

ST. PETER'S PARISH

Kenosha



Mass Schedule

SUNDAY VIGIL: Saturday 5:00 pm
SUNDAY MASSES: 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am, & 7 pm
DAILY MASS: 8:00 am Monday to Saturday
HOLY DAYS: See schedule inside bulletin
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:
Monday—Thursday 3:00—4:00 pm
Every Friday 8:30 am - 6:00 pm
DAILY ROSARY: 7:30 am

Sacraments

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays 3-4 pm or by appt.
MARRIAGE: Contact the Pastor at least six months prior to the date you wish to request.
BAPTISM: A pre-baptismal class for parents is required prior to the baby's baptism. Arrangements should be made prior to the baby's birth. Class is held on the 2nd Sunday of the month, 11 am-12:30 pm. Baptisms are the 1st Sunday of the month. Regular Church Attendance is required before the sacrament is shared.

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5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

In the old Walt Kelly comic strip "Pogo" every time things would get to be too much for the main characters you could bet on seeing the "Gone fishin'" sign posted on a nearby tree. It was a literary device that Kelly used, to bring a break to the previous action and change the story line. In a way, Luke does the same thing in Sunday's Gospel. After the press of the crowds, Jesus convinces Simon to let him teach from the boat. Then he tells him to head out into deep water to fish. We've changed the subject from Jesus healing and preaching. Suddenly, we've "Gone fishin'," and while initially that's what is literally happening, it doesn't stay that way for long. It's a setup for the greater point of the story: "From now on you will be catching men."

It's not just Simon and the sons of Zebedee that get led into this convenient little scenario. Gospels are not just quaint stories. They are good news for us as well. Jesus gets into life with us, much like he got into Simon's boat. He tells us to go out a little farther, that is, to stretch our faith a little more. And even when we want to give up ("we have worked hard all night and have caught nothing") he tells us to cast into the deep. Trusting in him, we find that wondrous things happen as we witness to the meaning of Jesus in our lives. In the end, the example of our faith is to lead others to Jesus. That's where instead of fish, we'll be catching men and women.

It wouldn't be the worst thing in the world if we hung a little "Gone fishin'" sign somewhere where we would see it every day, as long as we remember that our faith is the net, and from now on we're out there fishing to bring others to Christ.

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February 7, 2010

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Liturgical Schedule

Sunday, February 7

- 8:00 †Bill Cantwell (Beverly)
 9:30 †Richard Mlodzik (Ron Mlodzik family)
 11:00 †Laura Bianchi (Mr. & Mrs. Leno Tabarretti)
 7:00 †Marjoire Pinigis (Elaine Reagan)

Monday, February 8

- 8:00 †Margaret Zalubowski (Bill & Pat Sartori)

Tuesday, February 9

- 8:00 †Stella Juzenas (Floyd & Pat Barber)

Wednesday, February 10

- 8:00 †Frank Messerlie (Terry & Lee Maack)

Thursday, February 11

- 8:00 †Eda Santoni (family)

Friday, February 12

- 8:00 †Beatrice Lenertz (family)

Saturday, February 13

- 8:00 †Argo DeSantis (wife & family)
 5:00 †Hilda Salerno (Guy & Leslie)

Sunday, February 14

- 8:00 †Annamma Thomas (Teresa Lucas)
 9:30 †Edo Maccari (Maccari family)
 11:00 Pro Populo
 7:00 †Mary Harvey (family)

Readings for the Week of February 7, 2010

Sunday: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/1 Cor 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11/Lk 5:1-11

Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13/Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30/Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10:1-10/Mk 7:14-23

Thursday: 1 Kgs 11:4-13/Mk 7:24-30

Friday: 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19/Mk 7:31-37

Saturday: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34/Mk 8:1-10

Sunday: Jer 17:5-8/1 Cor 15:12, 16-20/Lk 6:17, 20-26

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Divine Mercy Intercessory Prayer The Association of Marian Helpers in Stockbridge, MA accepts requests for prayer. You can call toll free 800-804-3823 from 8 am—4:30 pm Monday—Friday EST or email prayline@marian.org.

