October 11, 2015

Twenty-Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Father Vincent E. Zidek, O.S.B., Pastor
Teresa Flaherty, Pastoral Council Facilitator
Vincent Lewandowski, Finance Council Chairman
Pat Kammersell, Faith Formation (CCD) Program Manager
David J. Butler, Director of Music Ministry
Michele Roberts, Director of Youth Ministry
Krystyna Jadlowiec, Parish Business Manager
Patricia Harding, Archivist

SAINT PETER CHURCH
MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays: Mon., Wed., Fri….. 12:05 p.m.
Saturday:.............................. 4:00 p.m.
Please note: September 1–May 31 only
Sunday:................................. 10:30 a.m.
CONFESSION
Saturday:............................ 3:15 p.m.—3:45 p.m.
Please note: September 1–May 31 only

OUR LADY, QUEEN OF PEACE CHURCH
MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays: Tues., Thurs.......... 12:05 p.m.
Saturday:.............................. 4:00 p.m.
Please note: June 1–August 31 only
Sunday:................................. 8:30 a.m.
(10 a.m. in Polish 1st Sunday of each month)
CONFESSION
Saturday:............................ 3:15–3:45 p.m.
Please note: June 1–August 31 only

ADORATION
OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
Friday:................................. 5:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.
BENEDICTION
Friday:................................. 6:05 p.m.

SAINT PETER PARISH
"A PENNSYLVANIA CHARITABLE TRUST"

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS
Monday–Friday.............................. 8:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

BAPTISM: A preparation class is required at least one month prior to the baptismal date. To make arrangements call 412-321-3186.

MATRIMONY: Arrangements are to be made with the pastor six months in advance of the wedding date. One must be an active registered parish member prior to making the arrangements.

SICK AND SHUT-INS: The Sacraments are available to those who are unable to celebrate Mass due to sickness or age. To make arrangements for visitation to your home call the parish office.

SACRAMENTAL SPONSOR: To be a Sacramental sponsor one must be a practicing Catholic (celebrating Sunday Mass and receiving the Sacraments), a registered member of the parish and contributing to the support of the parish.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: CCD instruction is provided for kindergarten through 8th grade children on Sundays from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

NEW MEMBERS: We welcome those who are interested in joining our parish family. We invite new members to complete a census form, which can be obtained at the entrances of both churches or at the parish office.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Monday by 4:00 p.m.
SAINT PETER PARISH

All Souls Remembrance
On All Souls Day, Monday, November 2, and throughout the month of November, the Church traditionally remembers those who have departed from this life. In keeping with this tradition, our parish also remembers our family members, relatives and friends who have died. An envelope is provided in your collection packet for this purpose. We ask that you kindly write their names on the space that is provided on the envelope. These envelopes will be placed on the Altar on All Souls Day and will remain on the Altar throughout the month of November as we remember and pray for our beloved dead.

All Souls Services at Saint Mary Cemetery
Stations of the Cross will be prayed Sunday, October 25, at 2 p.m. at Saint Mary Cemetery, 4000 Mt. Troy Road, weather permitting. Otherwise service will be held in the Chapel. All are invited.

Mass Intentions for 2016 Year
Mass Intentions for 2016 will be accepted beginning Monday, October 26. Those wishing to schedule Masses may do so at the parish office or by sending the request in the mail or dropping in the collection basket with proper stipend. Mass stipend is $10. There will be available five Masses per family. No Mass reservations will be taken over the phone. Also monthly votive lights intentions for 2016 will be accepted at that time. Monthly votive candle is $25.00.

Facade Lighting for Saint Peter Church
Our Finance and Pastoral Councils have selected a quote of $17,711 by Sargent Electric Company to light the façade of Saint Peter Church. The price includes three pedestal mount LED flood lights, underground wiring, and a time clock. As a means of generating income to finance the project, parishioners and friends are welcome to make a contribution. A donation chart is provided in this bulletin for your consideration. These contributions may be given In Thanksgiving for Blessings Received... or In Loving Memory of... a family member or friend. Thank you for any financial assistance that you may offer toward this undertaking.

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Saint Peter Parish is sustained by the generosity of its parishioners through time, talent and treasure. For all that you do, thank you.

