

The background is a vertical collage. The left side features a blue-toned image of a church interior with a large, ornate candle. The right side features a colorful religious painting of various saints and angels. The central text is overlaid on a dark, semi-transparent band.

St. Peter Parish, Douglas
Parroquia San Felipe de Jesús, Fennville

ALL SAINTS DAY & ALL SOULS DAY

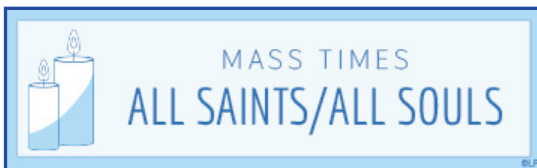
A Catholic Community of Love, Faith and Hope
October 29, 2023

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OUR CHURCH ✠ OURSELVES

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Tuesday, 10/31

6:30pm... All Saints' Day Vigil Mass -San Felipe
7:00pm... All Saints' Day Vigil Mass -St. Basil

Wednesday, 11/1 All Saints' Day

8:30am... Mass -St. Peter
9:00am... Mass - St. Basil
5:30pm... Mass -St. Peter

Thursday, 11/2 All Souls' Day

8:30am... St. Peter
9:00am... St. Basil
6:30pm... San Felipe

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 28

5:00pm *All living and deceased members of
Knights of Columbus by Knights of Columbus*

Sunday, October 29

8:00am *Ron & Carol Powers by Jim & Marianne Hoffman*
10:30am *† Bonnie Tolson by Harry & Dorothy Tolson*

Monday, October 30

8:30am *† Judy Ward by Tom & Patti Reiss*

Tuesday, October 31

8:30am *† Larry & † Dorothy Rasmussen by St. Peter Parish*

Wednesday, November 1 (All Saints' Day)

8:30am *† Larry & † Dorothy Rasmussen by St. Peter Parish*
5:30am *† Fr. Oscar Mondono by St. Peter Parish*

Thursday, November 2 (All Souls' Day)

8:30am *† Luis Angel Ramirez & † Maria Celia Rios by Fr. Evelio*

Friday, November 3

8:30am *In reparation for sins committed against the
Sacred Heart of Jesus*

Saturday, November 4

8:30am *In reparation for sins committed
against the Immaculate Heart of Mary*
5:00pm *Deanna Pappas by Jim & Marianne Hoffman*

Sunday, November 5

8:00am *† John Blair by Susan Blair*
10:30am *† Lois Ann Ceriola by Celeste Teters*



This is your **LAST CHANCE** to buy a candle for **ALL SOULS' DAY.**

There are binders with sign up slips on the snack bar in the Gathering Space.

We remember in prayer...

Al & Mary Ellingsen	Don Wobith	Jeff Rissover	Madison McAllister	Stephen & Marie Johandes
Ann Marie Sevic	Dorothy Lockwood	Jeff Torrell	Marian Hagenaur	Steve VanHoof
Annette Simaz	Fr. Don Klingler	Jeffrey Wasilevich	Mary Ann Skaja	Terry Hemmeke
Bill & Toni Alwin	Fr. Fabio Garzon,VF	Jerry Nielson	Michael DeRosa	Teil Lindgren
Billy Pringle	Joann Otlewski	Jessica Neely	Mick Wenlock	Vicky Zeman
Brian Sessions	Fr. John Flynn, OSA	Joe Schalte	Paul Vermuelen	<i>and all our parish family</i>
Candi Schmuck	Frances Byk	John Vermulen	Paula Glennie	<i>and friends who need</i>
Carol Powers	Heather Botz	Kathy Drummett	Patrick Dargis	<i>continued prayers. The</i>
Chad DeWitt	Heidi Ann Hebrank	Laura Falk	Randy Reimers	<i>group will continue to pray</i>
Dcn. Tony	Isa Rodriguez-	Libby Westrate	Regina Johandes	<i>for your request until they</i>
Nethercott	Kupres	Lorrie Gaunt	Rob Munski	<i>hear differently from you.</i>
Don Karaus	Janet Fahey	Lynne Adamczyk	Saul Suarez, Jr.	
	Janet Schneider	Lynn Dixon	Stephen Marsh	



THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

SUNDAY, 10/29

8:00am...Mass
 9:10am-10:20am...Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
 (school building)
 10:30am...Mass

MONDAY, 10/30

8:30am...Mass
 6:00-7:00pm...Tribunal Training (School Building)

TUESDAY, 10/31

8:30am...Mass
 9:30-11:00am...Open Vessels
 5:00-8:00pm...Eucharistic Exposition

WEDNESDAY, 11/1 (Holy Day of Obligation)

8:30am...Mass
 5:30pm...Mass

THURSDAY, 11/2 (All Souls' Day)

8:30am...Mass

FRIDAY, 11/3

8:30am...Mass
 9:00am-Noon...Eucharistic Exposition

SATURDAY, 11/4

8:00am-10:00am...Catholic Men's Fellowship (school building)
 3:30pm-4:30pm...Reconciliation
 8:30am...Mass followed by 1st Saturday devotions
 5:00pm...Mass

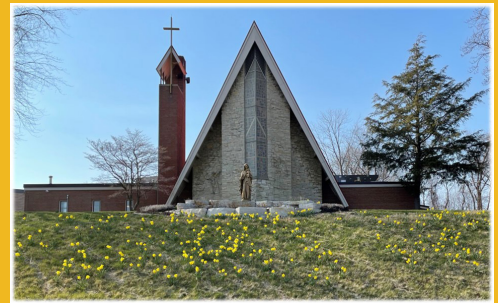
NEXT SUNDAY, 11/5

8:00am...Mass
 9:10am-10:20am...Family Faith Formation/CGS
 (school building)
 10:30am...Mass



**Don't forget to turn back your clock before
bed on Saturday, November 4.**

Calling all Daffodil Planters!



This Monday, October 30 at 11am we will be planting 1,000 daffodils to make our bank look even more spectacular next spring. If you can help us please let us know! Email Denise Adams draeadams@gmail.com or Jane Dreyer janem.dreyer@gmail.com.

Readings for the week of October 29

Sunday: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 (2)/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40

Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Ps 68:2 and 4, 6-7ab, 20-21/Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25/Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6/Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: All Saints, Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

Thursday: All Souls' Day, Wis 4:7-14/Ps 25:6, and 7b, 17-18, 20-21/Rom 5:17-21/Mt 11:25-30

Friday: St. Martin de Porres, Religious, Rom 9:1-5/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop, Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18/Lk 14:1, 7-11

Next Sunday: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time; Daylight Saving Time Ends; National Vocation Awareness Week, Mal 1:14b—2:2b, 8-10/Ps 131:1, 2, 3/1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13/Mt 23:1-12

Saint Peter	Mass Schedule	San Felipe de Jesús	Mass in our Collaborative
100 Saint Peter Drive Douglas, MI 49406 www.stpeter-douglas.org Parish Office Hours: M-F 8:30am-2:00pm 269-857-7951 facebook@stpeterdouglas Both Sunday Masses are live streamed on our facebook page.	Sunday: 8:00am & 10:30am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:30am Wednesday: No Mass Saturday: 5:00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation 3:30-4:30 or by appointment	5586 117th Ave Fennville, MI 49408 www.sanfelipe-fennville.org Parish Office 269-561-5029 facebook.com/parroquia.s.dejesus Parish Coordinator Joe Marble 269-501-9865 joe.marble@stpeter-douglas.org	San Felipe, Fennville Sunday: 12:30pm Thursday: 6:30pm St. Basil, South Haven Saturday: 5:00pm 7:00pm (en Español) Sunday: 9:00am & 11:00am Monday: No Mass



Rick Hardy
Pastoral Associate

Sensus Fidelium

From last week's Greek word, "synod," we come this week to a time-honored Latin expression, *Sensus Fidelium*, meaning "the sense of the faithful." In broad terms, this means that, when the people of the Church hold a belief in common, it is likely that this belief is true. In fact, one of my favorite quotes from the Dogmatic Constitution on the Church (1964) is this: *The entire body of the faithful, anointed as they are by the Holy One, cannot err in matters of belief. (Lumen Gentium, #12)*

There is more; the document goes on to define how this works and how critical it is that the entire body of the faithful be included whenever this principle is invoked to make a point about what the Church believes and teaches. For the sake of brevity, it's like this: *Sensus Fidelium* expresses our confidence in the presence and work of the Holy Spirit in the life of the Church. But it cannot be taken lightly and is sometimes misused.

