

**Parish Events Calendar**

**Wednesday, May 22**

7:00 pm Youth Group (Church)  
7:15 pm Legion of Mary (O'Brien Hall)

**Friday, May 24**

8:30 am-6:00 pm Eucharistic Exposition (Church)  
7:00 pm Crecimiento (Gymnasium)  
7:00 pm Transitional Diaconate Ordination of Mr. Brian Hula at St. Cecilia Cathedral

**Saturday, May 25**

8:00 am Least of My Brethren Breakfast  
1:30 pm-2:30 pm Applications for assistance (Parish Hall)  
6:15 pm Vespers in Spanish with Exposition (Church)

**Sunday, May 26**

5:00 pm Solemn Vespers in English (Church)

**Sacrificial Offerings**

Weekly giving May 5 .....	\$8,462
YTD weekly giving .....	383,804
YTD budgeted giving .....	358,269
Difference.....	25,535
Building and Maintenance.....	400

**Electronic Giving**

Paypal or an automatic payment sent from your checking account are two options available to St. Peter parishioners to give electronically. To donate to St. Peter Church online through Paypal, please see [stpeterchurch.net/donate](http://stpeterchurch.net/donate) for the link.

**Sacred Liturgies**

**Monday, May 20**

7:30 am Confessions  
8:00 am Mass in English Special Intention (AJ)

**Tuesday, May 21**

7:30 am Confessions  
8:00 am Mass in English Philip Rayer+  
6:00 pm Confessions  
6:30 pm Mass in Spanish Sanctity of Priests

**Wednesday, May 22**

7:30 am Confessions  
8:00 am Mass in English Madisyn Block  
6:00 pm Confessions  
6:30 pm Mass in Spanish Lusiano Magallón+

**Thursday, May 23**

7:30 am Confessions  
8:00 am Mass in English Madeline Harris+

**Friday, May 24**

7:30 am Confessions  
8:00 am Mass in English Neely Martens  
8:30 am-6:00 pm Eucharistic Exposition

**Saturday, May 25**

7:30 am Confessions  
8:00 am Mass in English Jerome and Jeanne-Marie Hudson+

4:00 pm Confessions  
5:00 pm Mass in English Richard Roberta, Laurie Stevens, Jessica Buresh+

6:15 pm Vespers in Spanish with Exposition

**Sunday, May 26**

7:30 am Confessions  
8:00 am Mass in English Doug and Diane DeMers  
9:00 am Confessions  
9:30 am Mass in English Maly and Stamm Families+  
12:30 pm Confessions  
1:00 pm Mass in Spanish Pro Populo  
5:00 pm Solemn Vespers in English  
5:30 pm Confessions  
6:00 pm Mass in Spanish María Fátima Díaz Castelán

**May 19, 2024**

**Pentecost**

**Saint Peter Catholic Church**



**GENERAL SCHEDULE**

**HOLY MASS**

Saturday	5:00 pm English
Sunday	8:00 am, 9:30 am English 1:00 pm, 6:00 pm Spanish
Monday-Saturday	8:00 am English
Tuesday-Wednesday	6:30 pm Spanish

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE**

Every day of the week	7:30 am
Saturday	4:00 pm
Sunday	9:00 am
Sunday	12:30 pm
Sunday	5:30 pm
Tuesday and Wednesday	6:00 pm

**SOLEMN VESPERS**

Saturday in Spanish with Exposition	6:15 pm
Sunday in English	5:00 pm

**EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION**

First Saturdays	6:15 pm-12:00 am
Other Saturdays	6:15 pm-7:00 pm
First Mondays	7:00 pm-8:00 pm
Second Tuesdays	7:30 pm-8:30 pm
Third Wednesdays	7:00 pm-8:00 pm
First Fridays	8:30 am-7:30 pm
Other Fridays	8:30 am-6:00 pm

**CLERGY**

Rev. John P. Broheimer, Pastor  
Rev. Joseph Broudou, Parochial Vicar  
Deacon John J. Zak  
Deacon Gregorio Elizalde  
Deacon Daniel DeLuca

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**Facebook** Saint Peter Omaha

**YouTube** St. Peter of Omaha

**Parish Office Hours**

Tuesday through Friday  
9:00 am-12:00 pm; 1:00-5:30 pm  
Closed on Mondays and holy days

