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Clara Fragozo, Coordinator (815) 525-3400

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TBD

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Donna Fiduccia (815) 608-0681
 or e-mail 344donna@charter.net

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Ed & Linnea Van Barriger (815) 629-2405

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Masses

Monday—Friday 7:00AM English
 Saturday 8:00AM English
 Wednesday & Friday 6:30PM Spanish

Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00PM English
 6:30PM Spanish
 Sunday 7:30AM, 9:30AM, 11:00AM English
 5:00PM at Didier Hall - English
 12:30PM, 5:00PM Spanish

Holy Days of Obligation

Please check bulletin or website for Mass times.

FAMILY ADORATION

Spanish: Thursdays 7:00-8:00PM

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please call the parish office to register

St. Peter Church is a Roman Catholic community, evangelizing by the power of the Holy Spirit, leading others to a joyful encounter with Christ and experiencing Our Father's merciful love.



18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave the bread from heaven; my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." - Jn 6:32-33

Jesús les respondió: "Yo les aseguro: No fue Moisés quien les dio pan del cielo; es mi Padre quien les da el verdadero pan del cielo. Porque el pan de Dios es aquel que baja del cielo y da la vida al mundo". - Jn 6, 32-33

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BAPTISMS

English: Please contact the parish office.

Spanish: Please request the "Baptismal Orientation Document" from the parish office and follow the instructions.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Couples must be at least nineteen and meet with the priest 6 months in advance. Must be registered and active member of St. Peter Parish 6 months before the wedding date.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND PASTORAL CARE

If you anticipate hospitalization or require sacraments, please call the parish office. For emergencies call 815-206-9201 leave a message and your call will be returned as soon as possible.

ENGLISH CONFESSIONS

Tuesday—Friday after 7AM Mass
 Saturday after 8AM Mass & 3:45-4:45PM

SPANISH CONFESSIONS

Wednesday: 6:00PM-6:30PM
 Thursday: 7:00-8:00PM during Spanish Family Adoration
 Friday: 6:00PM-6:30PM
 Saturday: 6:00-6:30PM, also after 6:30PM Mass

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 2

St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop;

St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest

7:00AM † Bronislaw & Josef Nosal

Tuesday, August 3

7:00AM † Alicja Orszulak

Wednesday, August 4

St. John Vianney, Priest

7:00AM Sr. Maria-Elisa Sabogal

6:30PM † Purgatorial Society

Thursday, August 5

The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major

7:00AM † Jozef Ciesla

Friday, August 6

The Transfiguration of the Lord

7:00AM In Thanksgiving

6:30PM † Purgatorial Society

Saturday, August 7

St. Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs;

St. Cajetan, Priest; BVM

8:00AM † Annette Wontor

5:00PM Pro Populo

6:30PM † Purgatorial Society

Sunday, August 8

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM † Sr. Maria Casallas

9:30AM † Grace Ingolia

11:00AM † Harvey Newcomb II

12:30PM † Roberto Ariste Orozco

5:00 PM at Didier Hall (English)

† Purgatorial Society

5:00 PM in the church (Spanish)

† Purgatorial Society



FROM THE DESK OF FATHER PAVINO

We are in a tough time. It has been more than a year now and still we are struggling because of the pandemic. People are at a loss, many seem to have difficulty in going back to where they were before. There is something broken, something destroyed, something ruined.

Our faith in Jesus tells us not to give up and to continue trusting in the benevolence of God. Something beautiful may come out of this brokenness.

Jesus was broken on the cross. He lived his suffering and death not as an evil to avoid at all costs, but as a mission to embrace. We too are broken. We live with broken bodies, broken hearts, broken minds or broken spirits. We suffer from broken relationships.

How can we live our brokenness? Jesus invites us to embrace our brokenness as he embraced the cross and live it as part of our mission. He asks us not to reject our brokenness as a curse from God that reminds us of our sinfulness but to accept it and put it under God's blessing for our purification and sanctification. Thus, our brokenness can become a gateway to new life.

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PARISH HAPPENINGS

ALTAR & ROSARY

meetings will resume August 12, 2021

2nd Thursday of month 6:30PM at Parish Center

ST. PETER KEYS BOOK CLUB

Meets the 1st Wednesday of the month

Parish Center 2:00PM Next meeting is August 4th

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Meets the 1st & 3rd Thursday of the Month

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SUNDAY COLLECTION

7/25/2021

Collection \$ 5,207.00

Egiving \$ 1,127.00

Total \$6,334.00

TACO FUNDRAISING - HISPANIC MINISTRY

May 30, 2021 \$1,400.00

June 27, 2021 \$1,000.00

July 25, 2021 \$1,162.50

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 1, 2021

Sunday: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54 [24b]/Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

Monday: Nm 11:4b-15/Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [2a]/Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Nm 12:1-13/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13 [cf. 3a]/Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

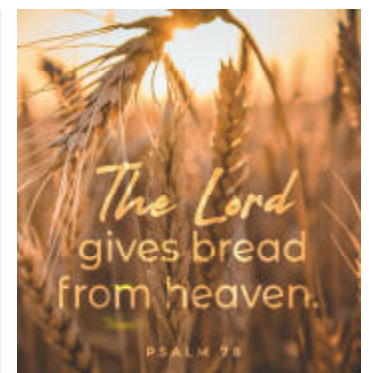
Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29a, 34-35/Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-22, 23 [4a]/Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: Nm 20:1-13/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9 [1a and 9a]/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mk 9:2-10

Saturday: Dn 6:4-13/Ps 18: 28, 3-4, 47 and 51/Mk 17:14-20

Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:4-8/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [9a]/Eph 4:30—5:2/Jn 6:41-51



PADRE LOAIZA

JESUS ES EL PAN BAJADO DEL CIELO

La liturgia de hoy nos habla de 3 significados:

-El desierto.