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Liturgical Ministry Schedule Feb. 13 & 14**Lectors**

- 5:00 pm Marianne Kraus
 8:00 am Ken Malsack
 9:30 am Leona Werner
 11:00 am Linda Lee
 7:00 pm Lynn Thurston

Communion Ministers

- 5:00 pm Bruce & Jan Bosman, Marianne Kraus
 8:00 am Deacon Maack, Doris Carney, Judy Lee
 9:30 am Margaret Kraft, Alexis Land, B. Kaczmarek
 11:00 am Dave & Maureen Bordo, Ronnie Chapleau
 7:00 pm K. Baumann, Karen Nayes, L. Thurston

Altar Servers

- 5:00 pm J. Kessenich, C. Kin, C. LeBoeuf
 8:00 am C. Stark, R. Heckel, S. Heckel
 9:30 am J. Parker, J. Palmer, A. Mearzke
 11:00 am M. Rasch, J. Cargille, M. Balenkowski
 7:00 pm T. Brandt, E. Broadway, N. Terletzky

Greeters

- 5:00 pm Marianne Kraus, De Smith
 8:00 am Rich & Karen Taskonis
 9:30 am Dan & Denise Nedeau
 11:00 am Bob & Joan Sorenson
 7:00 pm Karen Nayes, Lynn Thurston

Counters Baumann/Dickes

www.stpeterskenosha.com a great way to check out ministry schedules, parish calendar and the bulletin!

This Week's Parish CalendarMonday, Feb. 8

- 3 pm Eucharistic Adoration
 6:30 pm Parish Council
 7 pm R.C.I.A.

Tuesday, Feb. 9

- 3 pm Eucharistic Adoration
 6:30 pm Webelos
 6:30 pm Boy Scouts
 7 pm Renew

Wednesday, Feb. 10

- 8:40 am Theology of the Body
 3 pm Eucharistic Adoration
 6:30 pm Adult Choir Practice

Thursday, Feb. 11

- 3 pm Eucharistic Adoration
 8:30-6 pm Eucharistic Adoration
 Catholic Stewardship Appeal
 Gift Shop in lobby

Friday, Feb. 12Saturday, Feb. 13Sunday, Feb. 14

- St. Valentine's Day
 Gift Shop in lobby
 9:15 am Religious Ed. Classes
 9:30 am Altar Server Installation
 5:30 pm Confirmation Classes



Operation Rice Bowl comes to St. Peter Church

After the earthquake in Haiti we wondered "to which aid agencies do I contribute that can best assist the rescue efforts?" Church, government and news media identified Catholic Relief Services as an efficient, well-managed aid agency. Not only does this organization assist during times of disasters, they are pivotal in providing development aid and direction to some of the world's poorest countries.

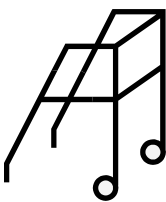
For 35 years Catholic Relief Services' **Operation Rice Bowl** has offered Catholics in the United States a way to connect with our brothers and sisters overseas.

This Lent St. Peter Parishioners have the chance to join Catholics throughout our country to **pray** with their families; **fast** in solidarity with those who hunger; **learn** about our global community and the challenges of poverty overseas; and **give** sacrificial contributions to those in need.

Today Rice Bowl are available during Holy Communion. Within the Rice Bowl is a calendar that you can use to guide your Lenten observance. Rice Bowls encourage us as individuals, families and communities to pray together during Lent, have at least one sacrificial meal a week, learn about the poor in different countries and contribute money to the Rice Bowl - from savings from your food budget.

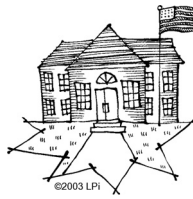
Please participate in this effort. Our solidarity with the Marian Rwanda Mission and the devastation in Haiti reminds us that we are tied to people far from us and who have pressing needs. Rice Bowl helps Catholic Relief Services serve them.

To learn more please read the calendar within the Rice Bowl and visit orb.crs.org.



