

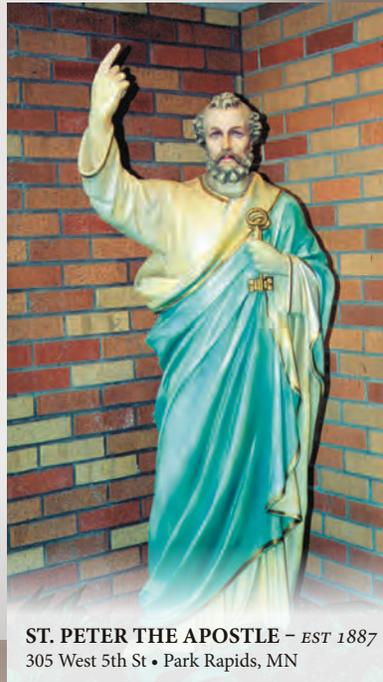
Welcome to The Parish Communities of

St. Mary's

St. Peter the Apostle



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Please Contact Parish Office at Least Six Months Prior to Wedding Date

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Please Contact Parish Office Two Months Before Child's Birth

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January 25, 2026

This week's Mass schedule:

Tuesday, January 27th

NO MASS at St. Peter's

Wednesday, January 28th

NO MASS at St. Peter's

Thursday, January 29th

NO MASS at St. Mary's

Friday, January 30th

NO MASS at St. Peter's

Saturday, January 31st, 5:00 p.m.

St. Peter's, + Izzy Mahowald

Sunday, February 1st, 9:00 a.m.

St. Peter's, + Barb Masanz

Sunday, February 1st, 11:00 a.m.

St. Mary's, + Mary Schmitz

Sunday, February 1st, 3:00 p.m.

St. Peter's, Divine Mercy Hour

Reconciliation 4:00 pm Saturday

The Rosary is prayed each day ½ hour prior to Mass. On Friday's, the Rosary is prayed after Mass.

Adoration is held at St. Peter's on Wednesdays, 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm and Thursdays from 6:00 am to 5:00 pm.

Monday, January 26

SP: 6:00 pm Alpha

Tuesday, January 27

SP: 10:00 am Women's Bible Study Chapt. 9 & 10

Noon: Ladies lunch w/Deacon John

(Call office before 11:00 am for location & sign up)

SP: 6:00 pm 1st Reconciliation Class

SP: 6:00 pm Choir Practice

Wednesday, January 28

SP: 10:00 am Bell Choir Practice

SP: 1:00 pm Faith Formation Grades 1 - 6

SP: 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm Adoration

SP: 6:00 pm Evening Faith Formation Grades 7-11

Thursday, January 29

SP: 6:00 am – 5:00 pm Adoration

SP: 9:00 am Men's Bible Study

6:00 pm Men's Group Burgers & Beer w/Deacon

(Call office before 4:00 pm for location)

Sunday, February 1

SP: Coffee & Rolls St. Vincent de Paul Society

Sunday Mass & Rosary are
live streamed at stpeterpr.org

If you or someone you know has been the victim of sexual misconduct on the part of a priest, deacon, or individual representing the Diocese of Crookston, its parishes, or its schools, your first call should be to law enforcement. In addition, the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator is available at 218-281-7895 (24-hour confidential number).

St. Peter's Liturgical Schedule

Jan. 31 & Feb. 1

Lector

Usher Capt's

Saturday

Al Cassidy

Volunteer

Sunday

Volunteer

Ron Ahmann

Bob Becker

Greeters

Week One

Stewardship

"He called them, and immediately they left their boat and their father and followed Him." MATTHEW 4:22

Just as Jesus called the first apostles, He calls each of us to follow Him, too. Not everyone is called to leave their business or family behind, but we are expected to put God first in everything. In gratitude to God, we should give our first and best of everything to Him: our time in daily prayer, our talent in participating in one of our parish ministries and our treasure to support the financial needs of our parish mission.

St. Peter's

PARISH FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Collection for January 18

Adult Envelopes.....	\$ 6,405.00
Loose Plate.....	\$ 734.25
Visitors.....	\$ 627.00
Other.....	\$ 42.01
Total.....	\$ 7,808.26
Haiti.....	\$ 500.00
Church in Africa.....	\$ 1,346.00

'Direct Deposit' Sunday Offering

'Direct Deposit' is a **safe, secure, and convenient** way to submit your Sunday Offering and support St. Peter's. Contact Lynn in the parish office for information!

Praying for Vocations

January 26 – February 1.. Ray, Ellie & Alex Wattenhofer

February 2 – February 8..... Terry & Meg Morris

Eucharistic Ministers for Residents of Care Facilities

January 25: Walsh

February 1: McCollum

If you know **someone** who would like to receive or **if you are interested** in distributing contact Deacon John.

Looking for volunteers to check the Food Shelf Donation bin by the parish center door and take donations to the Food Shelf.

During the winter months, help is needed to cover Adoration on Thursday's from 11 am - Noon and 1 pm – 2 pm. Contact Deacon John for more information.