Sharing Our Blessings: Sunday, October 4
Weekly Offering/offertory envelopes........$3,620.00
Loose offering ........................................$1,483.00
Parish Share .............................................$309.00
2015 Parish Share Goal .........................$87,343.00
Needed to reach the goal ....................$37,783.00
Repair & Renovation Fund ......................$368.00
Benedictine Appeal .............................$13,501.00
Electronic giving .................................$101.00
Number of returned envelopes.....176 of 446 mailed

NORTH SIDE, PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA

MASS INTENTIONS
OCTOBER 11 - OCTOBER 18
TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY, 10/11 - TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Wis 7:7-11; Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30
8:30 Living and Deceased Parishioners
10:30 Betty Sobien (Family)

MONDAY, 10/12 - WEEKDAY
Rom 1:1-7/Lk 11:29-32
12:05 Annie and Patrick Byrne (J. & V. Byrne)

TUESDAY, 10/13 - WEEKDAY
Rom 1:16-25/Lk 11:37-41
12:05 Barry Ferris (H. & A. Gerber)

WEDNESDAY, 10/14 - WEEKDAY
Rom 2:1-11/Lk 11:42-46
12:05 Theresa, Kevin & Thomas Dailey (J.A. Whelan)

THURSDAY, 10/15 - SAINT TERESA OF JESUS
Rom 3:21-30/Lk 11:47-54
12:05 Arley J. Seifer Jr. (B. & S. Zack)

FRIDAY, 10/16 - WEEKDAY
Rom 4:1-8/Lk 12:1-7
12:05 Walter “Red” Palmer (D. & B. Palmer)
6:05 Benediction (O.L.Q.P. Church)

SATURDAY, 10/17 - SAINT IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH
Rom 4:13, 16-18/Lk 12:8-12
4:00 Armstrong-Cleary Families (Family)

SUNDAY, 10/18 - TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Is 53:10-11; Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45
8:30 Living and Deceased Parishioners
10:30 Mary & Peter Battaglia (K. Shaw)
World Mission Sunday Celebrated October 17 & 18
Pope Pius XI instituted in 1926 World Mission Sunday asking for prayer, celebration, and offerings for the Missions. His concern was to engender a sense of responsibility in people for supporting the Missions throughout the world. The collection next weekend is for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith providing support for priests, religious and lay pastoral leaders in mission churches. Please be generous (all checks are to be made to St. Peter Parish). Collection will be forwarded according to a diocesan regulations.

Parish Bake Sale
Our parish will hold a bake sale before and after all Masses on Saturday and Sunday, October 24 and 25. Those who are interested in donating items for the sale such as cakes, cookies, muffins, cupcakes, pies, breads, etc., are asked to price the donated items and, if possible, to drop them off at the parish office on Friday, October 23. Proceeds from the sale will be applied to our parish’s operating budget. Thank you for helping to make this fundraiser a profitable one for the parish.

Rummage Sale Items
Our parish’s rummage sale will be held in Saint Peter church hall on Saturday & Sunday, November 21 and 22. Consider donating sellable items (except clothing, electronics, old TV’s, large furniture) to the event. Items may be dropped off at the parish office or church hall during regular work hours (7:30 a.m.-4 p.m.).

2015 Parish Share Program
Our parish goal for this year’s Parish Share Program (PSP) is $87,343. The success of this campaign depends heavily upon your generosity. This is a serious parish obligation. $37,783 is still needed to reach our goal. We are asking all parishioners and visitors for a committed pledge or one time gift to support PSP. The 2015 PSP ends December 31.

Newly Baptized
With joy we welcome into the family of Saint Peter Parish and the family of God, Saverio Joseph, son of Justin and Nina [Ciotti] Victor. We extend our love and best wishes to Saverio and his parents and Godparents.

Please Pray For
All of the sick of our parish, the homebound, those in nursing homes, those who care for them, and those in the military.

Our Deepest Sympathy
Please remember in your prayers the soul of Joseph Hezlep, father of our parishioner Robert Hezlep; the soul of Walter Layfield; the soul of Elizabeth Miller, grandmother of our parishioner Teresa Flaherty and great-grandmother of our parishioner Ryan Flaherty; and the soul of John Shirig, brother of our parishioner Flora Chiaramonte. May Joseph, Walter, Elizabeth, and John, who were united with Christ in a death like His, also be one with Christ in His Resurrection.

Honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary
In the Church, October has traditionally been known as the month of the Rosary, as we honor the Blessed Virgin Mary. As we honor Mary, our parish is hoping to have fresh flowers on the Blessed Mother Altar of both of our church buildings each week. If interested in purchasing flowers In Thanksgiving... or In Loving Memory of... a family member or friend, please contact the parish office. Flowers are available at Our Lady, Queen of Peace Church for the weekend of 10/25.

2015-2016 Parish Offertory Budget

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Baptism Preparation Class
Parents who are anticipating the birth of their first child are required to take a baptism preparation class prior to the baptism. The class is held in Our Lady, Queen of Peace church hall. Upcoming classes are on Sundays, October 11, November 8, and December 13, at 2:30 p.m. For further information or to register, call 412.321.3186. No walk-ins, please.