Medical Supply Loaner's Closet

St. Peter's has a loaner's closet for non-perishable medical supplies such as walkers, wheel chairs, slide boards, commodes, shower chairs, etc. These items are loaned at no cost. We are getting low on inventory and could use more donations. Items in particular need are wheel chairs, shower chairs, commodes, walkers—especially ones with wheels. If you have any of these items you are not using, would you consider donating them to our loaner's closet? To donate supplies or see if we have supplies on hand to assist you, please call Marianne at 551-8685.



School News

Last Sunday, our halls were abuzz with excitement for our Open House. If you missed it, you can still see us in action. Over the next few weeks, I will be sharing our special programs with you because I would love for you to come

in to see them in action! Our Creative Beginnings program lays the foundation for students' academic and social needs. The child-centered approach allows the children to engage in learning through discovery. We place a high priority on developing a strong sense of values within the child, while encouraging their feelings of self worth and dignity. This is the basis for confidence in one self. Our teacher, Mrs. Schrandt, has been with us for seven years. Her program gradually eases the children through the social transition from pre-school to kindergarten. In addition to the strong classroom curriculum, the students attend Art, Music, Spanish, Physical Education, and Computers. We offer both a half or full day option with Before or AfterCare for a school day with continuity. If your child stays full day, a hot lunch program with nutritious options cooked right here on the premises is offered. I could sing all day about our Creative Beginnings, would you like to come see it in action? Please call 551-8383 to schedule a tour or observation!

Inspire. Challenge. Engage.

Jaki Grajera, Principal

February MarketDay News

In February, cookies earn our program extra profit. We have 9 different varieties of cookies, 48 per box for \$13 pre-portioned for no messy scooping....just place on the cookie sheet and bake. The name of every customer that buys 3 or more boxes will go into a raffle for a \$25 script card of their choice. Order online and use the promo code BONUS to save \$ on 2 or more boxes. Order forms in the lobby or order online at www.marketday.com. Thanks for your support of St. Peter MarketDay!

Don't forget to pray for our soldiers!

Confirmation Update

Classes for 9-11th Grades will resume on Sunday February 14 starting at 5:30 pm. We also have class on Sundays February 14, 21 & 28 and Stations of the Cross on Friday February 26 at 6:30 pm. Attendance is Mandatory. Please keep in prayer the 11th Grade students who have their Confirmation Retreat this weekend that they have a safe and faith filled retreat.

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Lent Approaches

On February 17 Lent begins with Ash Wednesday. Our Mass times are 8 am, 12:10 and 7 pm.

Fasting and abstinence are part of the observance of Lent. Specifically Catholics 14 years and older are bound to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and each Friday of Lent. Catholics 18 years and older are also expected to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. On fast days the requirement is to have no more than one full meal. A much smaller quantity of food can be taken when one would normally eat the other two meals. The obligation of fasting ceases on one's 59th birthday.

Christians and Churches grow spiritually when they fast. Any observer would notice that the regulations above are minimal. The Orthodox Church encourages their members to participate in the Great Fast during Lent. On most days during Lent and Holy Week they do not eat meat, fish, all animal products (lard, eggs, butter, cheese) nor wine or oil. For our brothers of the Eastern Church it is pretty much vegetables and bread during Lent.

They have something here that we should make serious attempts to imitate. Too often the Lenten sacrifices Catholics make are the limited and the least. What if we expanded the spirit of Sacrifice this Lent to include some serious fasting throughout the season? Fasting is usually only difficult the first two days, then the body gets in a rhythm and actually enjoys it.

Of course any decision has to take into account one's physical health and mental stress which may be significant. If health and stress are under control, please fast throughout this Lent. You will find it a source of great peace and self control. A Blessed Lent to you all.

Fr. Bill Hayward M.I.C.

2010 Men of Christ Conference The fourth annual Men of Christ® Conference will introduce the Catholic faith in an authentic, faithful, and powerful way that will change your life forever! Fathers bring your sons – it will be a life changing experience for both of you. There is a great line-up of speakers for the day that will inspire: Archbishop Jerome E. Listecki, Christopher West, Dr. Anthony Esolen, Fr. Clement Machado, and Fr. Frank Hoffman. Please check out the flyers on the bulletin board in lobby or go to www.MenofChrist.net. Also, go to the website and reserve your tickets for the conference. For questions, contact Kurt G. Baumann, 886-2229.



