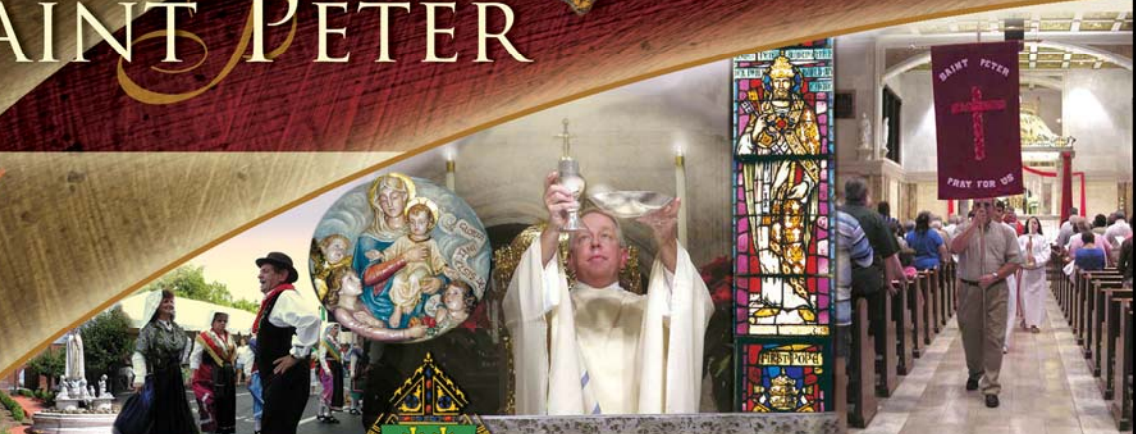
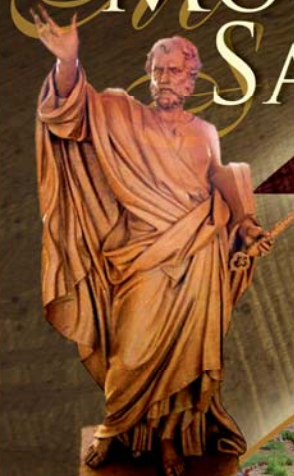


I will give you the keys to the Kingdom of Heaven

MOUNT SAINT PETER



A PARISH OF THE DIOCESE OF GREENSBURG



A PENNSYLVANIA CHARITABLE TRUST

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY

4:00 PM

SUNDAY

8:30 AM

10:30 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SATURDAY

AT NOON

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

9:00 AM - NOON

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

February 14, 2010

Regional Schedule

ASH WEDNESDAY

8:00 AM Mass	St Margaret Mary
8:30 AM Mass	Mt. St. Peter
9:00 AM Mass	St. Joseph
12:00 Noon Mass	St. Mary
4:00 PM Liturgy of the Word	MSP
5:00 PM Liturgy of the Word	SMM
5:30 PM Liturgy of the Word	St. Mary
6:15 PM Mass	St. Joseph
7:00 PM Mass	Mt. St. Peter
7:00 PM Mass	St. Margaret Mary

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Wednesdays

6:45 PM St. Joseph
(following 6:15 PM Mass)

Fridays

12:30 PM St. Mary
(following Noon Mass)

7:00 PM Mt. St. Peter
7:00 PM St. Margaret Mary

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Jim Matta	Suzette Venturini

Finance Council

Mary Calvanese	Gregory Farrell
Daniel Casper	Thomas Roberts
Ronald Valasek	



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 Catherine M. Collett, Principal
 Pre-K - 8th Grade
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Sacramental and Pastoral Life

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)
 Contact Sister Valerie for more information
 about becoming a member of the Catholic Church.

Sacrament of Infant Baptism
 Contact Sister Valerie 4 months before the
 child's birth to begin the baptismal preparation process.

Sacrament of Marriage
 Contact Monsignor Begolly at least one year in
 advance of the anticipated date to begin the
 marriage preparation process.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
 Saturday at Noon.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick
 Contact Monsignor Begolly to request the sacrament.

