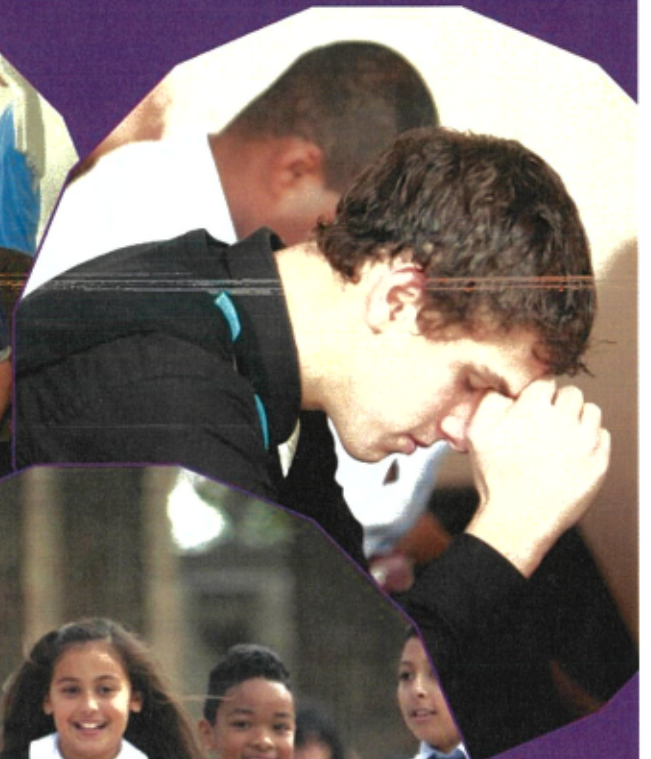




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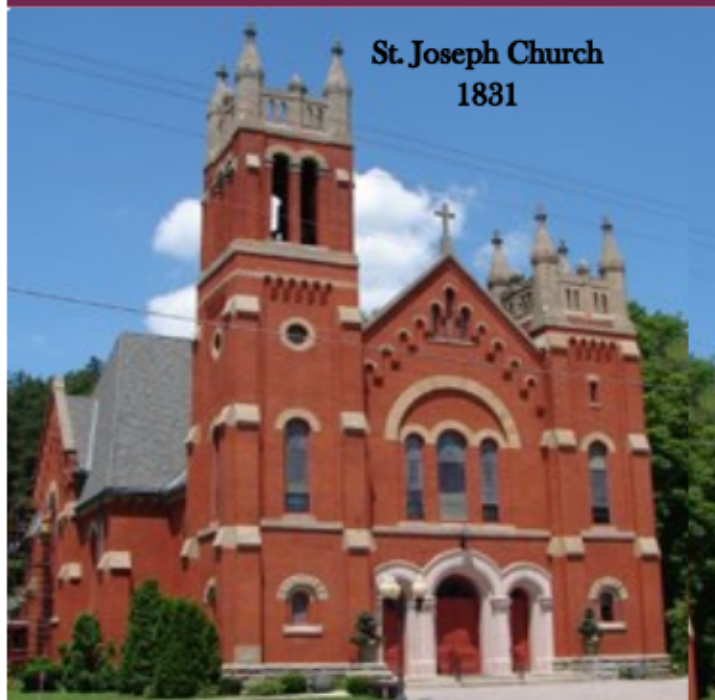


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Mass Times

St. Joseph

Mon & Wed 8:30

2nd & 4th Wed 6:00 PM

Saturday 4:30 PM
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Reconciliation

Saturday 8:30 AM

St. Peter

Tues & Thur 9:00

1st & 3rd Wed 6:00 PM

Sunday 10:00 AM
(Mass will be livestreamed)

