

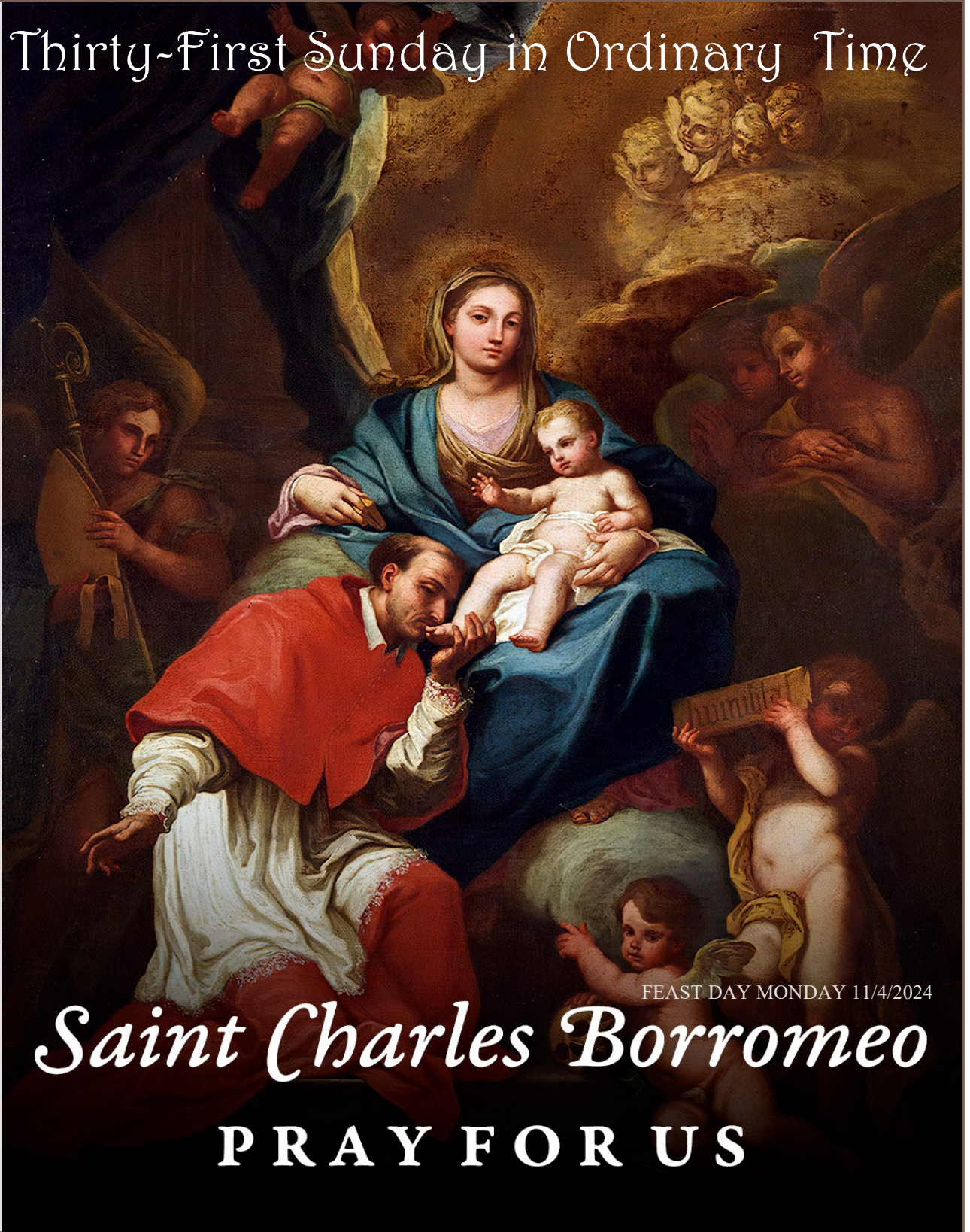
Saint Peter Church

4 South 5th Street • Coplay, Pennsylvania 18037



Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2024



FEAST DAY MONDAY 11/4/2024

Saint Charles Borromeo

PRAY FOR US



PARISH STAFF

PASTOR: Rev. Msgr. David L. James J.C.L.

PASTORS EMERITI: Rev. Msgr. John J. Martin

Rev. Msgr. William E. Handges

PERMANENT DEACONS: Mr. Michael Kudla

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Mrs. Lina Abi-Samra

FINANCE MANAGER: Mrs. Michelle Ahern

DIRECTOR OF REL. ED.: Mrs. Linda Johnson

MASS SCHEDULE: DAILY: 8 A.M. (*Wednesday and Friday*)

Saturday Evening: 4:30 P.M. Sunday: 10:30 A.M.

