

# ST. PETER & ST. CASIMIR PARISHES

## SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### FEBRUARY 12, 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](http://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

Blessed are they whose ways are  
blameless, who walk according  
to the law of the LORD.

- Psalm 119:1 -



heartlight.org

#### 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

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#### 24 HOUR EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesdays from 8:30am -8:00am on Thursday

1st FRIDAY of the month

Adoration from 8:30am until 5:00pm.



<b>Date: Feb. 18/19th</b>	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>Ushers</b>	<b>Servers</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	<b>SCRIP Sellers</b>
<b>4:00pm</b>	Gary Glodoski	Kay King Steve King	Mark Pakulski Dick Glinski	Deacon Ray Paul Koch Gary Glodoski	Bob Jakusz
<b>7:30 am</b>	Donna Bemowski	Fred Vieth Mike Katzmark	Andrew & Matthew Schoenecker	Deacon Ray Pam Spaid Mike Spaid	Mike Spaid
<b>10:30am</b>	Cindy Heitzinger	Carl Knuese Gene Numsen	Aiden Peeters Chase Baron Mathias Gebeau	Deacon Ray Matt Bablitch Cheryl Kehl	Matt Bablitch

**St. Peter Parish WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT**  
Feb.5th, 2023: Envelopes & Offertory: \$ **10,955.26**  
Year to Date: \$ **257,770.92**  
Buildings & Grounds/ January: \$ **3,609.00**

let all that you do  
be done in  
**Love**  
1 corinthians 16:14

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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**Director of Religious Educ. (DRE)**  
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## PARISH COMMITTEES

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Shelly Korger 715-347-5288  
Mary Makuski 715-344-3359  
Fay Schultz 715-344-7839  
Gerry Weber 715-344-8220  
Rick Zupan 715-544-4321  
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Kay King 715-498-3728

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Marianne Koch 715-341-6732  
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715-204-9663

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Dear St. Peter and St. Casimir  
Family:

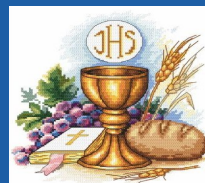


This week we celebrate Valentine's Day. This is a day in which we reflect on our relationship with each other. Yet not only are we called to reflect and celebrate our relationship with each other, but we are also invited to consider our relationship with God. This week's readings give us an opportunity to do just that. God gives us aids and tools to help us in our relationship with him. In our first reading from the book of Sirach we hear God say to us these words. "If you choose you can keep the commandments, they will save you; if you trust in God, you too shall live." By trusting God, we believe that he will keep his promises to us.

What helps us to be able to live our trust and deepen our relationship with God is to keep his law. Jesus says in the gospel of Matthew. "Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets. I have come not to abolish the law, but to fulfil it." Jesus is the fulfillment of the law and of God's promise to us to bring about our redemption.

We can show God that we accept these gifts he wants to offer to us by keeping his commandments. The Catholic Encyclopedia tells us about the commandments. "In addition to the 10 Commandments tradition has accepted commandments or precepts of the church as a help for believers to carry out their duties as members of the community." By carrying out the commandments we are allowing God to give us the tools to guide us in our relationships and on our journey of faith. Not only does God give us commandments via the Old Testament, but the tradition of the church also gives us what we call precepts. In her current listing there are five precepts. The Catholic encyclopedia list them as follows. "First, to attend mass on Sundays and other holy days of obligation. (Canon 1247). Second, to fast and abstain on certain specified days (canons 1249 – 1253). The days currently specified are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Third, to confess one's grave sins at least once a year (Canon 989). Fourth, to receive communion at least once a year preferably during the Easter season (Canon 920). Finally, to contribute to the support of the church (Canon 222).

The encyclopedia list a sixth one. "To observe the church's laws concerning marriage (canons 1055 – 1165)." God wants us to respect every relationship we have as he intends them. By following the precepts of the church and keeping the commandments as God has stated them then our relationship with God and with each other will grow in deeper love and respect. Every relationship should be carried out with the love of God in mind. Its primary goal should also be to help lead all peoples closer to Almighty God. May God bless our relationships and help us keep them rooted in his love. May God bless you all.



