



# Church of Our Lady of Pompei / St. Peter

## Weekly Mass Schedule

Daily Mass: Mon -Thurs 9:00 am in the Chapel  
Daily Vietnamese Mass: Mon-Fri 5:00 pm in the  
Chapel, Sat 8:00 am in the Chapel  
*Mass Schedule for Holy Days TBA*

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm Vigil  
Sunday Masses: 7:30 am - 11:30 am  
Sunday Vietnamese Mass: 9:00 am

## Parish Staff

Father Brendan Foley, Pastor  
Reverend John Nguyen Chaplain to the Vietnamese Community  
Lauri Gildemeyer, Office Manager  
Mary Beth Meade, Director of Religious Education  
James Stanley, Director of Music  
D.J. Scarfino, Facilities Manager

### Parish Office

920 North McBride Street, Syracuse, NY 13208  
Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30am - 3:00pm

### Contact Information

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### Joining the Parish

New parishioners always welcome.  
Please call the office to become a member.

### Sacrament of Penance

Wednesday: 4:00-5:00 at OLP/St. Peter  
Thursday: 4:00-5:00 at SJB/HT

### Sacrament of Baptism

Held Sunday's after the 11:30 am mass. Call  
the parish office to schedule.

### Sacrament of Marriage

Call the parish office for arrangements. By  
Diocesan Law, must be scheduled at least 6  
months before wedding.

# July 6, 2025

## A Message from the Pastor

Each year, July 4th is a day that is so near and dear to the hearts of us all, I know, and there's yet another reason why this date is special. It is the feast day of another young man, who Pope Leo will soon canonize a Saint later this year. You really should know the name Pier Giorgio Frassati. Pier Giorgio Frassati (1901–1925), an Italian Catholic, lived a vibrant life of faith, charity, and adventure. He was born into a wealthy family in Turin, yet he continually rejected luxury to serve the poor, joining the St. Vincent de Paul Society and aiding the most destitute of his local area. A Third Order Dominican, he combined deep spirituality with a love for mountaineering, skiing, and camaraderie. Known for his infectious joy and generosity, he inspired many through his devotion to the Eucharist and social justice. Stricken by polio at 24, he died after a brief illness, leaving a legacy as the "Man of the Beatitudes."

Jesus offers an invitation to adventure in our Gospel today. It may sound like a daunting task, or maybe something that could never apply to me, but his words are for all of us. When our lives are united to Him, our earthly journeys look different. They are characterized by a freedom, a joyful detachment, a character of hope—all of which, when encountered, strike us as captivating and enlivening. Pier Giorgio is an amazing example of this truth. He lived in the world and in the beauty of God's creation with his heart always drawn to or oriented toward the eternal and toward the goodness of God. He also allowed this interior disposition to animate his generosity toward others, especially the poor and forgotten. He did so, not just materially, but he also had a gift to enter into friendship in the process.

In the Gospel today when we hear Jesus say, "The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few..." (Lk 10:2) what he is saying is that the Gospel, when preached authentically, truly enriches all in the world, but the yearning of Jesus' heart is that there needs to be a greater response on behalf of all of us to be willing to boldly proclaim Jesus Christ and invite others to know him by the joy and transformation of our lives. It's a constant call to missionary discipleship—namely that our relationship with the Lord is not merely just an individual and private reality but it necessarily calls us into relationship with those around us, too. Consider some wisdom (below) from Pier Giorgio Frassati and ask his intercession that we might too respond to labor in the harvest on behalf of the Lord who calls us to friendship with Him.

*"In a world gone astray from God there is no peace, but it also lacks charity, which is true and perfect love."  
"Nothing is more beautiful than love. Indeed, faith and hope will end when we die, whereas love, that is, charity, will last for eternity; if anything, I think it will be even more alive in the next life!" "Jesus who, because of infinite love for humanity, wanted to be in the Sacrament of the Eucharist, as our Consoler and as Bread of the Soul."  
"When you are totally consumed by the Eucharistic fire, then you will be able more consciously to thank God, who has called you to become part of His family."  
"Jesus is with me. I have nothing to fear."  
"Every day that passes, I fall more desperately in love with the mountains... I am ever more determined to climb the mountains, to scale the mighty peaks, to feel that pure joy which can only be felt in the mountains. If my studies permitted, I'd spend whole days in the mountains contemplating the Creator's greatness in that pure air."  
"The faith given to me in baptism suggests to me surely: by yourself you will do nothing, but if you have God as the center of all your action, then you will reach the goal." —Bl. Pier Giorgio Frassati*

# Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## ***Msgr. William L. Walsh***

Our 27th Annual Msgr. William L. Walsh Memorial Golf Tournament is scheduled for July 21st at Tuscarora Golf Club. What a tremendous blessing it is to be able to enjoy the **incredible course and its hospitality**. Why not gather your friends and treat yourself for a good cause with some summer golf?! It's probably the best way to spend a Monday in July. **Don't Golf, why not join us for a delicious dinner, cost \$30.00.**

Lunch will be served at 11:30am followed by a Shotgun start at 12:30pm on Monday, July 21st. There will be the Captain & Crew Format, Steak Dinner & Awards and Prizes. Cost-Just \$150.00 per golfer! Gather your foursomes now! Registration Forms are on all of the Bulletin Boards in Church.

Thomas J. Pirro Jr. Funeral Home is our Presenting Sponsor again this year! Would you or your company like to become a hole sponsor for \$100.00 or would you like to donate something for a door prize?

Please call Lauri at the parish office for more information, 315-422-7163 or Joe Penizotto at 315-415-7468.

## ***"The Wild Goose Series"***

The series is intended to run each Tuesday. There will be Adoration of the Eucharist available at 5:30pm, with the video beginning at 6pm, episodes are roughly 25 minutes. Need not be present each week. There are six weeks to go! There is no cost to participate. All are welcome!

## ***Vocations***

"The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few." There are many souls ready to be brought to God, but there aren't many deacons, religious, or priests to bring them. Is God calling you to be a laborer in His vineyard? Reach out to the Vocation Office via email: [vocations@syrdio.org](mailto:vocations@syrdio.org) and follow us on Instagram @vocationssyracuse.

## ***Our Mission Statement***

We, the members of Our Lady of Pompei / St. Peter, are called to acknowledge the Lordship of Jesus. As our parish affirms its heritage, we continue to reach out to those in need, bring the gospel to all who will receive it, and be formed in the image of Christ through worship and prayer. We value the talents of each of our members and feel it is the responsibility of all to contribute time, talent and tithe to our faith community.

## ***Sacrificial Giving***

Please contact Fr. Foley if you have any questions about our parish finances.

June 22, 2025-\$4,590.00  
Peter Pence-\$583.00  
Blue-\$320.00

**Thank you to everyone for their generosity and to those who have increased their offering. Your generosity does not go unnoticed!**

## ***Peter Pence***

Thank you for your generous support in last weeks Peter's Pence Collection. Our contributions join those from our brothers and sisters worldwide to help Pope Leo in his ministry to the Universal Church, including relief to people in need and support for the Holy See.

## ***Word of Life***

"O God our Creator... through the power and working of your Holy Spirit, you call us to live out our faith in the midst of the world, bringing the light and the saving truth of the Gospel to every corner of society."

## ***Minister's Schedule***

The new Ministers Schedule is available for pick up this weekend in the Sacristy.

# July 6, 2025

## ***This Week We Remember***

### **Monday: July 7**

9:00 am Mass at Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter  
Benny Campolo / Joe & Gloria Falcone

### **Tuesday: July 8**

9:00 am Mass at Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter  
Mary Anne Pagano (B) / Henry & Veronica Pagano

### **Wednesday: July 9**

9:00 am Mass at Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter  
Andrea Bortoloni / Gilda

### **Thursday: July 10**

9:00 am Mass at Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter  
Thomas Conley / Jeanette Reale

### **Friday: July 11**

9:00 am No Daily Mass at Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter

### **Saturday: July 12**

4:00 pm Mass at Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter  
Esther Pagano 2yr. Ann. / Family  
Benny, Terry & Joseph Cimino/Family  
Sadie Fabrizi / Corrie Driscoll  
Sandra Colantone / Family  
Ruby Wade Lashway / Debra Wade

### **Sunday: July 13**

7:30 am Mass Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter  
Edda & Michael Iacampo / Daughter, Caterina  
Rosa Lisa / Bernadette Andoloro  
Anita DeSantis / Marie Wilkinson

11:30 am Mass at Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter  
Sister Elizabeth Lennon / Marianne & Richard  
Anita DeSantis / Nancy Serrao-Huffaker  
Pietro & Maria Sisera / Sister in law, Gilda  
Natalina Losurdo / John Piraino  
Anthony James Cannizzaro / John & Margherita  
Deceased Mule` & Cannizzaro Families /  
John & Margherita

## ***Month of July***

July is dedicated to the Most Precious Blood of Jesus!  
This month, let us reflect on Jesus' sacrifice on the  
Cross and the blood he shed for our salvation.



