

# St. Peter's Church



*Fourth Sunday of Lent  
March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023*

47 Central Avenue, Wellsboro, Pennsylvania 16901  
Rectory Phone: 570-724-3371 ~ Fax: 570-724-6322  
Religious Education Office: 570-724-9789  
Website: [www.stpeterswellsboro.com](http://www.stpeterswellsboro.com)

## Rectory Office Hours

Monday through Thursday, 9:00am–1:00pm

## Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Jacek Bialkowski

Secretary: Connie Spang – [stpch@ptd.net](mailto:stpch@ptd.net)

Bookkeeper: Louise Wheaton – [stpadm@ptd.net](mailto:stpadm@ptd.net)

Religious Education.: Melissa Mann – [stpreled@ptd.net](mailto:stpreled@ptd.net)

Maintenance Staff: Connie Spang, Rob Minnich

## Schedule of Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm (Livestreamed); Sunday 8:30am

## Reconciliation

Tuesday through Friday, 11:45am-12:00pm;

Saturday, 4:20-4:50pm; or by appointment

### **Mission Statement**

We, the parishioners of St. Peter's Church, are called to holiness by God as present-day disciples of Jesus Christ. Through the power of the Holy Spirit, we are united in service to God to share our faith with one another and our community. May our participation in the Holy Sacraments, our ministries and our devotion to Mary bring glory to God and His Kingdom.

### **Pregnancy Support**

Catholic Social Services (800) 982-4310  
Crisis Pregnancy Help line (888) 4-OPTIONS  
Heart of Tioga County Pregnancy & Parent Support 570-948-2020

### **Emergency Contact**

In the event of an emergency, please call the rectory at 570-724-3371. If no answer, please leave a message. Fr. Jacek will return your call as soon as he is able.

### **Religious Education and Formation**

Religious Education classes are held for Pre-K – 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Classes begin in September and conclude in May. Pre-K (ages 3-5) is held during the 8:30am Mass. K-12<sup>th</sup> begins at 9:30am and concludes at 10:40am. To register, please contact the Religious Education Office at 570-724-9789 or the Rectory at 570-724-3371. Children's Liturgy (grades K-4<sup>th</sup>) is held during the 8:30am Mass when Religious Education classes are in session.

### **Welcome to St. Peter's Church!**

If you are visiting Tioga County this weekend, welcome and thank you for worshiping with us! If you are searching for a Spiritual home, we welcome you to join us and invite you to become part of our church family. Please complete this form and return it to the parish office or drop it in the offertory basket.

#### **Request for Parishioner Registration Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

*O God, bless us during this season of spiritual renewal. Fill our minds and hearts with love, so that we may be a sign of Jesus to all those living in our midst.*

**Lent**

A season of Prayer, Reflection & Renewal

### **Parish Contact Listing**

Women's Bible Study – Sue Singer 570-948-2184  
Social Concerns – Karen Plumley 570-439-0175  
Parish Rummage Sale – Pat Gorda 570-404-8918  
Diane Bill 516-458-9130  
Church Decorations – Sue Singer 570-948-2184  
Buildings & Grounds – Rick Joachim 570-439-2591  
Cemetery Committee – Howard Rutledge 570-724-4529  
Dinner Committee – Michelle Sepiol 570-439-6206  
Music Ministry – Christina Simonis 570-724-2085  
Samaritan House – Mary D. Grab 607-857-3447  
Youth Group – Melissa Mann 570-724-9789  
Eucharistic Adoration – Rhonda Gooch 570-724-3092  
Finance Council – Priscilla Walrath 570-724-2056  
Parish Council – Steve Tokarz 570-404-0693  
Worship Committee – Christina Simonis 570-724-2085  
Sunday Nursing Home Communion – Rectory 570-724-3371  
Prayer Chain – Kate Black 570-916-9573  
ChristLife – Norb Josten 570-724-9095  
Prayer Shawl Ministry - Michelle Sepiol 570-439-6206  
Marian Ministries – Linda Sampson 570-404-2180

Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday 3/20	5:30pm	In Memory of Walter & Marie Tobaygo (Robert Tobaygo, Jr.)
Tuesday 3/21	12:10pm	In Memory of Clifford Parsells (Family)
Wednesday 3/22	No Mass	
Thursday 3/23	No Mass	
Friday 3/24	No Mass	
Saturday 3/25	5:00pm Mass is livestreamed	All Living and Deceased Members of St. Peter's Parish
Sunday 3/26	8:30am	In Memory of Lillian May Pickel (Daughter, Rose Marie Pickel Aulhouse)

Altar Flowers are in Memory of Dennis, Florence & Denny (Simonis Family)

### News Parish and Activities

#### Church Hours/Adoration

The church will be open for private prayer, Monday through Friday from 8:00am-5:00pm. From 8:00-9:00am, the only entrance will be through the door on the main parking lot side. From 9:00am-5:00pm, the front door and carport entrance will be open. If for some reason the main door is not unlocked, please enter through the parking lot door, as this entrance will always be open from 8:00am-5:00pm, Monday through Friday. Saturday, the church will be open from 8:00am-4:30pm using only the parking lot door. The front and carport doors will be unlocked at 4:15pm for those attending Mass. All doors of the church will be unlocked on Sunday morning at 8:00am for those attending Mass. Adoration will take place on Tuesday from 1:00pm-6:00pm, with Benediction but no evening prayer.

#### Flower Arrangements

Parishioners are now able to purchase the flower arrangements that are placed at the altar, tabernacle, or by the Mary statue in memory or in honor of someone. The cost is as follows:  
 Altar Flower Arrangements-1 arrangement \$70, 2 arrangements \$140  
 Tabernacle Arrangements - 2 arrangements \$40  
 Mary Arrangement - 1 arrangement \$25

You may request a particular flower(s) or color scheme and Akiko's will do their best to honor that if at all possible. The Arrangements will arrive in time for the weekend Masses and remain for the following week. Please stop in or call the rectory for available dates. The Memorial/Honorarium will be listed in the bulletin.

#### INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

For the safety of our parishioners, if the local school are **closed**, there will be **no daily Mass or Adoration**. The Church will remain open for private prayer using the parking lot side entrance.

### Happening This Week

#### Sunday, March 19<sup>th</sup>

Religious Education Classes -  
 8:30am pre-school; 9:30am K-12  
 Penance Service - 3:00pm; St. Peter's  
 Exodus 90 - 4:00pm; Adult Ed. Room  
 Confirmation Prep Class - 6:00pm; Parish Center

#### Monday, March 20<sup>th</sup>

The Light Is On For You; Confessions - Following  
 5:30pm Mass; St. Peter's

#### Tuesday, March 21<sup>st</sup>

Women's Bible Study - 10:00am; Adult Ed. Room  
 Adoration - 1:00pm - 6:00pm; Church

#### Wednesday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>

Rectory closes at 10:00am  
 Lenten Services hosted by St. Peter's - 12:00pm;  
 Presbyterian Church

#### Friday, March 24<sup>th</sup>

Children's Stations of the Cross - 3:30pm; Church  
 Stations of the Cross - 6:00pm; St. Peter's

#### Sunday, March 26<sup>th</sup>

Religious Education Classes -  
 8:30am pre-school; 9:30am K-12  
 Penance Service - 3:00pm; Holy Child  
 Exodus 90 - 4:00pm; Adult Ed. Room

#### Stewardship

Sunday Collection for March 12, 2023: \$7,502.70  
 Weekly Goal to Meet Expenses: \$6,100.00  
 Difference: \$1,402.70  
 Year to Date Budget Variance \$303.10

*We are grateful to all those who are able to financially support our parish.*

## Liturgical Reflection ~ 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent

### FIRST READING: 1 Samuel 16:1, 6-7, 10-13

In the chapter preceding today's reading, the judge and prophet Samuel announced to the reigning king, Saul, that God has rejected him as ruler because of his disobedience. At the Lord's command, Samuel turns to Jesse, father of the one chosen to succeed Saul. David is chosen and anointed as King. He is the youngest of Jesse's sons and considered the least eligible for this important role. Yet, the reading reminds us that "not as man sees does God see, because...the Lord looks into the heart." As the chosen one of God, David prefigures Jesus the Christ – the Anointed one of God.

