



St. Peter & Prince of Apostles

Fourth Sunday of Advent

December 22, 2019

They shall name him Emmanuel, which means "God is with us."

— Matthew 1:23

— Parish Office —

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
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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. 8:15 a.m., Tues. 5:30 p.m.-*Spanish*, Wed. 5:30
p.m., Thurs-Fri 8:15a.m.

— Confessions —

Friday: 5:30 p.m. & Saturday 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 in the Holy
Family Chapel is offered Monday, 8am-8pm;
Tuesday, 10am-5pm; Wednesday, 8am-5pm;
Thursday, following 8:15am mass until 8pm;
and Friday, following 8:15am mass until
5pm. Contact Lucy Jones, 559/924-7401.

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We want to thank EVERYONE for their hard work and dedication in preparation for the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe . The Spanish ministry and Music ministry who every year work so tirelessly to coordinate, plan, organize and assemble this event! In addition to the many volunteers and donors and everyone else THANK YOU! And of course Father Moore and Father Nelson. With out you this would not have been possible.

May God Bless you!

Queremos darle las GRACIAS a todos por su trabajo y dedicación en preparación para la Fiesta de La Virgen de Guadalupe. El ministro Hispano y el ministro de Música que cada ano se prepara para coordinar, planear, y organizar este evento! Adicionalmente a los voluntarios, y los que donaron y a todos los demás MUCHAS GRACIAS! Y claro que al Padre Moore y Padre Nelson. Sin ustedes nada de esto se pudiera ver hecho posible.

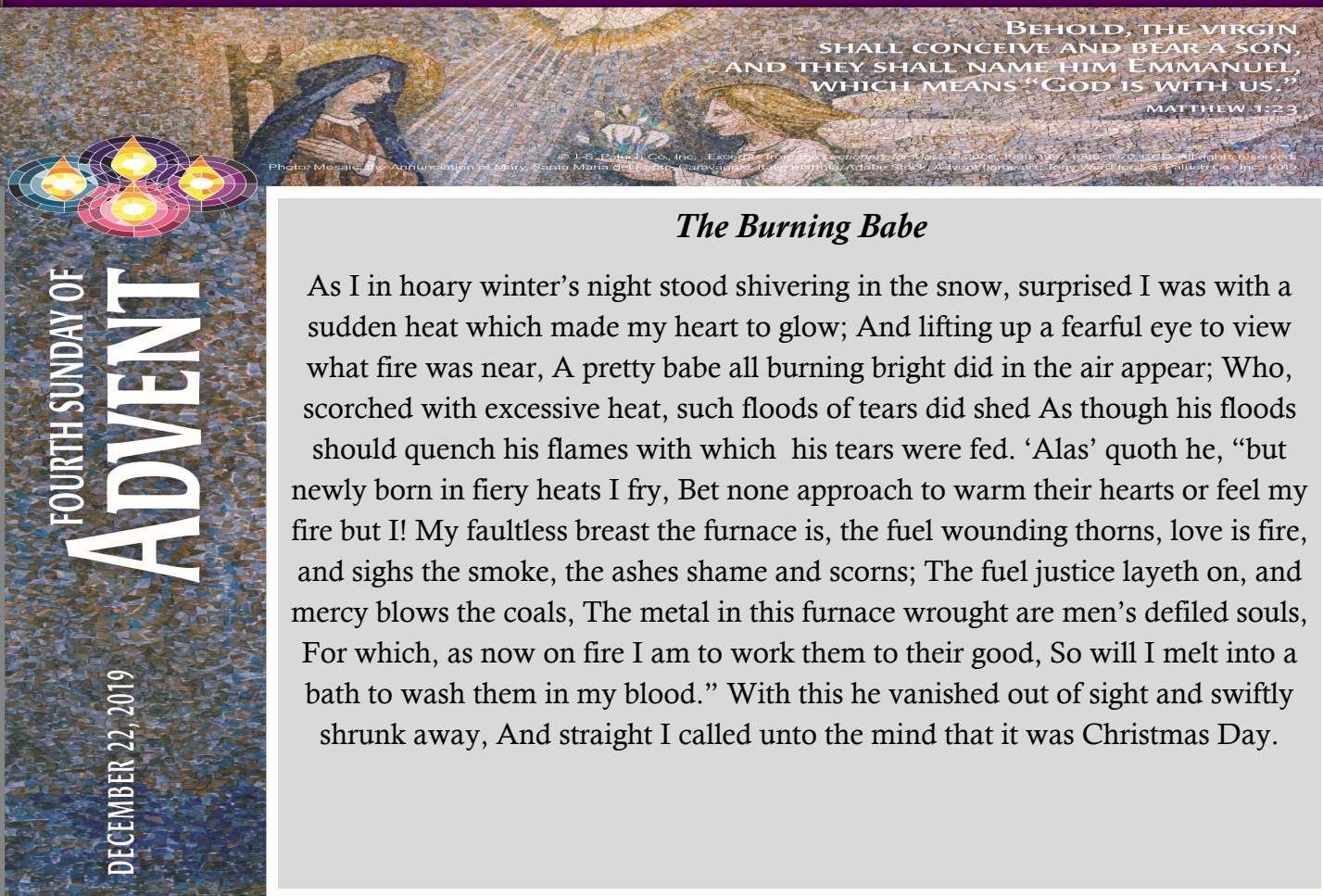
Que Dios los Bendiga!