Reconciliation

Tues & Thur 8:30 AM



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February 19, 2023

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Pastorate Parish Events

Saturday, February 18

8:30 a.m. **Reconciliation at St. Joseph**

4:30 p.m. **Mass at St. Joseph**

Sunday, February 19

Diocesan Appeal 2023

LAST DAY Collecting Last Year's Palms

8:00 a.m. **Mass at St. Joseph**

8:50—9:50 a.m. *PSR Class at St. Peter*
Youth Group—St. Peter Hall

10:00 a.m. **Mass at St. Peter**

Monday, February 20 ~ Presidents Day

School Closed

Third Project of the Month

9:00 a.m. **Fiat 90** (Rectory)

5:00 p.m. **TOPS Group** (Meeting Room)

6:30 p.m. **OCIA**

Tuesday, February 21

8:30 a.m. **NO Reconciliation**

9:00 a.m. **NO Mass**

9:30 a.m. **Coffee & Conversation** (St. Peter Hall)

Feast of the Chair of St. Peter

5:30 p.m. **Liturgy**

6:00 p.m. **Mass**

6:30 p.m. **Dinner in Hall**

Wednesday, February 22 ~ Ash Wednesday

8:30 a.m. **Mass at St. Joseph w/students**

6:00 p.m. **Mass at St. Peter**

6:30 p.m. **Fiat 90** (St. Peter Hall)

Thursday, February 23

8:30 a.m. **Reconciliation at St. Peter**

9:00 a.m. **Mass at St. Peter**

1:30 p.m. **Lenten Faith Sharing Group**
(St. Peter Hall)

6:30 p.m. **St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting**
(St. Peter Hall)

Friday, February 24—NO Mass

4:30 p.m. **Stations of the Cross at St. Joseph**

5:00~7:00pm **Fish Fry—Gaudete Hall**

7:00 p.m. **Stations of the Cross at St. Peter**

Saturday, February 25

8:30 a.m. **Reconciliation at St. Joseph**

10:30 a.m. **Pastorate 1st Reconciliation~St. Joseph**

4:30 p.m. **Mass at St. Joseph**

Sunday, February 26

Food Shelf Sunday

8:00 a.m. **Mass at St. Joseph**

8:50—9:50 a.m. *PSR Class at St. Peter*
Youth Group—St. Peter Hall

10:00 a.m. **YOUTH Mass at St. Peter**
Youth will lead Rosary after Mass

Feast of the Chair of St. Peter

In celebration of the **Feast of the Chair of St. Peter** please join us at St. Peter Church for this special event on Tuesday, February 21st.

5:30 pm Liturgy of the Hours

Procession around interior of
the church

6:00 pm Holy Mass

6:30 pm Dinner, fried chicken and lasagna
with sides, water, and desserts

All are encouraged to attend.

P.S. ~ There will be no Tuesday morning Mass

Lenten Season is Here

You will find several booklets on Lenten Reflections for adults, young adults, and children located at the back of church. All these booklets are free so please pick up one or two to enhance your Lenten devotions.

The Word Among Us

Praying with Jesus This Lent, a devotional
complete with Mass readings

Daily Reflections — 40 Days of Faith, Hope,
and Love by Alice Camille

Tik Tock ~ It's Lent — (7th & 8th)

Stepping Stones for Lent - (6th)

40 Days & 40 Nights — (5th)

Why These Days are Different - (4th)

God's Grace is Great — (2nd & 3rd)
with mobile

Jerusalem Journey - (1st)

How I Spent My Lent - (K)

Come Follow Me— (Pre-K)
coloring book

Behold the Lamb — (Pre 3)

These booklets have already been given to the school children in their grades.

Also available is a book *Holy Moments* by Matthew Kelly.

Youth Mass

Sunday, February 26th will be the next Youth Mass with grades 6-8 participating in the 10:00 am Mass. The Youth Group will lead the praying of the Rosary after Mass.

A few inquiries have been made regarding the availability of the Stations of the Cross that was inserted in one of last year's bulletin. Those Stations are in this bulletin.