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 23

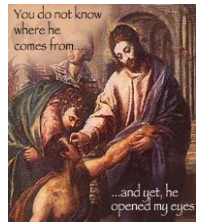
The "Good Shepherd" psalm is surely one of the most beloved passages of the Bible. The psalmist uses the very familiar image and role of a shepherd to identify the Lord and to describe the intimate relationship that the Lord has with his people, the sheep of his flock. Like the shepherd, the Lord is protector, provider, and nurturer.

### SECOND READING: Ephesians 5:8-14

This passage begins by emphasizing an appeal to the Church made in the preceding chapter: you have been given a new kind of life through Christ's self-giving love; now you must live that life! Using images of darkness and light, the author repeats the point that Christians are now "light in the Lord" and so must live in that light, which produces right living of every kind. The light that comes from God illuminates our sight, thought, choices, and behaviors. The reading ends with a plea taken from an early hymn again calling believers to accept new life in Christ, the true source of light that illumines the Church's thought and action.

### GOSPEL: John 9:1-41

The contrast of darkness and light underscores both the healing and the teaching of Jesus about who is Spiritually blind and who can truly see. The encounter between Jesus and the man born blind, confronts the religious thinking of the crowds and the religious leaders. It becomes the way for Jesus to expose them to see if their faith is ready to accept him. When the man regains his belief in the "Son of Man," like the Samaritan woman, he becomes the bearer of Good News, if only the others can see it.



### Notice Regarding Reporting Sexual Abuse of a Minor

It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement.

It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hotline (ChildLine) at 1-800-932-0313 or electronically at [www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis](http://www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis). To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator Mary Beth Pacuska at 570-862-7551.

### Important Notice Regarding Offertory Envelopes

St. Peter's is changing offertory envelope providers.

Parishioners may have received both temporary envelopes from the new company we have signed with, as well as envelopes from the previous company. **Envelopes from either packet may be used for collection.** One set of permanent envelopes will be mailed to parishioners for May.

If you did not receive your envelopes or if you did not opt to receive them in the past but would like them now, please contact the rectory at 570/724-3371.

Thank you for your patience as we work through this transition.



## FOOT WASHERS NEEDED

According to the Gospel, Jesus performed a final act of service for his Disciples, following the Passover meal. Arising from the table, He tied a towel about His waist and filled a basin with water and one after another He washed the feet of each disciple. When he finished, he said to them, "I have given you a model to follow, so that as I have done for you, you should also do."

In the Church, the foot washing ceremony is an important call for all people that they too should be willing to serve others. Following the homily at the Holy Thursday Mass, members of the congregation sit and have their feet washed by the priest, who plays the role of Christ. One by one, the priest will wash the participant's feet with a basin and a towel. It is a reminder that we are of the Body of Christ and as such, and as His followers, we too are called to serve others in a spirit of humility. And we are to do so, even if we do not feel the desire to do so. As Christians, this is our duty.

**Twelve volunteers are needed to have their foot washed at the Holy Thursday Mass.**

**A sign-up sheet can be found on the handout table on the side of the church.**

## Cross Carrying Walk for Jesus

A *Cross Carrying Walk for Jesus* is scheduled to take place in Wellsboro on Good Friday, April 7th, at 10:00am. Participants are asked to meet in front of the Wellsboro Chamber of Commerce that morning at 9:50am.

