

SAINT PETER Catholic Church

2ND OLDEST CATHOLIC PARISH IN INDIANA



19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He became frightened; and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter. - Mt 14:30-31

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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 August 8 thru August 16

Saturday, August 8, 2026

- ◆ 5:00 pm Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
- ◆ 5:30 pm Mass
- † Marion Quill

Sunday, August 9, 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
- † Sue Showalter
- ◆ Back to School Pancake breakfast in cafeteria after Mass

Monday, August 10, 2026

- ◆ 5:00 pm Hour of Adoration

Tuesday, August 11, 2026

- ◆ 6:00 pm Mass at AS (Rosary 5:40)
- † Edna Dunn

Wednesday, August 12, 2026

- ◆ 8:00 am Mass (Rosary 7:40)
- Ruth Ann Wade

Thursday, August 13, 2026

- ◆ 12:00 pm Mass (Rosary 11:40)
- † Bob & Sue Showalter

Friday, August 14, 2026

- ◆ 8:00 am Mass (Rosary 7:40)
- Chris Foye

Saturday, August 15, 2026

- ◆ 5:00 pm Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
- ◆ 5:30 pm Mass
- † John & Mary Rita Toy

Sunday, August 16, 2026

- ◆ 7:15 am Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
- ◆ 7:45 am Mass St. Peter Parish Family
- † Gary Bullock
- ◆ 9:00 am Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
- ◆ 9:30 am Mass
- † Gladys, Joe, & Mark Traylor

COLLECTION FOR 8/2/2026

\$5896.00

\$7.00



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



August 8 & 9	Saturday 5:30 PM	Sunday 9:30 AM	August 15 Sat 5:30 PM	August 16 Sun. 9:30 AM	August 22 Sat 5:30 PM	August 23 Sun 9:30 AM
Reader	Donna Bradley	Scott Mattingly	Cindy Sermersheim	Imogene Lechner	Melissa Mackey	Matt Sward
Host	Normita Aishe	Darin Holder	Jane Sturgeon	Mark Smith	Bill Seal	Raymond Hart
Cup	Emma Silcock Jim Strosnider	Jim Fuhs Michelle Kavanaugh	Mark Sturgeon Normita Aishe	Mike & Patty Fuhs	Emma Silcock Normita Aishe	Troy & Amy Lechner
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	MJ & Megan Anderson	Volunteers	Seb & Rozlyn Kavanaugh	Volunteers	Claire Doyle Hattie O'Connor
Greeters	Jeff & Donna Bradley	Julie & Terry LaMar	Bill & Janet Baker	Cindy & Jason Colvin	Dave Hedrick Linda Parsons	Jill Colvin Family
Gift Bearers	Jim & Linda Strosnider	Darin & Jane Holder	Bill & Janet Baker	Pat & Michelle Wade	Phil & Laura O'Haver	Sharon Grindstaff Janet Hembree
Live Streamers	Volunteer	Josh O'Connor	Volunteer	PJ Craney	Volunteer	Adam Miller
Collection	Emma Silcock Normita Aishe	Raymond Hart Mike Healy	Bill & Janet Baker	Bryan Fuhs Mark Anderson	Phil O'Haver Bill Baker	Pat Wade Mark Smith
Collection Counters	Brad Traylor, Greg Traylor, Mike Kavanaugh		PJ Craney, Kevin Hart, Adam Strange, Raymond Hart		Mark O'Brian, Mark Smith, Mike Healy, Steve Hart	

Now for a little “behind the scenes” of our parish operation: The program we used to manage parish records and finances is called PDS. Although the program has received some updates, it is basically the same program that was being used when I first became involved with my parish in WV in 1999. As a result, the diocese announced earlier this year that every parish would be switching the parish management software to a web- based program through Flocknote. This is the company we also use for our parish communications. This new program is far easier to use, has many new features, and will enable you to access and edit your parish records online. So, for example, if your address or phone number changes, then you will be able to update those directly.

However, if you don't want to use these online features, nothing will change. The downside is that the information needed to be transferred from PDS to Flocknote. This was done, and it seems to have gone well. However, it is always possible that some information like birth dates for a few people was lost. So, for example, if you don't see your birthday in our newsletter, you can check the information online with the link we will give you shortly, or you can contact the office.

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- **Registration for 1st-12th Grade Religious Ed is now open!** - Check our Facebook page or contact Jami at jsnyder@evdio.org for the link! Please register by August 16th!
- **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!** - Doors open at 6:30 PM and our program lasts from 7-8 PM!

SAVE *the* DATE!

- **Thursday, September 24th - Beatification Mass for Archbishop Fulton Sheen in St. Louis!** We have seven tickets available to witness this historic event! Each ticket costs \$90. This cost includes the ticket price, transportation on a charter bus (with other participants from our diocese), and a dinner on the Hill in St. Louis. We will leave at 6 AM and return late on Thursday evening. Please contact Jami at jsnyder@evdio.org if you would like to claim a ticket! They will be given on a first-come, first-served basis!
- **Back To School Pancake Breakfast** - Today, August 9, immediately following 9:30 am mass, at the St. Peter's School cafeteria. The Men's Club will be serving fresh pancakes, sausage & milk. This event is a celebration of the new 2026-27 school year, and all are welcome to come. All potential proceeds from this event will be used to support the St. Peters youth group. Bring the kids and eat some pancakes!
- **Friends in Mission**—On Tuesday, August 18, Josh Dart, Evangelical Catholic lead consultant, will be at St. Joseph, Jasper in Kundek Hall for an evening of formation and leadership development designed to ignite missionary discipleship in our area. These workshops are exactly the kind of moments that shape leaders and deepen the culture of evangelization we're building together. This event will help you help people encounter Christ, deepen their understanding of the faith, and joyfully engage in the mission Christ gives His Church. Hors d'oeuvres will be served at 6:30 pm with the impact event (Open to Everyone!) starting at 7:00 pm. "How to Share Your Faith (and How Not To)"—a dynamic, practical session for anyone who wants to grow in evangelization. There is no cost for this event!
- **St. Vincent de Paul school supply closet**—SVDP is asking for donations to start a supply closet at Barr-Reeve for those students that cannot afford their school supplies. They will purchase basic school supplies and when there is a student in need all the teacher has to do is go to that closet and get the needed supplies. Someone will monitor that closet and replenish supplies as needed. Donations may be given to any SVDP member or put in an envelope marked for St. Vincent and put in collection.



Women's Bible Study :

Summer break resume on September 8



Kara Landgrebe,
Luke Tolbert, Louie
Kavanaugh Jr,
Hagen Knepp, Brian
Lechner, Chris
Mangin Ollier,
Theresa Edwards,
Imogene Lechner,
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