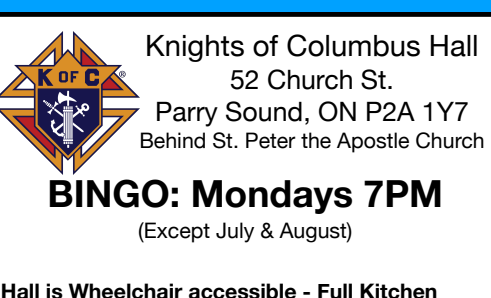
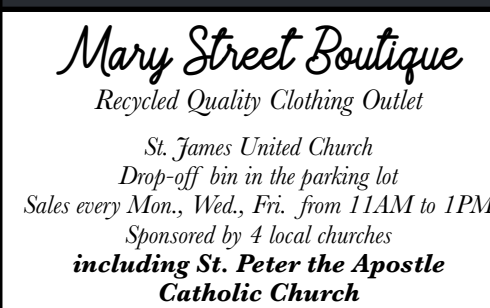


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Welcome

St. Peter the Apostle Parish is a **Catholic** Christian Community of **Disciples of the Lord Jesus**. We believe that everyone is called to be on a spiritual journey and what matters is not where a person is on that journey, but actually being on the journey. Therefore we seek to **welcome** all people, regardless of the stage of their spiritual life, their struggles and failures. We simply ask that you walk with us and **be open** to what **God** is calling you to. We believe that God calls each member of our parish to **worship**, to **grow**, to **serve**, to **connect** and to **give**.

TODAYS READINGS: ① 2 Samuel 5:1-3 ② Colossians 1:12-20 ③ Luke 23:35-43

MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday, November 26

10:00AM + Deceased Diocesan Priests

6:00PM + Vic Brunatti

Thursday, November 27

The Gardens 10:00AM Int. Elizabeth Flagler

Friday, November 28

12:10PM + Phyllis Ertle

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Saturday, November 29

7:00PM Missa Pro Populo (Mass for the People)

Sunday, November 30

9:00AM + Doug Hickey

11:00AM + Vic Brunatti



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PRAYER TO CHRIST THE KING

Christ Jesus, I acknowledge You King of the universe. All that has been created has been made for You. Make full use of Your rights over me.

I renew the promises I made in Baptism, when I renounced Satan and all his works and all his empty promises, and I commit to live a good Christian life and to do all in my power to procure the triumph of the rights of God and Your Church.

Divine Heart of Jesus, I offer You my efforts in order that all hearts may acknowledge Your Sacred Royalty, and that thus the Kingdom of Your peace may be established throughout the universe. Amen.

AULD LANG SYNE

This weekend we celebrate the end of the Church's Liturgical Year. At year end, most companies make an official audit of their financial dealings. As Christians we take a moment to examine our life in Christ. Not going well? Confession of sin in the Sacrament of Reconciliation is a great way to set the record straight; begin the new year with a clean slate and take it from there!

CEMETERY PRAYER SERVICE

Join us this Wednesday, November 26 at 12 noon at Hillcrest Cemetery for our annual prayer service for our dearly departed. This simple and meaningful gathering helps us remember those we miss and entrust them to the Lord's loving care.

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Next Sunday we celebrate the First Sunday of Advent. In the midst of this normally busy time in our lives, our parish church becomes an oasis of peace and calm. We step aside from the hustle and bustle around us and reflect on God's promise of salvation, the promise fulfilled at the birth of Christ.

HOW TO ADVENT

Advent can feel busy, but it is meant to be a season of joyful preparation. Join us for How to Advent, a four-part video series that explores the traditions that help us get ready for the birth of Jesus: the Advent calendar, wreath, Jesse tree, and nativity scene. Gain simple, practical ways to enter the season with purpose. Join us Fridays, beginning November 28, following the 12:10PM Mass.

MASS TIME CHANGE!

Next Saturday, November 29th, Mass will take place at **7PM** (not 4PM) because of the Church Street closure for the Santa Claus parade.

SCHOOL MASS

Our next School Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, November 26 at 10AM. Our students will help lead us in prayer as we gather to worship together. All are welcome.

FAMILY ADVENT WREATH MAKING PARTY

Join us on Saturday, November 29 at 10AM in the Church Basement for our 5th annual Advent Wreath Making Party. All materials are provided. Cost is \$30 per family, or \$10 if you already have your wreath ring. Please pre-register at the Welcome Desk or through the Parish Office. Space is limited.

NEW SUNDAY MISSALS AVAILABLE

The new Sunday Missals begin next weekend. Get your copy for just \$5 before they're gone!

LIGHTING THE ADVENT WREATH

We are looking for parishioners to light the Advent Wreath before Mass begins. Stop by the Welcome Desk to sign up.

CHRISTMAS TURKEY LUNCHEON

Mark your calendars! We will host our 21st Annual Christmas Turkey Luncheon on Sunday, December 14th at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Stayed tuned for more information in the coming weeks.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Offertory envelopes will be ready for pickup in the Narthex next weekend for those who used them this past year. If you're not currently using envelopes and would like to start, Kristen can set you up with a blank box, just go to the Welcome Desk after Mass.

GIVING TUESDAY

Tuesday, December 2nd is Giving Tuesday, a day many have begun to observe annually after the accelerated deal-hunting of Black Friday and Cyber Monday. On this day, special attention is paid to supporting the works of charitable organizations like our parish. Thank you for your consideration!

STEWARDSHIP REPORT IS INCLUDED

For more info visit: spta.church/accountability

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Your financial stewardship for November 16th.

Offertory Envelopes	1,629.85
Automatic Giving	1,677.32
Offertory Loose	315.35
Total Offertory	\$ 3,622.52



Stewardship Sunday

“For where your treasure is, there your heart will be.”

-Matthew 6:21

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