

Church of St. Peter

Parish Pastoral Council Statements

Please pray for these candidates who have stepped forward and expressed interest in serving on the Church of St. Peter Parish Pastoral Council. We have included here some of their own words about why they would like to serve on the council. The discernment ritual for selecting three new members will be during the 9am Mass on June 22, 2014.



Anne Hallgren

I joined this church because of the people who belong here. The moment I walked through the front door I knew I was at home. Here at St. Peter's I was immediately welcomed by the clergy, staff, and the members. They reached out to me in so many different ways. Now I would like to follow their examples and by becoming a member of the parish pastoral council. I love St. Peter's as a Catholic Church and community. I would be honored to serve in any capacity where I am needed. Anne is a lector, has participated in Rediscover book clubs, Council of Catholic Women events, and the Uganda Mission ministry.



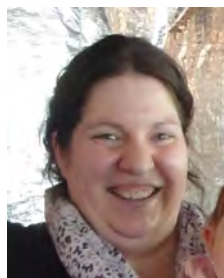
Paul Hirsch

I believe I can contribute to the Parish Pastoral Council. Some of my qualities that may be of benefit to the Parish Pastoral Council are my ability to see and empathize with multiple sides of an issue or argument. I am not afraid to ask and challenge. I bring a growing realization that it's not just the pastor and parish staff that makes a church a growing, dynamic, faith-filled community. It is the active participation of a growing number of engaged parishioners. Paul has served as an usher, on Fr. Steve Jones' teaching parish committee, and on the new church advisory committee.



Jennifer Silgen

I have been a parishioner for over 15 years. I am dedicated to see St. Peter's continue to grow. My kids attend Faithful Shepherd Catholic School where I continue to be an involved parent. It is vital for the parish to have strong ties to the school which St. Peter's supports. I believe I can contribute to those needs. Jen has been involved with St. Peter's choir (including as a cantor), money counting, parish fall festival, and the Christmas pageant.



Maria Schwartz

I am very good at analyzing data and drawing conclusions, etc from that data. I am also very good at putting out fires, dealing with crises, and problem solving. Most importantly, I care about the parish and am invested in seeing it succeed. Maria has been involved with St. Peter's Moms Club and the meals for new moms ministry.

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