

OCTOBER 1, 2023

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

# ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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St. Peter Church is a Roman Catholic community, evangelizing by the power of the Holy Spirit, leading others to a joyful encounter with Christ and experiencing Our Father's merciful love.

*La Iglesia de San Pedro es una comunidad catolica romana que evangeliza por el poder del Espiritu Santo, lleva a otros a un encuentro gozoso con Cristo y experimenta el amor misericordioso de Nuestro Padre.*

## PASTORAL STAFF

Father Romeo Pavino, Pastor  
Father Jorge Loaiza, Parochial Vicar  
Deacon Ignacio Badillo

## PARISH OFFICE

Open Mon—Thurs 9AM-3PM, Fri 9AM-Noon  
Clara Fragozo, Office Assistant  
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Cathy Trefilek, Business Manager  
Ignacio Badillo, Custodian  
Alice Beck & Sheree Butler, Sacristans

## YOUTH COORDINATOR

Adeline Beck, Youth Coordinator

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## MASS SCHEDULE

### Daily Masses

Monday—Friday 7:00AM English

Saturday 8:00AM English

Wednesday & Friday 6:30PM Spanish

### Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00PM English

6:30PM Spanish

Sunday 7:30AM, 9:30AM English

11:00AM English— at Parish Pastoral Center

12:30PM Spanish

### Holy Days of Obligation

Please check bulletin or website for Mass times.



## 26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Amen, I say to you, tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God before you." - Mt 21:31

## 26° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

"Yo les aseguro que los publicanos y las prostitutas se les han adelantado en el camino del Reino de Dios".  
- Mt 21, 31

## BAPTISMS

**English:** Please contact the parish office.

**Spanish:** Please request the "Baptismal Orientation Document" from the parish office and follow the instructions.

## SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Couples must be at least nineteen and meet with the priest 6 months in advance. Must be registered and active member of St. Peter Parish 6 months before the wedding date.

## ANOIDING OF THE SICK AND PASTORAL CARE

If you anticipate hospitalization or require sacraments, please call the parish office. For emergencies call 815-206-9201 leave a message and your call will be returned as soon as possible.

## ENGLISH CONFESSIONS

Tuesday—Friday after 7AM Mass

Saturday after 8AM Mass & 3:45-4:45PM

## SPANISH CONFESSIONS

Thursday: 7:00-8:00PM during Spanish Family Adoration

Friday: 6:00PM-6:30PM, also after 6:30PM Mass

Saturday: 6:00-6:30PM, also after 6:30PM Mass

## FAMILY ADORATION

**Spanish:** Thursdays 7:00-8:00PM

## NEW PARISHIONERS

Please call the parish office to register

# Respect Life Sunday

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, October 2**

*The Holy Guardian Angels*

7:00AM †Carolyn Ruth Hunt

**Tuesday, October 3**

7:00AM Mike and Cathy Trefilek

**Wednesday, October 4**

*St. Francis of Assisi*

7:00AM Donald & Marrigenan Kelley

6:30PM Alex Hunsberger

**Thursday, October 5**

*St. Faustina Kowalska, Virgin; Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest*

7:00AM †William & Rosemary Penewell

**Friday, October 6**

*St. Bruno, Priest; Bl. Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin*

7:00AM †Carolyn Ruth Hunt

6:30PM †Noreen Gracyalny & Family

**Saturday, October 7**

*Our Lady of the Rosary*

8:00AM Ed Van-Barriger

5:00PM †Steve Pulkrabek

6:30PM †Jorge Salazar & Liliam Prieto de Salazar

**Sunday, October 8**

*27th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7:30AM †Duane Hackbarth

9:30AM Living & †Deceased Members of St. Peters Church

11:00AM †Judith Schmitt

12:30PM †Luz Maria Landa Salgado

## FROM THE DESK OF FATHER PAVINO

When I was still a seminarian, my spiritual director used to tell me: "Do not make a decision when your emotion is heightened." Many people don't know how to handle their strong emotions. Our wrong perceptions can make us angry or fill us with despair.

To see clearly, we must calm down. When we're overcome by strong emotions we're like a tree in a storm, with its top branches and leaves swaying in the wind. But the trunk of the tree is solid, stable, and deeply rooted in the earth.

When we're caught in a storm of emotions, we can practice to be like the trunk of the tree. We don't stay up in the high branches. We go down to the trunk and become still, not carried away by our thinking and emotions.

We don't say or do anything; we just focus all our attentions on the rise and fall of our abdomen, our trunk. This protects us from speaking in anger and say something we may regret.

"...IN THIS WORLD I CANNOT SEE  
THE MOST HIGH SON OF GOD WITH  
MY OWN EYES, EXCEPT FOR HIS  
MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD."  
ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI



## Woman of the Year

We are Honored and Pleased to announce that Deb McGinniss is St. Peter Woman of the Year. She will be honored at a Mass and Luncheon on Sat., Nov. 4th at St. Rita Parish. There is very limited seating for the honoree. Consequently there are no open reservations being taken. Congratulations to Deb McGinniss our Woman of the Year 2023!