## ***Eucharistic Angels***

Burning In Loving Memory of  
***Theresa Adaino***

Requested by Ginnie Lostumbo



## ***Padre Pio Devotional***

Burning In Loving Memory of  
***Henry & Esther Pagano***

Requested by Liz & Anthony



## ***Bereavement***

Remember in your prayers, Nicholas Silvaggio  
and Joseph Castrilli, whose Funeral Mass we  
celebrated this week. Our deepest sympathy to  
their families.

***Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let  
perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest  
in peace.***

## ***Grimes Night at The Mets!!***

Join us at NBT Bank Stadium on Thursday, July  
24th at 6:35pm for Bishop Grimes Night with  
alumni and students to celebrate the Cobras.  
Fans can enjoy \$1 drinks, \$2 Hot Dogs and  
Cooney's, and \$3 16oz. select beers and cider.  
Stay for FIREWORKS after the game. \$5 of each  
ticket purchased will help current Bishop  
Grimes students buy uniforms and school  
supplies for their transition to Bishop  
Ludden-Grimes!

You must select your graduating class in the  
dropdown before checking out. If your class sells  
the most tickets by Noon on July 23rd your class  
will receive one first pitch for Thursday's game!  
See you at the ballpark! Go Cobras!

**<https://www.gofevo.com/event/Bishopgrimesnight>**

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## *A Family Perspective*

Just like the seventy two disciples sent out by Jesus in today's gospel, families are expected to be MISSIONARIES. By our lives, words and lifestyle we proclaim peace, commitment, fidelity and respect to a culture caught up with violence and gratification.

## *Let us pray as one family*

Please remember in your prayers the sick of our parishes and all those in hospitals, nursing homes and homebound.

Jim Albanese, Mike Affleck, Shawn Babcock, Nancy Bailey, Arlene Bukowski, Ashley Caiello, Robert Capria, John & Leona Ciferni, Vic Coogan, Catherine Cushman, Linda Deapo, Theresa Domathowski, Hank Donohue, Ginny and Erin Donovan, Audrey Emmi, Tenley Farrow, Marilyn Ferretti, Ruth Fabrizi, Ellen Gangemi, Gladys Graham, Robert Greenwood, Joseph Guinto, Jeanne Hammond, Mary Isgar, Carla Johnson, Juanita, Tony Lauretti, Shirley Kerr, Emma Lane, Janna Lavoie, Kay Ledermann, Jackie Limeri, Luciano & Maria Luisi, Judy & Skip Marioritti, Michael & Darlene Morga, Diane Moro, Joe Nicoletti, Peggy Palerino, The Pavia Children, Emily Rosenthal, Cathy Galutz Sacco, Roseanne Scrimale, Faith Setzer, Marion Sherwood, John Sobon, Patricia Soule, Patrick St. Thomas IV, Barbara Traino, Gerry Vaccaro, Shelly Visco, Matthew Watkins, Fred Wheeler.

## *Liturgical Ministers*

Weekend of July 12 & 13

### **Lectors:**

4:00 pm Sandy Laurenti  
7:30 am Maryann Iannettone  
11:30 am Frank Brice



### **Eucharistic Ministers:**

4:00 pm Team I  
7:30 am Maurice Etheredge  
11:30 am Team III

## *Vienna Boy Choir:*

*Tickets Go On Sale Next Week To The Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter and St. John The Baptist Holy Trinity Parishes For The Next 3 Weeks Before Opening To The General Public on August 4th.*

As we have announced the last few weeks, the incredible world renowned Vienna Boys Choir from Vienna Austria will be returning to our church for a performance on Wednesday, December 10th at 7:00 PM.

If you had the delightful pleasure of experiencing their concert 3 years ago, we are sure you will agree is one that will never be forgotten. If you weren't able to attend then, we hope you will gift yourself and/or others this year. Wrapped in the spiritual magic and beauty of the Christmas Season, it is sure to be a joyful encore of 3 years ago.

Tickets will go on sale to the Our Lady of Pompei /St Peters and St John the Baptist/ Holy Trinity Communities for 3 weeks starting July 12th before being offered to the general public on August 4th. As in the past we will have a diagram of the seats for people to choose their seats. Ticket prices will be the same as the last concert \$100.00 and \$75.00 depending on seat preference.

We will be in the back of church after all Masses for the next 3 weeks, starting July 12th, for preferred seating or you can call or visit the Parish Offices (315 422 7163) for tickets or more information. As always, Cash, Checks and Credit Cards are accepted.

We hope you share in the excitement of this wonderful news and will join us for this spectacular event!

