:30am-10:45am
Sunday, November 3rd 9:30am-10:45am
Sunday, November 10th No Classes

Grades 5th-10th

Sunday, October 27th 6:30pm-8:00pm
Sunday, November 3rd 6:30pm-8:00pm
Sunday, November 10th No Classes

Confirmation Class

Sunday, October 27th 5:00pm
Sunday, November 24th 5:00pm



**Our Monthly Religious Education and
Parish Evening Masses
are back!**

**Join us for our first Mass of the year on
Sunday, October 27th at 6:30pm in the Church.**

Everyone is Welcome!



Our Parish Holiday Fair will be held this year on Saturday, November 2nd from 9am-3pm.

*We are getting close to our Annual Holiday Fair!
To make this a successful Holiday Fair
we need your help!*

We are looking for new items and gift cards for the Raffle Tables and Silent Auction and donations of Gift Baskets for our Gift Basket Raffle Table.

You may bring in your donations on Saturday from 9:00am-1:00pm to the parish hall or to the parish office, Monday-Thursday 9:00am-1:00pm.

We need volunteers to help set up on Friday and especially on the day of the Holiday Fair. Even if you can help half of the day on Saturday, please come and help.

Please contact the parish office or sign up on the sheet in the gathering area to let us know you are volunteering. (Please don't assume we know you are coming to help.)

Come and spend the day with your parish family!

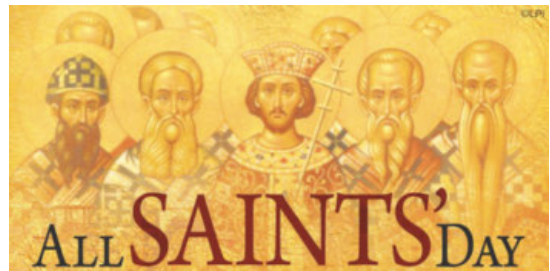


**Saturday, October 26th
after the 4:30pm Mass.**

**Sunday, October 27th
after both Masses.**

Parishioners who would like to receive the Sacrament are asked to move to the front pews after Mass concludes.

After greeting people, Father Michael will hold the brief anointing service and anoint the parishioners.



Join us for Mass on All Saint's Day
Friday, November 1st at
8:00am and 6:00pm

Prayer for Our Deceased

***Dear Lord,
Comfort us in our grief as we mourn
those no longer with us on earth.
Free those in Purgatory quickly,
and guide us in Your will,
so that one day we may all be united
with You, for eternity.
Amen.***

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