## WOULD YOU LIKE TO SPEND AN HOUR WITH JESUS CHAPEL HOURS NEEDING ADORERS

SUNDAY	3PM, 5PM
MONDAY	10PM
TUESDAY	4AM
WEDNESDAY	2AM, 4AM
THURSDAY	1AM, 2AM, 8AM
SATURDAY	9AM, 5PM

Call Junie Pospischil (815) 494-9237.



## READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 1, 2023

**Sunday:** Ez 18:25-28/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9, (6a)/Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5/Mt 21:28-32

**Monday:** Zec 8:1-8/Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23/Mt 18:1-5, 10

**Tuesday:** Zec 8:20-23/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 9:51-56

**Wednesday:** Neh 2:1-8/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6/Lk 9:57-62

**Thursday:** Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Lk 10:1-12

**Friday:** Bar 1:15-22/Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9/Lk 10:13-16

**Saturday:** Bar 4:5-12, 27-29/Ps 69:33-35, 36-37/Lk 10:17-24

**Next Sunday:** Is 5:1-7/Ps 80:9, 12, 13-14, 15-16, 19-20 (Isaiah 5:7a)/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43

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## Surrender

Catholic Mental Health Ministry  
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**November 4, 2023 | 9AM-3:45 PM | Cost \$20pp**

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2900 E. Main St. - St. Charles, IL

Fr. Peck and Fr. Orabutt will lead a day of prayer, reflection, meditation, adoration, testimony, and mindful movement focusing on our continual surrender to the Lord's will.

Register by Oct. 24th: send  
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parish to:

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815-520-7549

Light breakfast  
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## PADRE LOAIZA

DIOS NO QUIERE LA MUERTE DEL PECADOR SINO QUE SE CONVIERTA

Las puertas están abiertas para cualquiera que se gire sinceramente hacia Dios, con todo su corazón, y el Padre recibe con gozo a un hijo que se arrepiente de verdad. ¿Cuál es el signo del verdadero arrepentimiento? No volver a caer en las viejas faltas y arrancar de tu corazón, desde sus raíces, los pecados que te han puesto en peligro de muerte. Una vez borradas éstas, Dios vendrá a habitar en ti. Porque, como dice la Escritura, un pecador que se convierte y se arrepiente dará un gozo inmenso e incomparable al Padre y a los ángeles del cielo (Lc 15,10). Por eso el Señor exclamó: «Misericordia quiero y no sacrificios» (Os 6,6; Mt 9,13).

«No quiero la muerte del pecador sino que se convierta» (Ez 33,11). «Aunque vuestros pecados sean como la grana, como la nieve blanquearán; aunque sean rojos como la escarlata, como lana blanca quedarán» (Is 1,18).

OCT. 21, 2023 6:30 PM

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## October: The Month of the Rosary

Daily 6PM Rosary in the Church  
Join us or sign up to lead one yourself!!

### English

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday

### Spanish

Wednesday, Friday, Saturday

## SUNDAY COLLECTION

10/1/2023

Collection \$ 6,235.25

Egiving \$ 1,100.00

Total \$ 7,335.25



## ST. PETERS ROSARY PROGRAM

Rosaries Prayed in the week of  
September 24th.

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## PARISH HAPPENINGS

### ALTAR & ROSARY

Meets the 2nd Thursday of the Month  
1:00PM Parish Pastoral Center, Room 1

### MARY UNDOER OF KNOTS

CROCHET/KNITTING MINISTRY

Meets Thursdays

3:00PM Parish Pastoral Center, Room 8  
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### A&R SEWING GROUP

Meets Wednesdays

10:00AM Parish Pastoral Center, Room 8  
All levels of sewing/quilting enthusiasts are welcome.

### HERE FOR YOU: NFP

1st Wednesday Food Pantry: 4:30PM to 6:00PM  
Every Thursday Perishable Foods Pantry: Noon to 4PM  
Both at Didier Hall, Volunteers Welcome  
To give Time & Treasure, Contact 779-221-1723

## PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK & HOSPITALIZED:

Bonnie Anderson, Gerald Anderson, Jill Barron, Bradley Brewer, Mary Brittnacher, Vivian Dillett, Beverly DeMarb, Linda Eddie, Thomas Figueroa, Tom Gasiorowski, Marie Karczewski, Kerry Muldowney, Susan Parham, Peter Rossi, and Christopher Walsh.

To add or remove the name of a sick person, please call the parish office at: (815) 525-3400, ext. 3, or email [stpeter-sbeloit@RockfordDiocese.org](mailto:stpeter-sbeloit@RockfordDiocese.org)

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE HOMEBOUND OR IN NURSING HOMES / ASSISTED LIVING

Agnes Brewer, Marcela Hale, Susan Parham, Alice Robison.

COME FOR THE FUN AND COMARADERIE!

## ST. ANTHONY ALTAR & ROSARY CARD PARTY

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