



From the Pastor's Desk

It's time for Lent already. Make this a great Lent by following these four steps:

- 1) Start off with Ash Wednesday, this Wednesday. We will be having a Mass here at 8:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., as well as at Bishop Flaget at 10:00 a.m. If you are in the Waverly area, St. Mary's Mass will be at 5:30 p.m. Plenty of opportunities to start Lent off right!
- 2) Attend the Catholic men's or women's conference in Columbus. These are very high-quality conferences that are now held annually in our diocese. Each year, attendance at each of these exceeds 2,000. Both conferences have excellent speakers and beautiful liturgies, as well as the opportunity for Confession. The women's conference is Saturday, February 20. The men's conference is the following Saturday (February 27). Register for the events at columbuscatholicwomen.com or columbuscatholicmen.com.
- 3) Attend Eucharistic Adoration during Lent. We have Adoration every Thursday from 9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. Make a commitment to visit with the Lord more this Lent.
- 4) Follow the disciplines of the Church: A reminder on the disciplines of these forty days:
 - A. Lent is the penitential season of the Church's year. It runs from Ash Wednesday to the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday. There are six Sundays in Lent. The sixth is named Passion (or Palm) Sunday and starts Holy Week.
 - B. To FAST means to eat one full meal and two lesser meals. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of FAST, and are kept by those age 18 to 59. One is encouraged to fast on other days, too, throughout the year.
 - C. To ABSTAIN means to refrain from eating meat, and soups or gravies made from meat. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of abstinence, as are all Fridays in Lent. Catholics aged 14 and older are bound to abstain from meat.
 - D. We may observe fast and abstinence on other days, of course. Other practices, such as daily Mass, Bible reading and study, extra prayer, the Way of the Cross, works of mercy, almsgiving, etc., are highly encouraged and not limited to Lent.

Let's go deeper with the Lord this Lent!

In Christ,
Fr. Hahn



Altar flowers are donated by Catherine Weisenberger and family in memory of Francis Weisenberger

Responsorial Psalm for this weekend's Masses:

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Ps. 138: 1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8

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In the sight of the angels I will sing your
praises, Lord.



YOU ARE THE GIFT AND REASON FOR OUR

HOPE: Baby Bottles are due this Sunday, February 7, 2016. If you still have a bottle, please return it to the parish office or contact Donna Weisenberger.

Last year, we collected over \$2,000.00 to help Elizabeth Hope Pregnancy Resources. Elizabeth Hope is located on our campus and is a vital resource in supporting the a culture of Life. Through their counseling program, they help save lives from abortion and promote better health in pregnant women and teens. They also provide resources for the parents to become better informed. They are also able to help provide much needed items such as maternity and children's clothing and diapers and other items. A basket will be under the statue of St. Joseph on February 6 & 7. Thank you for all your help in this vital project to help our city and surrounding communities.

FAITH AND LIGHT DATE CHANGE FOR FEBRUARY.

The next Faith and Light session will be held on Sunday, February 21 following the K of C Pancake Breakfast. **Faith and Light is** an international group of Communities made up of persons with an intellectual/developmental disability, their families and friends, who meet together on a regular basis in a Christian spirit, to share friendship, pray together, have fun and celebrate life. The mission of our Parish community is to create bonds of friendship between all members and to reveal to each person his/her unique gift and beauty. For more information, contact Chris Hiles at chris.getin@gmail.com.

Current needs of the pantry include:



- Canned Fruit
- Chicken Noodle Soup
- Pasta Sauce

Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 6

5:00 p.m. John Sulzer – Colleen Sulzer

Sunday, February 7

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

8:00 a.m. Sr. Mary Peter – French Family

11:30 a.m. Francis Weisenberger –
Catherine Weisenberger & Family

5:00 p.m. (Living) Beltran & Rosales Families –
Bob & Kathy Dye

Monday, February 8

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

5:30 p.m. Bob Corwin – Bob & Kathy Dye

Tuesday, February 9

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

8:30 a.m. Jude Owen Hale – Janie Tormohlen

Wednesday, February 10 – ASH WEDNESDAY

Jl 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20–6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

