



SACRED HEART PARISH

PRIESTLY FRATERNITY OF ST. PETER

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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday	8:00 am (Low Mass)
	10:00 am (Missa Cantata)
Mon, Tues & Thurs	7:00 am
Wed & Fri	6:00 pm
Saturday	9:00 am
Holy Days	Check Bulletin

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (Confession)

Friday	5:30 pm
Saturday	8:30 am
Sunday	7:30 & 9:30 am

Any time by appointment.



SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Active registered parishioners should contact the Pastor at least six Months in advance of the date.

BAPTISM

Please contact the office.

LAST SACRAMENTS AND SICK CALLS

Please contact the office. In an emergency requiring Extreme Unction or Viaticum please call 267-6123.


**MASS INTENTIONS
FOR THE WEEK**


Sunday Jan. 29 8:00 AM 10:00 AM	Fourth Sunday after Epiphany Mary Stump + <i>Pro Populo</i>
Monday Jan. 30 7:00 AM	St. Martina, Virgin & Martyr Simona Veneziano +
Tuesday Jan. 31 7:00 AM	St. John Bosco, Confessor Larry Koralewski
Wednesday Feb. 1 6:00 PM	St. Ignatius, Bishop & Martyr John Kuhn +
Thursday Feb. 2 7:00 PM	The Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary Zachary Koralewski
Friday Feb. 3 6:00 PM	Feria (Mass of the Sacred Heart) Poor Souls
Saturday Feb. 4 9:00 AM	St. Andrew Corsini, Bishop Mary Stump +
Sunday Feb. 5 8:00 AM 10:00 AM	Septuagesima Sunday SPC Weston Philipot <i>Pro Populo</i>



SUMMARY OF UPCOMING EVENTS

- 2/1 Militia of St Joseph
- 2/2 Procession and Sung Mass 7PM
- 2/3 Young Ladies' Sodality
- 2/8 Handmaidens of St Joseph
- 2/9 High School Religion Class
- 2/11-17 Fr Savoie away
- 2/23 High School Religion Class
- 2/25 Science Fair

FEAST OF THE PURIFICATION, CANDLEMAS

The feast of the Purification forms the termination of feasts tied to the nativity. At this mass we commemorate the Blessed Virgin Mary presenting the Christ child in the temple after her 40 day liturgical purification period prescribed by Mosaic law (Leviticus 12:1-8). The episode is recorded in Luke 2:22-32, which functions as the gospel for the mass.

The words of Simeon upon beholding the Christ child echo throughout the centuries.

Please join your fellow parishioners for coffee and donuts after the 8:00 AM Mass on the first Sunday of the month, or after the 10:00 AM Mass on the first and third Sundays of the month. This is also the time to visit our small lending library of good Catholic books and media. This is located on the first floor of the school building (Classroom #5).

Blessing of religious objects takes place after Mass on the third Sunday of every month. Please leave your objects on the designated table in the school basement.

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany



“Now thou dost dismiss thy servant, O Lord, according to thy word in peace: because my eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before the face of all peoples: A light to the revelation of the Gentiles and the glory of thy people Israel.” Luke 2:29-32

This canticle sung by Simeon is sung at Compline everyday of the year in the Divine Office. As the faithful prepare to go to bed, they do it the same way Simeon prepared for death. Holding firmly faith in the savior until one sees him again. For Simeon this was at the presentation, for us it is at the moment of death.

Candles have always functioned as a symbol for faith in Christianity. At this mass candles are blessed for the year and they represent our faith in the true light of the world—the “light” of revelation to the gentiles spoken of by Simeon in his canticle. A medieval custom developed which was retained for centuries of employing the candles blessed at Candlemas as the vigil lamps for a person nearing death. The painting by Pedro de Campaña (1537) (facing page) has a St Joseph holding a

candle in the background symbolizing Christ as the true light. The painting of the Dormition by an unknown dutch artist (c.1500) (above) employs a typical scene for the end of the Virgin’s life on earth. Mary surrounded by the apostles is also grasping a candle—illustrating her ardent desire to “see” her son. These artists depict Simeon and Mary performing this Roman Catholic piety based on scripture and based on our Liturgy of Candlemas.

Please consider restoring this symbolism by bringing candles to mass on Feb. 2nd and retaining them with you throughout the year, a perfect light for night prayers and a perfect light for preparing to see Our Lord. All candles brought should be labeled with the owners name and placed in the sanctuary anytime this week behind the bulletin stand on the epistle side of the church. A special procession and sung mass will be celebrated at 7:00PM.

YOUNG LADIES’ SODALITY

The Young Ladies’ Sodality will meet on **Friday, February 3**, at 4p.m., in the school building. For more information, or to join, please contact Barbara prior to the meeting day: bpestritto@gmail.com

PARISH FAMILY DIRECTORY

Our parish has been blessed with immense growth! All families registered as parishioners at Sacred Heart are invited to sign up for family portraits to be included in our upcoming and much needed church directory. Sign up sheets are located in the vestibule, with dates and times to choose from. Sitting times should take no more than ten minutes, and are scheduled after the 10:00 am Mass, as well as several Wednesday and Friday evenings at 4:30. If your family is not available for the listed times, you may e-mail the photographer: at ashley@ashleyreneeblog.com to make other arrangements. Your family portrait will be available for download at no charge, with password access for privacy, through the website <https://ashleyreneeblog.com/> We hope to have all of our Sacred Heart families included before completion, so please sign up as soon as possible. Thank you!

2020 CONTRIBUTION REPORTS

The yearly statements reporting donations to the church have been mailed to the addresses on file within our database. Thank you for all your contributions this past year.