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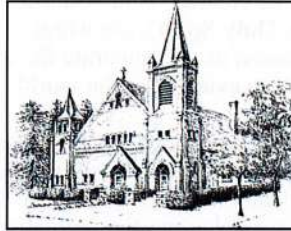
# St. Peter's Roman Catholic Parish

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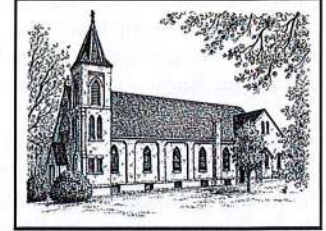
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## ST. FELIX



Located at: 12 Hibbard Avenue  
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Located at: 97 West Main Street  
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## PENTECOST SUNDAY

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*For our Live Stream Mass & Father's Homilies,  
click on the links on our Parish Website.*

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS WEEK OF 5/19

Open in person: Mon. - Wed. 9:30 AM—3:30 PM

*Closed Thursday & Friday*

### CONFESSION

*Week of 5/19*

Sunday, St. Felix: 7:15-7:45 AM

Wednesday, St. Felix: 5:00-6:00 PM

Thursday, St. Francis: 5:00-6:00 PM

Friday, St. Dominic: 11:00 AM-11:45 AM

Saturday, St. Dominic: 3:00-3:45 PM

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

*Following the Noon Mass*

*Week of 5/19*

Adoration will be held on:

*Wednesday, St. Felix and Thursday, St. Francis*

*with Benediction at 6:00 PM*

*Friday, St. Dominic with Benediction at 5:00 PM*

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## FROM OUR PASTOR, FATHER AMATO



Happy Pentecost! "Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And you shall renew the face of the earth!" These words, which come from the classic hymn/chant *Veni Sancte Spiritus* (Come, Holy Spirit), are wrapped around the image of the dove as given above here at the top of this article. On this day we conclude the Easter Season as we celebrate the Holy Spirit sent down upon the Apostles, and the Church – Christ's Mystical Body – is therefore sent on its mission to evangelize the world.

Prior to the current form of the Roman Rite that we celebrate, Pentecost was celebrated as an Octave, just as Easter is celebrated. Each day was celebrated as if it were the feast day itself, so there was a whole week of celebrating Pentecost as a conclusion to the Easter Season. With seven weeks of Easter, and an additional week of Pentecost, that made eight weeks of Easter: an octave of octaves. Keep in mind that the "eighth day" is the day of the Resurrection, the day we celebrate the recreation of humanity by Christ's victory over death, as well as the gift of the Holy Spirit given at Pentecost.

We traditionally define seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit: wisdom, knowledge, counsel, understanding, piety, fortitude, and fear of the Lord. These gifts are given to those in a state of grace as a heightening of our life of virtue in order to make us more docile and cooperative with the life of God in our souls.

Interesting enough, while we always associate the image of the dove with the Holy Spirit, there is no mention of a dove at the account of Pentecost given in today's Scripture (Acts 2:1-11). The image of the dove comes from the account of Christ's baptism in the Jordan. At Pentecost, we see the "tongues as of fire" coming down upon the Apostles. Nevertheless, there is an important relationship between the Dove and the Gifts of the Holy Spirit.

One of the greatest theologians and saints in the history of the Church, St. Thomas Aquinas (13<sup>th</sup> century), shows us why the Dove is related to these Gifts:

The dove appeared at Christ's baptism, "In order to designate the seven gifts of the Holy Ghost, which are signified by the properties of the dove.

For the dove dwells beside the running stream, in order that, on perceiving the hawk, it may plunge in and escape. This refers to the gift of **WISDOM**, whereby the saints dwell beside the running waters of Holy Scripture, in order to escape the assaults of the devil.

Again, the dove prefers the more choice seeds. This refers to the gift of **KNOWLEDGE**, whereby the saints make choice of sound doctrines, with which they nourish themselves.

Further, the dove feeds the brood of other birds. This refers to the gift of **COUNSEL**, with which the saints, by teaching and example, feed men who have been the brood, i.e. imitators, of the devil.

Again, the dove tears not with its beak. This refers to the gift of **UNDERSTANDING**, wherewith the saints do not rend sound doctrines, as heretics do.

Again, the dove has no gall. This refers to the gift of **PIETY**, by reason of which the saints are free from unreasonable anger.

Again, the dove builds its nest in the cleft of a rock. This refers to the gift of **FORTITUDE**, wherewith the saints build their nest, i.e. take refuge and hope, in the death wounds of Christ, who is the Rock of strength.