8:30 a.m. Barbara Manegold – Chris Manegold

7:30 p.m. Most Sacred Heart Mission –
Bob & Kathy Dye

Thursday, February 11

Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25

5:30 p.m. Vocations to the Priesthood – Anonymous

Friday, February 12

Is 58:1-9a; Mt 9:14-15

8:30 a.m. Tim Mayer – Rick & Carol Rooney

Saturday, February 13

Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32

5:00 p.m. Simplicio Palisbo – Petronila Palisbo

Sunday, February 14

Dt 26:4-10; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

8:00 a.m. For the People

11:30 a.m. Brian Newton – Ken & Petty Newton

Don't give up chocolate this Lent! Dynamic Catholic invites you to join Matthew Kelly to a free email program based upon *Rediscover Jesus*, the book passed out at Christmas. Sign up at DynamicCatholic.com/Lent. Didn't get one? Visit the Dynamic Catholic website and find out how you can get one.

Speaking of Chocolate... Habitat for Humanity's annual fund raiser "Chocolate Fantasy" will be held on Sunday, February 14 from 12:00-3:00 p.m. at Bishop Flaget School. Tickets are \$6.00 at the door. There will also be a Chinese Auction. Come support this wonderful group that provides homes for those unable to do so otherwise.

Liturgical Minister Schedules for March 13-June 5, 2016 will be prepared soon. If you receive your schedules by email, please access your account and mark any days that you will not be available to perform your ministry. If you receive the schedule through mail, please contact Jenny French at the parish office at 740-774-1407, with any dates that you will not be available during this time or during the summer months.

Calendar for the Week

Saturday, February 6 –

Anointing of Sick/Blessing of Throats

7:00 a.m. Men's Ministry – Holy Family Library

4:00-4:30 p.m. – Confessions – Church

4:25 p.m. Rosary Recitation – Church

5:30 p.m. Dinner Theatre – Parish Hall

Sunday, February 7 –

Anointing of Sick/Blessing of Throats

9:00 a.m. Baptism – Church

9:15 a.m. PSR – Parish Center

9:30 a.m. Bible Study – Holy Family Library

2:30 p.m. Dinner Theatre – Parish Hall

4:00 p.m. Confessions in Spanish – Church

5:00 p.m. Spanish Mass – Church

Monday, February 8

5:00-5:15 p.m. – Confessions – Church

6:30 p.m. Flame of Hope Prayer Group –
Blessed Virgin Mary Room

6:45 p.m. Knights of Columbus –
St. John Bosco Room

Tuesday, February 9

9:30-10:30 a.m. – St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry Open

7:00 p.m. RCIA – Holy Family Library

Wednesday, February 10 –

ASH WEDNESDAY

10:00 a.m. All-School Mass – Bishop Flaget Gymnasium

10:00 a.m. Sisterhood of the Frogged Stitches –
Blessed Virgin Mary Room

7:00 p.m. MOMS Bible Study – Holy Family Library

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Thursday, February 11

9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. – Adoration

5:00-5:15 p.m. – Confessions – Church

6:30 p.m. Great Adventure Bible Study –
Holy Family Library

7:00 p.m. Young Adult Group – Conference Room

7:00 p.m. High School Youth Group –
St. John Bosco Room

Friday, February 12

1:30-2:30 p.m. – St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry Open

2:00 p.m. Divine Mercy Cenacle – Holy Family Library

4:00-7:00 p.m. – Fish Fry – Parish Hall

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross – Church

Saturday, February 13 –

Anointing of Sick/Blessing of Throats

7:00 a.m. Men's Ministry – Holy Family Library

4:00-4:30 p.m. – Confessions – Church

4:25 p.m. Rosary Recitation – Church

Sunday, February 14

9:15 a.m. PSR – Parish Center

9:30 a.m. Bible Study – Holy Family Library

12:00-3:00 p.m. – Habitat Chocolate Fantasy Fund Raiser –
Bishop Flaget

**NIGHT OF HOPE AT BISHOP FLAGET –
FEBRUARY 17, 2016**

Bishop Flaget is collecting items to distribute to needy families in our community through our “Night of Hope” on February 17th. The classes are gathering needed materials and we are planning a soup dinner for those families in attendance who are in need of a hot meal and other items. If anyone in the parish would like to help us with this endeavor, these are some of the items that we need:

socks • reusable shopping bags • toothpaste • personal hygiene items (feminine products, dry shampoo, baby wipes)

crock pots of hot soup (please bring to Flaget on February 17 after 12:00 p.m.) bread/crackers • desserts • plastic spoons

Any of these items would be greatly appreciated and all items will be distributed to families in need either through our Night of Hope or through other local organizations afterwards.

