

ST. PETER & ST. CASIMIR PARISHES

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 29, 2023

Welcome to the
Catholic Parishes of
St. Peter & St. Casimir

Parish Office
715-344-6115 at
800 Fourth Ave.
Stevens Point

Website:
stpeter.us

Facebook:
Saint Peter Catholic Church

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays: 8:00am Tues-Fri

4:00pm Saturday @ St. Peter

7:30am Sunday @ St. Peter

@ St. Casimir 9:00 am Sunday

10:30am Sunday @ St. Peter

MONDAY MASS ROTATION:
St. Joseph Parish at 8:00 am
January-March

THE POOR IN SPIRIT, FOR THEIRS IS THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN.
THEY WHO MOURN, FOR THEY WILL BE COMFORTED.
THE MEEK, FOR THEY WILL INHERIT THE LAND.
THEY WHO HUNGER & THIRST FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS,
FOR THEY WILL BE SATISFIED.

BLESSED ARE...

THE MERCIFUL, FOR THEY WILL BE SHOWN MERCY.
THE CLEAN OF HEART, FOR THEY WILL SEE GOD.
THE PEACEMAKERS, FOR THEY WILL BE CALLED
CHILDREN OF GOD.

THEY WHO ARE PERSECUTED FOR
THE SAKE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS,
FOR THEIRS IS THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN.

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Reconciliation: Tuesday-Friday @ 7:15 - 7:45am
Saturday @ 3:00 - 3:45pm

Baptism: New parents are required to take part in a preparation program, if possible, before the child's birth. Please contact the Parish Office (715-344-6115) for more registration information.

Marriage: Couples requesting the Sacrament of Matrimony should contact the Pastor at the time of Formal engagement or at least 6 months prior to the date of the wedding. It is required that you participate in a two-fold marriage preparation program. Please call the Parish Office (715-344-6115) to schedule a meeting with the Pastor.

Anointing of the Sick: Those who are seriously sick, ill for an extended period of time or are about to undergo surgery may receive Anointing & Holy Communion. Call the Parish Office (715-344-6115) to make the necessary arrangements.

CURRENT OFFICE HOURS

MON-THURSDAY: 8:30am - 3:00pm
Friday 8:30 - 11:30am

LIVE-STREAMED MASS:
Saturday at 4:00 pm

Website: stpeter.us

Facebook:
'Saint Peter Catholic Church'

24 HOUR EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesdays from 8:30am -8:00am on Thursday
1st FRIDAY of the month
Adoration from 8:30am until 5:00pm.

Date: Feb. 4th/5th	Lectors	Ushers	Servers	Eucharistic Ministers	SCRIP Sellers
4:00pm	Nancy Koch	Kay King Steve King	Mark Pakulski Dick Glinski	Deacon Ray Mateo Koch Paul Koch	Barbara Butkus
7:30 am	Jennifer Peplinski	Fred Vieth Mike Katzmark Kevin Pudroski	Andrew & Matthew Schoenecker	Pam Spaid Mike Spaid Scott Peplinski	Diane Haffenbredl
10:30am	Angel Gebeau	Bernard Havlovick Dick Glinski	Aiden Peeters Mathias Gebeau Chase Baron	Matt Bablitch Eve Krueger Cheryl Kehl	Danielle Baron

St. Peter Parish WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Jan. 22, 2023: Envelopes & Offertory: \$ 5,071.00

Year to Date: \$ 241,797.06

SCRIP profit for December: \$241.68



**Love isn't
Feb. 14
Love is
John 3:16**

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Director of Religious Educ. (DRE)

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715-344-7647

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715-204-9663

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Ben Gebeau 715-340-1172

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Matt Bablitch 715-401-0775

Family Life: Gladys Glodoski 715-344-2811

Dear St. Peter Parish Family:

Beginning on Sunday January 29th, we will celebrate Catholic Schools Week. This is a week where we honor our Catholic schools. Our Catholic schools do so much for our students and families. It is during this week that we are called to give thanks to God for the gift that are Catholic schools are.