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### MONDAY, February 13

### TUESDAY, February 14

8:00 am † Marion Schultz  
† Corona Gollon

### WEDNESDAY, February 15

8:00 am † Philip Gollon  
† Ann & Gerald Sweeney

### THURSDAY, February 16

8:00 am † Leon Hintz  
† Gerald Repinski

### FRIDAY, February 17

8:00 am † Kenneth James & Samara Marie Zelinski  
† Gena Numsen

### SATURDAY, February 18

4:00 PM † Richard Stepaniak  
† Beverly Pechinski

### SUNDAY, February 19

7:30 am † Lawrence & Gertrude Krutza  
† George Kvatek

10:30 am † Stanley & Agnes Czudec  
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

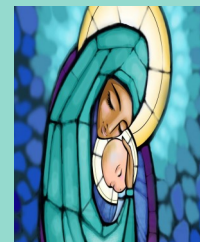
YES, I'D LIKE TO SUBSCRIBE TO MAGNIFICAT:

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.



### St. Peter's PANCAKE BREAKFAST Sunday, MARCH 19, 2023

We'll make your breakfast dreams come true!!!  
More details to come.



## SAVE the DATE!!

Meal of Hope  
is held every 3rd Monday of  
the month at  
St. Joseph Church  
in their St. Joseph Family  
Center at 1709 Wyatt Ave.  
St. Joseph's Call to Justice  
Committee serves this monthly dinner from  
5:00-6:00PM.  
All those in need of food or fellowship are  
welcome to join in.



## Eucharistic Revival

### A Minute with Jesus:

Jesus wants us to know He is  
continually with us.

Often times, our mind begins to wander at Mass because we only see bread and wine. What contributes to our distractions is the bombardment of noise and images in our mind that come through our physical senses (hearing, seeing). Therefore, we are much less attuned to the world of the spirit and the much deeper spiritual realities that are right here, all around us.

Let's pray this every day this week: Jesus, help me to learn to be quiet and reveal to my heart the truth the Eucharist is really You present under the appearance of bread and wine.

This week, read about Jacob in the desert, who was very much afraid, and came to realize that God was present right there with him. As with Jacob, we can say as we pray before the Blessed Sacrament, "Surely the Lord is in this place, and I did not know it."  
Genesis 28:10-17



Breakfast at the Knights of Columbus:  
**SUNDAY, FEB. 26th : 8:15AM-11AM**

Eggs, potatoes, ham, sausage, dessert, coffee & all you can eat PANCAKES for only \$10 adult, \$6 for 6-12yrs and \$4 under 6yrs.

Our popular bake sale will be held at the breakfast. KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS CLUBHOUSE, 401 W. Clark Street  
Just across the Clark St. Bridge, St. Pt.



Lent begins on Ash Wednesday:  
February 22, 2023

Masses will be celebrated with  
Distribution of ashes at  
8:00AM & 5:15PM at St. Peter's





When the old ways aren't working, the Retrouvaille Program helps couples restore & rebuild their marriages.



This is a 3-phase program that begins with a weekend stay in the Wausau area.

A series of "post sessions" provide ongoing healing & support.

Presentations are given by couples who share their personal struggles in marriage and the tools they use to rediscover their love. Participants reflect & interact in privacy with their spouse. It is NOT group therapy. Costs are affordable & no couple is turned away because of limited finances.

If you are wondering if this program is right for you or a loved one, find more information & answers at FAQ at [HelpOurMarriage.org](http://HelpOurMarriage.org)

**The next program begins March 3-5, 2023.**  
**Early registration is recommended.**

## Marriage Enrichment & Parenting Resources

**For Your Marriage Website:** [foryourmarriage.org/](http://foryourmarriage.org/)

This website from the USCCB helps couples at all stages of life to understand and live God's plan for happy, holy marriages. Check it out!

**Teaching the Way of Love:** [twl4parents.com/](http://twl4parents.com/)

This website is full of encouragement and tips for parents to continue to be the primary educators of their children. Excellent ideas and reminders! ♥



## STATIONS of the CROSS



As is tradition at St. Peter Parish, our devotion of the Stations of the Cross will be observed each Friday of Lent, beginning on Friday, February 24th at 12:00 Noon.



