

 Recognizable Offering
 \$6,639.00

 Loose Cash
 \$277.00

 Total Weekly Offering
 \$6,916.00

 Mass Attendance Oct 10/11
 150



Oct 19 - 25

MondayLorraine Kahl(+)
WednesdayJean Jordan(+)
ThursdayKay Roth(+)
FridayKay Roth(+)
SaturdayThomas Napolitano(+)
SundayJean Jordan(+)(9:30 a.m)



In Loving Memory and lasting peace for all who have died, especially our parishioner Jean Jordan. Pray for the consolation of her family as

they mourn the loss of their loved one.

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Saint Peter Parish Prayer Chain: For prayer needs, contact Angela Zangerle at (808)295-2587 or email her at stpeter.prayerchain@gmail.com

Hospitalized Parishioners: If you or a family member are hospitalized, please call the Parish Office, otherwise we have no way of knowing who in our parish is there.

In Your Daily Prayers, Please Remember our parishioners who are deployed and:

Monday Johanna Adam*, Lois Lange*, Carol Dineen*, Karen Chasteen, Gloria Sanders*

Tuesday Mary Eichler, Hiram Alaniz, Danny Labatte, Mike Kutcher, John Osborn*, Larry & Joanne Fralic

Wednesday Gordon Pritchard*, Bette Dellner*, Aurora Beard, Carl & Darlene Winbauer, Barry Fludd

Thursday Pam Bauchwitz*, Lucille Kesler, Antionette Williams, Stacy Brooks

Friday Doug Babiak*, Chuck Gober*, Cheryl Darby, Judy and Dave Robinson*

Saturday Peter Adam*, Mary Anyel*, Harper Spear, Rene Morago-Barton, Dona Lovelace

Sunday Donna Fetter*, Dakota Stevens, Grace Farrell*, Karen Clayton*

*Indicates our parishioners.



A WORD FROM Pope Francis

Every drug addict has a unique personal story and must be listened to, understood, loved, and, insofar as possible, healed and purified. We cannot stoop to the injustice of categorizing drug addicts as if they were mere objects or broken machines; each person must be valued and appreciated in his or her dignity.

> —ADDRESS TO PONTIFICAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES, NOVEMBER 24, 2016

World Mission Sunday

Today, on World Mission Sunday, we respond, "Here I Am, Send Me," to our baptismal call to mission, and we offer, at the Eucharistic celebration, our prayers and our generous financial support, through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, to continue the mission of Jesus. Today we are "sent" out to witness to mission in the world through our prayers and sacrifices for our brothers and sisters around the world.

As little as... \$25 helps support a catechist for a month in remote Latin America

\$75 provides for the work of religious Sisters caring for orphaned children in Africa \$100 assists families in sending their children to schools in Asia

As always, your prayers are your most treasured gift to the Missions. Your prayers and financial help, offered today, WORLD MISSION SUNDAY, support mission priests, religious Sisters and Brothers, and lay catechists who are Christ's witnesses to a world so in need of His healing, love, and peace.

Parishioners who do not receive offertory envelopes and wish to contribute can drop their contribution in a separate envelope labeled "World Mission". If you are using electronic giving you can log on to your account and make a one-time gift.



October 18, 2020
Twenty-ninth Sunday
In Ordinary Time (A)
Is 45:1, 4-6 | 1 Thes 1:1-5b

Our Civic Duty

By coincidence, these readings appear during election time. They might not tell us how to vote, but they do throw some light on the notion of civic duty. Cyrus in the first reading was the Persian king whose foreign policy allowed conquered and displaced people to return to their homelands, even though they would still be under Persian control. In the Isaian passage, this foreign king is called the Lord's anointed and is blessed by God despite the fact that he is unaware of it. This suggests that even those who do not know or worship the God of Israel can be competent civic leaders as long as they work for the benefit of their citizenry.

The Gospel story is a bit more complex. Jewish law banned making a graven image of a person, as was found on Roman coins. This means that those trying to trap Jesus exposed their own violation of the law by possessing such a coin. Jesus did not condemn the Romans for casting such coins. Rather, he says that political leaders deserve our civic allegiance. How the Jews were to accomplish this without using forbidden Roman coins isn't explained. But then, how civic-minded people are to uphold complicated political and social values today is hard to explain as well. This is one of the challenges of belonging to a pluralist society. No political ticket perfectly mirrors all of the gospel values. Our civic duty is to decide which values we should advance.

-Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

FOR Reflection

- * How seriously do you take your civic duty?
- * How informed are you about the values of the candidates you support?

Dear Padre,

October 18, 2020

As a recovering heroin addict, do I need to go to reconciliation to confess my addiction? Addiction is a disease, not a sin. Right?

Right, but addiction and actually using drugs are two different things. As you know, recovering addicts who don't use drugs are still addicts, and that in itself isn't a sin. But it's against the law to use heroin in the United States, so even if you never committed a secondary crime to get it, getting it was a crime.

More important, though, the body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, and it's a sin to abuse ourselves in any way. Even if it weren't against the law, your use of heroin is certainly an abuse of your body.

The sacrament of reconciliation is more than just receiving absolution for sins. It also helps us look more deeply at our lives. Before you go, examine your conscience: Ask yourself how your addiction has affected your body, your life, your relationship with God, and the welfare of others.

If you bring honest answers to those questions as well as an open heart and an open mind, your conversation with your priest at reconciliation will help you heal your relationship with God and others. You will also receive the grace to improve your life and do things like overcome addiction so you can be a better person.

—Fr. Patrick Keyes, CSsR

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Monday
October 19
Sts. John de
Brébeuf and
Isaac Jogues,
Priests, and
Companions,
Martyrs
Eph 2:1-10
Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday October 20 Weekday Eph 2:12-22 Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday October 21 Weekday Eph 3:2-12 Lk 12: 29-48

Thursday October 22 *Weekday* Eph 3:14-21 Lk 12:49-53

Friday
October 23
Weekday:
Eph 4:1-6
Lk 12:54-59

Saturday October 24 *Weekday* Eph 4:7-16 Lk 13: 1-9

Sunday
October 25
Thirtieth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
Ex 22:20-26
1 Thes 1:5c-10
Mt 22:34-40