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Disciples of Vincent DePaul	Karl Strittmatter CALL PARISH OFFICE
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Food Bank	Rena Beroni 724-335-9877
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Lenten Fish Fry	Sandy Laney 724-339-0710
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SIXTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME + FEBRUARY 14 - 20, 2010
LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday, February 13

4:00 PM Peter & Carmelina Less (Family)

Sunday, February 14 - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:45 AM *Rosary*

8:30 AM Gasprina Enciso
(Kim & Tim Oddis & Girls)
Sacrament of Baptism

10:30 AM All Living & Deceased Parishioners
Sacrament of Baptism

Monday, February 15

8:30 AM Jean Nicastro (Bill & Dorothy Kuhn,
Ted & Suzy Teele, Mike & Debbie Malley,
Joe & Cindy Sharrow)

9:05 AM *Rosary*

Tuesday, February 16

8:30 AM Carl Martin (Joyce Sennett)

9:05 AM *Rosary*

Wednesday, February 17 - Ash Wednesday

8:30 AM Warren Farinelli (Eleanor Caputo)

9:05 AM *Rosary*

4:00 PM *Liturgy of the Word*

7:00 PM Mary Abati (Herman & Rosemary Aloï)

Thursday, February 18

8:30 AM Thomas S., Pauline L. &
Thomas W. Kus Jr. (Son, Thomas)

9:05 AM *Rosary*

Friday, February 19

8:30 AM Ray Predebon (Family)

9:05 AM *Rosary*

Saturday, February 20

12:00 NN *Sacrament of Reconciliation*

4:00 PM Harry Caputo (MSP Foodbank)

Sunday, February 21 - First Sunday of Lent

7:45 AM *Rosary*

8:30 AM Antoinette Mele (Daughters)

10:30 AM All Living & Deceased Parishioners

Regional Confession Schedule

Wednesday	5:30 PM	St. Joseph
Saturday	9:00 AM	St. Mary
	12:00 NN	Mt. St. Peter
	1:00 PM	St. Margaret Mary

Regional Schedule of Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday	5:00 - 6:15 PM	St. Mary
Wednesday	5:00 - 6:15 PM	St. Joseph
Friday	11:00 - 12:00 NN	St. Mary

FASTING AND FEASTING IN LENT

- *Fast* from judging others; *feast* on the Christ dwelling in them.
- *Fast* from emphasis on differences; *feast* on the unity of all in Christ.
- *Fast* from apparent darkness; *feast* on the reality of light.
- *Fast* from thoughts of illness; *feast* on the healing power of God.
- *Fast* from words that wound; *feast* on phrases that heal.
- *Fast* from discontent; *feast* on gratitude.
- *Fast* from anger; *feast* on patience.
- *Fast* from pessimism; *feast* on optimism.
- *Fast* from worry; *feast* on God's providence.
- *Fast* from complaining; *feast* on appreciation.
- *Fast* from negatives; *feast* on affirmatives.
- *Fast* from discouragement; *feast* on hope.
- *Fast* from facts that depress; *feast* on truths which uplift.
- *Fast* from lethargy; *feast* on enthusiasm.
- *Fast* from suspicion; *feast* on openness.
- *Fast* from thoughts that weaken; *feast* on promises that inspire.
- *Fast* from shadows of sorrow; *feast* on the sunlight of serenity.
- *Fast* from idle gossip; *feast* on meaningful silence.
- *Fast* from problems that overwhelm; *feast* on prayer that strengthens.
- *Fast* from bitterness; *feast* on forgiveness.
- *Fast* from self-concern; *feast* on compassion for others.
- *Fast* from personal anxiety; *feast* on trust in God.



PARISH NOTES

Sacramental Preparation Meeting Rescheduled

Last Tuesday's parent meeting on the Eucharist has been rescheduled for **Monday, February 15**, from 7:00 - 9:00 PM in the Upper Room. All parents who did not attend the meeting on January 30 are asked to attend this important meeting.

Parish Mission

Our parish mission - an opportunity for renewal and growth as we reflect upon God's Word and take some time to allow that Word to shape our lives - is titled **Amazing Grace**. Fr. Scott Seethaler will preach at all masses the weekend of **March 20/21** and will be our mission presenter for morning and evening sessions on March 21, 22, 23 and 24. Plan to attend!

