

St. Peter the Apostle Roman Catholic Church

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Office Hours: : Monday 9 am to 12 pm; Tuesday to Friday 9 am to 12 pm & 1 pm to 4 pm

Pastor - Father Francis Chidi Ezenezi

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Permanent Deacons

Deacon M. Ketter

Deacon A. Lamothe

Diocesan Order of Women

Mrs. D. Ketter

Mrs. B. Lamothe

Mrs. P. Porter

Baptism

A program of preparation is required. Parents are asked to contact the Parish Office prior to the birth of their child. Adults wishing baptism are asked to contact the Parish Office.

Marriage

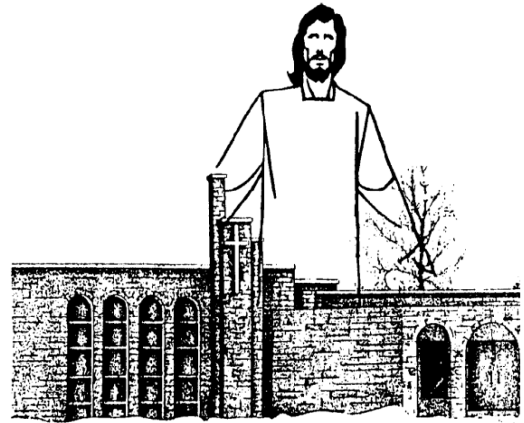
Contact the Pastor at least six months prior to the wedding. A preparation course is required.

Visitation of the Sick

If any member of your family is sick at home or in the hospital, please call and let us know. If you are confined to home, and would like to receive Communion on Sunday, please call the Office before 3:00 pm on Thursday.

Prayers for the Sick

If you or any member of your family is sick, in distress or experiencing troubling times, we invite you to call the Parish office to place that person on our prayer list.



Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekday Mass Schedule

For Weekday Mass Schedule please see inside bulletin.

Reconciliation

Saturday from 3:00 to 3:30 pm or by appointment.

Eucharistic Adoration

First Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm.

Children's Liturgy

Each Sunday at the 9:00 am Mass from September to June. All children (beginning from Jr. Kindergarten) are welcome.

Welcome to St. Peter's

We warmly welcome new parishioners to our parish. You are asked to register by completing a registration form. Forms are available in the Entrance or from the Parish Office.



PLEASE PATRONIZE OUR SPONSORS



Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time – Nov. 5, 2023

“Whoever humbles themselves will be exalted..”

MASS INTENTIONS:

Mon, Nov 6	9am	Randy Clement+ by the family
Tues, Nov 7	9am	Intentions of Nkem Obi & Prayers for Healing
Wed, Nov 8	9am	For all Deceased CWL members+ by St. Peter’s CWL
Thurs, Nov 9	9am	Assunta & Marisa Amendola+ by Fernando Amendola
Fri, Nov 10	9am	Intentions of Vic Yeates & family by Nancy Tremblay
Sat, Nov 11	4pm	Leo Guillemette+ by Marcelle Beaulieu Maria Branca Do Coutto+ by Theresa Taillefer
Sun, Nov 12	9am	Intentions of all Parishioners by Father Francis
	11am	Carmelo & Antonina Muratore+ by the Muratore family Alexina Butcher+ by Rocco & Thelma Mandaglio

PRAYER LINE: *In sorrow and suffering, go straight to God with confidence, and you will be strengthened, enlightened and instructed. If you or any member of your family, or anyone you know, is sick, in distress or experiencing troubling times, we invite you to call the Parish Office to place that person on our prayer list.*

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

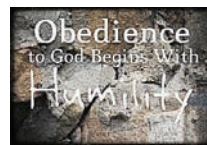
PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED: Shirley Kalak+

SCRIPTURE READINGS Nov 6 – Nov 12, 2023

Monday	Romans 11:29-36; Luke 14:12-14
Tuesday	Romans 12:5-16a; Luke 14:15-24
Wednesday	Romans 13:8-10; Luke 14:25-33
Thursday	Ezekiel 47:1-2,8-9,12; John 2:13-22 <i>The Dedication of the Latern Basilica</i>
Friday	Romans 15:14-21; Luke 16:1-8 <i>St. Leo the Great</i>
Saturday	Romans 16:3-9,16,22-27; Luke 16:9-15 <i>St. Martin of Tours Remembrance Day</i>
Sunday	Wisdom 6:12-16 1Thessalonians 4:13-18 Matthew 25:1-13 <i>Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2023

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time



“Whoever exalts themselves will be humbled, and whoever humbles themselves will be exalted.” Matt 23:312

This is a temptation that corresponds to human pride and that is not always easy to overcome. It is the attitude of living only for appearances.

