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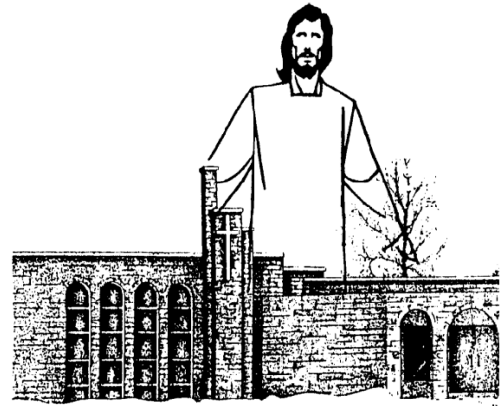
Deacon A. Lamothe

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Mrs. P. Porter



Baptism

A program of preparation is required. Parents are asked to contact the Parish Office prior to the birth of their child. Adults wishing baptism are asked to contact the Parish Office.

Marriage

Contact the Pastor at least six months prior to the wedding. A preparation course is required.

Visitation of the Sick

If any member of your family is sick at home or in the hospital, please call and let us know. If you are confined to home, and would like to receive Communion on Sunday, please call the Office before 3:00 pm on Thursday.

Prayers for the Sick

If you or any member of your family is sick, in distress or experiencing troubling times, we invite you to call the Parish office to place that person on our prayer list.

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekday Mass Schedule

For Weekday Mass Schedule please see inside bulletin.

Reconciliation

Saturdays from 3:00 to 3:30pm; or by appointment.
By appointment only from May to August.

Eucharistic Adoration

First Wednesday of each month 9:30 am-5:00 pm.

Children's Liturgy

Each Sunday at the 9:00 am Mass from September to June. All children (beginning from Jr. Kindergarten) are welcome.

Welcome to St. Peter's

We warmly welcome new parishioners to our parish. You are asked to register by completing a registration form. Forms are available in the Entrance or from the Parish Office.



PLEASE PATRONIZE OUR SPONSORS



Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe – Nov. 23, 2025

“Jesus is king of all creation!”

MASS INTENTIONS:

Mon, Nov 24	9am	Dorothy Aultman+ by St. Peter’s CWL
Tues, Nov 25	9am	Maureen Mackasey+ by Peter & Pat Croteau
Wed, Nov 26	9am	Intentions of Richard Levesque & In memory of Sheila Levesque+ by June Leduc
Thurs, Nov 27	9am	Sharron Keenan+ by Suzanne Lukasik
Fri, Nov 28	9am	In Honour of St. Lucia with Thanks (Favours Received) by a Parishioner Sacrament of the Sick
Sat, Nov 29	4pm	Bev Charron+ by Pat Porter Peter Maunsell+ by Donna & Gord Rogers
Sun, Nov 30	9am	Intentions of all Parishioners by Father Francis
	11am	Assunta & Vittorio Amendola+ by Fernanda Amendola June Clement+ by Dan Clement

PRAYER LINE: *In sorrow and suffering, go straight to God with confidence, and you will be strengthened, enlightened and instructed.* If you or any member of your family, or anyone you know, is sick, in distress or experiencing troubling times, we invite you to call the Parish Office to place that person on our prayer list.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK: Len Weisflock, Nancy Tremblay, Flo Travis, Shirley Divine, Victor Veltri

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED:

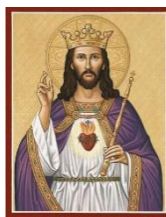
SCRIPTURE READINGS Nov 24 – Nov 30, 2025

Monday	Daniel 1:1-6,8-20; Luke 21:1-4 <i>St. Andrew Dũng-Lạc & Companions</i>
Tuesday	Daniel 2:3,9a,10a,27a,31-45++; Luke 21:5-11
Wednesday	Daniel 5:1-6,13-14,16-17,23-28; Luke 21:12-19
Thursday	Daniel 6:11-28; Luke 21:20-28
Friday	Daniel 7:1-14++; Luke 21:29-33
Saturday	Daniel 7:15-27; Luke 21:34-36
Sunday	Isaiah 2:1-5 Romans 13:11-14 Matthew 24 :37-44 <i>First Sunday of Advent</i>

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2025

Christ the King

“Jesus, remember me when you come into Your kingdom.” Luke 23:42



On this last Sunday of the liturgical year, we join our voices to that of the criminal crucified beside Jesus, who acknowledged and acclaimed Him a king.

“That thief was able to speak up and make his profession of faith. His were the last words Jesus heard, and Jesus’ own

words in reply were the last He spoke before abandoning Himself to the Father: “Truly I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise” (Lk 23:43) .

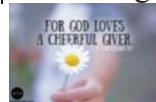
Like the good thief, we want to speak up and profess our faith, to defend and assist the Lord, the innocent man of sorrows. We want to accompany Him in His ordeal, to stand by Him in His isolation and abandonment, and to hear once more that salvation is the word the Father desires to speak to all: “Today you will be with me in Paradise”.

