# St. Peter † Prince of Apostles



#### Mission Statement

The Catholic Christian Community of St. Peter † Prince of the Apostles Parish welcomes all to celebrate God's love. As a Eucharistic Faith Community, we witness to the Gospel message through prayer and service; and education and sacraments; hospitality and stewardship of talent, treasure, and time.

# Third Sunday in Ordinary Time—January 26, 2014

Wait for the LORD with courage; be stouthearted, and wait for the LORD.

- Psalm 27:14

### - Pastor -

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# - Parish Office -

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# - Parish Office Hours -

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

# - Mass Schedule -

(all Masses are at St. Peter's unless otherwise noted)

Saturday: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 7:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. (NAS Lemoore) 11:45 a.m. (Stratford) 12:00 p.m. (Spanish)

# — Daily Mass — Schedule

(Masses are at St. Peter's Holy Family Chapel behind the Main Church) Monday through Friday at 6:55 a.m. Saturday at 8:00 a.m.

# - M.I.Q. School Mass -

Wednesdays at 8:10 a.m. in St. Peter's Church.

# Sacrament of Reconciliation — (Confessions)

Friday: 5:00-5:30 p.m. Saturday: 8:20-9:00 a.m.

# - Marriage or Baptism -

Please contact the church office for more information.



# Adoration of the — Blessed Sacrament

Perpetual Adoration is available in the Holy Spirit Perpetual Adoration Chapel. For more information, contact Lucy Jones at 924-7401 or the Church Office.

# — Bulletín Announcements —

Bulletin Announcements must be received by 2 p.m. the Wednesday 11 days prior to the Sunday the announcement should run. Announcements can be emailed to bulletinstpeters@gmail.com or dropped by the Church Office.

Call Holly Blair with questions at 709-8278.

# — Mary Immaculate — Queen School

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#### Dear Parishioners,

Mary Immaculate Queen School is celebrating National Catholic Schools Week beginning Sunday January 26, through Saturday February 1, 2014. The theme for this year is Catholic Schools: Communities of Faith, Knowledge, and Service. On this occasion, we recognize and appreciate the contribution of St. Peter Prince of the Apostles, our parish, towards promoting Catholic Education through MIQ School. We are proud of our pastors, parishioners, benefactors, friends, and community for their partnership in Catholic Education.

Mary Immaculate Queen School is 54 years old and it is a vibrant part of our wonderful St. Peter's Parish. We feel very fortunate to share our faith and the joy of being Jesus' followers with such a wonderful community of believers. We have been blessed with generous donors who are instrumental to start MIQ Scholarship Program. Though our enrollment this year has gone up, we still need more students in all grades to keep the school going.

Some of our families face great difficulties fulfilling the school tuition requirement due to the present economic situation. We want to keep the children in our school and give financial assistance to those in need especially because they are members of our own community. I ask you to consider sponsoring a student at our school for partial or full time tuition for the next academic year 2014-2015. No gift will be considered too small. Your generosity is very much appreciated. All donations will be tax deductible, and confidentiality is always guaranteed.

I take this opportunity to thank everyone very sincerely for their great support through the monthly collection donation and through the precious gift of your prayers. May the Lord bless and reward you a hundredfold.

Sr. Beena Joseph CSST

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# - Readings for the Week -

Monday, Jan. 27: 1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23;

Mk 2:18-22

<u>Tuesday, Jan. 28:</u> 1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday, Jan. 29: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-

10: Mk 3:1-6

Thursday, Jan. 30: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-13; Mk

3:7-12

Friday, Jan. 31: 1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11; Mk 3:13-19

<u>Saturday, Feb. 1:</u> Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2;

Mk 16:15-18

<u>Sunday, Feb. 2:</u> Is 8:23 — 9:3; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; 1 Cor

1:10-13, 17; Mt 4:12-23 [12-17]

#### Mass Intentions

Saturday, Jan. 25:

8:00 a.m. Marie Costa Simoes by Her Children 5:30 p.m. Luis Verissimo by His Wife Maria

Sunday, Jan. 26:

7:00 a.m. Deceased Members of Ancheta & Guzon

**Families** 

10:00 a.m. Dave & Robert Lowas by Bonnie Lowas 11:45 a.m. (Stratford) Concepcion Mendes by M/M Joao Mendes

George Roman by Joey Macias

12:00 p.m. (Spanish)
Monday, Jan. 27:

6:55 a.m. In Thanksgiving of Mary by Rodiola Pryor

Tuesday, Jan. 28:

