

SAINT PETER *Catholic Church*

2ND OLDEST CATHOLIC PARISH IN INDIANA



16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“He replied, ‘No, if you pull up the weeds you might uproot the wheat along with them. Let them grow together until harvest.’” - Mt 13:29-30

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Working hours: Tues. & Wed. 9:00 - 1:00 PM

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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 July 18 thru July 26

Saturday, July 18, 2026

◆ 5:00 pm Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

◆ 5:30 pm Mass

† Don, Betty, & Anna Craney

Sunday, July 19, 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

† Joe, Gladys, & Mark Traylor

Monday, July 20, 2026

◆ 5:00 pm Hour of Adoration

Tuesday, July 21, 2026

No Mass—Father gone

Wednesday, July 22, 2026

No Mass—Father gone

Thursday, July 23, 2026

No Mass—Father gone

Friday, July 24, 2026

No Mass—Father gone

Saturday, July 25, 2026

◆ 5:00 pm Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

◆ 5:30 pm Mass

† Louis Jr & Liz Kavanaugh

60th Wedding Anniversary

Sunday, July 26, 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

† Buck Sellers

Diane Shepard

COLLECTION FOR 7/12/2026

\$5967.00

\$0.00



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



July 18 & 19	Saturday 5:30 PM	Sunday 9:30 AM	July 25 Sat 5:30 PM	26 Sun. 9:30 AM	August 1 Sat 5:30 PM	August 2 Sun 9:30 AM
Reader	Donna Bradley	Brian Lechner	Cindy Sermersheim	Rob Walker	Jim Strosnider	Renee Judy
Host	Jane Sturgeon	Faith Fuhs	Jim Strosnider	Imogene Lechner	Jane Sturgeon	Mike Healy
Cup	Mark Sturgeon Jim Strosnider	Mike & Patty Fuhs	Normita Aishe Emma Silcock	Troy & Amy Lechner	Mark Sturgeon Normita Aishe	Scott & Jessica Mattingly
Rosary	Joan Spohn	Brian Lechner	Mark Sturgeon	Mike Healy	Mary Ann Fish	Jim Goul
Chaplet	Liz Kavanaugh	Brian Lechner	Mark Sturgeon	Mike Healy	<i>Liz Kavanaugh</i>	Jim Goul
Servers	Volunteers	Isaac Hester Nolan Winger	Volunteers	Lyla & Hattie O'Connor	Volunteers	Michael Brown Graham Frette
Greeters	Bill & Janet Baker	Mike & Patty Fuhs	Linda Parsons Dave Hedrick	Jim & Sharon Goul	Steve & Anna Marie Baird	Mark & Stephanie O'Brian
Gift Bearers	Bill & Janet Baker	Terry & Julie LaMar	Phil & Laura O'Haver	Adam Miller Family	Mark & Jane Sturgeon	Mark & Stephanie O'Brian
Live Streamers	Volunteer	PJ Craney	Volunteer	Julie LaMar	Volunteer	John Kavanaugh
Collection	Bill & Janet Baker	Tony Showalter Mike Fuhs	Phil O'Haver Bill Baker	Mark Smith Rob Walker	Jim & Linda Strosnider	Mike Kavanaugh Jacob O'Brian
Collection Counters	Troy, Brian, & Darrell Lechner		Dennis Hart, Adrian, Luke, & Joe O'Connor		Bill & Chris Seal, Tony Duncneon	

Congratulations to the three new members of our pastoral council: Anita Ash, Mike Fuhs, and Brian Lechner. It was a very close election, and I would like to thank all those who agreed to run, and those who have served on our pastoral council and our finance council. A special thanks to Adrian O'Connor and Chris Burch for serving the past 3 years.

This coming week I will be in West Virginia for part of my annual vacation. There will be no daily Mass next week at Saint Peter. However, if there is an emergency and you need a priest you can contact Fr Paul at Our Lady of Hope or Father Walker at Saint John.

If you have been attending Saint Peter and have not registered, there are registration cards available at the back of the church. If you have a child who you would like to have baptized, just let me know, and the same is true if you know someone who would like Anointing of the Sick. Finally, we will be starting OCIA (the new name for RCIA) this fall for adults who would like to join the Church. Enjoy the rest of the summer!

YOUTH MINISTRY

- **Wednesday, July 29th - Senior Sendoff at Kavanaugh Farm!** Open to incoming 6th - 12th graders!! 6:30-8:30 at Kavanaugh Farm (contact Jami for the address)! Come for a slip n' slide, water games, and more!!
- **Prayers for our Mission Trip!** This Sunday we will be taking 13 students on a mission trip to Roanoke, VA! Please pray for our group as we travel, serve, and learn more about our faith this next week!
- **Sunday, August 23rd - Messy Olympics!** Join us for our annual religious ed kickoff from 6-7:30 on the playground!! Compete in messy challenges like water balloon volleyball, water balloon dodgeball, slip n' slide bowling, and more! Open to incoming 6th-12th grade!
- **Wednesday, August 26th - 6th-12th Grade Religious Ed Begins!** Registration for religious ed will begin at the start of August!! Doors open at 6:30 PM and our program lasts from 7-8 PM!

SAVE the DATE!

- **Mother's ring found**—A mother's ring was found in the bathroom after a Sunday mass. It has 3 stones in it which look to be May, July, & October birthstones. If this is your ring we have it in the rectory for you to pick up.
- **Parish Council Voting**— Thanks to all who agreed to be put on the ballot for the parish council voting. Those elected were Anita Ash, Brian Lechner, and Mike Fuhs. Thanks to Chris Burch and Adrian O'Connor for serving the past 3 years.
- **NEW FAMILIES**—We are always happy to welcome new families and individuals to our faith community. St. Peter Church is a place where we grow in faith, build friendships and serve one another. If you are new and/or would like to know more about our parish, we welcome you to contact Jami at jsnyder@evdio.org or Angie at at-raylor5473@gmail.com.



Women's Bible Study :

Summer break resume on September 1



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