First a couple of examples of the *Sensus Fidelium* at work:

Jesus is one person with two natures, namely, divine and human. Jesus is both God and Man. As you may know, this was not settled until the fourth century. The prevailing contrary belief at the time was *Arianism*, which held that Jesus was an especially wonderful, gifted, blessed, and special human being, but that He was not God. Many of the bishops of the Church at that time agreed with the Arian view. But the people of the Church overwhelmingly believed in the dual nature of Jesus, and the bishops finally came around. The Nicene Creed is the product of this very spirited debate. But, to be clear, *Sensus Fidelium* does not pit the laity against the bishops; it takes unity among all of the faithful, laity and bishops alike, to qualify as an example of *Sensus Fidelium*.

Two other famous examples involve Mary, the mother of Jesus. The idea that she was chosen by God to be the Mother of Jesus before she was even conceived (Immaculate Conception) is something that everybody pretty much always believed. The same is true for the belief that she was assumed into heaven, body and soul, saving her body from the corruption of the grave. Because everybody believed in both of these, they were defined as dogmas of the Church in the 19th century by the reigning pope in the time of each. The essential points of this exercise is to be clear about two things: First, if the entire Church believes

something related to faith and morals, and if by "entire" we understand that both laity and hierarchy are fully involved, and that the Magisterium (teaching authority) of the Church is respected, then it can be said that the *Sensus Fidelium* is at work. Second, *Sensus Fidelium* is not a way of developing doctrine via public opinion, nor of justifying defiance of Church teaching simply because a lot of people agree to do so.

So, how might the Church come to know the *Sensus Fidelium*? In other words, how do we know what "everybody" believes? For the hierarchy, a Council can be such a mechanism. The bishops, gathered in dialogue and prayer, can and do produce authoritative teachings. Another mechanism for assessing the *Sensus Fidelium* is a Synod, such as the one taking place right now.

The Synod does not make decisions or define doctrines or even disciplines. It is a dialogue, conducted within a structured process so that the hierarchy, whose head is the Holy Father, can know the insights, opinions, and perspectives of the universal Church. (The Synod taking place in Rome today comes after nearly two years of local consultations around the world.)

The *Sensus Fidelium* has guided the Church since the beginning, and, properly understood and applied, will continue to be a profound expression of the work of the Holy Spirit in the Body of Christ.



Lecture Series: "The Thinking Catholic"

Wednesday, November 8
at 6:30pm
in the school building.

New format: More relaxed pace,
more interaction. Don't miss it!



Monday, October 30

- 4:00-5:00pm- meeting with the staff/clergy who work with couples going through the annulment process.
- 6:00-7:00pm- an informational presentation open to all on what an annulment is and what an annulment is not.



Saturday, November 11 at 10:00am

St. Augustine Cathedral in Kalamazoo
with Bishop Edward Lohse


Alexander Cernugel - Noah Conklin - Jorge Espino Jr. -
Claire Gemeinhardt - Isabela Rodriguez-Kupres -
Julia Lowery - Brooks Massing - Erick Morales -
Catherine Przybocki - Avery Smith

All are welcome to join the Candidates and their families on November 11 at the Cathedral.

SOUP-TOBER 2023

OCTOBER 1-31



- Text **SOUP** to 44-321 to donate
- Donate with this **QR code** 
- Donate on-line at www.alleganfoundation.org
- Mail a donation made out to: **ACCF, 112 Locust Street Allegan, MI 49010** in the memo line please note **SOUP**



Soup-tober concludes at the end of this month. So far, the people of St. Peter have collected over 500 cans of soup. Nice work! But the question is, can we hit 700? Let's do it! Everybody bring a whole bunch of soup here next weekend, ok?