THE HOLY INNOCENTS



— Weekly Reflection / Reflexión Semanal —



BEHOLD, THE VIRGIN
SHALL CONCEIVE AND BEAR A SON,
AND THEY SHALL NAME HIM EMMANUEL,
WHICH MEANS "GOD IS WITH US."
MATTHEW 1:23

The Burning Babe

As I in hoary winter's night stood shivering in the snow, surprised I was with a sudden heat which made my heart to glow; And lifting up a fearful eye to view what fire was near, A pretty babe all burning bright did in the air appear; Who, scorched with excessive heat, such floods of tears did shed As though his floods should quench his flames with which his tears were fed. 'Alas' quoth he, "but newly born in fiery heats I fry, Bet none approach to warm their hearts or feel my fire but I! My faultless breast the furnace is, the fuel wounding thorns, love is fire, and sighs the smoke, the ashes shame and scorns; The fuel justice layeth on, and mercy blows the coals, The metal in this furnace wrought are men's defiled souls, For which, as now on fire I am to work them to their good, So will I melt into a bath to wash them in my blood." With this he vanished out of sight and swiftly shrunk away, And straight I called unto the mind that it was Christmas Day.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF
ADVENT
DECEMBER 22, 2019

— Prayers Intentions / Oraciones de los Fieles —

Prayers for the Sick / Oraciones para los enfermos

We pray for JoAnn Garcia, Alice Stewart, Elsie Soares, Ana Colido, Mary Beth Murray, Rose Galvan, Richard P. Simas, Marti Vannote, Gary Garrett Jr., Charles Turner, Albert Cardenas, Delton Taylor, Bob & Noni Schweizer, Jerry Gregory, Jenifer Pressley, Isaac Orosco Jr., Roxie Martin, Angelina Mireles, Francisco Mendoza, Chris Mendoza, Soli Bennett, Karlene Quintana, Lizabet Reya, Mila Pryor, Norman H. Martin, Mike Wlaschin, and all who are sick. May they feel the healing powers of our prayers.

Prayers for the Deceased / Oraciones para los difuntos

We pray Oscar Temores, Eric Gonzales, Maria Ibarra, Celia Chavez, Bodine Perry, Maria Hernandez, Guadalupe Vasquez, Manuel Toste, Virginia Harris, Gerald Jeff, Francisco Mendoza, Jonathan Diaz, Stanley Hess, Virginia Rangel, and all the faithful departed. May the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

— Religious Education Information —

- ◆ **Reminder for all who are attending a religious education program: If you have not yet turned in all requested certificates or forms please do so between Dec. 16-20th.**
- ◆ **PLEASE DON'T PARK IN THE RED ZONE WHEN DROPPING OFF THE CHILDREN FOR CCD CLASSES.**
- ◆ **Recomendatorio si esta asistiendo al programa de educacion religiosa: necesita entregar los certificados requeridos y formas entre el 16 de Dic. Y el 20.**
- ◆ **PORFAVOR NO ESTACIONEN SUS VEHICULOS EN LA ZONA ROJA CUANDO DEJEN A SUS HIJOS PARA EL CATECISMO.**

UPCOMING EVENTS

SAVE THE DATES

1. **Blessed Sacrament will be reposed (no Adoration) from Tuesday, 12/24 through Wednesday, January 1, 2020. The regular Guardian schedule will resume Thursday, January 2 following morning mass. Blessed & safe holidays to all!**
2. **TAX Forms will be available for request Jan. 4, 2020. Please leave a name , phone #, address & envelope number. IF YOU PARTICIPATE IN ONLINE GIVING you can print out your own TAX sheet. The Church office does not have access to your online giving account.**

Christmas Mass Schedule

DECEMBER 24TH MASS AT 4PM -E-ST. PETER
 6PM STRATFORD
 12AM -E-ST. PETER
 DECEMBER 25TH MASS AT 10AM-E-ST. PETER
 12PM-S- ST. PETER

THE FLU SEASON IS UPON US

Catechists, Assistants, and Subs are needed for our Religious Education classes. Please call the office if you are interested. 559-924-2562 x209 or x207-spanish.



Posada Navideña

Diciembre 22, 2019

5pm—Salón Parroquial

Tendremos pozole, piñatas, pan dulce, chocolate caliente, juegos y la pastorela



"Y dará a luz un hijo y llamaras su nombre Jesús, porque el salvará a su pueblo de sus pecados."
 Mateo 1:21

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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. We meet from 9-11am in the Rectory 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

We are meeting in St. Agnes every Thurs. @ 10am. For any info call Carol Wood 924-4907.

Prayer Quilt Ministry

Prayer quilt ministry will meet on Mon., Jan. 13th in St. Agnes Rm. at 1:30 pm. Please join us. If you are in need of a quilt they can be found in the church office. Quilts are free but donations are appreciated. 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

No Grief Ministry in December. Please call at 559-718-7191 any time

Church office will close at 1pm on 12/24. We will be back on 12/27

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

There will be no Mass on Dec. 27th and no confessions on that day as well. No confessions on Dec. 28th. There will be no Mass on Jan. 6,7,8, & 9th. Mass intentions for these dates will be celebrated with Fr. Moore elsewhere. Jan. 1st Mass will be at 9am English.

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS

To keep our church looking good and clean. If you are able to help, please call the office or come to the church Tuesday at 8am. A special thank-you to all of you who have been working and cleaning our church.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

