

O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a Fountain of Mercy for us,

I Trust In You!

DIVINE MERCY

Transfiguration of the Lord Parish

Saturday Vigil Mass - 4:30pm - Church

Sunday Masses - 8:30am - Chapel & 10:30am - Church

Monday - Scripture and Communion Service - 11:00am - Church

Tuesday - 7:00pm Mass - Chapel

Wednesday - 8:15am Mass (*with school*) - Church

If school is not scheduled or has been canceled Mass will at 11am

Thursday - 11:00am Mass - Chapel

Friday - 11:00am Mass - Church

Holy Days - See "Liturgies and Devotions" on next page.

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:45pm to 4:15pm - Church and by calling Fr. Savio to schedule.

Eucharistic Adoration: Thursday - 10:00am to 11:00am - Chapel

Friday - 10:00am to 11:00am - Church

Baptism: Arrange by calling Deacon Kevin. Preparation class may be required.

Marriage: Contact Father or Deacon at least six months prior to the wedding.

OUR MISSION: We exist to build a community of believers through faith, formation, prayer, and the sacraments. Led by the Spirit we witness to the Gospel through our service and reverence for all.

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Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, his love is everlasting.

Reading for the Week of March 31, 2024

Sunday Sunday of Divine Mercy Acts 4:32-35; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1 Jn 5:1-6; Jn 20:19-31
Monday Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38
Tuesday Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Jn 3:16-21
Thursday Memorial of Saint Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20; Jn 3:31-36
Friday Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Jn 6:1-15
Saturday Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6:16-21
Sunday Third Sunday of Easter Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48

✠ Liturgical Ministers ✠

	Saturday, April 13 4:30 PM (U)	Sunday, April 14 8:30 AM (K)	Sunday, April 14 10:30 AM (U)
Communion Ministers	Claude Beitler Marjorie Beitler Tom Creger Linda Heimrick Sr. Mary Lee Joan Smalley Mark Smalley Patricia Uhl-Winters	John Baldwin Nicki Frey Angela Wigle	Jennifer Craig Mark Droll Brent Frobose Brenda Miller Deb Mullhaland Deanna Piecha Karen Smith Luke Smith Barbara Stickel
Lectors	Leslie Conigy	John Massara Julia Massara	Aaron Korte
Server	Evie Bramel Elaina Conigy Sophia Conigy	Abraham Baldwin Ezekiel Baldwin	Hope Korte Reese Leightey William Leighty
Hospitality	Clara Schilling Thomas Schilling	Ann Frey Darrell Frey	Bernie Niederkoeh Sandy Niederkoeh

Join us for the
Divine Mercy Prayer Service
 in the Church at 2:45 pm.


Divine Mercy Sunday is a very special Sunday when the Divine Floodgates from Heaven are wide-opened and Jesus offers us the total forgiveness of all sins and punishment to any soul, who goes to Confession and receives Him in Holy Communion, on that day.




Graduation Mass, May 19th

We are planning to have a senior graduation Mass on Sunday, May 19th. Please contact the office to give us your graduate's name as soon as possible.


There will be a mandatory Altar Servers training for the new and old on Sunday, April 28th after the 10:30 am Mass in the Church (*Upper*) and at 1:30 pm at the Chapel (*Kirby*.)



There will be a Eucharistic Ministers training for the new and old after all the Masses the weekend of April 20th.



We will be having Eucharistic Adoration and Vespers on April 14th at the Chapel in Kirby from 4:00 - 5:00pm. All are Welcome!!



<p><u>Monday, April 8</u> *Cancelled - Scripture & Communion Service</p> <p><u>Tuesday, April 9</u> - 7pm Chapel: Mass Gabriel Vuktilaj</p> <p><u>Wednesday, April 10</u> - 8:15am Church: Mass +Deb Rall</p> <p><u>Thursday, April 11</u> - 11am Chapel: Mass +Marie Hong Tran</p> <p><u>Friday, April 12</u> - 11am Church: Mass +Eugene Frey</p>	<p><u>Saturday, April 13</u> - 4:30pm Church: Mass Daniel Jamieson +Bernard & Loretta Kin</p> <p><u>Sunday, April 14</u> - 8:30am Chapel: Mass +Harold & Margaret Welly People of the Parish</p> <p>- 10:30am Church: Mass +Ken Stark +Bob Loverich</p>
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April 7, 2024

