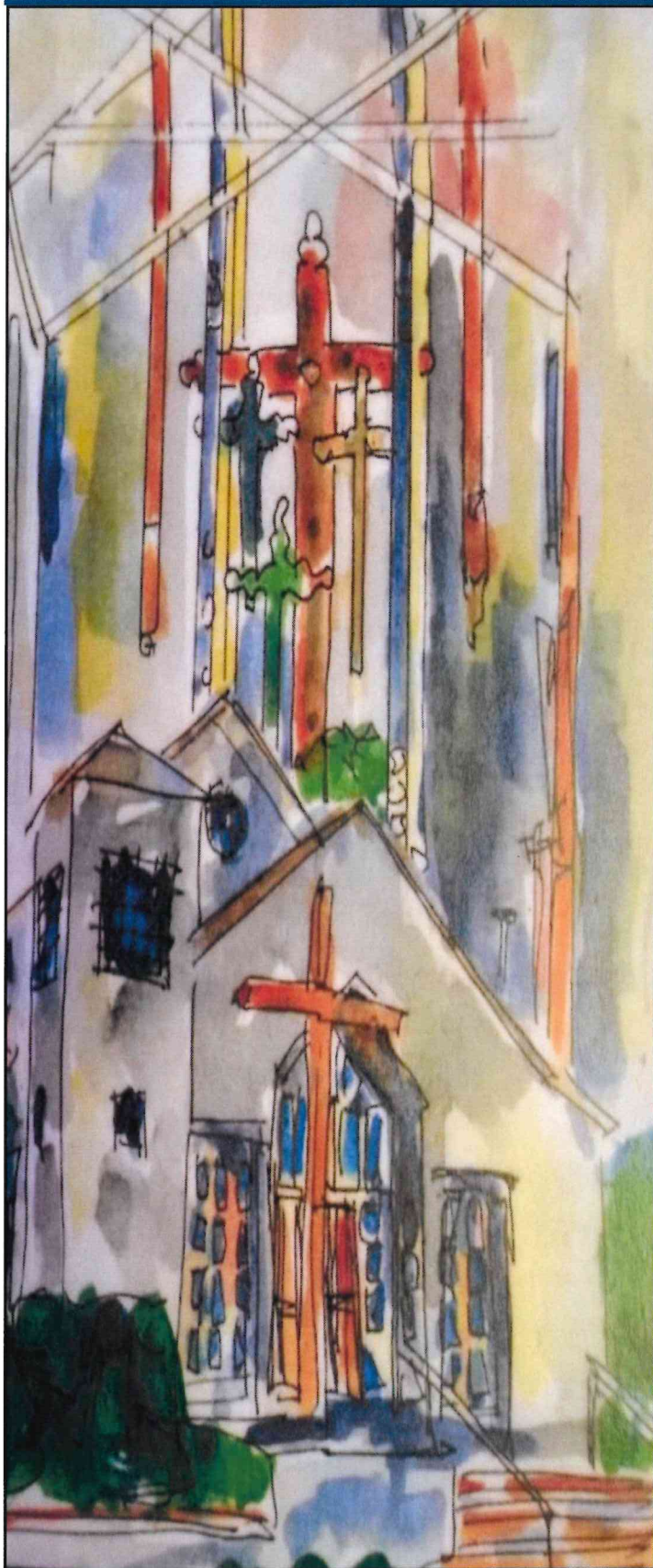


ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Sacrament of Eucharist

Mass Schedule

Weekend Mass

Saturday: 4:30 P.M.

Sunday: 8:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.

Weekday Mass

Monday: 5:30 P.M.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Fridays: 8:30 A.M.

Holy Day Mass

Vigil: 4:00 P.M. Day: 8:30 A.M. & 7:30 P.M.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:30 P.M. — 4:00 P.M., or by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism

Contact Sister Hilda Sandoval, 2 months in advance.

Sacrament of Marriage

Contact the Parish Office, 6 months in advance.

September 6, 2026

Twenty-third Sunday in ordinary Time

May our hearts not be hardened, but may we turn from our sin. In our love for one another, we may be called to confront our brother and sister for the wrong they may be doing.

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PARISH COUNCIL

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FINANCE COMMITTEE

Mr. Dale Fajardo, Chair

Mass Intentions

September 7 – 13, 2026

Mass Readings

Mon	7	5:30 P.M.	†Miguel Biteng
Tue	8	8:30 A.M.	†Celsa Carter
Wed	9	8:30 A.M.	†Rodolfo Llor
Thu	10	8:30 A.M.	†Rodolfo Linaja
Fri	11	8:30 A.M.	†Ben Yep
Sat	12	4:30 P.M.	†Keith Bottoms
Sun	13	8:30 A.M.	People of St. Peter
		11:00 AM	†Hilda Luisa Mc Carroll

