

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER MAY 10, 2026

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Happy Mother's Day



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Deacon Fred Schmitz, Retired

Deacon Tom Whalen, Retired

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:30pm

Sunday: 8am, 10am, 12pm (en español)

Horario de Misas de fin de Semana

Sábado: 4:30pm

Domingo: 8am, 10am, 12pm (en español)

Weekday Mass Schedule

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday:

8am & 12:03pm

Monday and Thursday: 12:03pm only

Horario de Misas entre Semana

Martes, miércoles y viernes:

8am y 12:03pm

Lunes y jueves: solo 12:03pm

Weekday Confessions in Church

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday:

11-11:45am or by appointment

Confesiones entre Semana en la Iglesia

Martes, miércoles, y viernes:

11-11:45am o con cita previa

Weekend Confessions in Church

Saturday: 3:30-4:15pm or by appointment

Sunday: 11:15-11:45am (Español)

Confesiones de fin de Semana en la Iglesia

Sábado: 3:30-4:15pm o con cita previa

Domingo: 11:15-11:45am (Español)

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Facebook: StPeterInterparishSchool



FORMATION

Monday, May 11

- 12:03pm - Mass - Church
- 4:30pm - Small Prayer Group - Fr. Ahrens Rm.
- 5:00pm - St. Anne Quilters - Scout Rm.
- 6:30pm - Ministry Formation Program (Spanish)-SSND Rm.

Tuesday, May 12

- 7:00am - Moms Group - Selinger Gym
- 8:00am - Mass - Church
- 11:00am - Confessions - Church
- 12:03pm - Mass - Church
- 2:00pm - Social Hour & May Crowning
- 4:00pm - May Crowning in Chapel
- 5:30pm - Stewardship Council Meeting
- 6:00pm - Schola Rehearsal - Church

Wednesday, May 13

- 8:00am - May Crowning Mass - Church
- 9:00am - Pastor/Principal Meeting - Church Office
- 11:00am - Confessions - Church
- 12:03pm - Mass - Church
- 3:30pm - Pastors/Deacons Meeting - SSND Rm.
- 4:00pm - Holy Name Fish Fry Meeting - Msgr Hoog Hall
- 6:00pm - Home & School Meeting

Thursday, May 14

- 8:00am - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- 12:03pm - Mass - Church
- 4:15pm - Seasons of Hope - Fr. Ahrens Rm.
- 7:45pm - Benediction - Chapel

Friday, May 15

- 8:00am - Mass - Church
- 9:00am - Parish Staff Meeting - SSND Rm.
- 11:00am - Confessions - Church
- 12:03pm - Mass - Church

Saturday, May 16

- 3:30pm - Confessions - Church
- 4:30pm - Vigil Mass - Church

Sunday, May 17 - The Ascension of the Lord

- 8:00am - Mass - Church
- 10:00am - Mass - Church
- 11:15am - Confessions (in Spanish) - Church
- 11:30am - Rosary in spanish -
- 12:00pm - Mass (in Spanish) - Church

Are you expecting a baby?

We have a wonderful group of volunteers who would love to bring you meals after your baby is here!

We're here to help you during this special time!

Text/Call **Darby Carel** at **573-429-1470** for more information.

Church Decorating Committee

Our Church is always beautiful but ever more so at Easter and Christmas. Do you want to be part of the decorating team here at St. Peter? If interested please contact to the parish office call 573-636-8159 or speak to Rose Granich

Senior Social and May Crowning

May 12, Tuesday afternoon

Senior Social
2:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Hoog Hall

We invite you to Senior Social. A fun afternoon of Bingo, Prizes, Snacks, Fellowship!

May Crowning
4:00 – 4:30 p.m.
Chapel

We also invite everyone to attend May Crowning, honoring Mary Our Mother. Prayers. Hymns. Flowers.

Please Note:
Due to the downtown celebration for the 250th anniversary of the USA there will no 4:30pm Mass July 4th.
Plan Ahead!



