

Saint Peter Church

4 South 5th Street • Coplay, Pennsylvania 18037



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2023

NATIONAL VOCATIONS AWARENESS WEEK



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I, THEN, A PRISONER FOR THE LORD, URGE YOU TO LIVE IN A MANNER
WORTHY OF THE CALL YOU HAVE RECEIVED.

EPHESIANS 4:1



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St. Peter Roman Catholic Church



PARISH STAFF

PASTOR: Rev. Msgr. David L. James V.G., J.C.L.

PASTORS EMERITI: Rev. Msgr. John J. Martin

Rev. Msgr. William E. Handges

PERMANENT DEACON: Mr. Thomas Reimer

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Mrs. Lina Abi-Samra

FINANCE MANAGER: Mrs. Michelle Ahern

DIRECTOR OF REL. ED.: Mrs. Linda Johnson

MASS SCHEDULE: DAILY: 8 A.M. ~ Chapel (*except Monday & Saturday*)

Saturday Evening: 4:00 P.M. Sunday: 8:00 & 10:30 A.M.

Holy Days: Vigil Mass 6:30 P.M. and 8:00 A.M. on the Holy Day.

PENANCE: Saturday: 3:00 to 3:45 P.M. and by appointment

During Advent and Lent, Communal Penance Services are celebrated.

BAPTISM: Contact the rectory for an appointment.

Baptism is scheduled on Sunday following the 10:30 A.M. Mass

Parents may be required to attend a preparatory instruction in the rectory.

MARRIAGE: Couples should contact the parish priest at least 1 year but no later than 6 months prior to the intended wedding date. Weddings are on Saturday between 10A.M. and 1P.M.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Notify the rectory when someone becomes seriously ill, or weak due to old age, so that the person might receive this Sacrament.

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND: The priest & Deacons perform this service monthly. Notify us when someone wishes to be visited.

HOSPITALIZED: Alert us whenever someone has to be hospitalized, especially when their admission is an emergency. The parish identification number is #171.

PARISH REGISTRATION: New members should make an appointment with the pastor.

HIGH SCHOOL: Allentown Central Catholic, 4th & Chew Sts., Allentown 18102; Phone 610-437-4601

ELEMENTARY: Good Shepherd Catholic School, 1300 Newport Ave., Northampton, PA 18067
phone: 610-262-9171 Mrs. Susan Parker, M.Ed. Principal

CCD PROGRAM: Classes conducted at the Holy Apostles Catholic Education Center,
3008 Ruch St., Whitehall, PA 18052

The program is from September to the end of April.

These classes are necessary for eligibility to receive the Sacraments of Penance, Eucharist and Confirmation.

Contact Mrs. Linda Johnson at 610-261-0144

BEQUESTS: Please remember St. Peter Church in your Last Will & Testament.

IN MEMORIAM FUND: After the death of a family member you are invited to have that person's name commemorated on the Church Plaque by suggesting that memorial offerings be donated to the Church in memory of the deceased person.

DIOCESAN VICTIM ASSISTANCE Wendy Krisak, Direct Telephone 1-800-791-9209 Email: victimassistance@allentowndiocese.org

DIOCESAN SAFE ENVIRONMENT Pamela Russo, MSW, MS 610-871-5200, Ext. 2204 Email: pruso@allentowndiocese.org

CATHOLIC BISHOP ABUSE REPORTING SERVICE If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or by calling 800-276-1562.



Mission Statement

We, as a Catholic parish under the patronage of Saint Peter, are a Eucharistic family, centered in prayer and worship, dedicated to self-sacrificing stewardship, and journeying together, Spirit-inspired, to the heavenly Kingdom.



Sunday November 5th Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mal 1:14b—2:2b,8-10; 1Thes 2:7b-9,13; Mt 23:1-2
8:00 AM Parishioners of Saint Peter
10:30 AM Annual Remembrance Mass for the Deceased Members of Saint Peter

Monday November 6th Weekday

Rom 11:29-36; Lk 14:12-14
No Morning Mass

Tuesday November 7th Weekday

Rom 12:5-16b; Lk 14:15-24
8:00AM Frances Alban

Wednesday November 8th Weekday

Rom 13:8-10; Lk 14:25-33
8:00AM Frank and Anna Dreisbach

Thursday November 9th The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Ez 47:1-2,8-9,12; 1Cor 3:9c-11,16-17; Jn 2:13-22
8:00AM Edward Koren

Friday November 10th Weekday, Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

Rom 15:14-21; Lk 16:1-8
8:00AM Pauline and Joseph F. Deutsch Family

Saturday November 11th Saint of Tours, Bishop

Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Lk 16:9-15

Vigil Mass

4:00 PM Jim Sedora

Sunday November 12th Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Mary Molchany
10:30AM Joseph F. Sinkovits

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Sunday Collection Week of Sunday 10/29/2023
Basket collection \$4851.00.00 plus online \$455.00
Please continue your weekly or monthly giving to our parish. Your contributions are vital in order for us to meet our obligations. If unable to attend Mass, kindly send your envelopes through the mail or drop them in the rectory mail slot.