Thank you for your help in serving the less fortunate in our community.

For a Catholic perspective, the *Catholic Times* weekly newspaper features insightful and informative news from around our diocese, our country, and the world. Sign up TODAY for, or continue receiving the *Catholic Times* for another year, by placing your *Catholic Times* envelope with a minimum donation of **only \$17.00** (parish rate) into the regular Mass collection. This donation HELPS THE PARISH to provide *Catholic Times* to you and many of our parishioners. Checks should be made payable to St. Peter Catholic Church. If you are on “electronic” donation, you can still receive *Catholic Times* – simply place your donation in an envelope marked “*Catholic Times*” and your Name and drop it into the Sunday collection basket during February. As an evangelization tool, Bishop Campbell encourages every Catholic household to receive the *Catholic Times*. Come enjoy “A journal of Catholic life in Ohio.” Sign-up TODAY!

Secular Franciscan Group Update! Our first “Come & See” session was a success! We had 25 people who came and expressed interest in joining our Secular Franciscan Group. Our regular meetings will be held on Thursdays since we have Confessions, Mass, and Adoration in the evenings. Our next meeting will on Thursday February 25 at 6:30 p.m. in the basement classroom of the parish center. We will be in the lower level of the building in the room across from the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry. Our discussion will be an overview of the life of St. Francis and Franciscan spirituality. We will also be distributing some reading material at this meeting, where a freewill offering will be taken for the Secular Franciscans who donated the literature. It is not too late to join. If you have any questions, please contact Sr. Leonard Mary or Fr. Dooley for more information at (740) 774-1407.

What is your Spiritual Charism? To follow up with the Spiritual Gifts Workshop in October 2015, we will look at each of the Charisms presented. The third Charism is HELPS. *The Charism of Helps* empowers a Christian to be an effective agent of God’s goodness by using his or her talents and charisms to enable other individuals to serve God and people more effectively.

In today’s readings, both Isaiah and Peter hear the call of God and feel themselves unworthy. But, reassured by the Lord, both answer and follow. Do I hear the Lord asking, “Whom shall I send?” Am I prepared to answer, “Here I am. Send me!”?

	Weekly Offertory	YTD Offertory
Budgeted	\$ 8,405.21	\$260,662.54
Actual Offertory – January 31, 2016	\$ 6,707.48	\$259,997.90
Difference	(\$1,697.73)	(\$ 664.64)
Improvement Fund	\$ 5.00	\$ 2,396.00

Online Giving is the easiest way to give your first fruits to our Lord! Visit the Parish website at www.stpeterchillicothe.com to sign up by clicking the “online giving” tab. Now there is an “Online Giving” mobile app to donate through your phone! See website for details.

Are you new to the parish and need to register? Having trouble getting into the office to fill out a registration form or remembering to pick one up in the vestibule of church? We now have another option for you! Online Registration is now available on the parish website! Go to www.stpeterchillicothe.com and under the Parish Information tab you will find “Parish Registration” at the bottom of the pull down. Click on this and fill out the information. Once submitted, it will go directly to the church office. It’s as easy as that!



BISHOP FLAGET FISH FRY 2016

February 12, 19, 26 & March 4, 11, 18
4:00-7:00 p.m.

