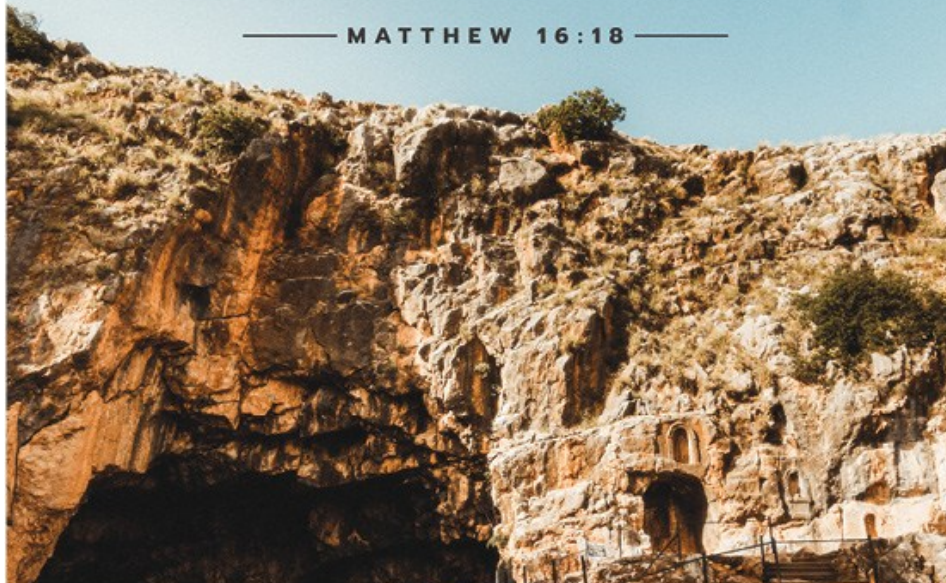


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AND UPON THIS ROCK I WILL BUILD MY CHURCH.

— MATTHEW 16:18 —



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Parish Office Hours:
Monday-Friday 8:30am-4pm

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:30pm
Sunday: 8:30am, 11:00am
Daily Mass: Tuesday-Friday 7am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday-Friday at 6:30am
(Before 7am daily Mass)
Saturday: 4:00-5:00pm or
by appointment

-Preparation for Sacrament of Baptism
Please call the office to schedule.

-Sacrament of Matrimony Please call the
Priest directly, at least 6 months in
advance

-Sacrament of the Sick: Call 532-0942

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June 29, 2025 Weekly Schedule

Mon., June 30th: 6:00pm - Catholic Daughters
Tues., July 1st: 1:00pm - Prayer Blanket Ministry
5:30pm - Council of Catholic Women
Thurs., July 3rd: 8:30am - Health Checks
1:00pm - Adoration
3:00pm - Chaplet of Divine Mercy
Fri. July 4th: Fourth of July - Officed Closed
Sun., July 6th: 3:00pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet & Rosary



Martha Ministry

July 1 - Sami Wright
July 3 - Sheila Newland
July 8 - Cristi Cumming
July 10 - Lynne Hills
July 15 - Janiece Smith
July 17 - Sheila Newland
July 22 - Judy O'Neill
July 24 - Dawn Erdman
July 29 - Mary Van Ert
July 31 - Ann Pieper



Ladies of the Parish- Please join us for the next Catholic Daughters Council #1549, meeting July 7, 6pm @ St Patrick Church Spiritual Life Center. Enjoy ice cream & card bingo. PLEASE bring a white elephant gift to exchange and a FRIEND to share in the fellowship! For more information contact Regent Vicki Anderson.

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FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

My sisters and brothers, for a change from the Sundays of the Ordinary Time of the liturgical year, this weekend we celebrate the solemnity of the apostles Peter and Paul.

Consider this match-up. The one side, the Roman army of occupation, assigns four squads of soldiers to take charge of guarding the prisoner. The centurion in charge assigns two of these soldiers to chain themselves to the prisoner with double chains every night. A set of guards is stationed at the door of the prisoner's cell; another set of guards is stationed down the hall. The whole operation is staged inside a walled compound, sealed with a locked iron gate.

The other side, the prisoner's friends, pray. There's the match-up. Which side will win?

The above is the scenario presented to us in the first reading from the Acts of the Apostles, and it goes on to describe how the conflict is resolved. The Christian community's prayers are answered, the power of God intervenes, and Peter walks through the Roman military force as though he were pushing his thumb through papier-mâché.