Lastly, the dove has a plaintive song. This refers to the gift of **FEAR**, wherewith the saints delight in bewailing sins." (*Summa Theologiae* III, q. 39, a. 6, ad 4)

May the Holy Spirit fill our hearts with the fire of His love, and purify our souls and the whole Church!

In Christ,

*Father Amato*



# Mass Intentions

<b>Saturday, May 18</b>	<b>Vigil of Pentecost Sunday</b> (Gn 11:1-9/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39)
4:00 PM	St. Dominic <b>Robert Jansen</b> by Shirley Jansen & Family
<b>Sunday, May 19</b>	<b>Pentecost Sunday</b> (Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7,12-13/Jn 20:19-23)
*8:00 AM	St. Felix <b>Joseph Crowley</b> by the Riley Family
10:00 AM	St. Francis <b>David C. Maslyn</b> by his Family <b>Mildred Hubbard</b> by Steve Lead
Noon	St. Dominic <b>Our Parishioners, Living &amp; Deceased</b>
<b>Monday, May 20</b>	<b>The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church</b> (Gn 3:9-15, 20/Jn 19:25-34)
Noon	St. Dominic <b>Caroline Angeline</b> by the family
<b>Tuesday, May 21</b>	<b>Weekday</b> (Jas 4:1-10/Mk 9:30-37) No Mass Today
<b>Wed., May 22</b>	<b>Weekday</b> (Jas 4:13-17/Mk 9:38-40)
Noon	St. Felix <b>Rita VanDevelde</b> by Jean & Dave Smith
<b>Thurs., May 23</b>	<b>Weekday</b> (Jas 5:1-6/Mk 9:41-50)
Noon	St. Francis <b>Forgotten Souls in Purgatory</b> by Ed & Lisa Blackman
<b>Friday, May 24</b>	<b>Weekday</b> (Jas 5:9-12/Mk 10:1-12)
Noon	St. Dominic <b>A Special Intention</b>
<b>Saturday, May 25</b>	<b>Vigil of The Most Holy Trinity Sunday</b> (Dt4:32-34, 39-40/Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-20)
4:00 PM	St. Dominic <b>A Special Intention</b>
<b>Sunday, May 26</b>	<b>The Most Holy Trinity Sunday</b> (Dt4:32-34, 39-40/Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-20)
*8:00 AM	St. Felix <b>Nancy Reals &amp; Annie VanEenaeme</b> by the Irwin Family
10:00 AM	St. Francis <b>Our Parishioners, Living &amp; Deceased</b>
Noon	St. Dominic <b>Thomas J. Henry &amp; Michael N. Henry</b> by Betty & Tom Henry & Mary Ellen Harrison

\* Streamed. See parish website for link.



**Lectors for Weekend Masses — May 25<sup>th</sup>—May 26<sup>th</sup>**

SAT. 4 PM	SUN. 8 AM	SUN. 10 AM	SUN. Noon
Mark Cazer	Ed Kieda	Laurie Caves	Soberon Family



**PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN PRAYER this week as our Sanctuary Lamps burn**

- St. Dominic—for **Robert Jansen** at the request of **Shirley Jansen & Family**
- St. Felix—for **Charles Schwalenstocker** at the request of **Mary Ann Gilman**
- St. Francis—for **Michael Schwartz (brother)** at the request of **Ginny & Bob Phenes**

**CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY**



**Mass Schedule**

*Vigil Mass June 1<sup>st</sup>*  
St. Dominic at 4:00 PM

*Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>*  
St. Felix at 8:00 AM  
**St. Dominic at 10:00 AM**  
*Followed by Eucharistic procession & Parish Picnic*



**ST. PETER'S PARISH SUPPORT**

*A sincere thanks for your ongoing support of our parish and its ministries!*

Feast of the Ascension.....	\$1,111.00
On-line Sunday Offering (5/6 - 5/12).....	\$830.00
Mailed-in & Sunday (5/6 - 5/12).....	\$4,383.00
Total Collected (Year-to-Date).....	\$304,553.44
Total Budgeted (Year-to-Date).....	\$299,500.00
Difference (Year-to-Date).....	\$5,053.44

**THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!**

*Last Week's Mass Attendance*

St. Dominic	4:00 PM	132
St. Felix	8:00 AM	80
St. Francis	10:00 AM	104
St. Dominic	Noon	<u>51</u>