Christian Neighbors needs stuffing mix!

It's November, and with it comes Christian Neighbors' distribution of Thanksgiving Meal Kits to area low-income families - a 43-year-old tradition in our community. In 2022, 90 volunteers organized, packed and distributed 340 meal kits that fed nearly 1000 area residents a complete Thanksgiving meal. This year, our church is being asked to collect Stuffing Mix to contribute to these meals. It is through the kindness and generosity from our community that Christian Neighbors is able to provide this special holiday meal to those in need. **Collection Baskets are in the Gathering Space.** Thanks for your generosity!



Sunday, November 5 at 9:10am

All Faith Formation classes are in session



One of CGS practical life works is hand washing (just like how Fr. Evelio does it).



Kids Club finished their lesson on St. Francis of Assisi by making bird feeders.



Return your filled Box of Joy by November 5.

50 packed boxes have been returned so far!!

FOR CHILDREN WHO WISH
FOR JUST ONE GIFT

The Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service (CBAR) has been established to receive reports of sexual abuse and related misconduct by bishops and to relay those reports to proper Church authorities for investigation.

To make a report, visit ReportBishopAbuse.org or phone (800) 276-1562. When a report includes a crime, such as the sexual abuse of a minor, it will also be reported to civil authorities. Otherwise, reports will be kept confidential.



SACRAMENTO DE CONFIRMACIÓN

Sábado 11 de Noviembre a las 10:00am

Catedral de San Agustín en Kalamazoo
con el obispo Edward Lohse

Adán Ruvira - Adrián Deciano Salinas -
Agustín De Lucas - Alex Salinas - Alexis Palacios -
Alondra Martínez Aguilar - Ángel Villalobos -
Dulce Yvette García - Efraín Peralta Salinas -
Giovanni González - Isaías Salamanca Salazar -
Iván García - Jesús López - José De Lucas -
José Fernández - José Ruvira - Juan Rosas -
Julissa De Lucas - Luis Ruvira - Luseidy Salamanca
Salazar - Mary Carmen Carranza - Melanie Soriano -
Nayla Sustaita - Noelia Salazar

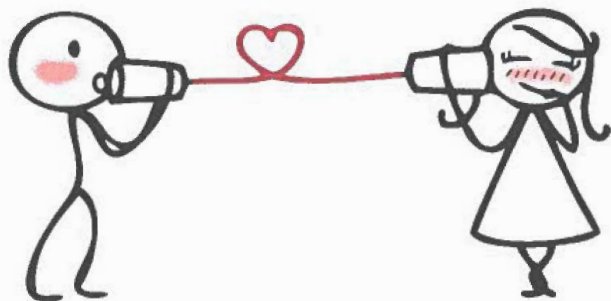
Todos son bienvenidos a unirse a los Candidatos y sus familias el 11 de Noviembre en la Catedral.



No olvides retroceder el reloj antes de acostarte el Sábado 4 de Noviembre.



Matrimonio en sintonía



**Un matrimonio exitoso se construye con
AMOR incondicional
confianza, amistad, integridad, apoyo mutuo y
COMUNICACIÓN profunda y cariñosa.**

**Mejoren su comunicación y revivan el amor,
asistan a una Experiencia del
Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial el Próximo
Noviembre 3-5, 2023**

**Agustín ♥ María Cruz (231) 245-5130
Domingo ♥ Laura Duran (269) 547-5522
Antonio ♥ Delfina Sánchez (616) 437-0701**



¡Tu Generosidad fue motor del cambio este Domingo Mundial de las Misiones - Gracias! La participación en el Domingo Mundial de las Misiones ha sido conmovedora. Al extender tu generosidad a la Sociedad para la Propagación de la Fr, ha dado fuerza al cambio, apoyando a misioneros en todo el mundo, alimentando a los hambrientos y ayudando a contruir la Iglesia en las misiones del Papa. Tus donativos, junto con innumerables otro, fueron la shispa que encendio los "corazones fervientes"!

Que el Señor te bendiga por haber encarnado el verdadero espíritu misionero.

