



St. Peter + Prince of Apostles

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 22, 2019

God . . . wills everyone to be saved and to come to knowledge of the truth.

-- 1 Timothy 2:4

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— Mass Schedule —

Saturday: 5:30 p.m. Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,
12:00 p.m. (Spanish), Stratford- 8:30 a.m.

— Weekday Mass Schedule —

Mon. NO MASS, Tues. 5:30 p.m.-*Spanish*, Wed.
5:30 p.m., Thurs-Fri 8:15a.m.

— Confessions —

Friday's: 5:30 p.m. & Saturday's 8:30 a.m.

— Marriage or Baptism —

Contact the church office for more info.: 559/924-
2562

— Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament —

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (Holy Family
Chapel) Mon., Wed. 8am-5pm, & Thurs, 8am –
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Calendar

Monday

SEPTEMBER 23

St. Pius of Pietrelcina,
Priest

Ezr 1:1-6

Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday

SEPTEMBER 24

Weekday

Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20

Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday

SEPTEMBER 25

Weekday

Ezr 9:5-9

Lk 9:1-6

Thursday

SEPTEMBER 26

Weekday

Hg 1:1-8

Lk 9:7-9

Friday

SEPTEMBER 27

St. Vincent de Paul,
Priest

Hg 2:1-9

Lk 9:18-22

Saturday

SEPTEMBER 28

Weekday

Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a

Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday

SEPTEMBER 29

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Am 6:1a, 4-7

1 Tm 6:11-16

Lk 16:19-31

Dear Padre,

Is withholding or withdrawing life support a form of euthanasia?

While it's always morally wrong to kill an innocent person, it can sometimes be morally right to allow someone to die. This implies that it is sometimes morally wrong to allow a person to die. To withhold antibiotics from a person who has every chance of recovering and living a full life if given the medication would be morally wrong.

But there are times when we must accept that our death is inevitable and that additional medical treatment will place an excessive burden on us and



our caretakers, with little benefit. To refuse such treatment is not a form of suicide; rather it's a decision to allow the dying process to take its natural course. The key words here are *excessive burden* and *little benefit*. When is using a ventilator too burdensome to bear and able to be withdrawn? When is the natural care of nutrition and hydration failing to do what it should? Such life-sustaining treatment or care

may be too burdensome for some but not for others.

A young person after a car accident may be left a quadriplegic and unable to breathe without a ventilator. He might consider the ventilator an extraordinary means of preserving life and want to discontinue its use. Any determination that disregards the value of this person's life—by the patient himself or anyone else—must be avoided. Ultimately, such judgments shouldn't be made without a careful review of Catholic moral teaching, medical and spiritual consultation, and a well-formed conscience.

—Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org

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A Word from Pope Francis



The level of progress in a society is measured by its capacity to safeguard life....Death from malnutrition is an attack on life. Terrorism, war, violence; so is euthanasia. Loving life means always taking care of the other, wanting the best for him, cultivating and respecting her transcendent dignity.

—Address to Science and Life Association, May 30, 2015



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— Weekly Reflection / Reflexión Semanal —

LUKE 16:13

No servant
can serve two masters.

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GOD IS ON THE SIDE OF THE POOR

Two of today's readings make it quite clear that God is on the side of the poor. Amos describes in detail the exploitation of the poor and needy. The psalm repeats that God acts to benefit the poor and lowly. But Luke turns things upside down, telling a tale of a conflicted steward, about to be fired, who demonstrates his cleverness and is rewarded. Like the community to whom Paul writes in Timothy, these readings are personal, directed to believers, members of the Jewish and Christian communities, who struggle to deal with personal choices about how to conduct their lives. They offer an outline for how God wishes us to live in a world as complicated and as confusing as our own. Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.

DIOS ESTÁ DEL LADO DE LOS POBRES

Dos de las lecturas de hoy ponen muy en claro que Dios está del lado de los pobres. Amós describe en detalle el abuso de los pobres y necesitados. El Salmo repite que Dios actúa en beneficio de los pobres y los humildes. Pero Lucas pone las cosas de cabeza, contando una historia de un mayordomo en conflicto, a punto de ser despedido, que demuestra astucia y es recompensado. Como la comunidad a la que Pablo escribe en Timoteo, estas lecturas son personales, dirigidas a los creyentes, miembros de las comunidades judías y cristianas que tienen dificultades con elecciones personales de cómo conducir sus vidas. Ofrecen un bosquejo de cómo Dios desea que vivamos en un mundo tan complicado y tan confundido como el nuestro. Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.

