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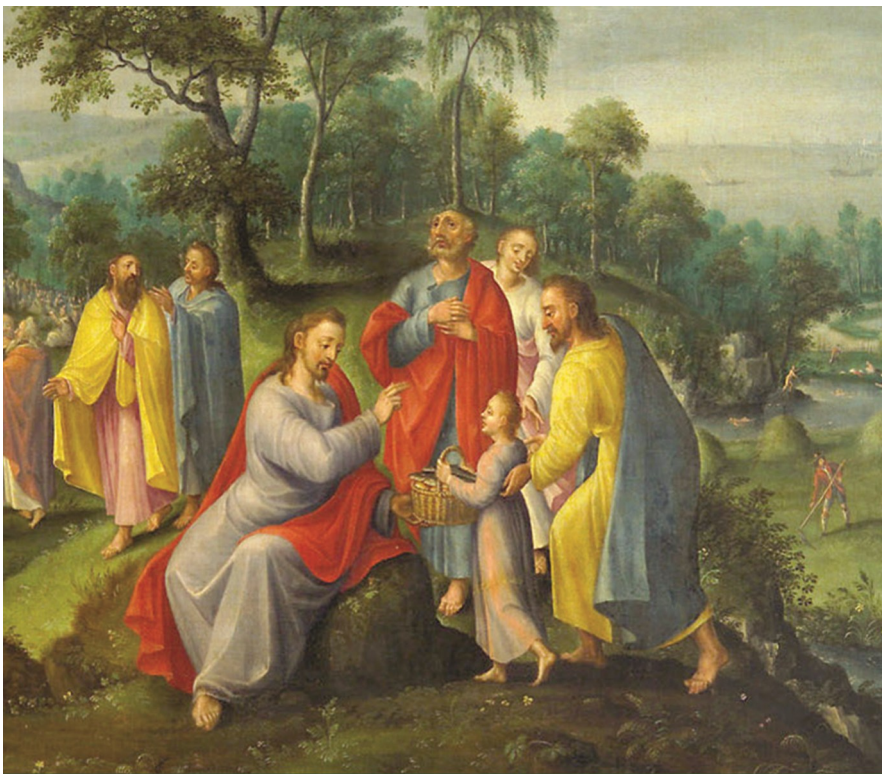
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June 22, 2025

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

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THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Then taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing over them, broke them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets. - Lk 9:16-17

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Pastor: Rev. Robert Franco

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Deacons: Rev. Mr. John Rivera

Rev. Mr. Del Sherman

Rev. Dr. Ken DeLuca, Retired

PSR Principal: Kelly Reed

Music Director: Mary Pokrywka

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday.....5:00 p.m.

(This Mass is Live Streamed & Recorded)

Sunday..... 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

5:30 p.m. Evening Mass on

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday

Holydays.....Consult the Bulletin

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesdays from 2:00-5:00 p.m.

For updates check St. Julie's Website

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays.....3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

In the Church

**PSR - PARISH SCHOOL OF
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES**

Grades 1 - 7: 9:30 - 10:45 a.m. Sunday

Grade 8: 6:30 - 7:45 p.m. Sunday

(check PSR website for information)

OCIA & OCIC (Order of Christian
Initiation of Adults and Children)

BAPTISMS

1st & 3rd Sunday by appointment

MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made 6 months
in advance

NEW PARISHIONERS

You are welcome to call the office
or register on line.

Dear Parishioners,

Today is the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ. The Church throughout the world honors the real and true presence of Jesus in the consecrated bread and the consecrated wine, the Eucharist.

The real and true presence of Jesus in the Eucharist has always been with us. However, our understanding has grown through the ages. The two major realities of the Eucharist (sacrifice and nourishment) have been our tradition since the first century. St. Paul said, "For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes." (I Corinthians 11:26). This intimates the sacrificial nature of the Eucharist. Jesus said at the Last Supper, *Take and eat...this is My Body...take and drink...This is the cup of My Blood and Unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you.* (John 6:53) This is the nourishing/feeding reality of the Eucharist.

The writings of the early Church (second century through the seventh century) confirm our faith that Jesus Christ is truly present in the Eucharist. Sometime around the 8th-9th century, theologians began to describe the "how" of the Eucharist. How is it that bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ? Somewhere around the Twelfth century the word "transubstantiation" began to be used to describe the bread and wine becoming the body and blood of Christ.