It would be wrong for us to put a fundamentalist interpretation to this incident, that God will always release faithful people directly from their oppressors; nor is it correct to suggest that God always intervenes concretely to give us exactly what we want when we pray with sincerity. Rather, the above incident evidences in a concrete and dramatic fashion the basic Christian scriptural teaching about prayer. There is no force on earth available to us that is more powerful than prayer. Prayer works in mysterious ways that are beyond human manipulation.

Human forces are predictable. We can measure them with various instruments and be fairly accurate in our predictions about their outcomes. But, when prayer is involved, "what 'appears to be' is not the sum total of what 'is'." There is always more beneath the surface. There is always a divine mystery to be unfolded.

By all human odds Peter should never have escaped. However, the Roman force didn't take one factor into account. Peter's friends were praying for him.

Can we factor in the power of prayer when confronted with apparently insurmountable obstacles in our journey of life?

Knight of the Month - Ron Guillaume **Family of the Month - David Folchert**

Whoever wishes to rank first must remain the last one and the servant of all. -Mk 9:35 REFLECTION-Haughtiness and ambition are deeply rooted in human nature. It is only through willing and loving humble service that these basic defects may be rooted out. Even Christ, in order "to reign," had to serve first.



PRAYER-My Lord and Master, open my heart to my brothers and sisters. Teach me the secret of serving them with humility, so that I may always become more like You.

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Schedule a Meeting with Me

The parish is in need of a large ipad or tablet to use for volunteer check-ins. If you have a new or used one to donate, please call the parish office. Thank you!



Habemus papam! The International Seven Sisters Apostolate is joining the Community of the Queen of Peace in praying Holy Hours for Pope Leo XIV. The goal is to pray ONE MILLION Holy Hours by the Feast of the Assumption, August 15th. You DO NOT need to be a

Seven Sister for your holy hours to count for Pope Leo. Visit <https://www.starsofpeace.org/pope-leo> to pledge your hours! May God's Will bring intercessors for him from all around the globe! We HAVE local openings in Fr Sorenson's, Fr Joe's & Bishop Hanefeldt's Apostolates. Our local commitment is Sunday June 29th.

Please contact the Parish office or Melissa Mohr if you are interested.

SEVEN WOMEN ~ ONE PRIEST ~ ONE HOUR, ONE DAY

Our parish is looking for compassionate volunteers to serve as Homebound Communion Ministers, bringing the Eucharist to those who are unable to attend Mass. This is a beautiful opportunity to share Christ's presence with fellow parishioners who need spiritual nourishment and connection. If you feel called to help, please sign up in the gathering area or contact Jeff Newland in the Stewardship Office. Training and guidance will be provided—your willingness to serve can make a profound difference! Thank you for considering this ministry. Your kindness and faith can bring great comfort to those in need.



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Lectors	B. McGrath	T. Pfeifer	A. Thomas
Gifts	Miller Family	Cole Family	Rood Family



Tuesday, July 1st - 7am - George + and Janice Campbell
Wednesday, July 2nd - 7am - Carter Newland
Thursday, July 3rd - 7am - † Francis Fleecs
Friday, July 4th - 7am - † Doyle McDougal
Saturday, July 5th 5:30pm - † Bernie & Mary Pieper & Family
Sunday, July 6th - 14th - 8:30am - The People of the Parish
11am - † Pete & Jennie Luna

Our Weekly Offering to God June 22, 2025

Adult	\$4,007.00
Plate	\$1,597.80
Total	\$5,604.80

as of 6/23/2025
Parish Goal: \$53,786
Donor Goal: 150
Total Received: \$45,023
of Donors: 118



The July Magnificats are here. Please
stop in during office hours to claim yours.



Parish Rosary Program
Weekly: 738
Year to date: 5,647
Grand total: 15,794

THIS WEEK'S READINGS JUNE 30TH-JULY 6TH

Monday: Gn 18:16-33; Mt 8:18-22
Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29; Mt 8:23-27
Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Mt 8:28-34
Thursday: Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29
Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19: 24:1-8, 62-67; Mt 9:9-13
Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Mt 9:14-17
Sunday: Is 66:10-14c; Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

Adoration of Our Lord in the exposed
Blessed Sacrament is offered weekly on
Thursdays from 1pm- 8pm in the church.
You are encouraged to dedicate yourself to
a habitual time each week for 30-60
minutes. Join us for the Divine Mercy
Chaplet and Rosary at 3pm or for Night Prayer & Benedic-
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