The Rosary Society will sponsor their Soup Sale in the Faustina Room following the Stations of the Cross (12:30-2:00PM, or sold out). Soup will be sold at \$9 per quart.

**Family Life Committee Meeting:**  
**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15th**  
**6:30 PM KOLBE HALL**



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**

**Feast of Blessed Brother James Miller – Feb. 13**

Prayer for the Intercession of Blessed Brother James Miller, FSC approved by Bishop Callahan.

"O Blessed Brother James Miller, you heard God's call to become a Brother of the Christian Schools and so became a sign of faith to youth in the United States & Central America. You placed your life & your trust in Divine Providence and, for spreading the faith, merited the crown of martyrdom. In a world that denies the dignity of the human person, obtain for us from Divine Providence an ever increasing love of God and our neighbor, especially the poor & oppressed. Obtain for us also the favor we are now asking for (mention request) and the grace and strength to be a witness to Christ's love to all. Amen."

Imprimatur: +William Patrick Callahan, OFM Conv.  
Bishop of La Crosse—Feb. 7, 2020



# Saint Casimir Parish

152 years of Faith and Family

The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Secretary: Rebecca Jones

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Phone Number: 715-344-9582

Saint Casimir Parish Support 02/05/2022



Adult Envelopes: \$1961

Offertory: \$113

Happy Birthday:

Jean Javorek (Feb. 16)

Phil Janowski (Feb. 17)

HAPPY  
*Birthday*  
TO YOU



Join us in prayer for the rosary starting at 8:20am every Sunday. Next week we pray for an end to all gun violence. Let every man, woman and child recognize and accept that all are created equal in the eyes of God. Let our differences educate us to remember God doesn't make mistakes.

Prayer of the Week:

Love, joy and peace. Let no personal feelings, no thoughts of self banish these from your mind. Singly they are miracles producing in a life, but together they can command all that is needed on the physical, mental and spiritual planes.

It is in these wonder-realm attributes all success lies. You have to see your inner lives are all they should be, and then the work is accomplished. Not in rushing and stirring on the material plane, but on the battlefield of the soul are these things won.



Mass Intention for February 19, 2022

† Deceased Members of the  
Keen Family

† Catherine and Larry Wojtalewicz

Mass Intention for February 22, 2022

† Ted Stoltz

† Jim Wayerski



St. Casimir Parish Ministry Schedule

February 19, 2023

Commentator: Sally Bukowski

Lector: Bonnie Ziolkowski

Servers: Jacob and Joey Gollon

Eucharistic Minister: Bernie King

Ushers: Bernie Stoltz and Patti Flanigan

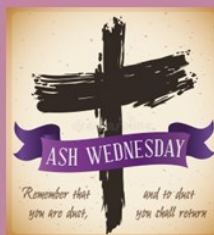
**Volunteers are needed for Ash Wednesday  
Mass except for Altar servers.**



**Stations of the Cross**

Stations will be said every Sunday during Lent starting at 8:30am. Please join us in this Lenten Tradition as we journey through this time of reflection and preparation for the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Announcement:



**Ash Wednesday** (February 22)  
mass will be at **5:15pm**  
with Father Dennis Lynch  
presiding.



## FISH FRY TIME is here again!

Support these  
Parishes in the area:

**St. Patrick Parish in Halder will be serving Fish Fries every Friday during Lent. 4-8pm Feb. 24 thru April 7th. DINE IN & CARRY OUT. Curbside pick up available. Located just off Hwy 153, West of Mosinee Call: 715-850-FISH.**

**See bulletin boards for their detailed menu options and instructions.**

**St. Joseph Parish, Stevens Point, hosts their WINTERFEST on Friday, Feb. 17th 4:30-7:00PM. Fish Fry and Raffle. Fried or Baked Fish (2pc.), Fried Shrimp (8pc) or Combo Meal 1 fish and 4pc Shrimp: \$15.00 Dine in or Carry Out**

ENJOY!

### DIOCESE OF LA CROSSE

*Safe Environment*  
**GUIDELINES  
FOR REPORTING INSTANCES  
OF CHILD ABUSE**  
[www.dioceseoflacrosse.com](http://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](mailto: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](http://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.