“Then Jesus entrusts the mandates to His disciples: “you are not to be called rabbi, for you have one teacher, and you are all brethren. [...] Neither be called masters, for you have one master, the Christ. He who is greatest among you shall be your servant” (vv. 8-11). We disciples of Jesus must not seek titles of honour, of authority or supremacy. We disciples of Jesus must not do this, because among ourselves there must be a simple and fraternal attitude. We are all brothers and sisters and in no way must we abuse others or look down on them. No. We are all brothers and sisters. If we have received talents from the Heavenly Father, we must place them at the service of our brothers and sisters, and not exploit them for our own satisfaction and personal interests. We must not consider ourselves superior to others; modesty is essential for an existence that seeks to conform to the teaching of Jesus, who is meek and humble of heart and came not to be served but to serve.” Nov.5,2017 *May the Virgin Mary, “humble and exalted more than any creature”, help us, with her motherly intercession, to spurn pride and vanity, and to be meek and docile to the love that comes from God, for the service of our brothers and sisters and for their joy, which will also be our own.*

Sunday October 29, 2023	\$2 695.70
Needy Collection Oct.29,2023	\$1 061.15
Building Fund balance to date	\$157 972.78
Building Fund Goal:	\$200 000

Thank you for your generous contributions!

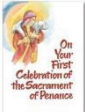


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when e-Transferring. Make sure to also include a **purpose of e-Transfer** in the subject line so that an appropriate tax receipt will be issued.

THIS WEEK

Tuesday Nov 7 **12:00PM** – Finance Committee
 Wed Nov 8 **9:30AM** Rosary Cenacle
1:30PM – CWL (General)
 Thursday Nov 9 **1:00PM** – Choir Practice (11AM)
6:30PM – Choir Practice (9AM)
 Saturday Nov 11 **3:00-3:30PM** – Confession
 Sunday Nov 12 **9:00AM** First Rec - Session #4



First Reconciliation

This Sunday is our third session. Please join us this Sunday November 5th during the 9am Mass.

Both parents and children must attend the 9am Masses. Please keep our candidates in your prayers. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated at St Peter's on **Wed, Nov 15, 2023 @ 6pm.**

CWL News :

Just a reminder of the upcoming meeting on Wednesday, November 8th at 1:30pm. We will be having a ceremony for our members who have passed away this past year. We will also be holding the elections for our 2024-2025 executive, please come and make your voice count. Our success as a council needs our members to vote on who should be our executive. *Blessings Christine Osborne*



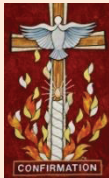
Sacrament of Confirmation

St Peter the Apostle -

Saturday November 4, 2023

We congratulate our Confirmation Candidates!

Kaydence Chadbourn	Naomi Suyosa
Patience Chadbourn	Holly Thomas
Morgan De Decker	Mallory Thompson
Isaac Durand-Dunlop	Louis Torres
Faith Misturada	Juliana Verberne
Matteo Ricciuti	Victoria Wall



Sunday Missal 2023-2024
 Sunday Missals are for sale at the Church Office. They are \$5 each.



Pope Francis – November Prayer

Intention

For the Pope

We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.



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TMIY: Becoming a Man After God's Own Heart : That Man is You! Join us for food, fellowship and faith **Saturdays @ 7:00 AM** at **St. Peter's Parish Hall**. All men are welcome! Learn more at tmiy.org.

28th Turkey Dinner (take out only)

St. Peter the Apostle Church

Sunday December 3rd - 4:30pm to 6:30pm

Be a part of this event! Sign up on the Turkey Dinner Board. This is a great way to meet your fellow parishioners. Not available on Sunday? We need help on Friday and Saturday, too. Sign up now and be part of the action! Tickets are now on sale: **Tickets are \$18 for one ticket & \$30 for two tickets**



Jubilee of 2025

Tue, Dec 24, 2024 – Wed, Dec 24, 2025

The official mobile app for the Holy Year 2025, "Iubilaeum25", is available for download. The app, which will make it easier to register for Jubilee events, can be downloaded from the App Store for iOS and from the Play Store for Android. It will also provide all the news on the Jubilee, and allow users to register as a pilgrim for the Holy Year and obtain a free Pilgrim Card.



EDGE FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 6, 7 & 8

Thursday Nights from 6:30pm - 8pm all students in Grades 6, 7 & 8 are welcome to join us for games, music, prayer, friends and faith! Holy Name of Jesus Church (895 Memorial Dr, North Bay) All are welcome! www.holynamestalphonesus.com/edge




Our next weekend session of the Damigoong Bimiikaadwining (Ministries) Program will take place on November 17-18, at Anderson Lake, with an option to join by Zoom. The main topic will be the Gospel of Mark. Please RSVP to Rosella at r.kinoshameg@outlook.com, or to Aaron at the Centre at anishinabe.centre@gmail.com.



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