Mon 7	Reading 1 <i>Corinthians</i> 5:1-8 Responsorial <i>Psalms</i> 5:5-6,7,12 Gospel <i>Luke</i> 6:6-11
	<i>THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY</i>
Tue 8	Reading <i>Micah</i> 5:1-4a or <i>Romans</i> 8:28-30 Responsorial <i>Psalms</i> 13:6abc Gospel <i>Matthew</i> 1:1-16,18-23
	<i>Saint Peter Claver, Priest</i>
Wed 9	Reading 1 <i>Corinthians</i> 7:25-31 Responsorial <i>Psalms</i> 45:11-12,14-17 Gospel <i>Luke</i> 6:20-26
Thu 10	Reading 1 <i>Corinthians</i> 8:1b-7,11-13 Responsorial <i>Psalms</i> 139:1b-3,13-14b,23-24 Gospel <i>Luke</i> 6:27-38
Fri 11	Reading 1 <i>Corinthians</i> 9:16-19,22b-27 Responsorial <i>Psalms</i> 84:3-6,12 Gospel <i>Luke</i> 6:39-42
Sat 12	Reading 1 <i>Corinthians</i> 10:14-22 Responsorial <i>Psalms</i> 116:12-13,17-18 Gospel <i>Luke</i> 6:43-49
	<i>Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
Sun 13	Reading I <i>Sirach</i> 27:30—28:7 Responsorial <i>Psalms</i> 103:1-4,9-12 Reading II <i>Romans</i> 14:7-9 Gospel <i>Matthew</i> 18:21-35

Flocknote

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**The Parish Office will be closed
Monday, September 7, 2026
in observance of the
Labor Day Holiday.**

September 6, 2026 Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time



Today's readings remind us of the importance of our relationships. God created us to live in communion with Him and with one another. Our families, neighbors, friends, and parish community need us, and we need them as we grow together in holiness.

In today's Second Reading, St. Paul gives us a simple but profound guide for living in relationship with others. Echoing the words of Christ, he writes, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." Love is the guiding principle that helps us become good stewards of every relationship God has entrusted to us.

In today's Gospel, Jesus shows us what that love looks like, even when relationships become strained. He tells His disciples, "If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have won over your brother."

Rather than ignoring conflict or allowing resentment to grow, Jesus teaches us to approach one another with humility, charity, and a sincere desire for reconciliation. This is faithful stewardship of our relationships.

He also reminds us of the strength found in Christian community: "Where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them."

God never intended us to journey to heaven alone. May we care for the relationships He has entrusted to us and help one another grow as faithful disciples.

Second Collection for September 13, 2026 – Church of Latin America

The Collection for the Church in Latin America supports pastoral programs as awarded by the Subcommittee on the Church in Latin America throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. Projects include the work of evangelization, formation of laity, religious and seminarians, as well as youth ministry and catechesis. Funding is limited to programmatic expenses and excludes building construction except in cases of emergency.

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PASTOR LETTER TO PARISH COMMUNITY

Dear Parishioners,

As members of the Body of Christ, we are called to live the Gospel not only in times of celebration, but also during moments that require sacrifice, accountability, and healing. Today, our parish family is being asked to participate in a diocesan bankruptcy settlement that seeks to provide just compensation to survivors of abuse while ensuring the continued ministry of the Church for future generations.

This is not simply a financial matter. It is a moral responsibility rooted in our faith. We believe in the dignity of every person, in the pursuit of justice, and in the healing power of reconciliation. While no financial settlement can erase the pain experienced by survivors, our participation demonstrates a commitment to acknowledging their suffering and helping to bring a measure of justice and closure.

At the same time, we have a fiduciary responsibility to safeguard the future of our parish. The ministries we cherish, the worship we share, the faith formation of our children, our outreach to those in need, and the spiritual home we provide for countless families all depend on the strength and stability of our parish community. By contributing to this settlement, we are helping to resolve a challenging chapter in the life of the Church and create a stronger foundation upon which future generations can build.

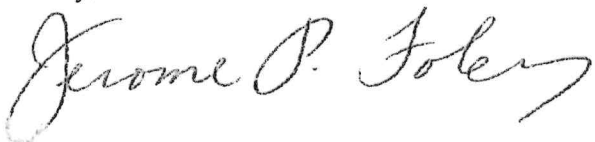
Our participation in this process reflects our commitment to compassion, accountability, and faithful stewardship. We recognize that many parishioners may have questions about the settlement, its impact on our parish, and the broader efforts of the Archdiocese to address past harm and move forward. To assist in understanding these matters, additional information and [frequently asked questions](#) will be made available and provide important context about the process, its goals, and its implications for parishes and ministries throughout the Archdiocese.

Our parish has weathered challenges before, and each time we have emerged stronger because of the faith, generosity, and perseverance of our people. I remain deeply optimistic about our future. Together we will continue to grow as a vibrant community of faith, strengthen our ministries, support one another, and fulfill Christ's mission in our corner of the world.

Please continue to pray for survivors of abuse, for all those who have been affected by these painful events, and for healing throughout our Church. Thank you for your continued prayers, generosity, and dedication to our parish family. Through our collective efforts, we can honor the past, serve the present, and build a future filled with faith and promise.

May God bless you and your loved ones.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jerome P. Foley". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the word "Sincerely,".

