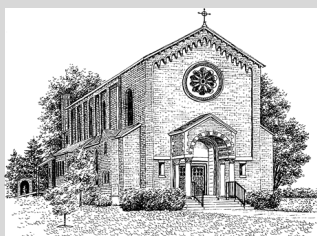


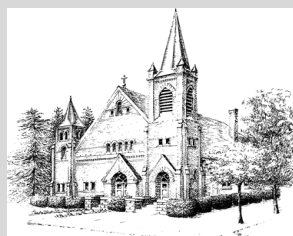
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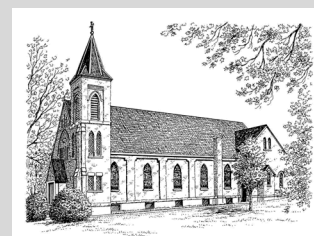
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Mass Live Stream: [www.youtube.com/](http://www.youtube.com/) (search Fr. Peter Van Lieshout)  
Father's Podcast: <https://stpetersparish1.podbean.com/>

(Masses are open to the public and our Churches can hold a limited capacity! Masks are required. Also, please practice social distancing and proper hand-sanitizing during & after each visit.)



### Mass Intentions

**SATURDAY, JAN. 9** Vigil of the Baptism of the Lord  
4:00 PM St. Dominic Jim D'Arduini—The Dan Gersbach Family

**SUNDAY, JAN. 10** Baptism of the Lord  
\*8:00 AM St. Felix Charlotte Altman—The Children  
10:00 AM St. Francis Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased  
12:00 Noon St. Dominic William "Bill" Vishneski—Robert Vishneski

**MONDAY, JAN. 11** Weekday  
12:00 Noon St. Dominic Intentions of Michael Rottman Family—The Family

**TUESDAY, JAN. 12** Weekday  
No Mass Today

**WEDNESDAY, JAN. 13** St. Hilary, Bishop & Doctor of the Church  
12:00 Noon St. Felix John Hamula—Dick & Mary Ann Gilman

**THURSDAY, JAN. 14** Weekday  
12:00 Noon St. Francis Geraldine Ruebens—The Estate

**FRIDAY, JAN. 15** Weekday  
12:00 Noon St. Dominic Doreen "Boots" Angeline—Jane Henry

**SATURDAY, JAN. 16** Vigil of the 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
4:00 PM St. Dominic Bob Goodell—Bernice & Family

**SUNDAY, JAN. 17** Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
\*8:00 AM St. Felix Harry & Ron Reals—Nancy Reals  
10:00 AM St. Francis Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased  
12:00 Noon St. Dominic Dec. Mem. of the Hulbert & Poteet Families—The Poteet Family

\* This Mass is Live Streamed. See parish website for link.  
**Live Streamed Mass Lector for 1/17:** Mary Ann Gilman



### ST. PETER'S PARISH SUPPORT

*A sincere thanks for your ongoing support of our parish and its ministries!*

On-line Sunday Offering 12/28-1/3 .....\$966.50  
Mailed-in & Sunday Env. 12/28-1/3 .....\$6,418.00  
Total Collected (Year-to-Date).....\$174,451.14  
Total Budgeted (Year-to-Date).....\$148,500.00  
Difference (Year-to-Date).....+\$25,951.14  
Solemnity of Mary .....\$1,659.00  
**THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!**

**Solemnity of Mary Mass Attendance:**

St. Dominic	4:00 pm	54
St. Francis	5:30 pm	16
St. Dominic	9:00 am	35
St. Felix	12:00 pm	37
St. Francis	5:30 pm	78
<b>TOTAL ATTENDANCE:</b>		<b>220</b>

**Last Weekend's Mass Attendance:**

St. Dominic	4:00 pm	57
St. Felix	8:00 am	46
St. Francis	10:00 am	75
St. Dominic	12:00 pm	121
<b>TOTAL ATTENDANCE:</b>		<b>299</b>

THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING!