Sanctuary Lamp burns at St. Peter for: People of the Pastorate at St. Joseph for: Souls in Purgatory

Keep in your prayers:

Teresa Arbogast
Marge Cline
Jeff Childers
Faye Duffy
Chloe Esposito

George / Michael Graening
Denny/Helen Haney
Clark Heckert
Jeff Helmling
Helen Heppe
Jeff Iacofano

Tracy Kane
Ronald /Elizabeth King
Henry Kline
Jean & Stan Koczur
Russell Mazzola
Jeffrey Montecalvo

Michael Montecalvo
Paul North
Frank Papp Jr.
Eva Perkins
Lorrie Prince
Barb Seli

Rebecca Simmons
Joann Szwarc
Ruth Weigand
Rose White
Sandra Woolf
Paul Young

Sorrowful Mother Shrine Survey

Thank you to those who responded. To date, we have 15 individuals interested in the **pilgrimage scheduled for June 21st. Registration will take place in April at which time payment will be due.** For this to be a cost-effective trip we must have a minimum of 47 passengers. Please consider participating in this wonderful opportunity.

Would make a great Mother's/grandmother's day, Father's/grandfather's Day, graduation, anniversary, or birthday gift for a loved one. Please be sure to tell your friends at other parishes throughout Portage County.

More information on cost and registration deadline coming soon! If you have any questions, please email Sandy at sandystjosephrandolph.org or Diane at st.peterschurch.rootstown@gmail.com. Thank you.

Lenten Faith Sharing Group Opportunity

The group will meet beginning **Thursday, February 23** and each Thursday in March from **1 pm - 3pm in St Peter's Hall.**

The book that will be discussed is *The Fourth Cup, Unveiling the Mystery of the Last Supper and the Cross* by Scott Hahn.

Additional reading material and videos will be utilized. Contact Marcy Rowell at 330-212-4220 or Judy Hendershot 330-440-1582 with questions and to RSVP as materials need to be ordered.



An Evening of Reconciliation

The Light is On For You ~ An Evening of Reconciliation will return this year and be celebrated on **Wednesday, March 8, 2023.**

All the priests of Southern Portage County will be available at St. Peter, Rootstown, from 7:00 to 8:00 pm.

Last Day to Collect the Palms

This Wednesday is Ash Wednesday.

There are marked boxes in the back of church for you to put last year's palm into. Today is the final day to bring in your palms.



2023 DIOCESAN APPEAL

In the Gospel today, we hear "if you love (only) those who love you, what recompense will you have?". In responding to God's invitation to be missionary disciples in the world, we are called to recognize God's blessings at work in our lives and, united in his love, share those blessings all our brothers and sisters. One of the great ways we can share that love is by prayerfully reflecting on our support of the Annual Diocesan Appeal; One in Hope, One in Mission. 60% of every dollar raised goes directly to the support of our Catholic Charities ministry across the six counties of the diocese. Last year, approximately 35,000 individuals and families were served with love and compassion. 40% of all monies raised support the continued ministries of the diocese, which assists the 60,000+ households in our parishes across the diocese. This year, the combined goal of all parishes is \$4,000,000, of which our parish share is \$64,000, which is based on our portion of total diocesan offertory collections received last year. If you have already received an Appeal brochure and invitation from Bishop Bonnar in the mail, please make a prayerful response today! If you have not, please take an Appeal brochure from Church today and take some time to reflect on your gift. Beginning next weekend, we will have three "commitment weekends", please mail your pledge card back to the diocese in the included return envelope or drop it in the offertory basket sometime over these three weeks. For more information about the work of the appeal or to make a gift online, please visit www.doy.org. On behalf of Bishop Bonnar, and all who will be ministered to by your generosity – thank you. Through this great expression of love, we pray, "That all may be one!"

Pierogi Sale at St. Peter's

Just in time for your Lenten meals, the Altar and Rosary Society will sell Potato and Cheese Pierogies on February 19th and 26th after the Sunday 10:00 am mass. The fundraiser price is \$10.00 a dozen.