Reverend Jerome P. Foley, Pastor
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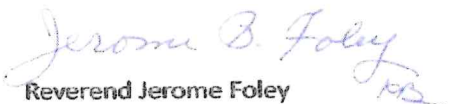
Dear Community Members:

As you may have already heard, we have made the difficult decision to suspend the St. Peter Athletics program for the 2026-2027 season.

Catholic Charities Catholic Youth Organization (CCCYO) revised its participation rules last year to allow more equity and participation throughout the community. Three attempts were made by CCCYO staff between February and July of this year to coordinate with the St. Peter athletic director to continue participation for the 2026-2027 season and enroll St. Peter's athletic teams under the new CCCYO guidelines. However, CCCYO was met with no response. These attempts by CCCYO were made in good faith in the hope of working together towards finding a joint resolution and continuing play. By the time Parish Leadership were made aware of the situation in late July by the athletic director, and despite many last-minute efforts between Parish staff and CCCYO leadership, no solution could be thoughtfully and properly executed in order to preserve the season given the constraint on time. We have decided that the best course forward for the future stability of St. Peter's Athletics is to pause the CCCYO program and redesign our participation model.

While this news is disappointing for our St. Peter Community, we have already begun the search for a new athletic director with the support of CCCYO leadership. We are confident that under new athletic leadership, St. Peter's athletic program will resume its partnership with CCCYO for the 2027-2028 season and thrive once again.

Sincerely,


Reverend Jerome Foley
Pastor, St. Peter Church


Michael Adam
Associate Deputy Director, Catholic Charities
CYO of the Archdiocese of San Francisco

Religious Education

Registration forms for **Religious Education** (Kinder-6th Grade) and **Confirmation** are available at the Church Narthex, the Religious Education Office, the Parish Office, and in the St. Peter, Pacifica Website at <https://stpeterpacific.org>.

REGISTRATION FEE

One child \$195.00. Two children \$235.00. Three or more children \$270.00.

Religious Education Classes begin Tuesday, September 15 and Wednesday, September 16, 2026.

Tuesday, September 15, 2026 from 3:45 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Wednesday, September 16, 2026 from 3:00 P.M. to 4:15 P.M.

Confirmation Classes begin Tuesday, September 15 and Wednesday, September 16, 2026.

Tuesday, September 15, 2026, First Year—Grade 7, from 3:45 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Wednesday, September 16, 2026, First Year—Grade 7, from 3:00 P.M. to 4:15 P.M.

Wednesday, September 16, 2026, Second Year—Grade 8, from 7:00 P.M. to 8:30 P.M.

For additional information regarding **Religious Education** contact Sister Hilda Sandoval, M.F.P. at 650-359-5000 or by email at hilsandoval63@gmail.com and for **Confirmation** call 650-359-5000 or by email at Peterscoveyouth@gmail.com.

RETURN REGISTRATION FORMS TO SISTER HILDA SANDOVAL

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A Journey of Faith



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- Would like to learn more about the Catholic Faith?
- Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

We offer the opportunity to come together to learn more about the faith. Sessions focus on our experience of God, the teaching and experience of the church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter Season.

You are welcomed to participate in the process with your questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm accepting setting.

For additional information, or to register in this program, please contact Sister Hilda Sandoval, M.F.P. at 650-359-5000 or by email at hilsandoval63@gmail.com.

Classes begin September 8, 2026 at 7:00 P.M.

Registration is required prior to the start of the program.

Sunday Collections		 ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL SAN FRANCISCO	
August 15/16, 2026 Offertory \$4,360.00 Maintenance \$2,379.00		ASSESSMENT \$65,022.00 COLLECTED \$26,709.00 BALANCE \$38,314.00	
August 22/23, 2026 Offertory \$3,971.77		Parish Calendar	
August 29/30, 2026 Offertory \$3,502.00 Saint Vincent de Paul \$1,868.00			
Online Collection		Mon 7 Labor Day – Parish Office closed 3:00 P.M. Chaplet of Divine Mercy 5:30 P.M. Evening Mass	
August 8 – 14, 2026 Offertory \$1,052.31 Maintenance Fund \$38.08 Church Roof Fund \$75.46 Religious Education Fund \$19.07 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal \$19.07 TOTAL \$1,260.66		Tue 8 8:30 A.M. Daily Mass 3:00 P.M. Chaplet of Divine Mercy 7:00 P.M. OCIA Class	
August 15 – 21, 2026 Offertory \$939.71 Maintenance Fund \$170.58 Church Roof Fund \$74.99 Religious Education Fund \$18.60 Additional Donations \$18.60 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal \$104.93 TOTAL \$1,327.41		Wed 9 8:30 A.M. Daily Mass 3:00 P.M. Chaplet of Divine Mercy	
August 22 – 28, 2026 Offertory \$945.46 Maintenance Fund \$248.90 Church Roof Fund \$56.39 Religious Education Fund \$47.38 Additional Donations \$18.60 TOTAL \$1,306.73		Thu 10 8:30 A.M. Daily Mass 3:00 P.M. Chaplet of Divine Mercy	
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