

Second Sunday of Easter – Divine Mercy – April 27, 2025

“God grants us countless opportunities to meet Him each day!”

MASS INTENTIONS:

Mon, Apr. 28	9am	NO MASS
Tues, Apr. 29	7pm	Rita Storie+ by Dolores Lafontaine
Wed, Apr. 30	9am	Intentions of Sarah Boudreau & Prayers for Healing by the family
Thurs, May. 1	9am	Emile Campsall+ by Nestor & Theresa Crawford
Fri, May. 2	9am	Intentions of Mary Kelly & Prayers for Healing by Eithne de Pencier
Sat, May. 3	4pm	Verl Robinson+ by Joan Waugh & family
Sun, May. 4	9am	Cliff Riopelle+ by Lorraine Chamberlain
	11am	Intentions of all Parishioners by Father Francis

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: *Jane Loken, Len Weisflock, Frank O'Hagan*

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED:

SCRIPTURE READINGS April 28 – May 4, 2025	
Monday	Acts 4:23-31; John 3:1-8
Tuesday	Acts 4:32-37; John 3:7b-15 <i>St. Catherine of Siena</i>
Wednesday	Acts 5:17-26; John 3:16-21 <i>St. Marie de L'Incarnation</i>
Thursday	Acts 5:27-33; John 3:31-36 <i>(St. Joseph the Worker)</i> International Workers Day
Friday	Acts 5:34-42; John 6:1-15 <i>St. Athanasius</i>
Saturday	1Corinthians 15:1-8; John 14:6-14 <i>St. Philip & St James</i>
Sunday	Acts 5:28-32, 40b-41 Revelation 5:11-14 John 21:1-19 <i>Third Sunday of Easter</i>

SUNDAY, APRIL 27, 2025

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“Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.” John 20:21



This same peace awaits all of

us. “Thus continues the great

work of Jesus on Easter day, when He poured into the hearts of His fearful disciples the Father’s mercy, bringing them the Holy Spirit who forgives sins and bestows joy. In God’s mercy, all of our infirmities find healing.

His peace is the peace that comes from the heart of the Risen Lord - the peace that has defeated sin, fear and death. It is a peace that unites; and makes us feel listened to and loved. It is a peace that persists even in pain and enables hope to blossom. We must be bears of His peace. It is the mission entrusted to the Church on Easter day. In Christ, we are born to be instruments of reconciliation, to bring the Father’s forgiveness to everyone, to reveal His loving face through concrete gestures of mercy.

Truly, God’s mercy is forever. It never ends, never runs out, never gives up when faced with closed doors, and it never tires. In this forever we find strength in moments of trial and weakness because we are sure that God does not abandon us. He remains with us forever. Let us give thanks for so great a love, which we find impossible to grasp; it is immense!” April 3, 2016

“Let us pray for the grace to never grow tired of drawing from the well of the Father’s mercy and bringing it to the world.”

Sunday April 20, 2025	\$2 474.00
Easter Collection	\$2 530.00
Holy Land Collection	\$698.00
Building Fund balance to date	\$6 248.75

Building Fund Goal: \$100 000

Thank you for your generous contributions!



2025 Envelopes are ready to be picked up. Please call the Church office for more information: 705- 472-1817



THE MONTH OF APRIL IS DEDICATED TO:

The Blessed Sacrament

Divine Mercy Entrustment to the World



By Pope John Paul II on August 2002

“God, Merciful Father, in Your Son, Jesus Christ, You have revealed Your love and poured it out upon us in the Holy Spirit, the Comforter. We entrust to You today the destiny of the world and of every man and

woman. Bend down to us sinners, heal our weakness, conquer all evil, and grant that all the peoples of the earth may experience Your Mercy. In You, the Triune God, may they ever find the source of hope. Eternal Father, by the Passion and Resurrection of Your Son, have Mercy on us and upon the whole world! Amen.”



First Communion:

Please pray for our students as they receive the Sacrament of **First Communion** at St Peter's on Sunday, **April 27th @ 11am**



Divine Mercy Sunday: April 7th

Come Join us in celebrating the Feast of the Divine

Mercy: **St. Peter the Apostle Church, April 27th @ 3PM. A Potluck will follow. Please bring your goodies to the Church hall prior to the 3:00pm celebration.**

THIS WEEK

Sunday April 27 **11:00AM – FIRST COMMUNION**
3:00PM – Divine Mercy Hour
Followed by Potluck in Church Hall

Monday April 28 **9:AM – 9:PM – Federal Election POLLING STATION**

Wednesday April 30 **9:30AM – Rosary Cenacle**

Thursday May 1 **1:00PM – Choir Practice (11AM)**
6:30PM – Choir Practice (9AM)

Friday May 2 **6:30PM – Youth Choir Practice**

Saturday May 3 **3:00PM – CONFESSIONS**

CWL NEWS: Why belong to the Catholic Women's League? The Catholic Women's League has grown to become Canada's largest women's organization. Did you know it meets with government and has an impact on legislation and policy? **Help us continue to grow and make a difference. Christine @ 705-303-3808. Our next general meeting will be Wednesday, May 14th at 2:00pm.**



St. Peter the Apostle Youth Choir
Calling all youth, ages 8+ yrs!
Join us for singing, fun, and friendship!

May 2, 2025 @ 6:30 PM

Meet new friends, and enjoy a fun evening together.
We can't wait to see you there!

Pope Francis – May Prayer

Intention

For working conditions

We pray that through work, each person might find fulfillment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanized.



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Funeral Mass for Pope Francis April 26, 2025 @ 10AM Livestream Mass:

<https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/events/event.dir.html/content/vaticanevents/en/2025/4/26/messa-esequiale.html>

We pray for Pope Francis: Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord. R. And let perpetual light shine upon him. O, God, faithful rewarder of souls, grant that your departed servant Pope Francis whom you made successor of Peter and shepherd of your Church, may happily enjoy for ever in your presence in Heaven the mysteries of your grace and compassion which he faithfully ministered on earth. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit. God, for ever and ever. R. AMEN.

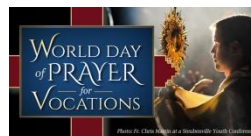


Mother's Day Breakfast – Sun May 11th!

St. Peter's Knights of Columbus wish to invite all to a pancake breakfast **Sunday May 11th** in the St. Peter's

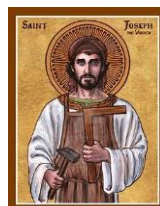


Parish hall after the **9am & 11am Masses**. Free will offering. The menu includes delicious pancakes, eggs, sausages, fruit & beverages. We look forward to seeing you!!



62nd WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS – May 11th, 2025

Take this opportunity to pray for the priests and religious who have ministered to you in your life, and consider encouraging your children, grandchildren or other young people to consider a vocation as a priest or religious sister or brother.



Feast of St Joseph the Worker:

May 1st St. Joseph Patron Saint of the Universal Church



International Workers' Day: May 1st

This day is celebrated in many countries and recognizes the value of all human work and the dignity of working people. Let us #PrayTogether for all workers, so that no one might be without work and all might be paid a just wage. May all benefit from the dignity of work and the beauty of rest.