Save the Date This year's Parish Mission will be held during the evenings of March 8-10. The Mission speaker will be Mr. Michael Cumbie, former protestant minister and convert to Catholicism. The theme of Mr. Cumbie's talks will be "Conversion, The Never-Ending Story". Please spread the word to all your family and friends, especially those who may be called to a renewal or new birth of their faith. Watch for details as the date approach.

St. Peter's Parish Men's Retreat will be held February 26—28, 2010 at the Redemptorist Retreat Center. For more information please contact Steve Haug at 697-1034. To register call the Retreat House at 262-567-6900, or email the Center at rrc@redemptoristretreat.org.

St. Peter Youth Choir The youth choir will meet on Sundays, February 14 and 28 at 10:30 am to rehearse and then sing for the 11 am Mass.

End of Year Financial Statements If you need a statement of your 2009 parish donations you can request it several ways: call, fax or email the rectory or get to us a stamped, self addressed envelope through the collection, dropping it off at the rectory or school.

www.thinkpriest.org

Faith in Our Future Pledges When you make payments checks should be made out to "Faith in our Future". Also, please mail your donation directly to: Faith in Our Future, P.O. Box 070504 Milwaukee, WI 53207. If you have questions about your pledge or payment schedule please call Sandy Kurka at 414-769-3457 or use the toll free number 800-769-9373 and ask for her by name.

Catholic Women's Club will meet Monday February 8 at 1:30 pm at the Kenosha Women's Club, 6028 8th Ave. Executive Board Meets at 10:30 am, the Regular Board at 11 am and the General Meeting at 1 pm. Please note the new times. Cards and Bingo after the business meeting. Dessert, coffee & tea will be served.

"Season of Mercy" Conference Encounter the Peace and Joy of the Mercy of Christ. A day of powerful speakers, worship, Holy Mass, opportunities for Sacrament of Reconciliation, and more! The conference will be held Saturday April 10 at St. Jerome Church, 995 S. Silver Lake St., Oconomowoc. 8 am Mass with Archbishop Jerome Listeck, Conference 9:30 am - 3 pm. \$35 per person includes lunch (Price changes to \$40 after March 10) Register at www.rosaryea.org or call 414-570-4389. Priests, & Children under 12 are free but need to register.

Attention Band Musicians! The CYO Emerald Knights Band is looking for talented musicians to join our 2010 Summer Marching Band. Our season runs from June 16 until July 13 and contains 12 field show performances, 15 parades and lots of fun! We will be traveling all over the Midwest and performing in front of thousands of people. We also have a Color Guard (dancers/flag twirlers) that performs with the band as well! We are a lot like a Drum Corps but a lot less expensive and not as time consuming! Last year we were the MACBDA Class A Champion Band! Students in grades 8 and up are eligible to be in our band! Please visit <http://marching.cyoband.org>. Discounts are available for parish members!

Holy Rosary Altar Society "Fish Bake"

Please join us for a Fish Dinner Ash Wednesday, February 17 in Holy Rosary School Cafeteria, 2224 45th Street from 4—7 pm. Carry outs available and Donation \$7 is requested.

40 Days for Life Pro-Life Wisconsin Kenosha and Wisconsin Right to Life Kenosha will be observing 40 Days for Life by praying the Rosary in front of Planned Parenthood on Roosevelt Avenue in Kenosha weekdays, Monday through Friday, at 4:30 pm, beginning on Ash Wednesday. We will also have our usual Saturday prayer vigil at 11 am during Lent.

Mass in Extraordinary Form Every 2nd Sunday of the month at St. Peter Church Mass is offered in Extraordinary Form. The next one will be Sunday, February 14 at 3 pm. Rosary at 2:30 pm and Confessions from 2:30 - 3 pm. Missal booklets will be available. Visit www.LatinMassKenosha.com or email questions to info@LatinMassKenosha.com.