St. Peter's News

Congratulations St. Peter Class of 2026!

"Caps off to our favorite St. Peter's 8th Grade Class!

So proud of the Class of 2026 and the bright futures ahead of them. Go forth and set the world on fire!"

Alexander Atkins	Blake Hammann	Rowan Nesheim	Maddie Stieferman
Darcy Atkins	Cooper Hammond	Ariana Nilges	Isabella Stock
Sophia Baldwin	Austin Hillman	Sophie Nilges	Alexia Summers
Corbin Berendzen	Stella Hirschvogel	Riley Phelps	Brianna Todd
Xavier Bernskoetter	Malik Holloway	Annabella Ponce Ramirez	Khloe Trachsel
Hailey Boessen	Riley Hulsey	Kaylen Rau	Kade Vanderfeltz
Ariel Cheng	Charles Hummel	Larissa Rivera	Lucca Vassos
Hallie Clarkston	Molly Latuszek	Jenna Rush	Lucy Veile
Aiden Coulter	Case Lauf	Charlotte Schanuth	Luke Volmer
Emma Anne Doerhoff	Timothy Lee	Peter Schlacks	Khloie Wakeland
Brynn Eynard	Khael Lepper	Jordan Schneiders	Henry Welch
Addison Fairfax	Lainyn Lochhead	Abigail Sekelsky	Delaney Werdehausen
Ayslin Farmer	Brooklynn Lute	Charles Skinner	Aria Wieberg
Dane Farris	Addilynn Martin	Nathaniel Smith	Cole Wilson
Anne Green	Gracie Meyer	Samuel Steele	Carly Woodward
			Matthew Worthen

TREASURE

SACRIFICIAL TITHING & GIVING

May 3, 2026	\$ 50,444.52
May 10, 2026	\$
May 17, 2026	\$
May 24, 2026	\$
May 31, 2026	
Budget for May	\$ 262,500.00
Total Collected for May	\$ <u>50,444.52</u>
Difference	\$ 212,055.48
Budget Goal To Date	\$ 2,310,000.00
Total Collected To Date	\$ <u>2,416,631.54</u>
Difference	\$ 106,631.54
Facility/Property Maintenance: May	\$ 1,919.00
Facility/Property Maintenance To Date	\$ 72,142.22
Society of St. Vincent de Paul April	\$ 1,074.00

As of Wednesday, May 6, 2026

Thank you for your continued tithing and support of St. Peter's Parish & School!

In Honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary and World Peace

DATES & TIMES: May 23rd 12pm-1pm

LOCATION: CAPITOL Southside Lawn

JOIN US IN PRAYER
COME RECITE THE ROSARY.

(REMEMBER TO BRING A LAWN CHAIR)

Online Giving
St. Peter's Catholic Church
Scan the QR code to donate.





PRAYER

PRAY WITH THE POPE IN APRIL

That everyone might have food

Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.

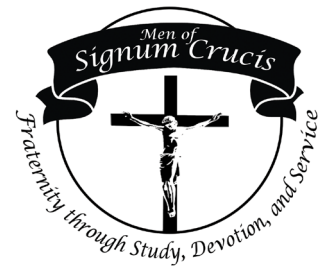
REZA CON EL PAPA EN ABRIL

Para que todos tengan alimento

Oremos para que todos —desde los grandes productores hasta los pequeños consumidores— se comprometan a evitar el desperdicio de alimentos y a asegurar que todos tengan acceso a alimentos de calidad.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Observances</u>	<u>Intentions</u>
Monday May 11	Sixth Monday of Easter	12:03pm †Roxie Woodland
Tuesday May 12	Sixth Tuesday of Easter	8:00am †Rick Hack 12:03pm †Frank & Julie Luetkemeyer
Wednesday May 13	Sixth Wednesday of Easter	8:00am †Bud & Jo Dudenhoeffer 12:03pm †Alice Westerman
Thursday May 14	Sixth Thursday of Easter	1:30pm †Charles & Mary Braun
Friday May 15	Sixth Friday of Easter	8:00am Recently Deceased 12:03pm Cynthia Yadamec
Saturday May 16	The Ascension of the Lord	4:30pm †Shirley Stieferman
Sunday May 17	The Ascension of the Lord	8:00am †Alice Schell 10:00am William B. & Frances Alberta Schmitz 12:00pm People of the Parish

May Crowning Prayer
 "Father, You have given us the mother of your Son to be our queen and mother. With the support of her prayers may we come to share the glory of your children in the kingdom of heaven. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen."