6:55 a.m. Roger Dean Gamble by Rick & Phyllis

Machado

Wednesday, Jan. 29:

6:55 a.m. Robert Badasci , Jr. by The Family

8:10 a.m. For The Parish

Thursday, Jan. 30:

6:55 a.m. D.C. Billingsley by The Family

Friday, Jan. 31:

6:55 a.m. Marian Weisz by Vicky Calhoun

Saturday, Feb. 1:

8:00 a.m. Joe Bojorquez by His Wife Beatrice 5:30 p.m. Manuel Apina by The Family

Sunday, Feb. 2:

7:00 a.m. Msgr. John O'Friel by His Family
10:00 a.m. Amar Mendes by M/M Joao Mendes
11:45 a.m. (Stratford) Bill Henry by Chris & Cindy Rodrigues
12:00 p.m. (Spanish) Santiago Solis De Su Hija y Familia

# - Sunday Collection Plate -

January 12 \$9,117.90 MIQ School \$2,140.29

# - Prayers of the Faithful -

#### **Prayers for the Sick**

We pray for Peter Braden, Mary Rhoads, and all who are sick. May they feel the healing powers of our prayers.

#### **Prayers for the Deceased**

We pray for Delores Garoogian, Clyde Terra, and all the faithful departed. May the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

# - Weekly Reflection -

#### DIVISION

It is a situation that plays itself out in more and less significant ways: Christians divided.

A CYO basketball game between two neighboring parishes. Parents of the young players scream insults and threats at one another and assert their "superiority."

A Protestant and a Catholic church sit on adjoining properties. Each is vigilant about having parking violators removed from its own "private" parking lot.

An old pastor retires but continues to reside at the parish. A new pastor arrives and quickly finds his faith "community" choosing sides against him.

Saint Paul addresses similar disagreements in the early church at Corinth. He encourages the church there to make up their differences and to be united again in their belief and practice.

Today's first reading from Isaiah speaks of a people weighed down by the yoke of sin and darkness. Certainly the bickering and differences among us can be classified as such. The Gospel tells of the beginning ministry of Jesus. The Light has come, encouraging us to "repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."

Parish Registration Form

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If you would like to register for our Parish, please fill out this form and drop it in the Collection Basket or take it to the Church Office.
Name:
(Husband and Wife's Name, if applicable)
Address:
City, State, Zip:
Home Phone:
Cell Phone:
Email Address:
☐ Check the box if you like to receive Collection Envelopes.

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# - Religious Education -

#### **Lemoore K-8 C.C.D. Program**

PH: 924-2826 Ext. 209 Pat Garrett (Director) Ext. 207 Ariana (habla Español)

#### **Office Hours:**

Monday thru Friday - 10 a.m. to Noon and 1 to 5 p.m.

For children over the age of 7: In need of BAPTISM? Please call 924-2826 ext. 209 as soon as possible to begin preparations for this important Event in their lives!

Baptism of infants and young children through age 6: Please call Marcy at 924-2562 ext. 104

#### C.C.D. Classes

#### **Monday Students**

January 27: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m. Tuesday Students

January 28: 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.

#### Lemoore C.C.D. Registration

Classes Have Begun! Late Registration Continues!

Please remind family and friends to REGISTER ASAP!!! Call 924-2826 ext. 207 or ext. 209

Grades: Kindergarten through Eighth Grades
Requirements for New Students: At the time of registration for all new students, please have Birth and Baptism Certificates with you. Registration Fees are \$50.00 per year. Rates vary with number of children in family. Payment due at registration or payment plan can be set up. Scholarship available as needed.

#### Stratford C.C.D.—1st to 8th Grades

St Joseph's Religious Education, 19305 Empire Street 924-2826, Pat Garrett ext. 209 or Ariana ext. 207 (en Español)

Wednesdays: 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Please register children Grades 1-8 ASAP!!!
New Students: Must provide Certificates
of Birth and Baptism

#### **Stratford Class**

#### Wednesday, January 29

Grades 1-3: 2:15 – 3:15 p.m. Grades 4-8: 3:10 – 4:15 p.m.



#### **Sunday Children's Liturgy of the Word**

10:00 and 12:00 Mass Every Sunday Please continue to join us!

This program reaches out to our young parishioners ages 4 to 7 years. Although we welcome 8 to 12 year olds, we strongly discourage 2 to 3 year olds since they are simply not ready for this interactive program. Parents, please keep them with you. Thank you! Additional volunteers are needed. Please call 924-2826 ext. 209 for info.

