

SAINT PETER *Catholic Church*

2ND OLDEST CATHOLIC PARISH IN INDIANA



5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden.” - Mt 5:14

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MISSION STATEMENT: We, the people of St. Peter Parish, Montgomery, IN, profess our Catholic faith. We celebrate the seven sacraments of the Church. We pledge to witness to our Catholic faith in this community and to be examples of Christian love and service to all, regardless of their religious affiliation.

WEEK of February 7 thru 15

Saturday, February 7, 2026

◆ 5:00 pm **Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet**

◆ 5:30 pm Mass

† Steve Murphy

Sunday, February 8, 2026

◆ 7:15 am **Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet**

◆ 7:45 am Mass **St. Peter Parish Family**

◆ 9:00 am **Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet**

◆ 9:30 am Mass

† Ron Lechner

Monday, February 9, 2026

◆ 5:00 pm **Hour of Adoration**

Tuesday, February 10, 2026

◆ 6:00 pm Mass at AS (Rosary 5:40)

† Jim Traylor

Wednesday, February 11, 2026

◆ 8:00 am (Rosary 7:40)

† Jack Steiner, Deb & Rick Shoultz

Thursday, February 12, 2026

◆ 12:00 pm (Rosary 11:40)

† Gladys & Mark Traylor

Friday, February 13, 2026

◆ 8:00 am Mass (Rosary 7:40)

† Gene & Mary Jo Gaetano

Saturday, February 14, 2026

◆ 5:00 pm **Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet**

◆ 5:30 pm Mass

Brielle & Hudson Newlin

Sunday, February 15, 2026

◆ 7:15 am **Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet**

◆ 7:45 am Mass **St. Peter Parish Family**

◆ 9:00 am **Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet**

◆ 9:30 am Mass

† Mike Zinkan & Trish Delaney

COLLECTION FOR 2/1/2026

\$6393.00

\$29.00



You can give your offerings online. <https://abundant.co/stpeterchurch/givenow>

Remember, “He who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully.” 2 Cor 9:6-7,



LITURGICAL LIFE



February 7 & 8	Saturday 5:30 PM	Sunday 9:30 AM	February 14 Sat 5:30 PM	February 15 Sun. 9:30AM	February 21 Sat 5:30 PM	February 22 Sun. 9:30 AM
Reader	Melissa Mackey	Renee Judy	Donna Bradley	Matt Sward	Cindy Sermersheim	Patrick Betz
Host	Normita Aishe	Raymond Hart	Jim Strosnider	Imogene Lechner	Jane Sturgeon	Mark Smith
Cup	Volunteers	Darin & Jane Holder	Volunteers	Amy & Troy Lechner	Volunteers	Mike & Patty Fuhs
Rosary	Mark Sturgeon	Mike Healy	Mary Ann Fish	Jim Goul	Joan Sponn	Brian Lechner
Chaplet	Mark Sturgeon	Mike Healy	Louis Kavanaugh	Jim Goul	<i>Liz Kavanaugh</i>	Brian Lechner
Servers	Volunteers	Sebastian & Graham	Volunteers	Sofia Mattingly Khloe McCain	Volunteers	Claire Doyle Hattie O'Connor
Greeters	Bill & Janet Baker	Jill Colvin Family	Jeff & Donna Bradley	Jacob & Darrah O'Brian	Mark & Jane Sturgeon	Darin & Jane Holder
Gift Bearers	Bill & Janet Baker	Adam Miler Family	Mark & Jane Sturgeon	Mark & Stephanie O'Brian	Jim & Linda Strosnider	Darin & Jane Holder
Live	Volunteer	Adam Miller	Volunteer	Josh O'Connor	Volunteer	PJ Craney
Collection	Bill & Janet Baker	Mike Kavanaugh Jacob O'Brian	Dave Hedrick Larry Wirtz	Raymond Hart Mike Healy	Phil O'Haver Bill Baker	Pat Wade Rob Walker
Collection Counters	Tim Showalter, Louis Kavanaugh III, Dean Harrawood		Terry Steiner, Dave Kavanaugh, Tony Showalter		Mike & Patty Fuhs,, Dave Hedrick	