The cross will be carried along the sidewalks of Wellsboro to the Episcopal Church, the Presbyterian Church, and the United Methodist Church. A brief prayer, devotional, song, or meditation will take place at each location.

Songs will be sung along the way and participants will take turns carrying the cross.

On Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm, flowers will be placed on the cross for the celebration of Jesus' Resurrection. On Easter there will be additional flowers available to be placed on the cross.

Flowers from home are also welcome.

## EASTER FLOWER MEMORIAL



Each Easter, the flowers in the church during the Easter season memorialize deceased loved ones.

If you would like to contribute to this year's Easter flowers, please place your contribution in an envelope marked "Easter Flowers" and write your name/collection number on the front. On the back of the envelope print the name of your loved one(s) and place the envelope in the collection basket. A list of those we remember will be included in the Easter bulletin.

## EASTER MASS INTENTIONS

Due to the parish switching offertory envelope providers, there will not be a special envelope for Easter Mass Intentions included with your temporary packet. All Easter Mass Intentions should be placed in an envelope labeled "Easter Mass Intentions." Please print your name and the name of the loved ones you would like remembered on the outside of the envelope, and place in the collection basket. The envelopes will be kept on the altar during the Easter Masses to remember the donor's intentions.

## Parish Directory Update

Thank you to everyone who participated in the directory photo taking effort. Work on the directory took a temporary pause due to the holidays, however we have been working to plan and produce a final draft. We are proposing to have a "Life at St. Peter's" section in which each committee head can submit photos of their ministry. The photo could be of the group itself or action photos of the ministry/group during an event or activity.

Each committee can submit these photos to [stpdirectory.2023@gmail.com](mailto:stpdirectory.2023@gmail.com). This section is intended to be a collage of photos without names. Also, any parishioner or family who did not get a photo taken can submit personal photos if they choose. Please submit these photos to [stpdirectory.2023@gmail.com](mailto:stpdirectory.2023@gmail.com). We expect the directory to take several more months to finalize before printing, so we appreciate your patience in this important effort.

**Please submit all photos by March 26<sup>th</sup>.**

Any questions can be directed to Steve Tokarz at 570/404-0693.

*Almsgiving, practiced far from the spotlight, gives peace and hope to the heart. It reveals to us the beauty of giving, which then becomes receiving, and thus enables us to discover a precious secret: our hearts find more joy in giving than in receiving (Acts 20:35). - Pope Francis*

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday and ends with the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday. You will notice a change in liturgy, decorations, and colors around the church. The priest will vest in violet, except on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent (Laetare Sunday) when he wears the rose vestments. The sanctuary is bereft of flowers or any other decorations. The Gloria will not be prayed/sung on Sundays. Also, Alleluia is not sung or said from the beginning of Lent until the Easter Vigil.



## Holy Week & Easter Schedule

### Palm Sunday

Saturday, April 1<sup>st</sup> - 5:00pm; St. Peter's  
 Sunday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> - 8:30am; St. Peter's  
 11:30am; St. Thomas  
 1:00pm; St. Catherine

### Tuesday of Holy Week - April 4<sup>th</sup>

Chrism Mass - 4:00pm, St. Peter's Cathedral, Scranton

### Holy Thursday - April 6<sup>th</sup>

7:00pm - St. Peter's

### Good Friday - April 7<sup>th</sup>

#### Liturgy of the Word

1:00pm - St. Peter's  
 3:00pm - St. Thomas

### Holy Saturday - April 8<sup>th</sup>

Blessing of Baskets - 12:00pm; St. Peter's Church  
 Easter Vigil Mass - 8:00pm

### Easter Sunday - April 9<sup>th</sup>

8:30am; St. Peter's  
 11:30am; St. Thomas  
 1:00pm; St. Catherine



As we begin this season of Lenten preparation, each of us is invited to reflect on those choices which will bring about the new life we celebrate at Easter. For this reason, the Church invites us to experience Lent as a time for deepened prayer, personal sacrifice, and self-giving - all so that we can be raised to new life in Christ! The Church encourages us to make confession a regular part of our spiritual life, especially during the holy season of Lent, as we reflect on our baptism and repentance.