During this period of time, Eucharistic Miracles occurred. On the one hand, we could argue that every celebration of the Eucharist is a miracle. However, Eucharistic miracles in this context means that when the priest celebrates the Eucharist, the consecrated Bread begins to look like real flesh. One such miracle is described by the Catholic newspaper, *The National Catholic Register*:

The Eucharistic Miracle of Lanciano, located in the region of Abruzzo (Italy), is par excellence the most well-known in the Catholic Church. The miracle took place in the eighth century in a church administered by Basilian monks. ...One of the priests was doubting the Real Presence. As he pronounced the consecration, the host was transformed into flesh, the wine into blood. The Body took on the form of a heart, and the Blood coagulated into five irregularly shaped globules.

In 1970, the miracle was subjected to scientific scrutiny. The doctors concluded that the flesh was human heart tissue, and the blood is human. Both are from the same blood group, AB. Today, the relics are conserved in a Franciscan church. While it is often difficult to discern details of other Eucharistic miracles, Lanciano is unique. Close access is possible thanks to a stairway immediately behind the relics. The flesh is preserved within a silver monstrance, the blood globules in a crystal chalice. (www.nationalcatholicregister.com Blessed Carlos Acutis Top 5)

These miracles inspired a third major reality regarding the Eucharist. It is not only a sacrifice and meal. The Eucharist is also a source of adoration.

In our parish today is a poster board giving information about some of the Eucharistic miracles that have been documented over the centuries. Blessed Carlos Acutis was one of the great promoters of Eucharistic miracles. He died at the age of 15 of leukemia in 2005. He built a website that documents these Eucharistic miracles and will be canonized on September 7, 2025.

I hope that this feast day, as well as the procession from St. Peter Parish to St. Julie Parish this afternoon, deepen our understanding and devotion to the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. May this gift of Christ's ongoing presence be a source of strength and hope for all who share in His sacrifice, welcome Him in Holy Communion, and adore Him in this most Blessed Sacrament.

Sr. Sean will be going to Chardon this week. I will be going to Steubenville. We will both be on retreat. Please keep us in your prayers.

In Christ,
Fr. Bob Franco

Vacation Bible School

If you are interested in helping with Vacation Bible School, please contact the St. Peter Office, 440-327-2201. Fr. Bob will be in contact with you.

Lorain County Right to Life holds monthly meetings the fourth Monday of each month. The next meeting is this Monday, June 23rd at 7pm at Harvest Christian Church, 626 Lorain Blvd, Elyria. For more information, call 440-322-0076 or email info@loraincountyrighttolife.org. If you've been considering how you could help defend life, or if you'd like help becoming more actively Pro-Life, please join Lorain County Right to Life at their Monthly Meeting. loraincountyrighttolife.org/



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Religious Education

PSR-Parish School of Religion

Sunday: Grades 1-7, 9:30 to 10:45 a.m. / Grade 8, 6:30 to 7:45 p.m.

Mass Intentions for the Week

June 21 Saturday	5:00 p.m. Charles Smick, Sr. & Nancy Erwin (Chuck Smick)
June 22 Sunday	9:00 a.m. St. Julie Billiart Parishioners 11:00 a.m. Jeff Kohl (Kohl Family)
June 23 Monday	5:30 p.m. Vivian Glacken (Debbie Glacken)
June 25 Wednesday	5:30 p.m. Vivian Glacken (Debbie Glacken)
June 27 Friday	5:30 p.m. Vivian Glacken (Debbie Glacken)
June 28 Saturday	5:00 p.m. Rich Nielson (Pat Casement)
June 29 Sunday	9:00 a.m. Deceased Members of Hogue Fam. (Dick & Alice) 11:00 a.m. St. Julie Billiart Parishioners

The Week Ahead

- Sat.** Men's Fellowship Breakfast,
St. Julie's
- Sun.** Eucharistic Procession from
St. Peter's to St. Julie's after Noon
Mass at St. Peter Church
- Wed.** Rosary, 1:00 p.m.
Adoration, 2:00-5:00 p.m.
Baptism Class, St. Julie's
- Thu.** Crockpot Dinner, 5:30-6:15

Cornerstone Pregnancy Baby Bottles

Please return ALL baby bottles whether empty or full. The bottles cost \$2 each and they would like them returned to use at the next church.

Walking with Purpose

Over the past year, several women have expressed interest in launching *Walking With Purpose*, a women's Bible study program. To explore the possibility of bringing this program to St. Peter's and St. Julie's, we will be holding an informational and planning meeting for

those interested in helping make this initiative a reality. If you are willing to support women in deepening their relationship with Christ through Scripture, please join us on Tuesday, **July 1, at 6:30 p.m. at the St. Peter's Parish Office.** If you are unable to attend but would still like to be involved, please contact Cheryle at (440) 327-2201, ext. 2119, or via email at koberna@stpeternr.org.

