

The Body and Blood of Christ

June 7, 2015

June Parish Stewardship

EXCEL Learning Center
and
Sister Water Project

Budget amount
needed for each week:
\$7,600.00

May 30 and 31

Stewardship Back to the Lord

Envelopes: \$5,811.25
Youth: \$4.00
Total: \$5,815.25
EFT: \$260.00
Total: \$6,075.25

Thank You

Sunday Contributions YTD . . . \$370,077.00
Actual YTD \$342,655.51

Stewardship: The bishops' stewardship pastoral asks, "And what do Christians bring to the Eucharistic celebration and join there with Jesus' offering?" The answer: "Their lives as Christian disciples; their personal vocations and the stewardship they have exercised regarding them; their individual contributions to the great work of restoring all things in Christ."



CAER Food Pantry: Items being collected for the month of June are: hand soaps, laundry detergent and cleaning supplies. You may drop off your donations in the basket in the gathering area of church. The CAER Center welcomes any kind of donations. Thank you for your continued support.

This Week's Events

Sunday, June 7

8:00 am Rosary
11:30 am Individual Reconciliation
(Bannister)

Wednesday, June 10

9:00 am BeFriender Ministry
9:30 am Adult Choir

Saturday, June 13

8:00 am Rosary

Sunday, June 14

8:00 am Rosary
11:30 am Individual Reconciliation
(Bannister)
4:00 pm Youth Group



Rosary Devotions: Rosary devotions are prayed every morning at 8:00 am.

Youth Ministry

There will be NO Youth Group this Sunday! The next Youth Group will be Sunday, June 14th from 4-5:30 pm. Cedar Point forms are available on the parish website, in the back of church or in the rectory. The price is \$65 if you sign up before June 14th. Friends are welcome. Contact Katie for more information.



MYE Faith 2015: Are you looking for something fun to do this summer? Are you currently in 7th-12th grade and want to spend a day with your friends and 1,000 youth from around the Diocese of Saginaw? Join us for the 2015 MYE Faith Youth Rally on Saturday, August 8th at SVSU. This is a FREE all day event full of fun and faith and ending with a concert! Registration forms can be found on the parish website: www.stpeterchesaning.org

Thank You: *The Saginaw-Shiawassee Habitat for Humanity would like to thank you for your contribution of \$178.00 to our upcoming projects. We are blessed to have served more than 100 of God's families in need. May you be rewarded tenfold for your generosity and throughout the year, we prayerfully ask that you please continue to support those that support Habitat. In His Service, Cameron M. Brady, Executive Director.*

Liturgy this Week

Sunday, June 7

8:30 am Mass

Wednesday, June 10

9:00 am Mass (Bannister)

Thursday, June 11

8:00 am Mass (Chesaning)

Saturday, June 13

4:30 pm Mass

Lectors:

Jeanne Gewirtz and Kassidy Bucholz

Eucharistic Ministers:

Gayle Tufts, Lindy Beckman, Mike Maxa, Sandy Sloan and Sally Borsenik

Altar Servers:

Kassidy Bucholz and volunteer needed

Sunday, June 14

8:30 am Mass

Lectors:

Ray Gengler and Angie Meder

Eucharistic Ministers:

Angie Meder, Mary Memmer, JoAnn Ostipow, Kathy Stewart, Judie Giesken, Beth Tomac, Michelle Vrable and Penny Apsey

Altar Servers:

Paula Rench and volunteer needed

Readings for the Week

Monday: 2 Cor 1:1-7/Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday: 2 Cor 1:18-22/Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday: 2 Cor 3:4-11/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Acts 11:21b-26; 12:1-3/Mt 5:20-26

Friday: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9/Jn 19:31-37

Saturday: 2 Cor 5:14-21/Mt 5:33-37

Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/Mk 4:26-34

Sponsor of the Week

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CSA: A huge thank you to everyone who has contributed to CSA this year.

Approximately \$18,000 needs to be pledged to reach our goal of \$68,405. The generosity and sacrifice of St. Peter parishioners has not gone unnoticed. If you haven't pledged yet, please prayerfully consider doing so. If you are unable to give at this time, please send your pledge card back marked with a zero.

Retirement Party for Diane: You are invited to Diane Hungerford's retirement parties after both Masses on June 27 & 28. Diane's career has spanned 40 years with the last 26 years here at St. Peter Parish. Stop by and wish her well! There will be cake, ice cream and coffee in the parish hall. Hope to see you there!

Mass for Freedom with Bishop Cistone: On Tuesday, June 30th at 6:30 pm at Holy Family Church, 1525 S. Washington Ave., Saginaw. This Mass with Bishop Cistone is part of the Fortnight for Freedom, which takes place from June 21 to July 4, a time when the liturgical calendar celebrates a series of great martyrs who remained faithful in the face of persecution by political power. The theme of this year's Fortnight will focus on the "freedom to bear witness: to truth of the Gospel."