**On Mondays during Lent, there will be Mass at 5:30pm at St. Peter's followed by confessions.**

*"The Light is on For You!"*

### Ecumenical Event - Wednesday Lenten Services

The Wellsboro Area Ministerium will be offering Wednesday Lenten Services. All services will be held at the First Presbyterian Church at 12:00pm with a light lunch to follow.

The schedule for the church who will host the luncheon and lead the prayer service is as follows:

March 22<sup>nd</sup> - St. Peter's Church  
 March 29<sup>th</sup> - Vineyard Church

**All are welcome to attend!**

### *Stations of the Cross*

On Fridays of Lent there will be Mass at 6:00pm at St. Peter's followed by Stations of the Cross.

Children's Stations of the Cross will be held at 3:30pm on Fridays. Students are invited to the Parish Center after school for a light snack before Stations begin.



### **Pick Your Penance**

After weekend Masses during Lent you will be able to "pick your penance" which is an extra act of kindness or a prayer that you can perform during Lent. A new "penance" can be picked each week. Penance will be available for adults and children at the parish doors after Mass.

### Penance Services

**Sunday, March 19<sup>th</sup> - 3:00pm; St. Peter's**

*\*There will be three priests present at St. Peter's penance service*

**Sunday, March 26<sup>th</sup> - 3:00pm; Holy Child**

**Wednesday, April 5<sup>th</sup> - 6:00pm; St. Boniface, Williamsport**

## Samaritan House is Celebrating 25 Years!



This September will mark the 25<sup>th</sup> year that Samaritan House has offered services to the terminally ill. Powered entirely by volunteers, we provide comfort and care to the person who is in the final stage of life, as well as to their family members.

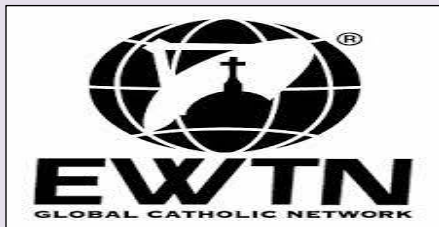
Following in the experienced footsteps of leaders such as Daria Guelig, Karen Usavage, Anna Dunlap and many others, Mary Grab has joined the team to help coordinate guest admissions. The Grab family has been active members of St. Peter's parish for over 25 years. Mary will work closely with the Samaritan House Steering Committee to continue to provide this incredibly rewarding service to people in need. Mary's contact information is [jmgrab89@gmail.com](mailto:jmgrab89@gmail.com) or 607-857-3447.

Steering Committee members include Linda Sampson, Laurie Coffee, Michele Combs, Coleen Evert, Lillian Fox, Mel Rupert, and Julie Stager. They can be reached through the Samaritan House e-mail address: [samaritan.house.3@gmail.com](mailto:samaritan.house.3@gmail.com). **We have a critical need for volunteers now. Please reach out to Mary, or any member of the steering committee if you have an interest, or know someone who may be interested in this most rewarding ministry.**

### Celebrate Holy Week and Easter with EWTN

Learn more about your Faith during the holiest time of the year with EWTN's first-rate movies, documentaries, musicals, children's program, and much more!

Join in the celebration of Mass from Rome and Washington, D.C. Get program details at [ewtn.com](http://ewtn.com) or visit [ewtn.com/channelfinder](http://ewtn.com/channelfinder) to find a station near you. Also during Lent, be sure to visit the special Lent website made by EWTN: [ewtn.com/lent](http://ewtn.com/lent).



### Welcome Committee



St. Peter's is looking for parishioners to form a committee focused on creating a welcome and inviting climate for new members, visitors, and all guests attending Mass. Volunteers are needed to acknowledge people arriving/leaving the church and to offer guidance to those visiting for the first time who may have questions. Volunteers would be scheduled on a rotating basis during both weekend Masses starting next month.