— Prayers Intentions / Oraciones de los Fieles —

Prayers for the Sick / Oraciones para los enfermos

We pray for Albert Cardenas, Delton Taylor, Bob & Noni Schweizer, Jerry Gregory, Jenifer Pressley, Isaac Orosco Jr., Roxie Martin, Angelina Mireles, Francisco Mendoza, Chirs Mendoza, Soli Bennett, Karlene Quintana, Lizabet Reya, Mila Pryor, Joe Healy, Jorge Rocha, Norman H. Martin, Mike Wlaschin, Mary Beth Delaney, MaryBeth Murray, Jessie Solis, Adriana Soto, Debbie Voss, Maria Mendoza, Stella Chavez, and all who are sick. May they feel the healing powers of our prayers.

Prayers for the Deceased / Oraciones para los difuntos

We pray baby-Luke David Lemos, George Werner, Shean Crose, Karen Finley, Salome Mendoza, Sara Vega, Salmon Zavala Mora, Mary Ruth Armijo, Margaret Oliveira, Bob Serpa, Jess Alonzo, and all the faithful departed. May the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

— First Communion & Confirmation Registration —

- ◆ *We still need catechists and assistants and substitutes for the classrooms. First day of classroom for Youth Ministry/ Confirmation will be Sept. 15th at 11am O'Doherty Hall. ALL OF OUR CATECHISM CLASSES ARE FULL.*
- ◆ *Todavía se necesita catechistas, asistentes y substitutos para las clases. Primer día de clases para el grupo de jóvenes y confirmación será el 15 de Sept. a las 11am en el salón O'Doherty. LAS CLASES DEL CATECISMO YA ESTAN LLENAS.*

-Mass Intentions/Intenciones de Misa-

Saturday, Sep. 21:
 5:30 p.m. Deceased Mem. By Altar Society
 Matt Dufur & Nisa Gallichio by Greg & Joan

Sunday, Sep. 22:
 7:00 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners
 8:30 a.m. (Strfd) RoseMarie Andrada † by Paty & Garry Larmon
 10:00 a.m. Agatha Ancheta's B-day by Family
 Fred Fonseca † by Jose Maria Pereira
 Jim Wyatt by Frankie & Joyce Bautista

12:00 p.m. (Sp) Arturo Ayala Zendejas de Domitila Zendejas

Monday, Sep. 23:
 NO MASS

Tuesday, Sep. 24:
 5:30 p.m. Ed Soares † By Joann & Norma Garcia

Wednesday, Sep. 25:
 5:30 p.m. Living & Deceased Member of YLI by YLI

Thursday, Sep. 26:
 8:15 a.m. Maria Silva † by M/M Larmon
 Chris Rodrigues † by Greg & Joan Stanton

Friday, Sep. 27:
 8:15 a.m. Anthony Nunes † by Mr. & Mrs. Chacon
 Werner Ammann † by Children of Bill & Donna Badasci

Saturday, Sep. 28:
 5:30 p.m. Danny Garcia † by John & Roxie Martin
 Michelle Ribeiro by Sergio & Julie Cardoso

Sunday, Sep. 29:
 7:00 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners
 8:30 a.m. (Strfd) Hilda Mendes † by Remi & Maureen Erretaber
 10:00 a.m. Ryan Ancheta Birthday by Family
 Evelyn Smales † by Frankie & Joyce Bautista
 Maria Labandeira † by M/M Parreira
 12:00 p.m. (Sp) Ricardo Velasquez by Margarita Velasquez

-Stewardship Corner/Co-responsabilidad-

September 14 & 15, 2019

1st Collection: \$9,881.50
2nd Collection: N/A

Thank you for your generosity/Gracias por su generosidad

Second Collection Today/ 2da Colecta hoy:
 N/A/N/A

Second Collection Next Week/ 2da Colecta la próxima semana:
 Religious Education Collection/Educacion Religiosa

MIQ Fall Festival
 Sunday, October 6, 2019
 11AM-7PM
 Fun for the ENTIRE family!
 Open to the Public!

FREE Admission & Parking

ENJOY
 CARNIVAL STYLE GAMES
 BOUNCE HOUSES
 FACE PAINTING
 SWEET SHOP
 FOOD
 ENTERTAINMENT
 SILENT AUCTION

Mary Immaculate Queen School
 884 N. Lemoore Ave, CA 93245
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MIQSCHOOLNEWS

Thank you to everyone who bought a Drive Thru Dinner this past week!

Mark your calendars: Fall Festival is Sunday, October 6th at MIQ. Don't miss this awesome event!

Want to know more about MIQ? Stop in and take a tour! Applications are taken year round for new students and scholarships offered.