Your **support** to your parish is critical.
I thank you for your kind and generous response.
Please be assured that you and your family are always in my prayers

Monsignor James



FLAME OF LOVE
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2023



HOLY HOUR
Wednesday, November 8th at 6PM
Confessions will be heard



PRAYER GROUP

If you would like your name or the name of a family member to be added to the list please call the office at 610.262.2417

PIEROGIES

Please Note: We will be making pierogies on Monday, November 13, and Tuesday, November 14 with pick-up scheduled for 1pm. Any questions or to place an order please call Judy at 610.262.6626

Strudel

Strudel pick up will be on Saturday, November 11 between 9-11am in the Parish Social Hall



Cookies with Santa

Altar and Rosary Society invites all Parish Children to Milk and Cookies with Santa on Sunday, December 17, 2023 Come to 10:30 Mass and then join us

in the Church Hall from 12-2pm
Saint Peter Church in Coplay
4 S. 5th Street
Coplay, PA 18037
The ladies of the Altar and Rosary Society will be serving Santa's favorite cookies.

DEVOTIONAL LAMPS

Sanctuary Lamp

Will burn this week in memory of
Frank and Anna Dreisbach
Offered by Veronica Horvath

Blessed Mother Vigil Light

Will burn this week in memory of
Karen Brubaker
Offered by Marcia Cheslock

Saint Joseph Vigil Lights

Will burn this week in memory of
The deceased members of the Ryan and Bodisch
families
Offered by Kathy Bodisch

WHITEHALL COPLAY HUNGER INITIATIVE



will be hosting a cash bingo
on Sunday, November 12,
here, at St. Peter Parish,
4 S. 5th Street.

\$15 admission gets 2 boards
(4 faces) \$5 book specials.

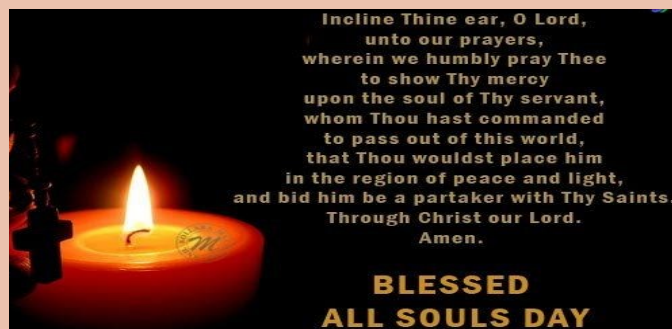
Daubers and chips are available for purchase.
Doors open at 1pm and bingo starts at 2pm.
Kitchen is open. Masks are optional. Items for the
food pantry greatly appreciated. Please visit
<https://tinyurl.com/WCHIPantrylist>
For more information, or if you have any ques-
tions, please call 484.274.6687

ASSUMPTION BVM 22ND AND WASHINGTON ST. NORTHAMPTON

Is serving breakfast on Sunday, November 12 from
8am-12:30pm

Includes: French Toast, pancakes, scrambled eggs
or omelet, ham, sausage or bacon, hash browns,
toast, juice, coffee, tea.

November Special: Creamed Chipped Beef on
Toast. Cost is \$10.00 adults/ \$5.00 children.
Tickets on sale at the door.



Incline Thine ear, O Lord,
unto our prayers,
wherein we humbly pray Thee
to show Thy mercy
upon the soul of Thy servant,
whom Thou hast commanded
to pass out of this world,
that Thou wouldst place him
in the region of peace and light,
and bid him be a partaker with Thy Saints.
Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

**BLESSED
ALL SOULS DAY**



GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC SCHOOL 1300 Newport Avenue Northampton

Good Shepherd Catholic School will now
be selling GSCS Family Prayer Cards.
Each card is \$5.00. You can enroll de-
ceased family members or friends, or someone for
health and blessings. Prayer cards are available for
purchase during school hours, and before and after
our school Masses.

Good Shepherd Catholic School Family members will
be acknowledged in the following ways:

A votive candle will be lit in their honor.
Their name will be written in our intention book.
They will be remembered every day in the prayers of
all the children during morning prayer. Good
shepherd Catholic School Prayer Family members
will be remembered at every school Mass.
This card is not a Mass Card, rather a Prayer card
where a general intention inclusive of all Prayer
Family Members will be mentioned.

We have limited space available for students entering
grades K-8, Preschool (3 years old) and Pre-K(4
years old). For more information regarding enroll-
ment, or to set up a tour please call or email Ms. Eri-
ca Nochtan, Advancement Director at 610.262.9171
or msnochtongscs@goodshepherd-catholic.com



HOLY APOSTLES RE

holyapostlesre@holyapostlesre.org 610.261.0144

Fall Office Hours : M-Th 3:00-8:00 pm; closed
Fridays

Regular classes this week

SAINT MONICA MINISTRY HOLY HOUR

You are invited to take part in a St. Monica Ministry
Holy Hour at St Theresa Church, Hellertown on
Wednesday, November 8th at 6pm. We will come to-
gether before the Blessed Sacrament to ask Our
Lord's mercy and to invoke the powerful intercession
of St. Monica for our fallen-away loved ones. Presid-
ing will be Rev. Anthony Mongiello, pastor of St.
Anne's Parish, Bethlehem. All are welcome, and no
registration is required.

For more info on the St. Monica Ministry, please
email

StMonicaMinistry27@gmail.com

Get ready for our

FILLING

& Pickled Cabbage

SALE

ORDERS DUE

NOVEMBER 10, 2023

Filling \$8.00 per 2 lb. containers
Pickled Cabbage \$4.00 per 1 lb. containers

Pick-up in the Church Hall
Tuesday, November 21 between 3 & 6PM

Name:-----

Phone:-----

Filling:-----@**\$8.00**

Pickled Cabbage:-----@**\$4.00**

Total Enclosed:-----**Check #**-----