#### **Life Teen Lemoore**

#### www.facebook.com/LifeTeenLemoore

Pat Norris after 4 p.m. at 367-3550 Shawn Barboza by text any time or by phone after 5 p.m. at 772-7190

### - Adult Education Ministries-

#### **Adult Confirmation Classes**

Inquirers for Adult Confirmation, please contact Religious Ed. Office at 924-2826 ext. 209. For Adults (over 18) who have received Baptism and First Holy Communion.

Next Series of Classes: January, 2014

#### **R.C.I.A** = Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Welcome! Adults (over 18) seeking: Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Eucharist. Call 924-2826 ext. 209.

#### R.C.I.A. Schedule—2013/2014

Sunday Mornings 10 a.m. Mass with Dismissal at 10:30 a.m. to meeting room

# Díocesan News

#### **Get Connected**

You can now follow the Diocese of Fresno on Twitter and Facebook! Get connected today by going to the Diocesan Website at: www.dioceseoffresno.org.

#### **Bishop's Annual Anniversary Mass**

Bishop's Annual Anniversary Mass for Married Couples is on Sunday, February 9, 2014 at 2:30 p.m., at Saint Peter Prince of Apostles Parish in Lemoore. Married Couples celebrating anniversaries of 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 + years are invited to register with their parish by or before January 28, 2014, in order to receive a certificate at the light reception. Contact your parish today!

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### - Parish News-

#### **Upcoming Parish Meeting**

All parishioners are invited to attend a St. Peter's Parish meeting on Thursday, January 30, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. at O'Doherty Hall. The meeting will be a public town-hall meeting to discuss and inform you on matters pertaining to the property at 19 Follett Street, the old St. Peter's Church buildings. Various scenarios will be presented for the possible use of the facilities if the buildings are not sold.

If you are interested and would like to have some input in recommending future actions or have questions, please send them in advance to the St. Peter's Church Office % Phyllis Machado, at 870 North Lemoore Avenue and I will work with staff to answer all questions and present responses and suggestions at the meeting. It is my hope that we may arrive at some responsible and beneficial solution to matters at hand so that I have a proper report and counsel for the new Pastor upon my retirement.

God Bless you and your families, Msgr. John Coelho-Harguindeguy, Pastor

#### **Annual Senior Citizens' Bingo**

The St. Peter's Confirmation Class will Host the Annual Senior Citizens' Bingo on Sunday January 26, 2014 at MIQ School located at 884 N. Lemoore Ave in the O'Doherty Hall from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. No Fees. All senior citizens are welcome.

#### **Scholarship Applications**

Msgr. John J. O'Friel's, Knights of Columbus is accepting applications for (2) \$500.00 Scholarships. Applications are available at the church office and must be submitted by April 30, 2014. If you have any questions, please contact Richard Lee 584-8147.

#### **Donation Envelopes**

There are still several church envelopes in the entrance of the church to pick up. Please stop by and pick up yours. They are in envelope number order. If you do not know your number, please use the reports available there, to find your name and envelope number. If you cannot find your envelope, stop by the church office, Monday through Friday between 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. for help. Thank you.

#### **Wedding Banns**

The following couples will marry in the coming weeks: Heman Martinez & Karina Vargas Julio Hildalgo & Sharna Venegas Armando Acosta & Adriana Hernandez John Aguilar & Blanca Soto Nathan Moreno & Jordin Winecke Thomas Cody Hobbs & Kimberlee Martinez James Michael Mendes & Grace Marie Nunes Jared Michael Silveira & Kari Sargent Paul Daluz & Abigail Meif Gustavo Zavala & Mary Licea Jose Temores & Sara Vasquez Earl Gomes & Megan Corbridge Mark Siongco & Crystal Pennington Caleb Garcia & Brittney Pires Hector Ibarra & Veronica Garcia Jose Segura & Leticia Brenes Pablo Pedro Melo & Ana Maria Melo Jorge Rivadeneira & Yesenia Coria Madrigal Pedro Guardado & Veronica Ramirez Alven Guevara, Jr. & Pamela Flores Jorge Medina & Angelina Orozco

If you know of any canonical reason for them not to be married, please contact the parish office.

# - Ministry News-

#### **Prayer Quilt Ministry**

The Prayer Quilt members will be praying and tying quilts on Monday, January 27th at 1:30 p.m. in St. Therese Room. Donations of material, batting, and money are much appreciated. Just drop them off in the office from 9-4 p.m. Monday—Friday. Thank YOU! If you need a quilt for someone very ill, please contact Patti Larmon at 707-9822 or Diane Howder at 707-4470.