In this vein I want to begin with the word of gratitude. I want to thank all of our wonderful teachers and staff of our Catholic schools. Their selfless dedication to the work of a Catholic school education helps our students to get to know God better. Second, I want to thank all of those who support our Catholic school system. Without your prayers and financial support, we would not have Catholic schools to turn to for the formation of young hearts and minds. Your prayers and financial support make it possible to offer a faith filled education in the Catholic tradition. Thank you for all you do.

The purpose of our Catholic schools is to help our students to have a deep and lasting relationship with Almighty God. Our readings for this weekend's mass also give us an indication of the role our Catholic education plays. The first thing our Catholic schools do is to help us to consider our vocation. In our second reading from Paul's letter to the Corinthians he tells us: "Consider your own calling brothers and sisters not many of you were wise by human standards, not many were powerful. Not many were of noble birth. Rather, God chose the foolish of the world to shame the wise, and God chose the weak of the world to shame the strong." These words remind us that God's standards are different than ours. God chose the weak and made them strong. As our students go through their Catholic education, they will be helped in considering God's call in their lives. Our Catholic education also helps us to do is our first reading calls us. "Seek the Lord all you humble of the earth, who have observed his law; seek justice, seek humility." Our Catholic schools teach us how to do what is just and right. This is what we should all be doing.

God wants to remind us that we are all blessed. The blessing of our Catholic education system also reminds us of where blessings come from. Our blessings come from God alone. This is why in Matthew's gospel we hear the beginning of chapter 5 the Sermon on the Mount. God tells us we are always blessed. Yet, it is in the difficult times of our lives that we are reminded of our blessings. Blessings don't always mean things are going well or that they're going to be easy. Whatever blessings do tell us is that God is at our side. So as we celebrate this Catholic schools week let us thank God for the blessing of our Catholic schools. Let us remember that everything we have is a blessing from God our father and our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. May God bless you all. A happy and blessed Catholic Schools Week to each of you.
Sincerely,
Fr. Todd



**Catholic Schools
Week 2023**
January 29-February 4

www.NCEA.org/csw
#CSW23



Mass Intentions for the Week

MONDAY, January 30

January thru March Monday Mass at St. Joseph's **8:00 am**

TUESDAY, January 31

8:00 am † George Kvatek
† Thomas Lewandowski

WEDNESDAY, February 1

8:00 am Special Intention: For good health for Paul Drefcinski
For Living&Deceased members of:
Pawelski / Rekowski Families

THURSDAY, February 2

8:00 am † Justin Mathews
Special Intention: In thanksgiving for the blessings
received from God by Paula Riordan

FRIDAY, February 3

8:00 am † Kenneth James Zelinski
† Joe Glodoski

SATURDAY, February 4

4:00 PM † Stephen Rutta
For Living & Deceased Members of the
Wroblewski/ Stanislawski Families

SUNDAY, February 5

7:30 am † Dolores Yach
† Stephanie Lynn Grubba
10:30 am † Lillian Pechinski
For the Families of St. Peter & St. Casimir Parishes



Blessed Palm Collection

A basket for the collection of your dried, blessed palms from years past is located in the Faustina Room for your convenience.

Lent begins Ash Wed., Feb 22nd, 2023.



Fr. Joseph will be away on vacation to India on **Jan 16th & returning Feb 16th**. Please keep him in your prayers for safe & healthy travels as he visits family.†

24 Hour Eucharistic

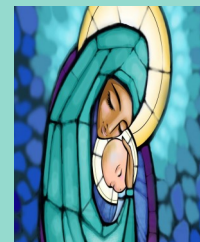
Adoration :

Wednesdays 8:30am - 8:00 am Thursday morning

Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed at 3:00pm.
Interested in signing up as a permanent adoror or substitute? Contact:
Marianne: 715-341-6732
Renee: 715-344-9119

YES, I'D LIKE TO SUBSCRIBE TO MAGNIFICAT:

Name of Subscriber: _____ Phone # _____
Number of Subscriptions: 1 @ \$39.00 2@ \$78.00 3@ \$117.00
(These totals reflect BULK PRICING of our order to include at least TEN subscribers.)
Please submit this form with a check made out to: St. Peter Parish with
"Magnificat Subscription" on the Memo line of your check BEFORE February 14, 2023.