**285 W. Water Street
(St. Peter Parish Hall)**

Fish Dinner (fish, bread, 2 sides): \$7.50
Fish Sandwich: \$4.75
Side Dish: \$2.00
Extra Piece of Fish: \$1.50

Dine-in or Carry-out
All proceeds benefit Bishop Flaget’s 7th & 8th Grade

February 2016

31 SVPD 5 th Sunday Collection CSW Breakfast 9:15 PSR Classes 9:30 Bible Study	1 9:15 Creighton Sess 6:00 Rel. Life Dinner 6:30 Prayer Group 7:00 St. Vincent de Paul Society	2 9:30 Food Pantry 3:00 Mass – Bristol Vil. 5:30 BFS Spaghetti Dinner 7:00 RCIA	3 10:00 Stitches 7:00 MOMS Bible Study 7:00p Stitches 7:00p Choir Practice	4 9:00 Adoration 6:30 Bible Study 7:00p Young Adult Group 7:00p HS Youth Group 7:00 Middle School YG	5 9:30 School Mass 1:30 Food Pantry 3:00 1 st Fri Rosary 3:00 Mass-WCH	6 7:00 Men's Ministry Anointing of Sick 4:00 – Confessions Blessing of Throats 6:00 Dinner Theatre
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14 9:15 PSR Classes 9:30 Bible Study 11:30 Rite of Sending	15 5:00 Confessions 6:30p Flame of Hope Prayer Group	16 9:30 Food Pantry 3:00 Mass at Piketon 7:00 RCIA	17 10:00 Stitches 7:00 MOMS Bible Study 7:00p Stitches 7:00p Choir Practice	18 9:00 Adoration 6:30 Bible Study 7:00p Young Adult Group 7:00p HS Youth Group 7:00 Middle School YG	19 9:30 Class Mass 1:30 Food Pantry 3:15 Mass –Hrtld 4:00 Fish Fry 6:30-PreCana din 7:00 Stations	20 7:00 Men's Ministry 8:00 Women's Conference 4:00 - Confessions
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28 9:15 PSR Classes 9:30 Bible Study 1:00 Blue/Gold Banquet	29 5:00 Confessions 6:30 Prayer Group	1 9:30 Food Pantry 3:00 – Mass Bristol Vil 7:00 RCIA	2 10:00 Stitches 7:00 MOMS Bible Study 7:00p Stitches 7:00p Choir Practice	3 9:00 Adoration 6:30 Bible Study 7:00p Young Adult Group 7:00p HS Youth Group 7:00 MS Youth Group	4 9:30 School Mass 1:30 Food Pantry 3:00 1 st Fri Rosary 3:00 Mass-WCH 4:00 Fish Fry 7:00 Stations	5 7:00 Men's Ministry 4:00 – Confessions



The Sacred Heart of Jesus

The **Sacred Heart** devotion is rooted in the person of **Our Lord Jesus Christ**. In the account of the Last Supper St. John decides to remain at the event and draw close to the chest of the Savior, thus remaining close to the **Heart of Jesus** rather than being preoccupied with the events unfolding around him. In the example of John we see the importance of being rooted in an awareness of the presence of **Christ**, most notably signified by **His Heart**, in our daily lives. In the example of St John we should strive to glorify **Christ** in our thoughts, actions and intentions.

We cannot serve one whom we do not love and we cannot love one whom we do not know. By drawing close to **Our Lord's Sacred Heart** we are drawing close to the very center of all that defines reality. Enthroning **Our Lord's Sacred Heart** in your life, in your home, and in your family is a great step towards coming to know, to love and to serve **Jesus Christ**.

During 2015 MSH Mission Team has Enthroned a Total of 29 Homes ~ Now it is Your turn, no better way to start the New Year.

Contact one of the Most Sacred Heart Team today.

Vicky & Elmer Palisbo - 740-466-8068 Sr. Amelia, Sr. Leonard or Sr. Shani - 740-774-0474
Jim & Molly Maimone - 740-804-1129 Bob & Kathy Dye - 740-703-0555

12 Promises of The Sacred Heart of Jesus

1. I will give them all Graces necessary in their state of Life.
2. I will give Peace in their families that are divided.
3. I will console them in their troubles.
4. I will be their Refuge during life and above all in death.
5. I will bestow the Blessings of Heaven on all their enterprises.
6. Sinners shall find My Heart the Source and infinite ocean of Mercy.
7. Tepid souls shall become fervent.
8. Fervent souls shall rise quickly to great perfection.
9. I will bless those places wherein the image of My Heart shall be exposed and honored and will imprint My Love on the hearts of those who would wear this image on their person. I will also destroy in them all disordered movements.
10. I will give to Priests who are animated by a tender devotion to my Divine Heart the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who promote the Devotion shall have their names written in My Heart never to be effaced.
12. I promise you in the excessive Mercy of My Heart that My all Powerful Love will grant to those who communicate on the First Friday in nine consecutive months, the Grace of final penitence: they will not die in my disgrace, nor without receiving their Sacraments. My Divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.

educational trip to Charleston, South Carolina.