Men of the Proto-Cathedral of St. Peter:

You are invited to join the Men of Signum Crucis at our next gathering, which begins at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20, at Helias Catholic High School in Jefferson City..
 For more information about the Men of Signum Crucis, contact Donnell Rehagen at 573-462-9501; or Tim Holly at 573-298-1295; or Mike O'Rourke at 214-663-9694; or Mark Rehagen at 573-680-2520; or visit us at www.menofsignumcrucis.com.

Join the Fr. Helias Knights of Columbus
 Interested in joining the Knights of Columbus Fr. Helias Council #1054, please reach out to our Grand Knight, Joe Schaefer at joe@joeschaefer.com or 573-619-5157

Congratulations to **Marah Wermuth** who received First Holy Communion **May 3, 2026**

Diocesan News
 Stay up to date on all Diocesan news, announcements, updates, and employment opportunities.
 Go to the link below to see the weekly "Monday Morning Memo" from the Chancery.
<https://diojeffcity.org/news-events/Monday-morning-memo>

VOCATIONS
 Please pray for all who are studying and discerning a vocation to the Priesthood or consecrated life.
 Please pray for: **Shane Kliethermes**

To Be An "Active" Steward Means
To Pray: that is, attend Mass faithfully in the parish on weekends and Holy Days.
To Participate: that is, to use one's time and talents to strengthen the parish community and advance the Gospel.
To Sacrificially Give: that is, pledge and remain current on a tithe of financial first fruits to support the life and ministries of the parish. The goal is **8%** to the parish and **2%** to other worthy charities.

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SUMMER CAMPS

FOR INCOMING 6TH-12TH GRADERS

June 7-11, 2026 - Boys
June 14-18, 2026 - Girls

June 21-26, 2026
July 12-17, 2026

June 28-July 3, 2026
July 19-24, 2026



Camp Lolek
FOR JUNIOR HIGH



Camp Maccabee
FOR YOUNG MEN




Camp Siena
FOR YOUNG WOMEN

For more info, visit diojeffcity.org/camps



CRS Rice Bowl & 2nd Easter Collections Due May 31



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For questions, contact
Revenue@diojeffcity.org

Catholic Charities
of Central and Northern Missouri

WHO IS MY NIEGHBOR?

Interested in bringing your parish community together for meaningful conversation and faith-filled reflection?

Who Is My Neighbor? explores Catholic social teaching on immigration by inviting participants to a:

- Shared meal
- Prayer with Scripture and sacred art
- Large and small group discussions

Bring This Program to Your Parish

Reach out to:
Marissa Flores Madden
Director of Family Immigration Services

☎ 573-415-7144
✉ mmadden@cccno.org




Seoul, South Korea



Go on Pilgrimage with the
Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau
Welcoming pilgrims from the Diocese of Jefferson City!

World Youth Day

July 30 - August 9, 2027

Priority Registration Deadline: June 1, 2026



FORMED

St. Damien of Molokai | Catholic Saints

St. Damien was born in Belgium but spent most of his life ministering to lepers in Molokai, Hawaii. An incredible example of holiness, he dedicated his whole life to spreading the Gospel. Sit down with Dr. James Prothro and Mary McGeehan as they discuss the life and witness of this great saint.