If you would like to be a part of this new ministry or would like additional information, please contact Melissa at [stpreled@ptd.net](mailto:stpreled@ptd.net).

*"For I was a stranger and you welcomed me"*  
(Matthew 25:35)

### Collection Counters Needed

Each Sunday, volunteers count the offerings collected during the weekend Masses and prepare the funds for deposit. There are five teams of counters, and each team serves once every five weeks. We are looking for someone to join a counting team. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact the rectory at 570/724-3371.

Marian Ministries  
Calendar of Events 2023

33 Days to Merciful Love  
By Fr. Michael E. Gaitley, MIC

<b>Divine Mercy Consecration</b> 33 Days to Merciful Love	April 28-May 31
<b>Women's Brunch</b> St. Peter's Church	Sat., May 20th
<b>Women's Conference</b> Scranton	Sat., June 10th
<b>Pilgrimage to Scranton</b> St. Peter's Cathedral	July or August To Be Announced
<b>Summer Book Study</b>	To Be Announced
<b>Mt. Saviour Retreat</b> Pine City, NY	Sat., Sept. 23rd
<b>Parish Retreat</b> St. Peter's Church	Sun., Oct. 8th
<b>Living Rosary</b>	Month of October

Save these dates and watch the bulletin for more information about these events.



**First Saturday Pilgrimages**  
**St. Mary's Church, Blossburg**

A carpool is available each First Saturday of the month for those who wish to attend these services. Mass begins at 9:30am, followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions. The service concludes with Benediction at 11:00 am. Those who wish to join the carpool meet at Whitneyville Fairgrounds at 9:00 am. Contact Linda Sampson at 570-404-2180.

*33 Days to Merciful Love* journeys with one of the most beloved saints of modern times, **St. Therese of Lisieux**, and concludes with a consecration to Divine Mercy.



St. Therese was declared a Doctor of The Church by St. John Paul II, because she had developed a specific spirituality that is recognized as something new and important for the Church. This book hones in on that spirituality, and how it connects with Divine Mercy. Therese made a consecration to Divine Mercy which she calls her Offering to Merciful Love, which is really the culmination of her whole spiritual teaching on her Little Way. Fr. Gaitley thinks this is the most powerful form of consecration to Divine Mercy, and understandably so, since it made her such a great saint in such a short time (24 yrs.).

Her Offering to Merciful Love is based on her profound insight that the Heart of Jesus is full of mercy, and he longs to pour out that Merciful Love on we sinners. Therese realized that sinners often close their hearts to the Lord's great mercy, and their rejection actually causes Jesus deep suffering. So for the purpose of consoling the Heart of Jesus, Therese asked the Lord to pour into her soul all the mercy rejected by others - and He did. That experience set her on fire with Merciful Love, so that everything she did, no matter how small, was done for love of Jesus.

So whether you want to deepen your love of Divine Mercy or have a devotion to St. Therese, *33 Days to Merciful Love* is the book to transform you.

Each participant needs a copy of *33 Days to Merciful Love*. This book can be purchased on Amazon or through a local bookstore. **\*We are trying to purchase the books in bulk at a lower price, so watch upcoming bulletins for more information.** To join the group: email [marian-ministries@outlook.com](mailto:marian-ministries@outlook.com) or use the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the church.


*Let us learn from the Virgin Mary how to be bolder in obeying the word of God.*  
- Pope Francis

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### Parish Prayer List

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Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them, O Lord and  
 Let the Perpetual Light Shine Upon Them.

Lord, this we know, no matter how difficult life may be at this time, we know you will not stop loving us and will always hold us in the palm of your hand. We are reaching to you, Lord, to hold us, comfort us, and heal us. Lord, this we know, you are faithful in your love for us today and forever. You are with us, and we are with you. Amen.