#### Young Mother's Bible Study Group

The Young Mother's Bible Study Group (AKA "St. Peter's Moms") will be holding a 16-week Catholic study called "A Quick Journey Through the Bible" by Jeff Cavins. They would like to invite any and all mothers (with children under the age of 18 years) to join! They meet on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month from 9 - 11 a.m. Childcare will be available for a small fee. Parishioners and friends are welcome! For more information, contact Jennifer Jones at (559)362-1853 or Juli Polder at (916)284-6753.

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#### **Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration**

The Holy Spirit Perpetual Adoration Chapel has been offering parishioners the opportunity to spend time with the Blessed Sacrament for almost seven months - Thank you, Lord Jesus! When the Chapel officially opened on June 2, 2013, all parishioners were invited to participate in the special privilege of serving as an Adorer and Guardian in the Chapel. Jesus invites all parishioners of St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Church, to spend one hour each week with Him in the Chapel; to date, less than 300 parishioners have answered His call.

#### What are YOU waiting for?

Please ask Jesus to open your heart to hear and answer His call for a weekly Holy Hour spent with Him. Won't you give it a try? You won't know the blessings you are missing until you let Him touch you in a special way through a weekly Holy Hour. Ask any Guardian about their time with the Blessed Sacrament to find out — you have nothing to lose but SO MUCH to gain!

The Blessed Sacrament is in need of Guardians for the following hours:

Monday, 2 a.m.—Currently No Guardian
10 Sunday Hours need a second Guardian
8 Saturday Hours need a second Guardian
Other Hours needing second
guardians on specific days are:
10 p.m., 11 p.m., 12 midnight, 1 a.m.,
2 a.m., 3 a.m., and 4 a.m.

Contact Lucy Jones, 924-7401, for information and/or to sign on as a weekly Adorer/Guardian! What a great way to start the New Year!

# - Neighboring Parishes-

# Monterey/Fresno Diocese Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

You don't hesitate to have your car tuned up! What are you doing to tune up your marriage?

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends will be held on May 2-4, 2014 and October 24-26, 2014, at the Saint Francis Retreat Center in San Juan Bautista, California. For more information, contact Mary Jo and Rich Castello at 831-704-6322, castellome@aol.com, or register online at centralcawwme.org.



# - Ministerios Hispanos-

#### **En Lemoore: Clase de Catecismo**

Información de registro para venir Teléfono: 924-2826 (pulse 207) Lunes CCD, 27 de Enero, 2014 4:15 – 5:15 p.m. - Clase

Martes, 28 de Enero, 2014

4:15 - 5:15 p.m. - Clase

#### **En Stratford: Clase de Catecismo**

Centro de Educación Religiosa de San José 19305 Empire Street, Stratford

Los estudiantes nuevos necesitan el registro: certificado de Nacimiento y certificado de Bautismo

Los niños y los niñas en Grados: 1-8

#### Miércoles, 29 de Enero, 2014

Grados 1-3: 2:15 – 3:15 de la tarde - Clase Grados 4-8: 3:10 – 4:15 de la tarde - Clase

#### Misa Anual de Aniversario

Misa Anual de Aniversario para Parejas Casadas con el Obispo, el Domingo, 9 de Febrero del 2014 a las 2:30 p.m., en la Parroquia de San Pedro Príncipe de los Apóstoles, en Lemoore. Parejas casadas que celebran su aniversario de 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 o más años de casados están invitados a inscribirse en su parroquia antes del 28 de Enero, 2014, para recibir un certificado en la recepción después de la Misa de Aniversario. ¡Inscríbase hoy en su parroquia!

#### Reunión de la parroquia

Todos los parroquianos están invitados a asistir la junta de parroquia de St. Peter el Lunes 30 de Enero del 2014 a las 7pm en O'Doherty Hall. Esta será una junta pública referente a la propiedad de 19 Follett Street, la Iglesia St. Peter previa. Varias opciones serán presentadas para el posible uso de los edificios de esa propiedad, si es que no se venden.

Si usted está interesado en compartir sus recomendaciones o tiene preguntas, haga favor de presentarlas a la secretaria en la oficina de la iglesia, Phyllis Machado, al 870 North Lemoore Avenue. Trabajaré con el personal para contestar todas las preguntas y presentaré respuestas y sugerencias en la junta. Es mi esperanza que lleguemos a una solución responsable y de beneficio para estos asuntos. De está manera podré tenerle un reporte al nuevo pastor al llegar mi jubilación.

Que Dios les bendiga a usted y a su familia, Msgr. John Coelho-Harguindeguy, Pastor