"For from him and through him and for him are all things. To him be the glory forever! Amen." -Romans 11:36

Mary Immaculate Queen School is accepting new student applications!

884 N. Lemoore Ave Lemoore, CA 93245

Phone: 559-924-3425 ext. 202 Fax: 924-7848

Don't wait to join our MIQ school family.

Scholarships are available to make it affordable for you.

Please call Rachael Manzo for a tour at 924-3425 ext. 202 -Principal@miqschool.com

UPCOMING EVENTS

SCOUTS CORNER

Cub scouts (boys & girls, Kindergarten thru 5th grade) meet Fridays from 6-7pm in O'Doughty Hall, & will change to Tuesday nights (6-7pm) beginning Oct 1st.

Boy Scouts (ages 11 & up) meet fridays from 6-8pm in O'Friel Room, & will change to Thursday nights same time in the O'Friel Room or Hall. And we are always needing adults to help within the program.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA NOVEN

OCT. 5TH-13TH

- * OCT. 5TH ROSARY/MASS AT 5PM
 - * OCT. 6TH ROSARY/MASS AT 930AM
 - * OCT. 7TH-11TH ROSARY/MASS AT 7PM
 - * OCT. 12TH ROSARY/MASS AT 5PM
 - * OCT. 13TH ROSARY/MASS AT 930AM
- PROCESSION MONDAY OCT. 14TH @7PM



AMERICA NEEDS FATIMA

Please come and join me in praying the rosary to our Blessed Mother on OCT. 12th at 12pm. In the courtyard. Any questions please call me, Julie Silva at 707-7909.



Event:Annual "Joe Garcia Memorial Pancake Breakfast"

Date:Sunday October 27, 2019

Time:7:00 Am to 12:00 Pm

Location: MIQ School 884 North Lemoore Ave, Lemoore, CA in O' Doherty Hall.

Tickets:Adults \$8.00 per ticket, Children under the age of 5 Eat Free.

Tickets will be available for purchase from any Knights of Columbus member or St. Peter's Church office.

Contact:Richard Lee at 559-381-5492

MESSAGE FROM ST. PETER'S CHURCH

Any check placed in the collection basket at mass or parish office should be written out to "ST. PETERS CATHOLIC CHURCH" and in the memo you can specify if it is for MIQ, Parish Improvement Fund, Altar Society, etc. The bank is no longer accepting checks that say "St. Peters", "St. Peters Improvement Fund", etc. Thank you for your cooperation, all your donations are greatly appreciated!

CUALQUIER cheque colocado en la canasta de la colección, ya sea para la PRIMERA o la SEGUNDA colecta, debe decir "ST. PETERS CATHOLIC CHURCH" y si es necesario en la nota, designe para quién es; es decir, educación religiosa, fondo de mejora parroquial, MIQ, Sociedad de Altar, etc. El banco ya no acepta cheques que digan "St. Peters", "St. Peters Improvement Fund", etc. ¡Gracias por su cooperación, todas sus donaciones son muy apreciadas!

RCIA Inquiry Schedule 2019

Next RCIA meeting will be **Sep. 22nd** at 4:30pm-6:00pm in the St. Agnes Room. Please share this info with anyone interested!

• Ministry News

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Eucharistic Adoration is offered in the Holy Family Chapel Monday through Friday. Everyone is welcome to stop by and visit with Jesus--He is waiting for you. Call the Coordinator for more information at 903-9924.

St. Peter's Mom Bible Study

Mothers of children 0-18, please join us on the 2nd and 4th Fridays each month starting on September 27th, 2019. We meet from 9-11am in the Convent and childcare is provided. Join our FB group "Catholic Mothers Bible Study Group, Lemoore" for details, or contact Juli Polder at (916)284-6753.

Women's Bible Study

A very warm welcome back! We are meeting at the convent every Thurs. @ 10am. For any info call Carol Wood 924-4907.

Prayer Quilt Ministry

Prayer Quilt will commence once again on Sept 23rd at the convent. Any donations for supplies are appreciated and can be dropped off at the church office. FMI please call Patti 707 9822 or Diane Howder 707-4470.

Formación Bíblica

Te invitamos a tener una formación bíblica y a conocer mas de la palabra de Dios, El Señor te espera. Sacia tu sed porque el es agua viva! Para mas información contacte a Rosa Reeder 559-707-0361.

Grief Ministry

We offer a caring presence and living reminder of God's Love and Support to those in Grief.

Our meeting time is at 3pm in St Agnes Rm. on the 2nd Sunday of the month.

Call 718-7191 for an Appointment