Transfiguration of the Lord, Upper Sandusky - Kirby

Collection Report:	3/31/2024			
Funds	Envelopes	OSV - ACH	OSV - CC	Year to Date
Regular	10,237.00	790.33	51.50	223,274.00
Cash	2,964.25			35,920.45
OSV Online (3/26 - 4/1/24)	841.83			51,429.97
Total Regular	14,043.08			310,624.42
Budget	7,500.00			300,000.00
Difference	+6,543.08			+10,624.42
Outreach	45.00			
Tuition Angel	40.00			
School Expansion				
School Endowment	10.00			
Capital Improvement	25.00			
Easter	40.00			
St. Mary's Cemetery	25.00		51.50	

*Consider making your offering with the OSV Online (Bank Draft) method. Call the office to ask why it is more efficient and how we can set it up for you. **Thank you all!**

Parish Events this Week

- Monday, April 8:** Communion Service - CANCELLED
 *Solar Eclipse (no school)
 *Parish Office Closed
 *Scripture and Communion Service - Cancelled
 *Eclipse Breakfast - 8am-9am St. Mary Center
 *Eclipse Lunch - 11am-12pm St. Mary Center
 - Tuesday, April 9:** Cemetery Board meeting
 4pm-5pm community room
 - Wednesday, April 10:** Confirmation Mass for Students
 7pm Church (U) Fr. William Kubacki
 - Friday, April 12:** Kindergarten Screening
 8am-2pm St. Peter School Gym
 *School Endowment Foundation Board meeting
 9:30am-10:30am Community Room
 - Saturday, April 13-16:** Parish Mission with
 Fr. Steven McMichael, OFM Conv.
 7pm Church (U)
 - Sunday, April 14:** Adoration and Vespers
 4pm-5pm Chapel (K)
- Up Coming Events**
- Monday, April 15:** Choir at Wyandot County Skilled Nursing
 4:30pm - 5pm
 - Tuesday, April 16:** Mass at the County Home
 2:30pm - 3:30pm
 - Thursday, April 18:** Parish Council meeting
 7pm - community room

**Parish Mission
 April 13th through April 16th**



Please mark your calendars for the **Parish Mission** in the church in Upper with Father Steven McMichael, OFM Conv., Associate Professor of Theology at St. Thomas University, Saint Paul, Minnesota, will lead us in

exploring the theology of the Eucharist. Learn how the Eucharist calls us to a personal relationship with Jesus, it's influence in our faith community and with our society.

Father McMichael will be the celebrant at the weekend Masses. His presentations on the Eucharist will begin Sunday evening and conclude Tuesday. Each presentation will begin at 7:00 PM. Our Sunday evening presentation will be in the church in Upper. Monday's presentation will be in the chapel in Kirby. We will conclude on Tuesday evening in the church in Upper.

Parish Festival Silent Auction

Our festival is right around the corner! The Silent Auction committee consisting of Nicki Frey, Taylor Frey, Amalie Rowland and Annie Vent are in full swing and looking for those "can't live without" items. Some of the popular items we have noticed are the homemade-kind and baskets full of goodies for all ages. We would appreciate any donations to help the auction be a success again this year! In saying this, to help things run smoothly, we would like to open up the donating process now. If you have an item or items to donate please drop them off at Frey Roofing and Lumber in Kirby or call one of the committee members. We would like to have all items by June 30th. If other arrangements need to be made, contact Nicki Frey at 419-722-5728. Thank you for all the years of donations and bless our community for their time, talent and treasures!

Mother's Day weekend, May 11-12 the Knights of Columbus will be selling carnations for \$1 each after all Masses. All proceeds will go to the Wyandot County Right to Life.

CYO Sport of track are available for Parish members and students at St. Peter in grades 3-6. Please contact **Emily Beckley**, volunteer athletic director, at embeckley14@gmail.com if your son or daughter is interested in joining a team or if you are interested in coaching. Track meets are April 14-May 19.