**TOTAL ATTENDANCE: 367**

**WE ARE SO VERY BLESSED TO HAVE YOU HERE ATTENDING MASS WITH US!**

## FAITH FORMATION

*Classes have ended for the school year. Thank you to everyone for your continued prayers for our young people, their families & for all of your support throughout the school year.*

### VBS this Summer!

*August 5-9 from 5:30-8:30 PM*

**Cathletics! Training to Be Champions for Christ!**  
More details coming next week!

### *Pictures from our May Crowning*



### St. Peter's Parish SUMMER PICNIC & SCOOPS ICE CREAM TRUCK!

Join us for food & fellowship  
Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>,  
following the 10 AM Mass  
& Eucharistic Procession on  
St. Dominic's Church grounds

Please call or text Maggie at 585-200-4544 to let us know what side dish you'd like to bring!  
*We will need—macaroni salad, potato salad, tossed salad, fruit salad or your own specialty!*



*Are your baby bottles for our  
Respect Life Fundraiser for  
CARE NET Pregnancy Center  
filling up?*

### JOIN US FOR THESE UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS!

*We will be selling popcorn & water at the  
Shortsville Fireman's Parade on Fri., June 14<sup>th</sup>. We plan  
to be there from 5-9pm, in front of St. Dominic Church.*

The following day, Sat. June 15<sup>th</sup>, we will have a spot at the  
Block Party on Main St. in Clifton Springs from 9 AM to  
3 PM. We plan to sell popcorn, tacos in a bag & water.

**We need your help! Please call the office to sign up to help or donate toward these events! Thank you!**

# FORMED

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### PICK OF THE WEEK:

*Episode 6—Pentecost: Go Ye Forth*

Fire from heaven falls again. A people are gathered & a temple built.



### HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES!

Our parish's best wishes go out to  
**OUR NONAGENARIANS**  
celebrating their birthdays this week!

**Joan Bryan, 92 on 5/22**  
**Jean Kettell, 92 on 5/22**

*Please remember—Deadline for Ladies Auxiliary & Knights of Columbus scholarship applications is June 1st!*

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SPRING FOOD DRIVE

The Bishop Joseph L. Hogan Knights of Columbus are holding a food drive to supplement the local food cupboards during the month of May.

Bags are located in entrance of each church—please take one home to fill & return!



Items needed for Week 4—May 25-26

**Paper Products:** Paper towels, Toilet paper, Kleenex, Laundry Detergent, Soap  
**Hygiene products:** Toothpaste, Tooth brushes, Deodorant, Shampoo  
*Thank you for your generosity!*

### ST. PETER'S PARISH CENSUS

St. Peter's Parish is beginning a parish-wide census. The goal is to ensure all parishioners have updated contact information, specifically email addresses, and phone numbers to strengthen pastoral care, stewardship, and enhance communication.

#### Ways to participate in the Parish Census:

- Submit your details digitally through the **Parish Email**
- Use the **QR code** provided below or on our website
- Join the **In-Pew session** in June for step-by-step instructions to fill out the census form (June 8-9)
- Click the census link on our website [www.StPeterParish.us](http://www.StPeterParish.us)

**Questions:** Email: [stpeters@dor.org](mailto:stpeters@dor.org) or call: 315-462-2961

#### COMPLETE THE CENSUS

1. Open the camera function on your phone
2. Point & focus the yellow box so that it frames the QR code
3. Tap the website displayed at the bottom of your screen "Qualtrics.com"



**PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

*If you would like to have your loved one remembered on our prayer list (or have a name removed), please call the parish office. Please be sure to have personal permission to add a name to our list.*