**Catechism Office**

Telephone 402-341-4560, ext. 113  
Email [catechism.sp@gmail.com](mailto:catechism.sp@gmail.com)  
Wednesday 5:30-7:00 pm  
Saturday 10:30 am-12:00 pm

**Director of Sacred Music**

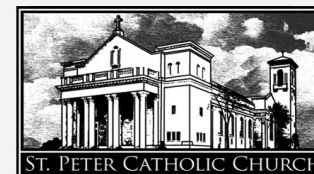
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**Sacramental Emergencies**

402-618-1663



This is an ongoing summary of *Veritatis splendor*, an encyclical by Pope St. John Paul II 30 years ago. This was the first magisterial encyclical devoted entirely to issues regarding a fundamental understanding of the Church's teaching on moral theology. It is a magisterial document of the highest importance and relevance then, today, and ages to come.

**Chapter Three – Moral good for the life of the Church and of the world** – The Service of Moral Theologians (paragraph 109)

The next several paragraphs of the Encyclical are about the important role of theologians and specifically moral theologians. In order for the Church to carry out her mission as prophet to the world, she must constantly reawaken her life of faith. This happens through reflection of the true Faith under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. Among vocations in the Church, the Holy Spirit awakens some to the role of theologian whose role is “to pursue in a particular way an ever deeper understanding of the word of God found in the inspired Scriptures and handed on by the living Tradition of the Church. He does

this in communion with the Magisterium, which has been charged with the responsibility of preserving the deposit of faith. By its nature, faith appeals to reason because it reveals to man the truth of his destiny and the way to attain it.”

The Holy Father goes on to say, “revealed truth beckons reason... to enter into its light.” For theology to carry out its mission, it must be done according to reason. Theology, including moral theology, has a “profound and vital connection with the Church, her mystery, her life, and her mission.” Theology can only grow from within the Church, as a service to the Church, while actively involved in the mission of the Church. For theology to be authentic, it can only flourish through the Church.

The point of this paragraph should not be missed. Anyone who attempts to create a new truth or to bend known truths of the Deposit of Faith, these are not authentic teachings nor is this to be considered theology at the service of the Church and her mission to evangelize. This inauthentic work outside the Church or contrary to her teachings will not bear good fruit for the Church.

If you are an adult not receiving Communion, please do not approach the Communion rail. Children who have not received their First Communion should not kneel or stand at the Communion rail. Children are always welcome at Sacred Liturgies, however, if children become noisy and need a break, there are speakers in O'Brien Hall and the church vestibule from which the Mass may be heard.

**The Ordination of Parishioner Brian Hula to the Transitional Diaconate** is Friday, May 24th at 7 pm at St. Cecilia Cathedral. The Cathedral will have plenty of room for many, many parishioner to attend this wonderful event in the life of the Church. On Sunday, May 26th after the 9:30 am Mass, we will have a reception in the Parish Hall.

**Vocation Crucifix** You are invited to host a traveling Vocations Crucifix for a week to pray for vocations in the Archdiocese of Omaha. There is a signup to reserve your week at SignupGenius.com. Search for the signup using the creator's email olsotszakpak@yahoo.com. Pass on the Crucifix kit to the next household before or after the 9:30 am Mass in O'Brien Hall

**St. Peter Corpus Christi Procession is on June 2.** It will begin in Our Lady of Lourdes at 2:30 pm and end at St. Peter with final Benediction before 5:00 pm. An ice cream reception will be held in the St. Peter Parish Hall. Those who received the Sacraments of First Communion or Confirmation this year are invited to wear their special attire. Many flower petals are needed if you can bring them from your garden or ask florists. Pray for good weather.

**Totus Tuus: June 9-14** for children and teens at St. Peter Church. Junior and senior high school program is Sunday-Thursday 7 pm to 9 pm. The program for grades 1-6 is Monday-Friday 9 am to 2:30 pm. To register, please contact Sara Jane Koch at sarajcc7@gmail.com. Adult chaperones with safe environment certification are needed to host the program. Please email Sara Jane Koch if you are able to volunteer for half or all of the day.