LOGSDON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Logsdon Scholarship Fund, created by the late Giles and Carol Logsdon, will begin taking applications March 15, 2024. Natives of Wyandot County, the Logsdons lived down the road from where Giles was born, and farmed both theirs and part of the original family farm while operating several businesses over the years. These included a wood burning stove store, first operated out of the former Harpster General Store and then from their home, an embroidery business, an orchard, and a Christmas tree farm. Carol likewise was a lifelong farmer who grew up in Eden Township.

Giles and Carol Logsdon established The Logsdon Scholarship Fund to provide scholarships annually to qualified students who have accomplished all of the following:

1. Have attended St Peter Catholic School in Upper Sandusky, Ohio;
2. Have graduated from High School; and
3. Have attended an accredited post-secondary educational institution, either academic or vocational (trade school); completing at least one year of a two or more year course of study.

More information can be found at:

Wyandot County Community Foundation
<https://www.wyandotcommunityfoundation.org/>



Transfiguration of the Lord Parish has a new staff member!

Kayla Kain
Parish Secretary & Religious Education Coordinator

I am originally from the Sycamore area. I currently live in Nevada with my husband, James, and soon we will be adding our first child into our household as well. I have previously worked as an STNA in a few different nursing homes. My most recent job was at Lowe's working as their plant service supervisor. I have prayed for an opportunity to have a career in ministry since I was a teenager. I have a passion for serving others through actions as well as teaching them the Gospel, or discussing it with them if they are already aware. This position as parish secretary and religious education coordinator is an answered prayer and an opportunity for me to make a career out of the things I love doing.

April
8th
2024

The Feast of the **Annunciation** of the LORD

Getting to know your Pastoral Council Members

Hello, I am Drew Rall, Pastoral Council Chairperson. I am a lifelong member of Transfiguration of the Lord parish. This is where I was baptized and confirmed. This is also the church where I married my wife, Tricia. Our four children have also been baptized here and currently attend St. Peter School – Atlee (11), Grant (11), Emery (9), and Briar (4).



I am a co-owner of Rall Supply, here in Upper Sandusky with my family. Outside of work I am actively involved with youth baseball, and a volleyball coach for the St. Pete's Lady Colts. I also am a member of the Wyandot County Young Professionals.

In addition to serving on Pastoral Council, my family and I have been involved with the Passion play the last two years. We are currently chairing the St. Pete's School Festival (Sunday, June 2 – mark your calendars!), as well as support and lead other fundraising opportunities at the school.

I have thoroughly enjoyed my service on Pastoral Council, it has provided insight into how our parish functions and has allowed me to see the many talents and blessings that our parishioners share with one another. I want to thank all of you for the opportunity to serve, I am very excited to continue to see our parish thrive. God bless!

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JOIN US FOR PRAYER GROUP Transfiguration of the Lord, Church in Upper April 11th at 6 pm

All ages are welcome. This is a time to come together to pray, study scripture, and discuss different topics together. This week's topic will be on the season of Lent. We would love to see you and continue to build our community and grow closer to our Savior and friend, Jesus Christ.

St. Peter Catholic School

ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS: Kindergarten thru Eighth Grade!

While faith is the binding element in Catholic schools, the Church reiterates that parents are the first teachers of their children. Holding this tenet, we expand beyond the walls of the school building to envelop the family as an integral part of the school community. Together teachers, administrators, staff, students and parents **fuel the light of faith** by integrating culture with faith and faith with living.

We are all busy but don't let other life stuff "**eclipse**" this opportunity. Enrolling your child is easy and affordable. If you would like to join our school family, come check us out now by scheduling a visit and applying for admission. This year every family applying for an EdChoice State Scholarships was awarded a grant with **65%** covering all of tuition costs and an **average award of \$4,855 per student**. Our **Diocese of Toledo** also now offers scholarships as an **SGO (Scholarship Granting Org)**.

Student seats are limited so get your name on the list of interested families by applying today. Scan the links below for more information or **call St. Peter Catholic School at 419-294-1395**.



EdChoice Scholarship:
Information



EdChoice Scholarship:
Application Form 2025



Diocese of Toledo:
Scholarship Fund (SGO)



St. Peter Catholic School:
Enrollment Application

Kindergarten screening will take place on April 12th. Children 5 years old by August 1st are eligible to apply.

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