Catholic Renewal Ministries

invites you to the **42nd Cleveland Charismatic Conference** to be held on **Saturday July 26th** at St. Albert the Great Hall, in North Royalton. Guest speakers will be Dr. Jaci Sabol, Dave Van Vickie, and Fr. Bob Franco. Auxiliary Bishop Michael Woost will be the celebrant for the Vigil Mass, and Matt Fafrak will lead us in contemporary praise music. Visit our website: crmweb.org for more information and to register. Come, this will be a wonderful day and evening of prayer, lively teachings, and praise and worship of Jesus in the power of the Holy Spirit.



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Chris Sinclair, Chris Vacca, Jim Nolan, Alan Pavelschak, Carolyn Mayer, Glenn Scheck, Peppi Casement, Kathy Davis, Aggie & Tom Howard, Ed & Rita Goebel, Harriet Halvin, Richard & Elaine Galik, Bill & Kathleen Lamb, Emma Bryant, Lisa Ramsey, daughter of Tony Frameli, Daniel DeLaat, Patricia D'Onofrio, Lola Cook, Paul Kovacs, Louise Alexander, Marian Kessler, Dolores Rivera, Bob Jirousek, Barb Vrtachnik, Terry Flanagan, Jean Rasmussen, Kathleen Sobczak, JoAnne Bellomo, Regula family, Fr. George, Fr. Gonser; for the repose of the soul Jack Flanagan, brother of Mary Malbasa; for our men & women in uniform; our firefighters, police, doctors & nurses; for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life.

~ Ministry Schedules ~

The Ministry Schedules have been emailed thru October 31. If you did not get the schedule call Alice Hogue, 440-213-9161. Please check the website and sign up.

Mass Intentions

We have weekday openings for Masses at 5:30 p.m. from August 29 through the rest of the year. Call or stop in the office to request a Mass. A Mass can be said for a living or deceased person or family.

Women in Friendship

Women in Friendship will meet at 1:00-3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 24 at St. Peter's Parish Center. We will be playing a game involving gifts! To play the game, please bring one gift-wrapped or gift-bagged item valued at \$10. This activity will be fun, fun, fun! We always welcome new members! Questions may be answered by calling Linda at (440) 552-0651.



Parish Stewardship

June 15:	\$2741
Faith Direct: (May 16-31)	\$4980
School Subsidy:	\$50
Capital Improvement:	\$335
Net Offertory:	\$8106
Mass Attendance:	387

Thank you for sharing your blessings.

Ministers Schedule

Sat, Jun. 21, 5:00 Rec	Jun. 22, 9:00	11:00
S-Beth Paoloni	S-John Burghard	S-Beth Paoloni
L-Jane Herbcha	L-Ken Allen	L-Barb Arguello
EM-Beth Paoloni	EM-John Burghard	EM-Larry Rozman
EM- Tony Tinnirello	EM-Elaine Payne	EM-Leslie Rozman
C-Deacon John	C-Mark LaLonde	C-Chris Snyder
C- Not Filled	C-Tom Lamoda	C- Not Filled
AS-Anthony Shealy	AS- Not Filled	AS-Ashley McDowell
AS-Melody Shealy	AS- Not Filled	AS-Duncan McDowell
U-Nick Guerrieri	U-Jim Gaffney	U-Elaine Payne
U-Ron Uecker	U-Val Wisniewski	U-Michael Herner

Sat, Jun. 28, 5:00 Rec	Jun. 29, 9:00	11:00
S-Chris Vacca	S-John Burghard	S-Kathleen McWeeny
L-Cindy Naprestek	L-Jessica Angelo	L-Lisa Palazzo
EM-Greg Dubecky	EM-John Burghard	EM-Barb Arguello
EM-Ceil Morrison	EM-Gretchen Bulan	EM-Kathleen McWeeny
C-Keith Klimkowicz	C-Deacon Del	C-Bob Leither
C-Agnes Klimkowicz	C-Tom Lamoda	C-Jim Livingston
AS-Anthony Shealy	AS- Not Filled	AS-Dawson Davis
AS-Melody Shealy	AS- Not Filled	AS-Ryan Papesch
U-Sue Dybowski	U-Jim Gaffney	U-Gene Morrison
U-Ron Uecker	U-Hung Le	U-Dave Rodriguez

Fri, Jul 4, 9:00am Rec
S-Elaine Payne
L-Mark LaLonde
EM-Ray Sharron
EM-Elaine Payne
C- Not Filled
C- Not Filled
AS- Not Filled
AS- Not Filled
U- Not Filled
U- Not Filled



Corpus Christi Procession This Sunday, June 22

The Catholic Community of North Ridgeville will celebrate the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ with a procession carrying the Eucharist through the streets in a solemn procession with singing. The procession will start at St. Peter Church immediately following the 12 Noon Mass and will proceed to St. Julie Billiant

Church. There will be two stops for brief prayer along the route. (Water will be available)

Once at St Julie, there will be silent time for Prayer and Adoration, Daytime Prayer, and Benediction. A reception will follow.