January 26 - Come Pray the Rosary at the Heritage Living Center every 4th Monday at 10:00 am.

Mercy Hour – January 28, 7:00 pm

Holy Rosary Catholic Church, Detroit Lakes

Join Bishop Andrew Cozzens for this hour of Adoration and prayer, culminating in an intimate moment of Eucharistic encounter offered for you as an individual, a couple, or as a family. All are welcome.

St. Mary's – Two Inlets
Ministries for Sunday, February 1

LECTOR Susan Wolters
COMM DIST Greg & Ann Lempola
USHER Jeromy Meier Family
SACRISTAN Lynn Gartner

St. Mary's Collection, January 18

Adult Envelopes \$830.00 Loose Plate \$308.00
Total Collection \$1,138.00
Church in Africa \$153.00

Direct Deposit is available at St. Mary's. Contact Lynn for details.

February 15 Soup & Sandwich – The ladies serving are Pam Scholz, Pam Stone, Ann Lempola, Jenna Sunram, Colleen Nelson, Lynnette Zilka.

We extend sympathy and prayers to the family of Frank Theisen. May he enjoy life forever at the table of the Lamb.

Happy birthday wishes to Lillian Schmaus who will be 83 years young on January 31. God bless you on your special day.

Brother Knights, Happy New Year to all. The annual Knights party is scheduled for Sunday January 25th. The event will be held at The West 40 Restaurant on Hwy 34 west of Park Rapids. Happy hour will begin at 4PM, and dinner at 5PM.

To get a proper number of people who plan on attending, please call Ron Pierzinski at 218-821-2009. All knights and spouses are invited to attend. Thanks, and God Bless, Tom Porozinski, Grand Knight, 218-255-2469 and Jim Higgins 218-252-6480.

St. Peter's Knights of Columbus will be serving a breakfast on Sunday, January 25. Proceeds will go to the Youth projects.

Adult Faith Formation

Director of Evangelization-St. Peter's and St. Mary's
Michelle Clark Office: 218-732-5142
Michelle Clark Cell Phone: 913-940-4851
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Scripture Study

Please join us for a Study Group that is open to all and focuses on the Sunday Scriptures. We will meet the first and third Tuesday of the month at 1:30 pm at St. Peter's.

Men's Group

Please join us for weekly Men's Group/Bible Study on Thursday's, 9:00 am at St. Peter's. We will focus on the weekly Mass readings. Come for faith and fellowship.

Rosary

Please join us for prayer and fellowship on Friday mornings immediately following 9:00 am Mass. We will pray the Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet and a few additional prayers.

FAITH FORMATION – YOUTH MINISTRY

Annette Haas Office: 218-732-5142 Cell: 218-616-2404
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SOUPER BOWL collection is on the weekend of the Super Bowl (Feb 7 – 8). The Souper Bowl of Caring challenge began in a church in 1990 with a simple prayer: "**Lord, even as we enjoy this Super Bowl football game, help us to be mindful of those without a bowl of soup to eat.**" St. Peter's and St. Mary's has been taking part of collecting money for the local food shelves for many years. Every year it seems that there is more need in our communities. Please pray for those in need and contribute however you can, now and throughout the year. God bless you.

NET Ministries is coming to St. Peter's for students grades 7-12 on Sunday, February 22! We are in need of host homes willing to house 2 or more members of the NET team for the nights of Feb 21 & 22. Contact me if you are interested.

Upcoming dates:

Tuesday, January 27, First Reconciliation Class 6-7 PM
Wed., January 28, Release Time & Evening Faith Formation
Wed., February 4, Release Time and Evening Faith Formation
Tuesday, February 10, First Reconciliation Class 6-7PM
Wed., February 11, Release Time and Evening Faith Formation
Sunday, February 15, Valentines Waffle Breakfast
Tuesday, February 17, First Reconciliation Class 6-7PM
Wednesday, February 18, Release Time & evening Faith Formation
Sunday, February 22, NET Retreat

Oil for your Lamp

In the Gospel this week we heard of the invitation offered to the first disciples, Peter, Andrew, James and John, all of them were fishermen. Did you notice that two were actively fishing "casting a net into the sea", while the other two were doing maintenance work "mending their nets". The Church needs both types of people in the pews today, people who are actively seeking to evangelize others (casting nets), and those who provide programs to help educate those who are seeking (mending nets). Which camp do you see yourself in? With this space, I am currently casting a net, to find more people willing to commit to a time slot for Adoration. By stepping up to this invitation you will have the opportunity to "mend your net" in front of the Blessed Sacrament. Why not try spending some time in front of the Lord, before you commit to a time slot. Lent is coming, why not make this your Lenten devotion this year?

"To keep a lamp burning, we have to keep putting oil in it."

(Saint Teresa of Kolkata)

In the peace of Christ . . . *Deacon John Zinniel*

Faith, Wellness, and You

Mental & Spiritual Health

If winter brings heaviness or sadness, lean into prayer and community. God walks with us in every season.

Scripture: Psalm 34:19

Please let the parish office know if there is anything we can do to help you. Contact our parish nurse: Tiffany at 218-252-8227.

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