Depending upon when you read this, we are about 10 days from Lent - and it seems like we were just starting a new school year! The three things we are urged to focus on during Lent are prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Starting with fasting, those over the age of 14 are required to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and on the Fridays during Lent. Those between the ages of 18 and 59 are required to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, although those older and younger may certainly choose to do so. The rules for fasting were based on Italian life and presume "lunch" and two other snacks that do not add up to a full meal. However, for both fasting and abstinence the "spirit" is more important than scrupulous observance of the technical requirements.

As for prayer, in addition to our normal opportunities, we will have Stations of the Cross at 6 pm on Wednesday and I will also be available for Confession at 6pm at Saint Peter. We will then have an additional Mass on Wednesday at 6:30 pm. I would also encourage you to explore the "other" Liturgy of the Church - the Liturgy of the Hours. An easy way to do this is to use the iBreviary app.

Finally, we are asked to give alms to those in need, particularly those who are not part of our community. One way to do this is to grab one of the Rice Bowl boxes which will be in the back of the church, or to support charities such as Cross or Catholic Relief Services.

Hopefully we will have a beautiful spring day for Easter, but as you certainly know we have been in the depths of winter. So, I would particularly like to thank those who did a tremendous amount of work cleaning our sidewalks and parking lots and making it possible for people to attend Mass. They made a tremendous difference!

YOUTH MINISTRY

- **Wednesday, February 11th - 6th-12th Grade Religious Ed!** Doors open at 6:30 for snacks and games! Class will start at 7!
- **Sunday, February 15th—Server's Training after 9:30 Mass!** - 3rd-12th grade students can stay after Mass to learn how to serve!
- **Saturday, February 14th- Monday, Feb 16th - Teens Encounter Christ Retreat** - This is a retreat for anyone who is a Junior or older. TEC is a fun weekend where you can build your relationship with Christ and hang out with other young people from the diocese! Contact Jami for registration!
- **Sunday, February 22nd - Hide and Seek Night!** Students can come in their comfy clothes or PJs for a cozy hide and seek night, snacks, and a faith discussion on choosing their Saint of the year! Middle School will meet from 10:30 AM -12:00 PM and High School will meet from 6:00-7:30 PM!

SAVE the DATE!

- **Catholic Ministries Appeal**—Just a reminder that if you haven't made your pledge please do so.
- **Contribution statements**—Anyone who would like a statement of their contributions to the church for 2025 please e-mail the office at montstpeter@gmail.com or Patty Fuhs at pfuhs@evdio.org. You may also call the office at 812-486-3149 or place a note in the collection basket.
- **Sunday, March 1st at 5:30 PM - Soup Supper and Talk by Dr. James Ware!** Please join us in the cafeteria on March 1st for this wonderful opportunity to hear Dr. Ware, Catholic Biblical scholar and author of the *Final Triumph*, speak on the Resurrection. His talk unveils mysteries about eternal life, the second coming, and so much more! We hope to see you there!
- **The Right to Life Can Drive** set for this Saturday Feb. 7th at Tractor Supply in Washington was cancelled. Save cans for April 4 Drive. Daviess County Right to Life.



Women's Bible Study :
 Tuesday, 9-11 am in cafeteria
 Tuesday 6:30 pm



Kara Landgrebe, Luke Tolbert, Irma Kavanaugh, Clela Kavanaugh, Louie Kavanaugh Jr, Hagen Knepp, Brian Lechner, Neal Jackson, Chris Mangin Ollier, Theresa Edwards, Imogene Lechner, John Sponn, Eli Veale, Bob Behme, Jim Arvin, Shirley Wade, Julie Seal, Pat Pierle, Anna Williams, Angela McGowen
Prayer Chain: Anita Ash (812)617-1239

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