Prayer List: We are happy to list parishioners/family names who request prayers in the bulletin. Please remember to contact the office at 845-1794 when a loved one's name no longer needs inclusion on the prayer list. This will assure us that we have a current list. Thank you.



THOSE ASKING FOR PRAYERS:

Jim Meder, Tim Apsey, Peter Young, Irene Nietling, Madge Uehlein, Nanette Muirhead, Laurie Tufts, Brenda Lienau, Mechelle Kuchar, Vickie Daniels, Barb Beckman, Jane Selleck, Sarah (Chernow) Fischer, Mark Zvonek, Wolfgang Franke, Albert & Judy Storch, Sherry Storch, Joe Lane, Fran A. Gross, Sue Bucholz, Evelyn Schaft, Joseph Klasek, Ray Tithof, Rose Bonkowski, Derrick Knieper, Annette O'Brien, Bertha Hart, Roger Nietling, Jim Fusina, Esther Lickman, Brady Carroll, Steve Szukhent, Fred Lane, Ernie Newcomb, Helen Snyder, Rita Amman, Tammy Chrysler, Jay & Kay Glover, Susan Addington, Vivian & David Cook, Nancy Dennis, Joshua Mesh, Christopher Lickman, Garrett Mishler, and Bill Lickman Jr.

Rich Greenfelder, Joey Kligar, Barb Wenzlick, Jeannette Zajdlik, Diane DeVoe, Sue Adams, Roxann Timm, Gayle Shooltz, Judy Wakeman, David and Marianne Sutter, John Sims, Christina Sims, Bessie McSwayn, Judy (Willitts) Balderrama, Melanie Thiel, Brian Clark, Gloria Bates, Jeannette Somers, Kim Bruder, Gary Cech, Edward List Sr., Virginia Lawton, Gary J. Tanner, Mel Gross, Nichole Horn, Bill Krzicok, Franklin Bates, Henry Huntoon, Jolene Archibald, Will Lucio, Georgia Coon, Al Hundt, Ruth Vrable, Johannes Vogelaar, Jerry Hoover, Tom & Julia Mahoney, Jennie Hunt, Bob & Jacob Albers, Madeline Klopp, Joseph Sr. and Pauline Sedlar, Constance and Edward Leneeman

Marimba/Chime Camp: Will be offered June 15-17 at St. Peter Parish. Marimba class has a limit of 3 musicians per class. If needed, I will schedule another Marimba Session. Both camps are open to students going into Second Grade and above. The following are the times:

2:45-3:30 pm-Marimba Camp Session I

3:30-4:15 pm-Chime Camp

4:15-5 pm-Marimba Camp II

To register, please contact Shelly Kenney at 845-1794 extension 104 or at skenny@stpeterchesaning.org



Youth Encounter Service:

Youth Encounter Service (Y.E.S.) is a weeklong service outreach program sponsored by the Catholic Diocese of Saginaw. The program allows high school students to learn about and fight poverty through the perspective of Catholic Social Teaching. Y.E.S. participants will spend part of the week mowing lawns, trimming bushes and painting. In addition, they will volunteer at various outreach organizations in the community. Evening activities include guest speakers, prayer and reflection on the experience of the day. The dates are Sunday, June 14 to Friday, June 19. Those who have further questions, or would like to register, may contact Pat Preston at 797-6654.

Laundering Altar Linens: We are asking for volunteers willing to launder the altar linens. If you are interested or need more information, please call JoAnn Ostipow at 845-7918. Thank you.

A Reflection on the Gospel from the 2015

Living Liturgy: How confidently does Jesus send his disciples "into the city" to prepare for their celebration of Passover! How wondrously does God provide for the unfolding of salvation! The identifying sign for the man of the house where they would have this meal with Jesus was a "jar of water." Our own identifying sign as disciples is the waters of baptism, marking us as belonging to Christ and his mystery. The room where Jesus would celebrate the Passover with his disciples is described as a "guest room." Guest rooms are not where we are at home—they are transition rooms, temporary quarters, gifts of another's generosity. We are always "guests" in God's accommodations. We are to stay only temporarily, to move on from one place to another, from one person to another to witness to God's mighty deeds of salvation. God's gifts to us are not so we can settle in, stay put, become inert. God's gifts always impel us to move on, to spread the Good News, to "pass over" into someone new.

Each celebration of the Eucharist is a Passover for us. It celebrates our plunging ever more deeply into the paschal mystery, into Jesus' passing from death to risen Life. It celebrates our embrace of the new identity baptism first bestows on us and Eucharist celebrates and nourishes: that we ourselves are members of the Body of Christ. As Jesus continually gives himself to us in the mystery of his Body and Blood, so does Eucharist call us to the same self-giving.

Our everyday living is preparation for sharing in the Eucharist and receiving eternal Life. We sprinkle among the people with whom we live and work little acts of self-giving, sealing our relationship with them and with God. This is how we "worship the living God": by self-giving.