Memorial Project

The final pieces for the wall memorial/tribute and statue project in the lot behind the Church have finally arrived! We are waiting for the weather to break to install them. We are planning a dedication of the wall and statues this spring. We have wall and statue memorial/tribute opportunities still available. If you would like to have a memorial or tribute added to the wall, please call for the request form.

- Memorial/Tributes are \$500 for 1 foot, \$1,000 for 2 feet and \$1,500 for 3 feet.
- The remaining angel statues that will kneel beside Mary are \$15,000.

The statues/wall are a wonderful way to provide a lasting tribute for future generations to see.

Adult Choir looking for new members!

Do you like to sing? Are you looking for a way to get involved in the parish? Join the Adult Choir! Supporting the families of our parish in their time of loss is a very important ministry. If you are free during the daytime hours and love to sing, please consider becoming part of the Funeral Choir.

MSP Concert Series

The Mount Saint Peter Concert Series continues on **Sunday, March 7** at 7:00 PM. The New Pittsburgh Baroque Ensemble will offer a special Lenten program. For more information about either the choirs or the concert, please contact Tom Octave at toctave@dioceseofgreensburg.org.

Second Collection Next Weekend

Next **Sunday, February 21**, the collection for the Home Missions of the Americas will be taken up at all Masses.

This collection assists the apostolate among the Blacks, Native Americans and the Hispanics of our country and Latin America. Your donation can be an expression of your faith as we continue the holy season of Lent.

LENT + A SENSE OF THE SEASON

The word *Lent* means springtime. This word comes from the same root as *lengthen*. Daytime lengthens during Lent. The northern hemisphere turns toward the sun, the source of life, and winter turns into spring.

In Hebrew, the word for *repentance* is the same as the word that means to turn, like the turning of the earth to the sun, like the turning of the soil before planting. The word *sin* means separation. We are called to turn from our separate selves, from our sin, to come together in community. Self-denial is the way we express our repentance. In the lengthening brightness from Ash Wednesday until Holy Thursday afternoon, our holy Lent, we turn to God as our source of life.

Why are there forty days in Lent? It took forty days for sinfulness to drown in the flood before a new creation could inherit the earth. It took forty years for the generation of slaves to die before the freeborn could enter the promised land. For forty days Moses and Elijah and Jesus fasted and prayed to prepare themselves for a life's work.

At the beginning of Lent the bishop calls out the names of the catechumens who seek to be baptized at Easter. God has chosen them, and they have chosen to turn to God. Lent is the forty days before the baptism of the catechumens.

The already baptized can share the excitement and the struggles of the elect and rediscover the meaning of baptism in their own lives. During the forty days, both catechumens and the faithful journey together to the holy font.

We keep Lent together. We put aside our business-as-usual to support each other in prayer, fasting and almsgiving. We turn to God to enlighten us and purify us throughout the lengthening brightness of our holy season of Lent.

For now is the acceptable time! Now is the day of salvation!



Mount Saint Peter Parish



2010 Fish Fry

Ash Wednesday and the Fridays of Lent

11:00 AM to 7:00PM

Eat-in until 6:00 PM

FISH DINNER

(Includes baked or fried fish, steak fries and cole slaw) **\$8.50**

Fish Sandwich (baked or fried) **\$7.00**

Fried Shrimp, steak fries, cole slaw & roll in basket **\$7.00**

Linguini & Clam Sauce (white or red), salad & bun **\$8.00**

Pasta Aglio e Oglio (garlic & oil), Salad & Bun **\$7.00**

Side Linguini & Clam Sauce (white or red) **\$4.00**

Side Aglio e Oglio **\$4.00**

Baked Macaroni & Cheese **\$3.00**

Pasta Fagirole **\$3.00**

New England Clam Chowder **\$4.00**

Manhattan Clam Chowder **\$4.00**

Garden Salad **\$1.50**

Steak Fries **\$2.50**

Cole Slaw **\$1.00**

Pop – Coffee **\$1.00**

Take Out Orders: Call 724-335-1458

Call-in's for lunch/dinner pickup welcome - allow 30 - 45 minutes for order prep before pickup

*Will deliver to local high - rises with a minimum order of 5
Delivery Hours: 12:00 Noon - 1:00 PM and 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM*

Coffee House Faith

There still is time for you to join our Lenten Book Club. The dates and times of the 2 different groups were listed in the 2010 Lenten Brochure. You may choose either one. We will be reading and discussing Father Ed Hays' book, *The Gospel of Gabriel: A Life of Jesus Christ*, over our favorite specialty coffee or tea, in the Upper Room (of Convent Building). Father Hays is known for his work in prayer and contemporary spirituality.