**FOR HEALING**

<b>A-D</b>	<b>D-H</b>	<b>H-M</b>	<b>N-Z</b>
Cillian Ahern	Fr. Deasio	Hilde Houck	Gordie Nicholson
Donna Allen	Jill DeBrock	Erin Hurley	Dawn Nieskes
Donnie Allen	Paul DeMay	Eileen Hyland	Bev O'Brien
Amanda	Marge DeWind	Daniel Incarnato	Sean Olin
Spencer Annabel	Diane Faherty	Markanthony Izzo	Piper Paddock
Lorenza Augustine	Bernadette Fetter-Miller	Angie Keating	Mary Ann Perry
Nancy Beers	Steve Finewood	David Keeler	Corrine Chianfoni Pollot
Linda Bigl	Susanne Finewood	Jim Klahn	Don Quigley
Anne Black	Margaret Fisher	Cindy Koch	Ray
Janice Blackman	Coral Fox	Nancy Kolb	Anne Riley
Troy Bolan	Rosemary Fry	LKR	Leo Schmitt
Carmela Bonneville	Jean Galutia	Steven Lind	Laura Carlson Silver
Sue Bowker	Allison Gersbach	Carol Little	Dylan Smith
Darrell Brown Jr	George Gloska	Maggie Mahoney	Jean Smith
Dave Bush	Betty Gordner	Neng Marquez	Roger Smith
Wandy Bush	Declan Guilliams	Stanley Masiak	Terri Stell
Judy Carkner	Richard Guilliams	Margaret Masiak	Pinky Tiebout
Carl A. Carlson	Abby Gwilt	Ginny Mattice	Parker V
Carl E. Carlson	Lucy Gwilt	Carter McConnon	Karis Vaillancourt
Laurie & Jack Caves	Melanie Haers	Cheryl McConnon	Marlene RaemenWade
Cheryl Cecere	Diane Harris	Elizabeth Meath	Donny Waddell
Christopher	Bruce Haug	Midge & Steve	Denise Warren
Mary Ann Clark	Liz Hezel	Cathy Moore	Jerry Wiepert
Bruce & Sharon Croucher	Conner Hicks	Stevie Morganti	Dawn Zeitler
Tricia Cszasz	Jack Hicks	Ginny Morse	...and those we hold dear to our hearts
Mary D'Arduini	Jennie Hilderman	Fr. Thomas Mull	
Tracy D'Arduini	Mary Hollis	Margaret Murphy	

**Our Community Food Cupboards**

**Caring Hearts Community Food Cupboard**

12 Hibbard Ave. Clifton Springs, NY 14432

Location: Basement of St. Felix Church

12 Hibbard Ave. Clifton Springs

Open: Every Thursday 11 AM—1 PM

Contact: **Laura Janas—315-462-3883**

**Phelps Community Food Cupboard**

96 Ontario St. Phelps, NY 14532

Location: Phelps Community Center

Phelps, (around left corner from PCC office)

Open: 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday 10:30-11:30 AM & 3:30-4:30 PM

Contact: **Tom Cheney—cheneytom48@gmail.com**

**Twin Cities Community Food Cupboard**

P.O. Box 183, Manchester, NY 14504

Location: Bennett Building

4 Center St., across from Manchester Fire Hall

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**Fr. Amato will be answering questions live tomorrow, May 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM.**

**Call 1-877-511-5483 or email your questions to priests@thestationofthecross.com.**

**PRO LIFE ROSARY**

**NEXT SUNDAY IS THE 4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF THE MONTH. COME TOGETHER TO PRAY THE PRO-LIFE ROSARY, AFTER MASS, FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE UNBORN & THE VULNERABLE WITH RESPECT LIFE!**



**IN ASSISTED CARE**

Barb Barton	Joan Bugliosi	Eileen Clements
Lisa Correira	Lynn Elliott	Joan Freeman
Martha Gersbach	Pat Jerzak	Geraldine Narendorf
Peggy Paytash	Rose Pettrone	

**FOR STRENGTH & WELL-BEING**

*All of our priests, all of our medical professionals & first responders, all of those struggling with depression, addiction & mental health issues.*

**PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED**

*In your charity, please pray for all of our deceased. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let your perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.*



**MARIAN DEVOTIONS**

*Perpetual Novena of the Miraculous Medal on Mondays, 10 minutes before noon Mass at St. Dominic Church.*

*Queen of Peace Rosary on Thursdays at 11:30 AM at St. Francis Church*

**Collection Counters (5/21)**

Terry Bennett, Laura Gleason, Dorothy Ann Liberati

St. Pauly Building at St. Francis (5/20—5/26)


Zeger Family

Altar Bands for May

Nita Allen/ Beth Webster (St. Francis)

Dianne Bray (St. Dominic)

Patty Howard (St. Felix)




**In Loving Memory of Bill D'Arduini**



**In Loving Memory of Walter & JoAnn VanCaesele**  
By The Family




**In Loving Memory of The Lannon & Haskell Families**




**In Loving Memory of Angela D'Arduini**  
From the apple of her eye



**IN LOVING Memory of Bob Goodell**  
By the **GOODELL FAMILY**



**In Loving Memory of The Bree and Raes Families**



**In Loving Memory of our Deceased Loved Ones**  
**The Cooke Family**



**Pope Francis, we pray for you!**

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Sharing Time, Talent, & Treasure for St. Peter's Parish  
Want to join us? Contact:  
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**May is the month of Mary, Mother of God**



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