Pastorate of Sts. Joseph and Peter

February 19, 2023

Mass Intentions:

Saturday, February 18

4:30 p.m. Mass at St. Joseph
Mary Catherine Trares
(Ruth Shircliff)

Sunday, February 19

8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph
John & Rosemary Falatok
(John & Becky Falatok)

10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Peter
Elmer Riemenschneider
(wife, Shirley)
Ron Albright
(Bonnie Panovich)

Monday, February 20

8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph
Living & Deceased of Cavan &
Kane Families
(Tracy & Carolyn Kane)

Tuesday, February 21

NO AM Mass at St. Peter
6:00 p.m. Special Intention for Sara & Bryan
Lumley
(Mom)

Wednesday, February 22 ~ Ash Wednesday

8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph w/students
People of Sts. Joseph & Peter

6:00 p.m. Mass at St. Peter
George Vargo
(Altar & Rosary Society)
Richard Hendershot
(wife, Judy)

Thursday, February 23

9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Peter
Margaret & Harold Marchand
(Borbely Family)

Friday, February 24- No Mass ~ Offices Closed

Saturday, February 25

4:30 p.m. Mass at St. Joseph
Grace Klein
(Carol & Betty Wohlwend)
Ray Knapp
(Janie Knapp)

Sunday, February 26

8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph
Paul & Janice Adelman
(Dan & Bonnie Schuck)
10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Peter
Michael McGrath
(Karry, Mike, Josh, &
Matt McGrath)
Robert Lux
(Mary Lou Wohlwend)

Pastorate Mass Attendance February 11th, & 12th, 2023

Saturday	4:30 pm	287
Sunday	8:00 am	123
Sunday	10:00 am	220



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Managing God's Gifts To Us

Weekly Offertory February 11th, & 12th, 2023

St. Joseph

Church Offertory	\$ 5,440.50
School Offertory	668.50
Grotto and Candles	160.00
St. Martha Ministry	35.00
Cemetery Care	108.00
Church Overseas	150.00
Haiti Collection.	20.00

Total contributions this week \$ 6,582.00

Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice

St. Peter

Reg. Collection	\$ 2,640.00
Historical Church	50.00
On-line Giving	782.00
Building Fund	20.00
Candles, etc	164.70

Total contributions this week \$ 3,656.70

Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice

Give on-line by going to our website stsjosephpeter.org

For All Those who have recently entered into Eternal Life. Especially: Greg Falatok, Barbara Adelman, and Mary Frances Kline.

St. Peter Counter Schedule

Feb 5—R & M Campbell
Feb 12—B & E Householder
Feb 19—J. Kreiger & Black
Feb 26—J. Winkler & R. Franczkowski

THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU ~ AN EVENING OF RECONCILIATION

The Light is On For You ~ An Evening of Reconciliation will return this year and be celebrated on **Wednesday, March 8, 2023**. Every parish in the diocese will celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. All the priests of Southern Portage County will be present to celebrate this reconciliation at **St. Peter** from **7:00 to 8:00 pm**.

LENTEN COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICES

The Portage County Deanery's annual Lenten Communal Penance service this year will be celebrated on **Thursday, March 30th, 7:00 PM at St. Patrick, Kent**.

INDIVIDUAL RECONCILIATION is always on Saturdays 8:30 AM, at St. Joseph, or 8:30 AM at St. Peter of the Fields on Tuesday and Thursday, or by appointment with Fr. Coulter. There will be no confessions on Holy Saturday.

Advance Notice: there will be a blessing of Easter baskets, (food) Holy Saturday, 10:00 am at St. Peter.



OPERATION RICE BOWL

The 2023 Diocesan Appeal (formerly the Bishop's Appeal) to support Catholic Charities begins Sunday, February 19. At the same time, Catholic Charities also runs the Lenten Rice Bowl, a way of collecting coins and loose change to address hunger issues among poor people. The Rice Bowl collections are taken up in little boxes especially fitted for coins. As stated in the past, it seems that this effort is focused primarily on children as a way of sacrificing during Lent and learning of, and helping others that are needier than themselves.