Our faith is in the God of the living. Christ is alive and at work in our midst, leading all of us to the fullness of life. He is alive and wants us to be alive; He is our hope (cf. Christus Vivit, 1). Each day we pray: Lord, may your kingdom come. With these words, we want our own lives and actions to become a hymn of praise. We are called to be a leaven of Christ’s Kingdom wherever we find ourselves: We are to be a little opening through which the Spirit continues to breathe hope among peoples.”

Nov.24, 2019

Sunday November 16, 2025 \$2 918.00

Building Fund balance to date \$24 513.75

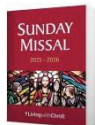


Building Fund Goal: \$100 000

Thank you for your generous contributions!

Sunday Missal 2025-2026

Sunday Missals are for sale at the Church Office. They are \$5 each.



Young Catholics Sunday Missal

2026 - We only have a few of these!

They are \$9 each.



30th Turkey Dinner (Sit Down & Take Out!)

St. Peter the Apostle Church

Sunday December 7 - 4:15pm to 6:45pm

We are in need of Volunteers. Sign up now and be part of the action! Tickets are on sale:

Tickets are \$20 each.

Children 5yrs & under – FREE.

Thank you to all those who have donated! Your kindness is most appreciated. **We will see you at the dinner!**



THIS WEEK

Tuesday Nov 25 **7:00PM** – Social Life Committee
Wednesday Nov 26 **9:30AM** – Rosary Cenacle
Thursday Nov 27 **11:30AM** – Choir Practice (11AM)
6:30PM – Choir Practice (9AM)
Friday Nov 28 **9:00AM** – **Sacrament of the Sick**
6:30PM – Youth Choir Practice
Saturday Nov 29 **3:00-3:30PM** – **Confession**

St. Peter the Apostle Youth Choir

Calling all youth, ages 8+yrs!

Join us for singing, fun, and friendship!

November 28, 2025 @ 6:30 PM

Meet new friends, and enjoy a fun evening together.



The St. Peter's Giving Tree

The Giving Tree will arrive on **Sunday November 30th**. Please take a gift tag home with you! After purchasing the gift, bring your unwrapped gift with the gift tag back to the Church during a weekend Mass or to the parish office during the week. Deadline for gifts is

Monday, December 15th.



Wednesday December 10, 2025

10am – 8pm

All Day Individual Confession @ St Peter's

The Catholic Parishes of North Bay present an **Advent Day of Confessions** on **Wednesday, December 10th** from 10:00 am - 8:00 pm at **St. Peter the Apostle Church**. Priests will be available all day for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Take this opportunity to encounter God's mercy through this Sacrament. Prepare your hearts, prepare the Way of the Lord!



Children's Christmas Party – Dec 21st @ 2pm

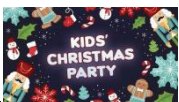
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All are invited for Christmas fun & games

Food will be provided

All are Welcome!

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Pope Leo – November Prayer Intention

For the Prevention of Suicide
Let us pray that those who are tempted to commit suicide might find the support, care and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.



Jubilee of Choirs Nov.22 -23, 2025 This is a vibrant celebration of sacred music, bringing together choirs from around the world to the heart of the Catholic Church. This

event aims to foster unity and spiritual enrichment through the universal language of music, inviting choir members, music enthusiasts, and faithful pilgrims to participate in a harmonious expression of faith.. Typical aspects of the event include choral performances, workshops, and liturgical celebrations, all set against the backdrop of the Vatican's rich musical heritage.



2025 Advent Mission:

Carol of Nine Lessons

Please join us for an evening of scripture readings and hymns! **What better way to prepare our hearts for Christmas!**

Mission Date:

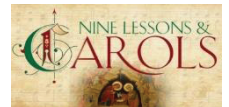
Sunday December 14th @ 6:30pm

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The evening will conclude with a social in the Hall.

Invite a friend!

We look forward to spending the evening with you!



World Day of Youth – Nov. 23 2025

Solemnity of Jesus Christ, King of the Universe – World



Youth Day (WYD) is a worldwide encounter with the Pope celebrated approximately every three years. The next international World Youth Day will be held in Seoul, South Korea in 2027. Each

diocese also celebrates annually – a day in which we commemorate our Youth. This day can be a reminder for all parishioners to pray for young people who are committing their lives to Christ, and for those who are struggling with their faith. This November's Theme: **XXXX World Youth Day 2025: "You also are my witnesses, because you have been with me" (Jn 15:27).** "As pilgrims of hope, by the power of the Holy Spirit, we prepare ourselves to become courageous witnesses of Christ. I would like to focus on two aspects of witness: our friendship with Jesus, which we receive from God as a gift, and our commitment to be builders of peace in society. In every situation of our life, we will experience that we are never alone, for as children we are always loved, forgiven and encouraged by God. Bear witness to this joyfully!



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