Prayer List

(Please check this prayer list for people who are no longer in need of prayer. We strive to keep this list current for those in their hour of need. If someone needs to be removed, please call the office. If someone is in need of prayer, please let us know that, too!)

Lisa Wideman, L. Keith Hurley, Don Davis, B., Sherry B., Gary W., Sharon F., Richard Stadtfeld, Donald Hayburn, Ed Moyer, Elaina Neff, Joyce Neff, Nancy Kight, Pat Manion, Joe Schumann, Veronica Geimer, Albert Geimer, Gloria Jones, Mary Margaret Rhoads, Wyatt Schumacher, Nancy Gatten, Jean Hosier, Rick Rinehart, Kathy Dye, Rosemary Cox, Floyd Wofford, Olivia Jones, Kim Dempsey, Brenda Estep, David Conley, Brookie Heightsman, Karen & Raymond Gibson, Mike Bigler, John Lisle, Keith Lovensheimer, Evelyn Silva, Michael Dixon, Bernice Heron, Peggy Lisle, Donna Stevens, Jo Burchett, Pam Thomas, Nancy Leasure, Melissa Falhgren, Mandy Hatmacher, Tracy Jalbuena, Rosemary McHarg, Kelly Chandler, Kathryn Hunt, Angie Currier, Herman Swisher, Rose Montavon, Patsy Cutler, Deb Zimpher, Evelyn Weinman, Tim Ott, Dave Neal, John P. Hess, Mary Ellen Diesher, Joshua Hicks, Rosalina Prog, Rose Shoemaker, Ray Janko, Roger Wilburn, Mary Wachter, Paula Romans, Douglas Griffith, Tony Azcona, Lynn Smith, Ruth Neal, Bill Neal, Eva & Melvin States, Julie Carey, Kathy McNight, Lucille Maimone, Norma Whitley, Nicholas Smith, Lib Fisher, Joseph Lynch, Jody Morrison, Dan & Jane Harness.

February Birthday Wishes

(If you have a special birthday and wish to be on the list, please contact Leigh Ann Meeker at 773-6115.)
 St. Peter Parish family extends congratulations and many blessings to the following on their "special" birthdays:

February 4, Lib Fisher, 161 Church Street
 February 17, Ruth Neal, 368 Yoctangee Boulevard



Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima Schedule (Sign-up sheets through the calendar year have been added.)

January 31-February 5 – James & Emelinda Hollis
 February 6-February 12 – Needs Filled
 February 13-February 19 –

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

	February 13, 5:00 p.m. First Sunday of Lent	February 14, 8:00 a.m. First Sunday of Lent	February 14, 11:30 a.m. First Sunday of Lent
Eucharist	Donna Weisenberger – B Mary Brown – C1 John Gabis – C2	Mike Neal – B Lloyd Turner – C1 John Seifert – C2	Nicholas Damico – B Tess Hatmacher – C1 Belva Snow – C2
Lector	Chris Manegold – 1 Sr. Amelia Mary – 2	Jim Maimone – 1 Melissa Huggins – 2	Anthony Lisi – 1 Joe Shuman – 2
Server	Joseph O. Herlihy Christopher Beatty James Beatty	Molly Armstrong Audrey Huggins Gabe Corcoran Jack Huggins	Kaleb Ramsey Kyril Ramsey Dominic Barron
Greeter	Charlotte Schobeloch Philip Schobeloch	John Schumacher Tracy Schumacher	Sylvia Ramsey Nanette Stanton
Offertory	Ott, Dave/Sue Family	Schumacher Family	Barron Family
Usher	Mary Anne Brown Scott Diehl Pete Simmons Thomas Zuber	James Burgess Doug Corcoran Maralee Scheeler Tim Scheeler	John Crowe Ken Miller Frank Nunziato Bret Reisinger

Church Cleaning	Team #5: Ramsey/Palisbo Families	Linens for the Month of February: Vicky Weisenberger
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