**QUEEN OF PEACE ROSARY**  
11:30 AM on Thursdays at St. Francis Church  
**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**  
Thursdays at St. Francis and Fridays at St. Dominic  
both from 12:30-5 PM



### PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN PRAYER this Week as our Sanctuary Lamps burn

at **St. Dominic**—in memory of **Our Loved Ones**  
at the request of **Dick & Janet Stoddard**

at **St. Felix**—in memory of **Ron & Harry Reals**  
at the request of **The Family**

at **St. Francis**—in memory of **Clarence & Catherine Curley**  
at the request of the **Sharon & Clarence Curley**



### OUR THREE COMMUNITY FOOD CUPBOARDS:

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Caring Hearts Community Food Cupboard 12 Hibbard Ave, Clifton Springs, NY 14432	Basement of St. Felix, Clifton Springs 12 Hibbard Avenue,	Every Thursday 11 am-1 pm	Laura Janas
Phelps Community Food Cupboard 96 Ontario St. Phelps, NY 14532	Phelps Community Center, Phelps 8 Banta Street Suite 310	Fourth Tuesday 10:00-11:30 am & 4:00-5:00 pm	Tom Cheney
Twin Cities Community Food Cupboard P.O. Box 183, Manchester, NY 14504	Bennett Building 4 Center Street Across from Manchester Fire Hall	Second Thursday, 10 am-Noon Second Saturday, 10 am-Noon & Fourth Thursday, 5-7 pm	Sue Bogner

**FROM OUR PASTOR, FATHER VAN LIESHOUT**

Praised be Jesus Christ!

When painful or troubling events happen within the country or within the Church, the immediate need for ecclesiastical authorities is usually the publication of "statements" which can be issued to the press and disseminated. This I suppose is an evitable consequence of a media environment which needs such quickly issued statements in order to write articles and source sound bites for broadcasts.

These statements serve a basic purpose of allowing the faithful to know that the Church's shepherds are aware of what is happening, taking the appropriate responses, and striving to use their moral and spiritual authority to bring whatever assistance they can to the situation. By their very nature, these "Statements" are of limited value—they are not nothing, but can sometimes come across as wooden, cliché, and insufficient.

Then comes, within Catholic media, a wave of analyses of the event/problem from a host of Catholic commentators (both lay and clerical) trying to make sense out of whatever happened—its causes, its significance, its consequences, etc. I would be lying if I said that I don't take interest in some or even many of these articles, especially when written by persons that I respect for their holiness, intelligence, knowledge of the faith, and overall analytical competence.

Such commentaries are again perhaps an evitable consequence of a genuine human need to try to understand and come to grips with jarring events, bad news, and the like. And of course I welcome any such honest Catholic commentary which brings the appropriate blend of both a faith and a reason perspective since I firmly believe (I hope, not surprisingly) that an authentic Catholic worldview is an accurate reflection of *reality itself* and so is the best lens by which to view the world and world events.

But again, there are a host of down-sides to such commentaries, including the danger of limited information, the problems of the writer's own unreflective biases, and often, I find, an insufficient understanding of the Catholic faith itself—all of which lead to analyses which are at best incomplete in scope, but sometimes actually downright problematic, erroneous, and even damaging to the faith and the life of the Church.

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I say all of this only as way of trying to explain what is **MY OWN present pastoral inclination** during trying times. Instead of so many "statements" or "commentary" I fall back on the firm exhortation to LIVE, STUDY, AND BELIEVE our Catholic faith with ever greater fervency.