**Principles of Relational Prayer for Young Adults** Newly-ordained Deacon Brian Hula will leader this presentation on Tuesday, May 28 at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall. The evening will begin with the praying of Vespers. Children are welcome.

**St. Peter Trivia Night** will be on June 29th in the Parish Hall with doors opening at 6:00 pm. Dinner will be served at 6:30 pm with trivia to follow. Several elements of the evening will be different from how Trivia Night was in the past including how the trivia will topics ranging from Catholicism, art, literature, history, and more. Contact Diane Anderson with questions at joyfuldi@msn.com. Register individually, as a couple, or teams up to 8 members at <http://tinyurl.com/StPTriviaNight>. \$25 per person or \$200 per table of 8 persons.

**A petition** is circulating for an amendment to the Nebraska Constitution which will allow abortion on demand up to birth. If enough signatures are collected by July 13, it will be on the general election ballot in the fall. Please decline to sign this very misleading petition. More information can be obtained on the parish website.

**Pray for Parishioners Serving in the Military**

SSgt. Luke Anderson, Marine Corps  
Capt. Jacqueline Baude, Air Force  
Senior Airman James P. Carl, Air Force  
Senior Airman Reyna Carl, Air Force  
Lt. Col. John Casey, Air Force  
Capt. Tyler Clawson, Air Force  
Spc. Eric Diego Mateo, Army  
Lance Cpl. Estrella Flores, Marine Corps  
Pvt. J P Flores, Marine Corps  
Sgt. Xotchil Flores, Marine Corps  
Sgt. Joseph Methe, Army National Guard  
PFC Sebastian G. Palma, Army  
Capt. Nicholas F. Petro, Air Force  
Capt. Peter Roach, Air Force  
Lt. Mary Emma Schreffler, Air National Guard  
Lt. Andrew Steadman, Navy  
Ens. Kenneth Steadman, Navy  
Sgt. Gerard Zak, Army



**Special Opportunities for Eucharistic Adoration**

- **A Holy Hour for Ordinandi and Seminarians Monday, May 20**, 7 pm at St. Cecilia Cathedral. This Holy Hour is to pray for seminarians Mr. Logan Hepp, Mr. Brian Hula, and Mr. William Targy, who will be ordained to the transitional Diaconate on May 24th, and for Rev. Mr. Zachary Eischeid and Rev. Mr. Matthew Pohlman, who will be ordained to the Priesthood on June 1st.
- **Friday Eucharistic Exposition** is typically offered after the 8:00 am Mass until 6:00 pm. On the first Friday of the month, Exposition ends at 7:30 pm. More dedicated adorers are needed. Contact the parish office if you are interested.

**The St. Vincent de Paul Society Food Pantry** needs crackers, pasta sauce, soup, tuna, canned vegetables, cereal, oatmeal, dried or canned fruit, canned beans, boxed side dishes, mac & cheese, pasta, ramen, toothbrushes, tooth paste, travel size toiletries, toilet paper, small size dish and laundry soap, multi-purpose cleaners, shampoo, conditioner. Leave items in the brown bins at the church entrances. Thank you.

**Please Pray for the Sick** Juan Arce Peña, Juana Ochoa, María Isabel Arce Peña, Juliana Arciniega, Brigitta Aumen, Phil Bawden, Francis Bogdanyí, Judy Buhlke, Aniceta Carmona Pérez, Carlos Carrillo, Juan Manuel Chaidez, José Lucio Chávez, Maximina Cruz, Sidonia De la Rosa, Rick Duros, Kevin Engelkamp, Daniela Escalante, Lilia Gloria Espinosa, JoAnn Foglia, Rosanna Frangenberg, Justina Franquez, Juanita García, María García, Noe García, Dolores Hernández, Octavia Hurtado, Rosalba Kohout, Delores Kush, Jerry M., Francisca Magallón, María de Lourdes Maya, Michelle Methe, Juan Esteban Ocaña Balboa, Javier Oñate, Cindy Ortiz, Carol Ortlieb, Cindy Ortlieb, Nora Guadalupe Peralta, Michael Phillips, John Piper, Susan Polson, Mark Ptacek, Patrick Ptacek, Edith Rodríguez, Jessica Santiago Colón, Matt Shimerdla, Mary Kay Sullivan, María Jerónima Trejo Vizcaya.