Holy Days: 8:00 A.M.

PENANCE: Saturday: 3:45 to 4:15 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 St., 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.



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610.262.2417



610.262.2652

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.

MASS INTENTIONS
November 3 - November 9, 2024

Sunday November 3rd Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 6:2-6; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28b-34

8:00 AM Harry and Dorothea Duncan (St. Peter)
Sylvia Marth (St. John)

10:30 AM Deceased Members of St. Peter (St. Peter)

Monday November 4th St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop at St PETER

Phil 2:1-4; Lk 14:12-14

No Morning Mass

Tuesday November 5th Weekday at St JOHN

Phil 2:5-11; Lk 14:15-24

8:00 AM Maryann Greb (St. Peter)
Robert Petrosky (St. John)

Wednesday November 6th Weekday at St PETER

Phil 2:12-18; Lk 14:25-33

8:00AM Frank and Anna Dreisbach (St. Peter)

Thursday November 7th Weekday at St JOHN

Phil 3:3-8a; Lk 15:1-10

7:00 AM Parishioners of St. Peter and St. John

Friday November 8th Weekday at St PETER

Phil 3:17-4:1; Lk 16:1-8

8:00AM Deceased Members of the Ryan & Bodisch Families (St. Peter)
John E. Muik and son John (St. John)

Saturday November 9th Dedication of the Lateran Basilica at St JOHN

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

8:00 AM Michael Tauber (St. John)

Vigil Mass at St PETER Confessions: 3:45-4:15PM

4:30 PM Joseph, Theresa, John & Nancy
Solderitsch (St. Peter)
David Carl (St. John)

Sunday November 10th Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM at **SAINT JOHN**

Paul H. Csencsits (St. Peter)
Mary Christoff (St. John)

10:30 AM at **SAINT PETER**

Anette Velekei (St. Peter)
Albert and Margaret Stoitsits (St. John)

Stewardship Corner

Sunday Collection \$4573.00 plus online \$674.00

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



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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



FLAME OF LOVE

On Tuesday, November 5th, 2024
at 6pm in the Chapel



HOLY HOUR

On Wednesday, November 6th, 2024
at **6PM** in the Church

LUCKY CALENDARS

Will be available for sales in the main vestibule following all weekend Masses and at the office.

PIEROGIES

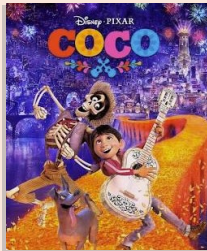
We will be making pierogies on the 18th and 19th of November. Volunteers are needed both days.

Please consider donating some of your time & talent to help out with this fundraiser. Pick up begins at 1pm on Tuesday the 19th after 1pm.



DEVOTIONAL LAMPS SANCTUARY LAMP

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



HALLOWEEN MOVIE NIGHT Friday, November 8th

The Altar Rosary
and Welcome Min-
istries will be host-
ing a Double Fea-



ture Family Halloween Movie Night, Friday,
November 8th at 6:30 PM in the Church Social Hall.
Our 1st feature will be "Spookley the Square Pump-
kin" followed by Pixar/Disney's animated film,
"Coco." Snacks, Water, Juice, Hot Cocoa and Pop-
corn will be served, but feel free to bring your own
favorites. Children are encouraged to bring their
blankets/pillows or sleeping bags for our movie
night fun! This a free event open to our community
families. Approximate run time will be 50 minutes
and 1 hr. 45 minutes. Come join our Post-Halloween
Fun! (Note: as this will be indoors, no pets can be
invited!)

CEREMONY TO PRESENT VIETNAM VETERAN LAPEL PINS

On Saturday, November 9, 2024 at 11:00am, the
Catholic War Veterans & Auxiliary, Post 454 will be
partnering with the Veterans of Foreign Wars and
American Legion in Northampton, PA, in coopera-
tion with the Department of Defense as authorized
by Congress, to present Vietnam Veteran Lapel Pins
to those who are eligible, for serving on Active Duty
between November 1, 1955 to May 15, 1975. The
surviving spouse of a deceased veteran, who served
during that period of eligibility, may also receive a
pin. Note that the rain date for the ceremony is Sun-
day, November 10th, at 11:00am. Please call the
Catholic War Veterans Post 454 at 610-440-0018 by
Thursday, October 31st to register to receive this
memento of service at this Veterans Ceremony.



GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC SCHOOL

1300 Newport Ave,
Northampton, PA
610-262-9171

e-mail: altngs@ptd.net

<https://www.goodshepherd-catholic.com>

School Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-3pm.
Good Shepherd Catholic School has limited space
available for students entering grades K-8, Pre-K (4
years old) and Preschool (3-year-old). We are now
accepting registrations for the 2024-2025 school
year for all grades. Classrooms are filling up fast!
For more info regarding enrollment, please call Er-
ica Nochtton, Advancement Director or email her at
msnochtongscs@goodshepherd-catholic.com.
Visit our website: goodshepherd-Catholic.com

HOLY APOSTLES RELIGIOUS CENTER

610.261.0144 or

holyapostlesre@holyapostlesre.org

3008 S. Ruch St. Whitehall, PA 18052

Fall Office Hours : Monday-Thursday 3-8pm

Friday: Closed

No Classes 11/11 and 11/13



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ENROLL TODAY FOR 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR!

NATIONAL VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK

November 3-9, 2024

"God, what do you want me to do with my life for you?"

St. John Fisher Church is having **Sandwich Sale**. The sandwiches will be made by *Kornfiend's Market* in Egypt. The choices are: Roast Beef, Ham and Turkey. All sandwiches are on kaiser rolls and come with white American cheese and

with a packet of mustard or mayonnaise. **The price is just \$5.00 per sandwich.** Please fill out the order form and along with your payment please mail to St. John Fisher Church, 1229 Third Street, Catasauqua, PA 18032, **by Monday, November 4th.** Pick-up will be **Wednesday, November 13th,** from 4:00pm to 6:00pm in the church hall.

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Turkey: _____ Ham: _____ Roast Beef: _____

Total Sandwiches: _____

Amount Enclosed: _____

Please call 610.264.1972 with any questions.



ST. JOHN'S THANKSGIVING DINNER

Saturday, November 9th

4PM to 7PM with dine-in or take-out at St. John the Baptist parish hall (Chestnut St. Whitehall).

Cost is \$15. Tickets on sale now after Mass & at the rectory 610-262-2260.

Menu includes: Turkey, Filling, Mashed Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes, Vegetables and Bread, Apple or Pumpkin Pie Coffee or Tea



To Benefit Whitehall/Coplay Hunger Initiative

SUNDAY November 10th
St Peter's Church Social Hall

4 South 5th St, Coplay

\$15 admission gets 2 boards (4 Faces)

\$5 Book Specials

Chips and daubers available for purchase

Doors open at 1pm and bingo starts at 2pm.

Food available for purchase

Items for the food pantry greatly appreciated.

List can be found at <https://tinyurl.com/yr7wy54>

If you have questions, you can email or call Liz at 484-274-6687

NOVEMBER 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 OFFICE CLOSED	2 WINE FEST 5:30-9:00
3 ANNUAL REMEMBRANCE MASS FOLLOWED BY REFRESHMENTS IN THE CHURCH HALL	4	5 FLAME OF LOVE 6PM IN CHAPEL	6 HOLY HOUR 6PM PASTORAL PARISH COUNCIL AT 7PM	7 TRIP TO AMERICAN MUSIC THEATER	8 POST HALLOWEEN MOVIE NIGHT IN THE CHURCH HALL 6:30PM	9
10 WCHI BINGO	11	12 FLAME OF LOVE 6PM IN CHAPEL	13 HOLY HOUR 6PM MARDI GRAS MEETING IN CHURCH HALL 6:30PM	14	15 FILLING ORDER DUE	16 FAREWELL TO BEACON TOM 5:30PM IN CHURCH HALL W/ LIGHT REFRESHMENTS
17 CHRISTMAS COOKIE SALE BEGINS	18 PIEROGIES	19 PIEROGIES PICK UP AFTER 1PM FLAME OF LOVE 6PM IN CHAPEL	20 HOLY HOUR 6PM	21	22	23
24 ECUMENICAL SERVICE AT ST. PETER 7PM	25	26 FLAME OF LOVE 6PM IN CHAPEL FILLING ORDER PICK UP 3-6 IN CHURCH HALL	27 HOLY HOUR 6PM	28 <i>Happy Thanksgiving</i> OFFICE CLOSED	29 OFFICE CLOSED	30