



**VERY
REVEREND
RAJU D. THOTTANKARA
PASTOR**

DEACONS:

Allen Cicora
Eluterio Farias
Brian Holden

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday: 6:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:15 AM
12:00 PM and 6:00 PM

Confessions are heard on
Saturday from 4:30 - 5:30 PM
and by appointment.

September 28, 2025

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Church

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**Lying at the rich man's door
was a poor man
named Lazarus,
covered with sores,**

**who would
gladly have
eaten his fill of scraps
that fell from the
rich man's table.**

Luke 16:20-21

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

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.

**Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Coach Paul**

Today's reading from First Timothy sounds almost like a coach getting his team ready for the big game. This coach has much higher goals than a home run or a touchdown. Instead of pursuing a league championship, he seeks faith, love, patience, and gentleness. How about us? Are we in the game or on the sidelines? Let's look at what Coach Paul is talking about.

Faith is a relationship with the Lord in which we imitate Jesus' outlook on life, his teachings, his love of God. We struggle with his commands to love our enemies, to turn the other cheek, to forgive all wrongs, and to take up our cross each day. As Paul would say, we are "competing well for the faith."

We pursue love by listening to the Gospel, in which Jesus tells the parable of the rich man who was only concerned with his own comfort. Jesus says that if we truly understood the prophets, such as our first reading from Amos, we would not spend all our energy and wealth on ourselves.

As we learn to let go of our need to have everything go our way, we become more patient with people who disagree with us, or with frustrations and problems. We learn to see God in our setbacks as well as in our successes. Experiencing the Lord is the championship we want.

Tom Schmidt



**The Sanctuary Candle
Is burning for
†Frances Leal
By: Dahlia Tapia**



**The Sanctuary Candle
Is burning for
†Blanca Garcia
We Miss You, Rest in Peace
By ARS**

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday Feast of Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels
Tuesday Memorial of Saint Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church
Wednesday Memorial of Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church
Thursday Memorial of the Holy Guardian Angels
Saturday Memorial of Saint Francis of Assisi
Sunday Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings for the Week

Sunday Am 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31
Monday Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5; Jn 1:47-51
Tuesday Zec 8:20-23; Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 9:51-56
Wednesday Neh 2:1-8; Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Lk 9:57-62
Thursday Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Mt 18:1-5, 10
Friday Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9; Lk 10:13-16
Saturday Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Ps 69:33-35, 36-37; Lk 10:17-24
Sunday Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10

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October 1 - October 5, 2025

Wednesday

6:30 pm †Jaime Longoria (Happy Heavenly Birthday) -
By Michael & Jamie Betancourt
Olga Betancourt (Happy Birthday) - By Michael
& Jamie Betancourt
Rodriguez Grandchildren (2025 - 2026 School
Year) - By Chano Rodriguez

Thursday

8:00 am †Aida Deases - By Chano Rodriguez

Friday

8:00 am †Manuel Cantu - By Elda & Roy Green

Saturday

8:00 am †Manuel Cantu - By Judy & Steve Jaksik

6:00 pm †Max Lopez - By Christi Peraless
†Robert Pena Jr - By Janie C. Pena
Geore Martin III (Birthday) - By George &
Fredda Martin
Maria M. Hernandez (Prayers) - By Albert &
Anita Vasquez

Sunday

8:00 am †Lucy Lekosky - By Delia Villarreal
10:15 am People of the Parish
12:00 pm †Maria Sandroussi - By Michael Sandroussi
†Ottie Zieger & †Don Cox - By Lil & Carol
†Mary Thottankara - Janie C. Pena
6:00 pm †Joseph Eugene Fey - By Jo Ella Menn

**St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Parish
09/21/2025**

Envelopes.....	\$9,960.50
Loose.....	\$499.58
Online.....	\$3,505.00
Other.....	\$318.00
Total.....	\$14,283.08

**St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles Parish
09/14/2025**

Envelopes.....	\$7,630.00
Loose.....	\$2,810.38
Online.....	\$2,530.00
Other.....	\$427.00
Total.....	\$13,397.38

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SUNDAY KIDZ

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

X	T	S	O	L	B	D	G	K	Y	K
A	B	X	O	P	J	I	M	N	C	O
A	C	I	I	R	J	F	N	K	H	P
G	T	E	S	R	E	H	L	J	A	S
V	Q	I	D	P	M	S	I	R	S	P
B	Q	A	Q	I	B	C	S	I	M	G
A	E	D	M	T	T	J	T	S	E	L
D	I	N	G	Y	Y	S	E	E	U	I
A	P	U	R	P	L	E	N	G	D	N
S	U	W	A	N	G	E	L	S	Q	E
V	U	L	P	V	W	D	O	O	R	N

Purple Linen Door Sores Angels
Pity Chasm Listen Rise Dead

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The Little Ones Jim Burrows

And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been set, so that those who want to go over from here to you will not be able, nor will any people cross over from there to us. Lk 16:26

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Vendors Wanted

Annual Morgan Fest
Saturday, November 8, 2025
12 - 9:30pm
St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles
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