

Saint Peter Church

4 South 5th Street • Coplay, Pennsylvania 18037



Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



SUNDAY, JUNE 9, 2024

San Antonio de Padua



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: 8:00 A.M. & 6:30 P.M.

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@allentowndioocese.org

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



 www.stpeterchurchcoplay.com



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610.262.2417



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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 June 9th Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gn 3:9-15; 2Cor 4:13—5:1; Mk 3:20-35

8:00 AM Mary T. Klein

10:30 AM John Mulits

Monday June 10th Weekday

1Kgs 17:1-6; Mt 5:1-12

8:00 AM No Morning Mass

Tuesday June 11th Saint Barnabas, Apostle

Acts 11:2b-26; 13:1-3; Mt 5:13-16

8:00 AM Parishioners of Saint Peter

Wednesday June 12th Weekday

1Kgs 18:20-39; Mt 5:17-19

8:00AM Norman Olivetti

**Thursday June 13th Saint Anthony of Padua,
Priest and Doctor of the Church**

1Kgs 18:41-46; Mt 5:20-26

8:00 AM Father Paul Bader

Friday June 14th Weekday

1Kgs 19:9a, 11-16; Mt 5:27-32

8:00AM Max McVay

Saturday June 15th Weekday

1Kgs 19:19-21; Mt 5:33-37

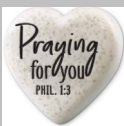
Vigil Mass

4:00 PM Living and Deceased Fathers

Sunday June 16th Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

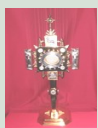
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10:30AM Living and Deceased Fathers



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



HOLY HOUR

Will be held on Wednesday, June 12th at 7pm in the Church

Stewardship Corner

Sunday Collection Week of Sunday 6/2

Basket collection \$5746.00 plus online \$1025.00

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



ONLINE GIVING

****Start giving online today!****

Visit our parish website at

<https://www.stpeterchurchcoplay.com>

Click on the online giving link

Create an account.

Schedule your recurring gifts



DEVOTIONAL LAMP

Sanctuary Light

Will burn in memory

of the Deceased Members of the Walakovits and Hacker Families

Offered by Mr. and Mrs. Barry Walakovits

Blessed Mother Vigil Lights

Will burn this week in memory of Margaret Beslanovits

Offered by Karen Ehritz

Saint Joseph Vigil Light

Will burn for the Health and Healing of

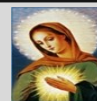
Dorothy Thomson

Offered by Barbara Lynn

MASSSES SAID BY RETIRED PRIESTS:

HEALTH: Helen Humanick

DECEASED: Helen Boger, Frank Kroboth



FLAME OF LOVE

On Tuesday, June 11th 2024

PIEROGIES

Calling all Volunteers!!! We will be making pierogies on Monday, June 17, and Tuesday, June 18. If you are able to help, we would love to have you join us. Bring a friend!



The 2024 Because We Are Catholic Annual Appeal is underway! Our parish support is a

vital part of this Diocesan-wide effort to serve children and families in our own community and throughout the Diocese of Allentown. You can make your gift today at :

www.BecauseWeAreCatholic.org

Saint Peter's Goal: \$46,881.00 pledged to date \$28,305.00.

Thank you to all who donated so far!

COLLECTION FOR THE EVANGELIZING SISTERS OF MARY

The Altar and Rosary Society will be collecting some essential items for the sisters who will reside in the convent at Saint Peter.

We need: toothpaste, toothbrushes, hand soaps, hand lotions, facial tissues, toilet paper, paper towels, shampoos, conditioners, body wash, hand towels, kitchen/dish towels, kitchen utensils.

The collection bins will be in all vestibules beginning this Sunday.

ADORATION AND APOLOGETICS

Our next St. Monica Ministry Holy Hour of Petition and Hope will take place at St. Theresa Church (1408 Easton Road, Hellertown) beginning at 6:00pm on Tuesday, June 11. We will pray before the Blessed Sacrament for a return to the Church of our fallen-away loved ones. Immediately following the Holy Hour, Dr. Michael Behe will give a presentation entitled, "Science as the Handmaid of Faith: How Nature Points Insistently to God." Dr. Behe will clearly and engagingly present the amazing evidence for an Intelligent Designer and will follow up his talk with a question-and-answer session. The presentation will take place in Friendship Hall. Refreshments will be served.

ST. NICHOLAS PARISH IN WALNUTPORT is offering a self-defense seminar on Saturday 29 June from 10AM-Noon. Sign up today for early bird pricing of \$25 per person!

Contact: community@stnicholaswalnutport.org
\$30 after June 14th -Please arrive by 9:45AM
All participants will be required to sign a waiver
- NO REFUNDS



Thank you to everyone that supported GSCS in the Make a Joyful Noise competition! We are truly blessed to have such a supportive group of families and friends. We appreciate all that you do to help us be successful!

Good Shepherd will finish the school year on June 7th. Our summer office hours will be Tuesday – Thursday 9am-11am. The office will be closed the weeks of July 15th and July 22nd.

Grocery card sales will take place on the following Tuesdays during the summer. June 11,18; July 2; August 6,13,20,27.

Good Shepherd Catholic School will now be selling GSCS Family Prayer Cards. Each card is \$5.00. You can enroll deceased 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.

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! Don't wait! For more information regarding enrollment, please call Erica Nochtan, Advancement Director at 610-262-9171, email her at msnochtong-scs@goodshepherd-catholic.com or visit our school website at www.goodshepherd-catholic.com!



Holy Apostles RE

610.261.0144 or holyapostlesre@holyapostlesre.org
Summer Office Hours :

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 10:00am-5pm
Thursday: 12Noon-6:00pm
Friday: Closed



pilgrimage

13 days to Italy & Austria

TRAVEL WITH MSGR. DAVID L. JAMES

We will be visiting Rome, the Vatican, Assisi, Orvieto, Loretto, Florence, Siena, Padua, Salzburg, Burgenland, Eisenstadt, Vienna.



Trip includes: transportation from/to Coplay, Airfare, Taxes and fees, 4 or 5 star hotels, Transportation with luxury bus. All breakfasts and dinners, Guided tours, Luggage handling (1 carry-on and 1 suitcase)



DATE: October 12-24, 2025

COST: \$6,599.00 per person
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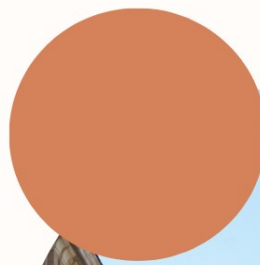
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