Peacemaking Series Rescheduled

The presentation by our second speaker, Dr. James Paharik, has been rescheduled for **Sunday, February 21**, following the 10:30 AM Mass in Marble Hall. Refreshments will be served after Mass before the presentation.



Junior Youth Group:



Youth in Grades 6-12 are welcome to our gathering today in the Upper Room following the 10:30 AM Mass. We will continue our focus on: ***Have You Met Jesus of Nazareth?***

Girl Scouts Spirit Day

The Catholic Committee on Girl Scouting would like to invite you to their Spirit Day. On **Saturday, February 27**, at the Bishop Connare Center, Indiana Room in Greensburg, PA. Sister of Charity Mary Clark will perform her dramatic monologue titled, "Elizabeth Seton: Prayer of the Heart." There will also be other activities. All girls in Grades 2 – 12 may participate. Registration begins at 9:00 AM and concludes with Mass at 4:00 PM. The fee is \$13 which covers the cost of lunch, crafts, program and patch. Please contact Sister Valerie for more information and registration forms. Registration deadline is Friday, February 19.

OUT & ABOUT

Lenten Series

Join Monsignor Gaston at St. Margaret Mary Church as he follows up from last year's theme of the "The Seven Deadly Sins Today" with the antidote to the sins: **"The Beatitudes: Jesus Turns Life Upside Down."** The series will begin on **Thursday, February 18** and continue on Thursday evenings through March 25 from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM in the Sullivan Room.

A Peek at the Week . . .

Sunday	Take-Out Soup Sale Knights of Columbus Roast Beef Dinner	After All Masses 12 Noon - 5 PM	Marble Hall MQA Cafeteria Leishman Ave.
Monday	Parish Office Closed Fish Fry Prep No Faith First Ezekiel 37 Prayer Meeting Parent Meeting on Eucharist	9:00 AM 7:00 PM 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM	Marble Hall Marble Hall Upper Room
Tuesday	Fish Fry Prep Faith Sharing Program	9:00 AM 6:30 PM	Marble Hall Upper Room
Wednesday	Ash Wednesday Mass & Ashes Liturgy of the Word & Ashes Evening Mass & Ashes Fish Fry	8:30 AM 4:00 PM 7:00 PM 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM Eat-In until 6:00 PM	Church Church Church Marble Hall
Thursday	Fish Fry Prep Choir Rehearsal	9:00 AM 7:00 PM	Marble Hall Church
Friday	Fish Fry	11:00 AM - 7:00 PM Eat-In until 6:00 PM	Marble Hall
Saturday	Pastoral Council Retreat		

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February 20/21

Altar ServersReadersEucharistic Ministers4:00 PM
SaturdayM & J Farrell
C PujolN Brock
N FarrellN & M Brock, K Waltonbaugh,
M Farrell8:30 AM
SundayC & P Petit
S CropchoV Bruni
A Zito

P Smith, L & J Matta, M Watson

10:30 AM
SundayI & G Schroeder
M SimmonsA Schroeder
R FrederickM Christopher, J Kleckner, L Fiorina,
J Simmons, M Schroeder

COLLECTION REPORT

Mass Attendance	251
Sunday Envelopes Used	104
Sunday Collection	\$ 4365.50
EFT (20)	\$ 412.00

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jas 1:1-11; Mk 8:11-13
 Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18; Mk 8:14-21
 Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20 - 6:2;
 Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
 Thursday: Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25
 Friday: Is 58:1-9a; Mt 9:14-15
 Saturday: Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32
 Sunday: Dt 26:4-10; Rom 10:8-13;
 Lk 4:1-13