October 15, 2017

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

THE KING SAID TO HIS SERVANTS,
"THE FEAST IS READY, BUT THOSE WHO WERE INVITED WERE NOT WORTHY TO COME. GO, THEREFORE, INTO THE MAIN ROADS AND INVITE TO THE FEAST WHOMEVER YOU FIND."

Matthew 22:8-9

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Catholic Church is a welcoming community dedicated to Promoting a devout life of prayer and teaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ through living the sacraments in a spirit of generous service.

Feast of St. Peter and Paul
6/29/1967
6/29/2017
MASS INTENTIONS
Oct. 17 - 22, 2017

Tuesday
6:30 pm †Chris Kaspar - Ernest & Janette Scholz

Wednesday
6:30 pm †Natalie Dimas - Mom

Thursday
8:00 am †Annette Guerrero - Chano Rodriguez

Friday
8:00 am Msgr. McGowan (In Thanksgiving) - Evelyn Martini

Saturday
6:00 pm †Robert Lichtenberger - M/M Ruben S. Lopez

Sunday
8:00 am †Louie & Minnie Sablatura - Evelyn Martini
9:30 am †Dominic Roman & Joe & Lydia Quitiugua
10:00 am People of the Parish
12:00 pm †Manuel Saenz - Family
†Rita Nolan - Anita Ratliff
†Bertha Roznovsky - CDA #246
†Sally Reynolds - David & Lori Hessel
In Honor of St. Anthony - Gloria Vasquez
Special Intention - Chano Rodriguez
†Elisa Fonseca - Ruben Fonseca
6:00 pm Bishop Carmody (In Thanksgivng) Evelyn Martini

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Church
10/8/17

Envelopes ................................................... $13,072.50
Loose ............................................................ $1,917.21
Other Fees .................................................... $1,532.00
Total .................................................... $16,521.71

St. Mary Mission  10/8/17
Envelopes ........................................................ $580.00
Loose ............................................................... $119.36
Total.................................................................. $699.36

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:  Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday:  Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday:  2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9
Thursday:  Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1b-6ab; Lk 11:47-54
Friday:    Rom 4:1-8; Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11; Lk 12:1-7
Saturday:  Rom 4:13, 16-18; Ps 105:6-9, 42-43; Lk 12:8-12
Sunday:   Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 7-10; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

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THE HEAVENLY BANQUET

The mountain of the Lord described in today's first reading is a place where there is no more hunger, no more weeping, and no more division of any kind. We need to pause and ponder these images every now and then, especially given the fact that we live in such a fractured world. The responsorial psalm continues to paint a picture of a place where only goodness and kindness flourish. These readings describe the heavenly banquet, to which God calls each of us through baptism and continues to call us throughout our lives. Let us “RSVP” to God’s invitation and live our lives consistent with gospel values so that one day we will be welcomed to the table of the kingdom.

Altar & Rosary Society Meeting
Monday, Oct. 16th at 7 pm in the KC Hall.
All the Ladies in the parish are invited to attend.

The Catholic Daughters will meet Tuesday, October 17th at 6:00 p.m. in the C.C.D. Center.
GOD’S GOODNESS
Let us throw ourselves into the
Ocean of God’s goodness,
Where every failing will be cancelled
And anxiety turned into love
—St. Paul of the Cross

CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME
thanks everyone who displayed a yard sign. They can be taken down at this time. We also thank everyone for their prayers and support. We had to cancel the Fall session due to lack of participants. Please pray for the success of the Lenten session of Catholics Returning Home, which will begin after Ash Wednesday.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In 1971, the Vatican Congregation for Divine Worship completed a survey of the presidents of the national liturgical commissions around the world. How were children doing in the liturgical reform? Probably to their surprise, the cardinals learned of special weekday Masses for children designed to teach them how to participate on Sunday. Masses with separate components for children. The decision was made quickly to develop adaptations for Masses where children were a majority of the assembly. Changes would include a simpler structure, understandable texts, a simplified Lectionary, more active participation, and most surprisingly, new Eucharistic Prayers. By 1973 the work was done, and with very specific advice from Pope Paul VI, including the need for two new Eucharistic Prayers, the Directory for Masses with Children was published on December 20, a timely Christmas gift for the children of the world.

The prayers are the first to be written fresh in a modern language—not Latin, but French and German—then translated into English, Italian, and Spanish. With a sense of caution, these new prayers were approved for three years, until 1977, but it soon became apparent that they had truly been embraced.

Clergy and Religious Appreciation Banquet, Thursday, November 2, 2017, 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Location: Richard Borchard Fairgrounds - Robstown, TX

Join the Knights of Columbus in honoring all clergy and religious at the 25th Annual Clergy and Religious Appreciation Banquet on Thursday, Nov. 2 from 6-9 p.m. at Richard M. Borchard Fairgrounds (1213 Terry Shamsie Blvd. in Robstown.

The event is free to all Clergy and Religious. Please RSVP by contacting Bo Rimar at arimarjr@stx.rr.com or call (210) 379-2705.
OUR ANNUAL PARISH HALLOWEEN FESTIVAL
Will be on
**Saturday, October 28 @ 7 p.m.**
In St. Matthew Hall parking lot
There will be fun and games for all ages and the
Knights of Columbus will provide hot dogs, chips and drinks.

All we ask is that our CCD students donate a bag of candy to go towards
The game prizes.
**GIRLS ARE ASKED TO BRING A BAG OF CHOCOLATE CANDY &
BOYS MAY BRING ANY OTHER KIND.**
Please send it with your son/daughter to class before Oct. 25th

**WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE!**

This is an excellent opportunity for our Confirmation students
To acquire their service hours.
Please sign up in the CCD office.
Do you feel a calling to do more?

Then, join us at the Ministries’ Day gathering where you can visit with various members of the different ministries offered at St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Church.

Our time, talents, and treasure are on loan to us from God. Give them away with unlimited generosity and love.

*Minnstries of Witness*

All Heads of Ministries
Catholic Daughters of the Americas
Creating & Maintaining a Safe Environment
Extraordinary Ministers
Guadalupanas
Knights of Columbus
Lectors
Religious Education Catechists
Sacristans

Ephesians 4:11-13
New American Standard Bible (NASB)

11 And He gave some as apostles, and some as prophets, and some as evangelists, and some as pastors and teachers, 12 for the equipping of the saints for the work of service, to the building up of the body of Christ; 13 until we all attain to the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a mature man, to the measure of the stature which belongs to the fullness of Christ.

For our Youth
Altar Servers
High School Youth Group

Ministries of Helping
Adoration
Altar & Rosary Society
Hospitality
Music Ministry
Prayer Group
Plant Management
Volunteer work around the Parish

For those coming in
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
Catholics Returning Home
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