St. Peter Parish will again be offering the opportunity for you to subscribe to the MAGNIFICAT monthly publication at a reduced rate of \$39.00 for the year. Your first new or renewed issue will be the month of April. The monthly issues come to the Parish Office and are available for self-serve pick-up from the Sacristy. When purchasing this subscription, please use a separate check for this purpose only. Do not combine this with weekly donations or Mass Intention requests.



**GIVING
STATEMENTS
NOW
AVAILABLE**

Year End Contribution statements are available for pick-up from the Faustina Room. Please remember to take yours home as you leave Church.

**Sunday, Feb. 5th:
ROSE 20
Donna Kaminski**



Where there is Mary, there is Jesus.

**Family Life Committee
Meeting
Kolbe Hall at 6:30PM
Monday, January 30th**

Committee members will gladly welcome men and women of the Parish who are willing to pitch in with their involvement and talents.

Come be a part of the fun! ❤️



Our Church Family



If you can't find
the sunshine....
BE
the sunshine!



Eucharistic Revival

A Minute with Jesus:

Why does Jesus want to live in your heart?

God has created each person absolutely unique—there is only one of you. Jesus knows you and loves you, and wants to be with you always. Jesus has a love in His Heart that only you can receive. If you don't receive Jesus' love for you, it will be "wasted." And likewise, you have a love in your heart that only you can give to Jesus. If you don't give that love, there will be an empty place in Jesus' Heart.

Let's pray this every day this week: Jesus, I want to receive all the love You have for me and I want to give You all of my love. Amen.

This week, read about how much God loves you in John 3:16. To make this personal, replace "the world" with your own name.



MEETING REMINDER:
Picnic Committee /6:00PM
Conference Rm/ FEB. 7th



National Catholic Singles (NCS)

A Dating Retreat and Study Series for Single Catholics! NCSC is hosting a FREE online Dating Retreat with guest speaker Fr. Robert Spitzer on January 27th/28th.

Currently there are almost 400 single Catholics from around the world signed up and we're expecting 500+. Don't miss the opportunity to meet other like-minded singles and go deeper in your faith!

Starting the week of February 6th, NCSC will also be hosting a 6-week study series: "Relationship Ready: A Single Catholic's Roadmap to Marriage" that will cover topics such as the meaning of love, communication, conflict resolution, male/female complementarity and much more.

To sign up for these programs, visit:

NationalCatholicSingles.com.



On Saturday, February 11th, the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, we will celebrate a special

**Anointing Mass
at 10:30 am.
at St. Peter Parish
(Saturday morning)**

Anyone with a health concern, the aged, or frail, those with upcoming medical procedures or tests are all invited to attend this Mass & receive this beautifully healing and protective Sacrament: offered in a group setting, by Fr. Todd Mlsna and Deacon Ray Heitzinger.



The Family Life Committee invites all attendees of this special Mass to a Luncheon served in Kolbe Hall following the Anointing Service.



The Pictorial Directories have arrived!!!

Those of you who have purchased a copy, please come to the Parish Office to pick yours up. **Mon -Th 8:30 til 3
Friday 8:30 til 11:30**



Catholic Women's Spiritual Day

This will be held on Saturday, February 4th, 2023 at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
407 E. LeGrand Street
Boscobel, WI 53805.

Keynote Speaker: Rebecca Kiessling, has been a pro-life speaker since 1995, sharing her powerful testimony internationally. She's appeared on EWTN and has been interviewed on Relevant Radio numerous times. Rebecca is an attorney and pro-life advocate with a compelling witness to the faith.