St. Joseph Pastorate children will again participate in the Rice Bowl Collection. All the money collected will then be counted and added to the Bishop's Appeal since both funds go to Catholic Charities. Rice Bowl then becomes primarily a children's activity to help them participate in Lenten giving.

Therefore, as in past years, there will be two appeals going simultaneously for Catholic Charities. All the money will go to Catholic Charities through the Diocesan Appeal. Thank you for your involvement in our way of helping people throughout our area who are struggling. Rice Bowls are available at the back of the church. Children in St. Joseph School received their Rice Bowls in class.



The Holy Season of Lent

Let this season of LENT remind us all that this life we have and the material possessions we hold are just being LENT to us. We are all passersby. We are not immigrants here. We are all pilgrims on the road. We bring nothing when we die. But we can leave behind the love we have shared, the hope we have given and the goodness we have done.

A reminder during the Holy Season of Lent, Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of abstinence for adults age 21 – 60, limiting yourself to one full meal and no meat. Of course, all Fridays of Lent are meatless meals.



Wednesday, February 22, is **ASH WEDNESDAY**. There will be two **Masses** you may chose to attend, Wednesday morning at 8:30 here at St. Joseph with the students, or Wednesday evening, 6:00 o'clock at St. Peter of the Fields. **Ashes will be distributed at both Masses.**

FISH FRY

Welcome back. St. Joseph Fish Frys will take place this year! The first ***Fish Fry will be Friday, February 25th, from 5:00 to 7:00 pm*** in Gaudete Hall. Carry out will also be available, as will on-line ordering. Fish Frys will run through Friday, March 31st. See the insert in today's bulletin for prices and menu.

SOUP SUPPERS

The ***Lenten Soup Suppers*** will be held at *St. Peter* on *Wednesday the 15th of March and Wednesday the 29th of March after the 6pm mass.* All parishioners of St. Joseph and St. Peter are welcome to attend. These suppers have always been well attended and are a great way to get to know the people who sit next to you at mass. As always there is no cost for these dinners. If you do not belong to a ministry but would like to contribute food, it is always most welcome.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

On the **Fridays of Lent, (February 24th to March 31st)** **Stations of the Cross** will be celebrated. You are encouraged to take part in this traditional Lenten devotion. Stations will be prayed at 4:30 pm at St. Joseph with Father Zachary, and 7:00 pm at St. Peter with Deacon Ted. March 3rd and 17th, the Stations at St. Peter will be led by the Youth Group. **ADVANCE NOTICE:** **Good Friday, April 7**, the youth will lead the Stations at St. Peter at 7:00 p.m. There will be a *Communion Service* prior to the Stations at 6:30 pm.



FISH FRY

RANDOLPH, OHIO

Feb. 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 2023 5:00 - 7:00 PM.

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ADULT DINNERS INCLUDE:

Rolls, Beverage & Dessert

Choice of 2 Sides

Baked Potato

Rice Pilaf

French Fries

Green Beans

Macaroni & Cheese

PLUS

Coleslaw or Applesauce

Adult Dinners

BAKED COD 8oz \$15.00

FRIED POLLOCK \$15.00

SHRIMP (6) \$15.00

MACARONI & CHEESE \$10.00

COMBO MEALS

BAKED COD 4oz. & SHRIMP (3) \$15.00

FRIED POLLOCK & SHRIMP (3) \$15.00

EXTRA FISH OR
SHRIMP
\$8.00

EXTRA SIDE DISH
\$3.00

CHILD DINNERS INCLUDE:

Rolls, Beverage & Dessert

Choice of 1 Side

Baked Potato

Rice Pilaf

French Fries

Green Beans

Macaroni & Cheese

PLUS

Coleslaw or Applesauce

Child Dinners

BAKED COD 4oz \$10.00

FRIED POLLOCK \$10.00

SHRIMP (4) \$10.00

MACARONI & CHEESE \$7.00

COMBO MEALS

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FRIED POLLOCK & SHRIMP (2) \$10.00

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