- I firmly believe that studying the truths of the faith and reading the Word of God in the Scriptures brings about a "transforming renewal of the mind" which conforms us to Christ and separates us from the spirit of the world (cf. Roman 12: 1-3). Let's commit ourselves to this study so that we are not swayed intellectually into error and worldly perspectives.
- I know from personal experience the healing and sanctifying power of the sacraments (especially the Eucharist and Confession). Let's tear out of our lives any habits of sin (especially mortal sin) and live habitually in the state of grace.
- I affirm with all the great saints that authentic worship of God in Holy Mass and in the devotional life of the Church (Eucharistic adoration in particular) should be the bedrock upon which our parish and families build our communal life. Let's foster a spirit of "Eucharistic amazement" and a deep love of worship through the Sacrifice of the Mass—the greatest prayer that we have.
- And I can only repeat as my practical admonition to you what it seems that Our Blessed Mother always says in almost every authentic Marian apparition throughout the last 150 years: PRAYER AND PENANCE! Let's ACTUALLY DO SO, convinced that some demons can only be driven out by "prayer and fasting" (Matthew 17:21).

In our parish, I honestly believe this is the greatest response that we can give. It is a plan of the "interior life of the soul" which is more powerful and necessary than human activism in influencing world affairs. And more importantly it focuses us on what is of ultimate importance: the conversion of sinners, the salvation of our own souls, and the glory of God.

**In the hearts of Jesus and Mary,**

*Father Peter Van Lieshout*

**PLEASE RETURN YOUR SANCTUARY LAMP ENVELOPES**  
**If you picked up a Sanctuary Lamp envelope, please submit it with the requested offering as soon as possible.**

When you pick up an envelope and don't return it, we assume that week is spoken for and consequently unavailable to anyone else who might want to reserve it. This prevents others who would like to sponsor a candle or lamp from being able to do so.

Sanctuary Lamp envelopes are still available in the back of St. Felix & St. Francis Churches.

**REMEMBER TO CHECK OUT OUR PARISH WEBSITE**  
**(StPeterParish.us) for links to:**

**Father's Audio Ministry**, which includes previous podcasts and homilies AND **Father's YouTube channel**, which has various videos and all of our live-streamed Masses.

**CONFESSION TIMES**

**SATURDAY—3-3:45 PM in the sacristy of St. Dominic's**  
**WED. thru FRI.—5:30-6 PM & SUNDAY—7:15-7:45 AM**  
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**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS**

Classes resume TODAY for the Confirmation Class & Sr. High from 4-5:15 pm in the Parish Center. Next Sunday classes for Grades K-7 will resume. If you have any questions about our Faith Formation program, please email Sarah at: [Sarah.Herenden@dor.org](mailto:Sarah.Herenden@dor.org)

**"KNIGHTLY NEWS"**

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**BIBLE STUDY FOR 2021**

**Start your year out right by participating in a Podcast Bible Study by Ascension Press.**

Ascension Press is offering a free podcast covering the Bible by Fr. Mike Schmitz. The process is simple. Just go to the Ascension Press website ([ascensionpress.com](http://ascensionpress.com)) and find the reference to Fr. Schmitz's *The Bible in a Year*. You do not have to log in or use a password. You can start on January 1 and "catch up" at your leisure. Each podcast is about 20 minutes long. Why not check it out?

**CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL REPORT**

**194 Pledges totaling \$39,732.91**

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**Average gift: \$204.05**

**We are getting so close! If haven't already done so, please help us to reach our goal. If you've already pledged, THANK YOU so very much for your generosity!**



**The Perpetual Novena of the Miraculous Medal will be said every Monday, 10 minutes before the noon Mass at St. Dominic Church.**

**If you have switched to on-line giving and would like to cancel your envelopes, please call Andrea at 585-289-4164.**

As Covid cases continue to spread, please remember to **wear a mask** to church and **maintain your social distance**.