The Sanctuary Course for Catholics | Trailer

This eight-session course—designed for use in small groups—explores the realities of mental health and illness, as well as the vital need for faith-based community conversations about these topics. The sessions are accompanied by compelling films that feature the stories of Catholics living with mental health challenges, along with the insights of archbishops, theologians, and psychologists.

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May for Mary

- *Family Rosary**
Honor Mother Mary this month by praying a Rosary (or just a decade) as a family—it brings you closer to Jesus.
- *Mary Garden**
A perfect time to create a Mary garden—add a statue of Mary and surround her with flowers.
- *A May Crowning**
In May place a crown of flowers on Mary statue as a sign of love and devotion.
- *Daily Consecration**
Pray a daily consecration to Mary—your loving mother who protects you and draws you closer to Jesus.

We honor Our Mother, Mary, throughout the month of May. What a marvelous, miraculous mentor she is for all women! Have you ever noticed several other celebrations occur in May which also honor women? Blessed Mother's Day to the wonderful mothers of our faith community and those who serve in mothering roles, past and present! Your significance to our church and the world is immeasurable! In this Marian month of May, it is noteworthy that **Mother's Day** is surrounded by ~

- ✓ National Teachers Appreciation Week ~ May 4-8
- ✓ National Nurses Week ~ May 6-12

Throughout history, these caring vocations have drawn in many devoted, hard-working women. Perhaps include mothers, teachers, and nurses in your prayer intentions this month. Consider expressing your gratitude to the special mom-figures, teachers, and nurses who have helped you along your life's journey ~ those who have displayed Marian qualities in modern-day, human form. **Ladies, be sure to explore all the amazing opportunities our diocese offers to support our faith and spiritual wellness.** We have a wonderful Ladies Sodality group here at St. Peter's. Immaculate Conception has an upcoming Women's Book Study beginning June 8, and St. Joseph Cathedral will host a Women's Prayer & Share on May 19. There is a myriad of other opportunities! Reach out to Parish Nurse Abbie Bredeman for more information or to share about other local Catholic women's fellowship activities.

~ All aspects of our lives *impact and are impacted by* our mental health ~

During Mental Health Awareness Month, take some time to check out the resources of our parish and diocese to support mental & emotional wellness. There are exercise classes, prayer groups, AA meetings, mindfulness classes, grief support groups, & so on. Monitor our parish bulletin, Facebook page, the Catholic Missourian, & communications of nearby parishes. Parish Nurse Abbie Bredeman is also available to help you connect with mental healthcare resources ~ 573-636-8159, ABredeman@saintpeterjc.org. We're all in this together!



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Believe in the possibility of help and healing. there is hope.

-Your local Victim Assistance Coordinator is available to help you or anyone who has been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church. We will listen to your needs and support you. We will help you make a formal complaint and arrange a personal meeting with the bishop or his delegate, if desired. We encourage you to come forward and speak out. -Any known or suspected abuse or neglect of children or adults should be immediately reported to the appropriate legal authorities. -To report concerns or suspected abuse by diocesan personnel, also contact: Jacqueline Baldwin, Victim Assistance Coordinator: reportabuse@diojeffcity.org and 573-694-3199.

Missouri Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline:
1-800-392-3738 or 1-844-CAN-TELL
Missouri Adult Abuse and Neglect Hotline
1-800-392-0210

WHISTLEBLOWER HOTLINE

The Diocese of Jefferson City has updated their website to include a new whistleblower hotline that anyone can use to report financial misconduct, human resources concerns, or any other issues. **The hotline number is: 573-635-0386.** Information about the hotline is available at the top of the diojeffcity.org webpage via the "Report Abuse or Misconduct" link. This page also includes instructions for the existing methods of reporting abuse. The new whistleblower hotline is available in both English and Spanish. Callers are prompted to leave a message with their concerns. The message will immediately be sent by email to three people — one Chancery employee and two lay people who are not employees of the diocese. The three will confer and ensure the issue is properly investigated. All parishes are encouraged to inform the faithful about the whistleblower hotline and to use it for any concerns that arise.