Nos cuenta la primera lectura una situación semejante de hace tres mil años. El pueblo de Israel, liberado de la esclavitud de Egipto, emprende animosamente el éxodo, la aventura de la libertad. Pero el ejercicio de la libertad es comprometido y no todos los que se declaran partidarios de la libertad asumen con igual empeño su responsabilidad. De ahí que, al cabo de unas jornadas, acuciados por el hambre en el desierto, añoran los ajos y las cebollas de Egipto y menosprecian la libertad. El desierto es el lugar de la prueba, es la intimidad del hombre y la soledad imponente de la decisión. El desierto es la imagen de esta vida y de todo cuanto los hombres hemos ido añadiendo a la vida hasta convertir el mundo en un lugar inhóspito y la vida en un modo de convivencia inhumano.

-El maná.

El maná fue la señal del cielo para el pueblo de Israel. La mañana en que vieron la tierra cubierta del fruto del tamarisco, entendieron que el Señor estaba con ellos. Comieron y se saciaron y quedaron reconfortados para continuar la aventura. Y esto les ocurriría muchas veces durante el éxodo, hasta que llegaron a la tierra prometida. Unas veces les faltaba el pan y encontraban el maná, otras añoraban la carne y podían cazar codornices, llegó a faltarles el agua y la encontraron en la que brotaba de una peña. A medida que iban dando respuesta a sus necesidades inmediatas, iban también encontrando la respuesta y la providencia de Dios. Hoy la técnica es el maná de nuestro tiempo. En las maravillas de la tecnología vamos descubriendo el modo de resolver la satisfacción de nuestras necesidades. Porque necesitamos comer para vivir.

-El pan del cielo.

Pero corremos el riesgo de vivir para comer, o, lo que es lo mismo, vivir para consumir. Los productos del trabajo del hombre y de la técnica, que adquirimos en los establecimientos de venta, apenas nos dicen nada más que el precio que hemos de pagar, o el pequeño placer que nos va a proporcionar. No es un maná que viene del cielo. Nosotros sabemos o creemos saber de dónde viene, cómo se produce y cuánto cuesta.

Creemos saberlo todo. Y en consecuencia, nos atribuimos todo el mérito. Como ocurrió mil años más tarde del éxodo, los judíos contemporáneos de Jesús ya habían perdido de vista la perspectiva del maná, don de Dios, para echar en cara a Jesús que fue Moisés quien les diera pan del cielo. Y Jesús tuvo que puntualizar: no fue Moisés quien hizo bajar pan del cielo, sino el Padre. Perder de vista la providencia de Dios y su obra creadora y atribuirnos todo el mérito de lo que sólo es manipulación de la naturaleza creada por Dios y puesta a disposición de todos los hombres, es convertir el pan del cielo en mero pan, que sólo satisface el hambre y que ni siquiera satisface el hambre de todos. Porque cuando nos apropiamos el pan y todas las cosas, lo despojamos de su sentido religioso y universal y no lo compartimos, y así lo desnaturalizamos.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK & HOSPITALIZED:

Bradley Brewer, Linda Eddie, Tom Gasiorowski, Steve Hatch, Marie Karczewski, & Kerry Muldowney.

To add or remove the name of a sick person, please call the parish office at: (815) 525-3400, ext. 3, or email lmartinez@rockforddiocese.org.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE HOMEBOUND OR IN NURSING HOMES / ASSISTED LIVING

Egnes Brewer, Matilda De Falco, Pat Heiderscheit, Rosemary Penewell, & Alice Robison.

MARRIAGE BANNS

ALEXANDER NYTKO, 25 years of age residing at 1600 Radford Road, Dubuque, IA, wishes to marry AMY DAL SANTO, 25 years old, residing at 1600 Radford Road, Dubuque, IA, on August 21, 2021 in St. Peter Church.

If any of you know cause or just impediment why these persons should not be joined together in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony, know that you have the responsibility to declare it.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SPEND AN HOUR WITH JESUS? CHAPEL HOURS NEEDING ADORERS

TUESDAY	12AM, 4AM, 11PM
WEDNESDAY	12AM, 1AM, 2AM
THURSDAY	11PM
SATURDAY	1AM



Call Junie Pospischil (815) 389-3065 or (815) 494-9237.



Built on Rock: A Young Adult Series (For ages 18 to 35)

“Built on Rock” will take place at St. Bridget Parish Center in Loves Park on Tuesdays, August 3 & 10, 6:30-8:00 pm.

Our goal is to bring young adults together to build up their faith and their relationship to the Church. The evening will feature a great talk, conversation and fellowship. The atmosphere will be casual with some light snacks and non-alcoholic beverages provided. For more information contact Fr. Grismer at frgrismer@gmail.com.

August 3 “Intentionally Today”

Father Bobby Blood will share some tips on how to find fulfillment in the now. As the world tries to force us into a perpetual struggle between “Remember When” and the fear of tomorrow, the Lord draws us into this very moment, where rest, peace, and genuine hope can be found.

August 10 “Yes, That Really Happened. Now What?”

Father James Linkenheld will share how diving into the questions raised in us by the pandemic, and not shying away from them, can lead us into a more dynamic and exciting relationship with God.

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