*For those who are at risk and/or fearful of contracting the Corona virus, the dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass remains in effect until further notice.*

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**REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

*If you would like to have your loved one remembered on our prayer list or have a name removed, please call the Parish Office.*

**FOR HEALING**

Aaron	Donnie Allen	Lorenza Augustine	Barb
Joseph Benoit	Patty Beuffone	Anne Black	Anne Boardman
Camela Bonneville	Joyce Buckner	Mary Burgess	Scott Burnham
Dave Bush	Wandy Bush	Carlyn Burns	Judy Carkner
Carl E. Carlson	Julie Carlson	Laurie & Jack Caves	Christopher
Michelle Cleaves	Harry Conklin	Bea Coons	Lisa Corriera
David/James D	Angela D'Arduini	Bernie D'Arduini	Phil/JoAn Freeman
Tracy D'Arduini	John & Dawn	Fr. Deasio	Jill DeBrock
Fred & Jim DiSanto	Mike Donk	Delaney Doyle	Christa Dunlap
Cherylann Enos	Wendy Ester-Presher	J & M Finewood	Steve Finewood
Tyler Fisher	Coral Fox	Mary Anne Fenzl	Phil/JoAn Freeman
Keith Frey	Rosemary Fry	Kimberly Gentry	Allison Gersbach
George Gloska	Kathleen Goodberlet	Scott Greenwood	Declan Guillems
Richard Guillems	Abby Gwilt	Daniella H.	Maryann H.
Melanie Haers	Beth Haile	Christopher Hansen	Noelle Henning
Joyce Herbert	Conner Hicks	Jackie	Mary Hollis
Hilde Houck	Rylan Hulo	Daniel Incarnato	Jeanine Johnston
Sarah Jones	Julie	Darlene Kampf	David Kathke
Angie Keating	David Keeler	Alice Klahn	Cindy Koch
Nancy Kolb	Thomas Kowalski	Caitlin Kozma	Michelle Levesque-Alampi
Lee	Donald Lipker	Liz M	Lizzie W.
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Ann Riley	Don/Marie Rizzo	Cheryl Rozell	Alvin Ryder
Laurie Salko	Dino Sanchez	Bettie & Leo Schmitt	Wilma Shaner
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Terri Stell	Andrea Stearn	Summer	Pinky Tiebout
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Walt VanCaeselee	Colin VanDeusen	Linda VerStraete	Brian Weber
Josh W.	Jerry Wiepert	Robert Wright	Tammy Yacono
Patti Yacuzzo	Janice Yott	Lacey Young	Gabriella Zamora
Midge Zuccala	All of our Parishioners who are ill, homebound or suffering in some way due to the Covid-19 Pandemic		

**IN ASSISTED CARE**

Barb Barton	Hazel Behen	Janie Bree	Pat Jerzak
Carol Kerins	Bonnie Koberg	Nancy Macaluso	Nancy O'Daniels
Rose Pettrone	Gerry VerStraete		

**FOR STRENGTH & WELL-BEING**

All of our priests, All of our medical professionals & first responders, All of those still working & trying to provide for our needs

**FOR OUR DECEASED and THEIR FAMILIES & FRIENDS**

Brian Walker; Bill McGrath; Robert DeSanto, *brother of Dolores (George) Attenboro*; Elizabeth Lynch, *mother of Lyn (Pete) Butler*

**Collection Counters (1/12):** Doug Davis & Bernie Commisso

**St. Pauly Building @ St. Francis (1/10-16):** The Empson Family

**Altar Bands for January:** Paul Bree (St. Francis); Jene Trimm (St. Dominic); Any takers for St. Felix?

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 10, 2021**

Sunday: Is 55:1-11/1 Jn 5:1-9/Mk 1:7-11  
 Monday: Heb 1:1-6/Mk 1:14-20  
 Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12/Mk 1:21-28  
 Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18/Mk 1:29-39  
 Thursday: Heb 3:7-14/Mk 1:40-45  
 Friday: Heb 4:1-5,11/Mk 2:1-12  
 Saturday: Heb 4:12-16/Mk 2:13-17  
 Next Sunday: 1Sam 3:3b-10, 19/1Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/  
 Jn 1:35-42

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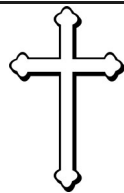
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