El Servicio de Denuncias de Abuso de Obispos Católicos se ha establecido para recibir denuncias de abuso sexual y mala conducta de los obispos y transmitir esos informes a las autoridades eclesásticas correspondientes para su investigación. Para hacer un informe, visite ReportBishopAbuse.org o teléfono (800) 276-1562.

Esta semana en nuestra parroquia...

Domingo, 29 de Octubre

11:00am...Catequesis

12:30pm...Misa

5:00pm...Catequesis del 2º año para la confirmación

Martes, 31 de Octubre

6:30pm... Misa de Todos los Santos (Día de Precepto)

Jueves, 2 de Noviembre

5:30pm...Rosario (#16 de los 46 Rosarios a la Virgen)

6:30pm...Misa

Domingo, 5 de Noviembre

11:00am...Catequesis

12:30pm...Misa

5:00pm...Catequesis del 2º año para la confirmación

INFORME DE OFERTORIO PARROQUIAL

Domingo, 22 de Octubre

Colecta del Domingo:

\$1,003.50

Venta de comida:

\$448.00

Segunda colecta para el Domingo
mundial de las misiones

\$225.00



Domingo, 29 de Octubre,
† Maria Celia Rios y † Luis Angel Ramirez

Jueves, 2 de Noviembre,
*Por todos los difuntos de la parroquia
San Felipe de Jesús.*

Lecturas de la semana del 29 de Octubre

Domingo: 30º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Ex 22, 20-26/Sal 17, 2-3. 3-4. 47. 51 (2)/1 Tes 1,
5-10/Mt 22, 34-40

Lunes:

Rom 8, 12-17/Sal 67, 2 y 4. 6-7. 20-21/Lc 13, 10-17

Martes: Víspera de todos los Santos (EEUU)
Rom 8, 18-25/Sal 125, 1-2. 2-3. 4-5. 6/Lc 13, 18-21

Miércoles: Día de Todos los Santos

Ap 7, 2-4. 9-14/Sal 23, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/1 Jn 3, 1-3/Mt 5, 1-12

Jueves: Conmemoración de Todos los Fieles Difuntos; Día de los Muertos

Sab 4, 7-14/Sal 24, 6. y 7. 17-18. 20-21/Rom 5, 17-21/Mt 11, 25-30

Viernes: San Martín de Porres, religioso

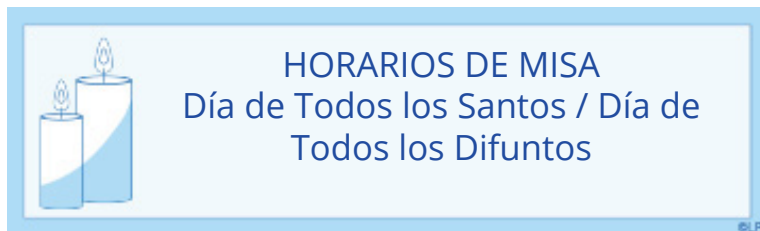
Rom 9, 1-5/Sal 147, 12-13. 14-15. 19-20/Lc 14, 1-6

Sábado: San Carlos Borromeo, obispo

Rom 11, 1-2. 11-12. 25-29/Sal 93, 12-13. 14-15. 17-18/Lc 14, 1. 7-11

Domingo siguiente: 31er Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario; Fin del horario de verano; Semana Nacional de las Vocaciones

Mal 1, 14—2, 2. 8-10/Sal 130, 1. 2. 3/1 Tes 2, 7-9. 13/Mt 23, 1-12



Martes, 31 de Oct.

6:30pm... Misa de Vigilia de Todos los Santos -San Felipe

7:00pm... Misa de Vigilia del Día de Todos los Santos -San Basilio

Miércoles, 1 de Nov. Día de Todos los Santos

8:30 am... Misa -San Pedro

9:00 am... Misa - San Basilio

5:30 pm... Misa -San Pedro

Jueves, 2 de Nov. Día de Todos los Difuntos

8:30 am... San Pedro

9:00 am... San Basilio

6:30pm...San Felipe