Transportation will be provided from St. Julie back to St. Peter for those who park at the beginning of the procession. Please join us and help give public witness of Faith and Devotion toward the Eucharist.



News & Events

Our Ukrainian Welcome Circle Summer with the Bryiovskyis

We recently introduced Nadiia to the West Side Market. She loved it and plans to shop there throughout the summer. Daniel and Artur will be finishing school soon and start playing lots of soccer. All the kids will be attending church camp and Sunday school where Nadiia also teaches. Everyone sings in the choir except Vitalii. He says "no one wants to hear me sing". There will be lots of family time and swimming and visits with family.

We continue to be inspired by all of the support you have given and ask for your continued prayers for the Bryiovskyis and some clarity for their immigration status.

We will keep you updated when things change.

Pilgrimage to Italy

Fr. Bob is leading a pilgrimage to Rome, Assisi, San Giovanni Rotondo (the monastery of St. Padre Pio) and other religious sites during the Holy Year 2025. This ten-day pilgrimage will be from October 20 to October 29, 2025 and will be a joyful time of encountering the Lord, perhaps traveling with old friends and making new friends. 206 Tours has prepared a wonderful and inspiring itinerary. For more details about this pilgrimage, go to: www.206tours.com/frfranco/ where you will find the itinerary, the sites described in detail, and how to book your spot.

The Fest will be on Sunday, August 3

Join us for the 25th Anniversary of The FEST on Sunday, August 3, in Wickliffe, Ohio. The FEST is the perfect family day and there will be great food and drinks to enjoy while walking the beautiful grounds of the Center for Pastoral Leadership (CPL) in Wickliffe! 28700 Euclid Ave, Wickliffe, OH 44092. The FEST day concludes with an inspiring outdoor Mass on the grounds of our diocesan seminary at 8:00 p.m. The FEST....a day of faith, family and fun....all for FREE. For all the details go to: www.theFEST.us

Theology on the Rocks West For Adults 40 & Over

Join us on Monday, July 14, 7-8:30 p.m.

Westside Irish American Club

8559 Jennings Rd. Olmsted Twp.

Be Still and Know: A Personal Invitation to Christian Meditation. Dr. Georges

Nakhoul, physician, will share with us the

fruits and biblical basis of Christian Meditation. Find out what led him to adopt this practice. Join us for a theologically enriching evening. Cost: \$15 per person. Light appetizers included. Cash Bar is available. **Advance tickets recommended. Register in advance:**

www.theologyontherockswest.com. Doors open at 6:30.



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The Rites: Holy Communion and Worship of the Eucharist Outside Mass

June 22, 2025
Immediately After 12:00pm Mass

Starting at St. Peter Church and ending at St. Julie Billiart Church

The Procession & Adoration

Beginning at St. Peter Catholic Church the route will proceed going east on Center Ridge to Emerald, to Pearl, to Opal, to Julie Lane.

Two stops for brief prayer will be made along the route. Water will be available.

Silent Time for Prayer and Adoration, Daytime Prayer, and Benediction will take place at St. Julie Billiart at the end of the Eucharistic Procession.

Reception to follow at St. Julie Billiart.

Parking & Transportation

Parishioners may park at either parish. The Eucharistic Procession will begin at St. Peter Catholic Church immediately following the 12:00pm Mass.

Following the Eucharistic Procession a shuttle will be available at St. Julie in order to begin returning to St. Peter around 3:00pm.

A driver will be available, if a ride is needed, during the procession.



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**Registration for PSR
classes is now open!**

Visit the St. Julie's PSR website for details. Early registration available until July 30th. Late fee applies for registrations after July 30th.

Program options:

- Traditional PSR for grades K-7, Sundays at 9:30 AM, and 8th-grade Confirmation class Sunday evenings at 6:30 PM.
- Family Faith Program (homeschool option) with monthly Zoom meetings for parents and community gatherings for families.

Seeking volunteers! We need assistant teachers, teachers for Kindergarten, and helpers/office aides. Interested? Use the PSR contact button on our website for more information.

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