Tapping Theology
Our parish holds this monthly program for young adults. Participants must be at least 21. The sessions are held at Penn Brewery from 7 to 8 p.m. All participants are responsible for their own beverages. The format is: 20 minute presentation, 20 minute socializing, and a 20 minute question/answer period. The next round is on Monday, October 26. All young adults of our parish are welcome to attend.
Youth Ministry Wish List
Our youth ministry program is collecting donations of bite-size candy, store bought individually wrapped cookies and/or Rice Krispy treats for children of all ages to be used for upcoming children’s events. If you would like to donate an item, please drop off your contribution along with your name at the parish office. Thank you, in advance, for all your support.

“Trick-or-Treat” Blessing
All children of our parish are invited to wear their Halloween costume to the 4 p.m. vigil Mass on Saturday, October 31. Prior to the final blessing, the children will receive a special pre-‘Trick-or-Treat’ blessing. Each child will also receive a surprise from the youth group after the Mass.

This Week in Our Parish
Sunday
CCD classes, 11:30 a.m., Our Lady, Queen of Peace church hall
Toddler time, 11:30 a.m., Saint Peter church hall
Monday
Men’s Catholic Fellowship meeting, 7 p.m., Our Lady, Queen of Peace church hall
Tuesday
Children’s choir practice, 6 p.m., Saint Peter Church
Wednesday
RCIA [joining the Catholic Church], 6 p.m., Our Lady, Queen of Peace church meeting room
Adult choir practice, 7 p.m., Our Lady, Queen of Peace church music room
Thursday
Hand bell choir practice, 6:30 p.m., Saint Peter Church
Friday
Eucharistic Adoration, 5 p.m., Our Lady, Queen of Peace Church; Benediction, 6:05 p.m.
Saturday
Halloween kids fest, 5 p.m., Saint Peter church hall
Sunday
CCD classes, 11:30 a.m., Our Lady, Queen of Peace church hall

News from Northside Catholic School
The second grade class at Northside Catholic School is a wonderful group of 18 students. All are quite eagerly prepared to learn. We have jumped right into every subject. Throughout this year, we will be developing and expanding our skills in all areas. Second grade is a “special” year since some will be receiving the sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist for the first time. The children look forward to this time of learning about God and growing closer to Him. Come join us at Northside Catholic School, which is “Someplace Special”. For more information about the School please call 412.761.5043 or stop by for a visit.

Chances on Steelers Tickets
Northside Catholic School is selling chances on two section 107 tickets to the Steelers vs. Browns game on Sunday, November 15, 2015. The winning number will be determined by the first Pick-3 PA daily lottery drawn at 7 p.m. on Friday, November 6. The cost is $5 per chance. Chances will be sold in the vestibule of the church before and after all parish Masses on Saturday and Sunday, October 10-11 and 17-18. Thank you for your support of Northside Catholic School.

Gala Pittsburgh Sports Night
The North Side Friends and Neighbors, under the leadership of Dan Rooney and Kevin McClatchy, and along with Bishop David Zubik, are sponsoring this event in the UPMC Club at Heinz Field on Wednesday, November 11, beginning at 6 p.m. Guests will have the opportunity to meet sports figures from the Steelers, Pirates, Penguins, and other Pittsburgh teams. This year the honorees will be Pittsburgh Pirates Manager Clint Hurdle and Tim Carey, Merchandise Director for the Pittsburgh Steelers. Food, entertainment will be provided. Sports memorabilia and other items will be auctioned. Tickets are $100 and are available at the parish office. Proceeds from the event are used for tuition assistance for needy families at Northside Catholic School.

Courtesy Announcements:
A Concert in Honor of Our Lady of the Rosary...Sunday, October 11, 3 p.m. at Our Lady of the Rosary Chapel Mausoleum Calvary Cemetery, Greenfield. Featured the North Hills Chorale & Assumption Choir. Reservations required: 412.586.3999 (free will offering accepted).


“There is no such thing as bad weather. All weather is good because it is God’s.”
—Saint Teresa of Avila
Saint Peter Parish Annual

HALLOWEEN PARTY
Kids’ Fest

SATURDAY * OCT 17 * SAINT PETER HALL * 5PM

- Pumpkin Patch *
- Costume Parade* Candy Buffet * Games *
  Crafts * Cotton 👻 Candy * Lots of Fun!

SCARE TUNNEL for Older Students

Wear Your Halloween Costume!

$5/student—REGISTRATION MANDATORY

So we have enough supplies for all children

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Saint Peter Parish * HALLOWEEN KIDS’ FEST * OCT 17 * 5pm

REGISTRATION DEADLINE OCTOBER 14TH

Child(ren)’s Name: ____________________________

5/child Total #__________

Parent/Guardian Name_________________________

Please drop off in church collection basket,

at church office or send by mail.