For questions about attending this Spiritual Day, please contact:

**Julie Biba at 608-375-2589 or
Janet Mindham at 608-391-1030**

Post-Abortion Healing Ministry in the Diocese of La Crosse

Do you know someone who is carrying the grief and sorrow of past abortions? Project Rachel Ministry offers a compassionate heart and confidential help.
Call: 608-860-6698 or email: projectrachel@diol.org

project rachel
Peace starts here
H O P E
AFTER ABORTION

Saint Casimir Parish

152 years of Faith and Family

The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Secretary: Rebecca Jones

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Phone Number: 715-344-9582

Saint Casimir Parish Support 01/22/2022



Adult Envelopes: \$1701

Offertory: \$116

We would like to thank all who contributed to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, we were able to contribute a total of \$270 for the World Mission!

Happy Birthday:

Chet Dombrowski (Jan. 30)

Jon Dombrowski (Feb. 2)



Join us in prayer for the rosary starting at 8:20am every Sunday. This week we pray for all religious orders, that they may be ever fervent and faithful in their apostolic vocation, and that all on whom the hand of God is laid may have the grace to answer the divine call to the religious life.



Did you know that Saint Casimir is the patron saint of Poland and Lithuania and is also the special patron of all youth?

Saint Casimir Pray



Mass Intention for February 5, 2022

† Rose Barbers

† Casimer Nowicki

St. Casimir Parish Ministry Schedule

February 5, 2023

Commentator: Pat Gollon

Lector: Kenn Firkus

Servers: Jacob and Joey Gollon

Eucharistic Minister: Pat Gollon

Ushers: Paul and Frank Kubowski

Prayer of the Week:

Once a religious leader asked Jesus this question: "Good leader, what should I do to inherit eternal life?" (Luke 18:18)

Jesus extends an invitation with a promise: "Let me teach you, because I am humble and gentle at heart, and you will find rest for your souls."

Are you in need of answers? What question would you like to ask Jesus? Write it down. Spend a few minutes in silence and listen for His voice. What is He saying to you?



Please remember to contact the parish office if you did not receive your 2022 contribution statement in the mail!

UPCOMING EVENTS

St. Bron's PONCZKA SALE time is almost here! Flavors offered: Bavarian Crème, Blueberry, Lemon, Prune, Raspberry & Plain. \$12 per dozen or \$6 per half dozen.

To order: Please call Mon-Saturday /9am to 7pm starting Jan. 30th thru Feb. 11th ALL PRE-ORDERS must be picked up SAT. FEB 18th from 9am-1pm. Carol: 715-340-0052, Roseann 715-341-7185 or Sarah 715-252-4247

Sacred Heart, Polonia, will be selling "made from scratch" PONCZKAS from 2-6PM on Saturday, Feb. 11, 7:30-9:30am on Sunday, Feb. 12th. \$12 per dozen for filled (prune or jelly) and \$11.50 for plain. Peanut Squares will also be sold. NO PRE-ORDERS. ?s: Contact Deb at 715-345-1257.

DIOCESE OF LA CROSSE

Safe Environment GUIDELINES FOR REPORTING INSTANCES OF CHILD ABUSE

www.dioceseoflacrosse.com



DIOCESE OF LA CROSSE GUIDELINES for REPORTING INSTANCES OF CHILD ABUSE

The Diocese of La Crosse, through its policies and procedures, seeks to provide a prompt, appropriate and compassionate response to reporters of sexual abuse of a child by any diocesan agent (bishop, priest, deacon, employee, religious, vendor or volunteer).

Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should send that report to Mrs. Teresa Brown, Complaint Intake Agent, at the Diocese of La Crosse, P.O. Box 4004, La Crosse, WI 54602-4004. Alternatively, you can contact Mrs. Brown at 608.791.0179 or intakeagent@diolc.org.

The reporting form is available through the Diocese of La Crosse Office of Safe Environment or on the diocesan website at: diolc.org/safe-environment/reporting.

Individuals are also encouraged to take their reports directly to civil authorities. Copies of the diocesan policy are available through your local Parish and on the diocesan website.