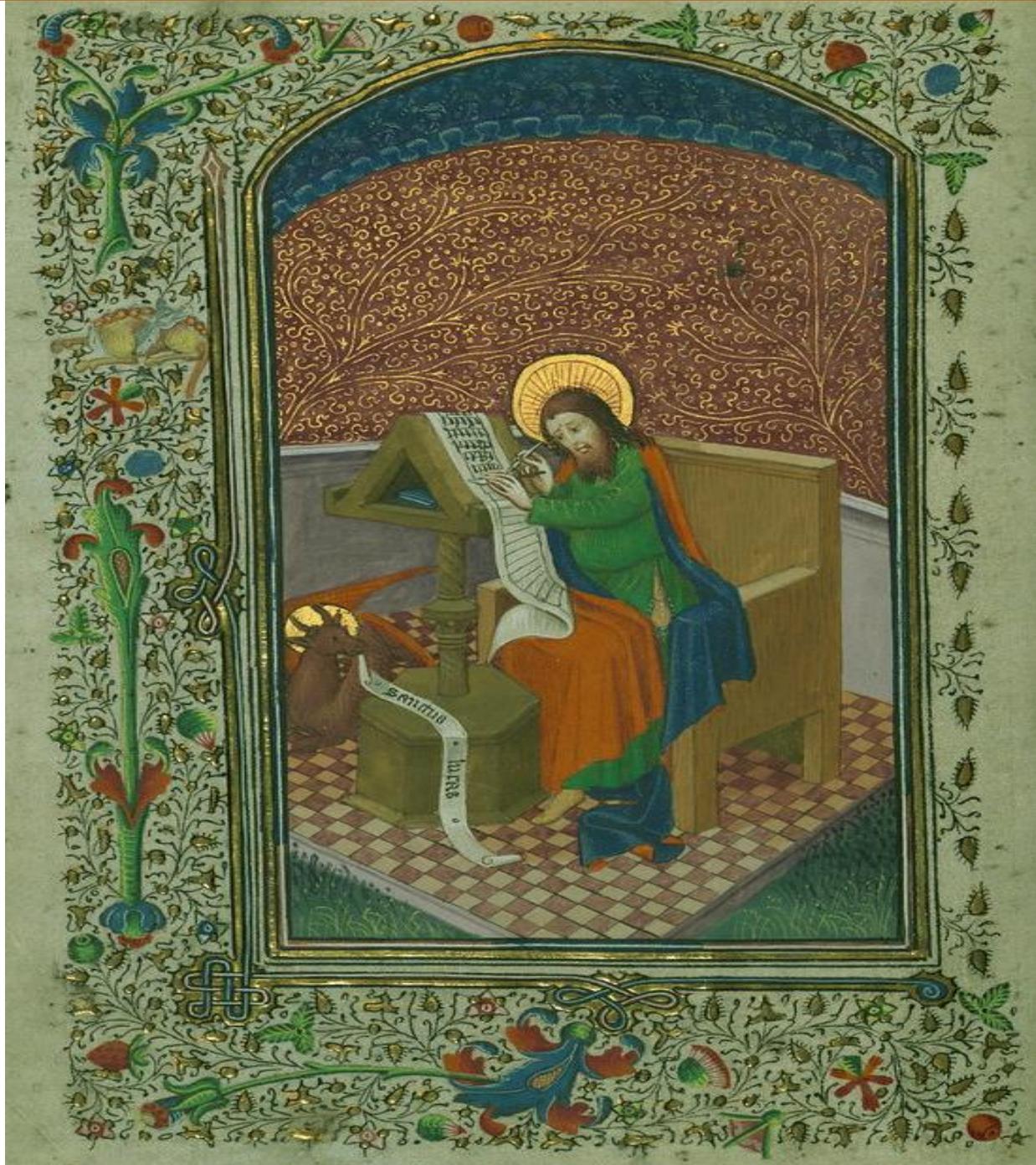


ST. PETER'S KEY

ST. PETER'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

OCTOBER 2022



*Grant that, by the wholesome medicine of the doctrine
Saint Luke taught, all the diseases of our souls may be
healed, through Jesus Christ our Lord.*



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St Peter's Anglican Church **October 2022**
Loveland, Colorado 80538

For the Lord is gracious, His mercy is everlasting. Psalm 100:4

PENTECOST CALENDAR - October

- 1 - Teen Group 6:00-8:30PM
- 2 - 17th Sunday After Pentecost Services 8:00AM and 9:30AM. 11AM youth and adult education.
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- 5- Fr. Matt's Bible Study 1:00PM
- 6 - Study Prayer Group 7:00AM Zoom
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A SECOND SUNDAY SERVICE BEGINS ON OCTOBER 2nd AT 8:00AM

With Saint Peter's Anglican Church's growing congregation, seating is getting a bit tight on Sunday mornings at the 9:30AM service. For example, on the last Sunday in September eighteen visitors, that included three families with children, were welcomed to the service. The 45 minute said eucharist (no music) service at 8:00AM will follow the "Traditional Language Service" from the new ACNA Traditional Language Book of Common Prayer. Join in for an early Sunday start!

SAINT PETER'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
 A Biblically-Based Anglican Community
 Sunday Service at 9:30 AM
 Mr. Mark Maeda, Senior Warden
 Mr. Dennis Llewellyn, Junior Warden
 Mrs. Elizabeth Baugh, Administrative Assistant

HEAD of the CHURCH: JESUS CHRIST
 The Most Reverend Dr. Foley Beach, Archbishop
 Anglican Church in North America
 The Right Reverend Dr. Bill Atwood, Bishop, International Diocese
 The Reverend Matthew Rucker, Rector
 The Reverend William Easterling, Assisting Priest
 The Reverend Larry Doyle, Deacon (retired)

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PHOTO HAPPENINGS



FR MATT KICKED OFF THE FALL ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAM WITH INSTRUCTION ON PROVERBS.



IN MID-SEPTEMBER FOUR BOXES CONTAINING CHRISTMAS PRESENTS AND MORE WERE SENT VIA SHIP TO ZETEO MISSIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES.



AARON & DENNY WORKING ON THE OFFICE AND NURSERY DOOR SWITCHING PROJECT.



THANK YOU TO MARY ANN AND DENNY L. AND MARY ANNE P. FOR THE BOOK DONATIONS!



THANKS TO STEVE K. FOR LOCATING & OBTAINING NEW MICROPHONES.

Dear Jesus,
 As I carve my pumpkin, help me say this prayer:
Open my mind, so I can learn about you;
 (Cut the top off the pumpkin.)
Take all my sin, and forgive the wrong that I do.
 (Clean out the inside.)
Open my eyes, so your love I will see;
 (Cut eyes shaped like hearts.)
I'm so sorry for times I've turned up my nose at what you've given to me.
 (Cut a nose in the shape of the cross.)
Open my ears, so your Word I will hear;
 (Cut ears shaped like the Bible.)
Open my mouth to tell others you're near.
 (Cut the mouth in the shape of a fish.)
Let your light shine in all I say and do! Amen.
 (Place a candle inside, and light it.)



MY PUMPKIN PRAYER
 TO JESUS

I WOULD FALL ON MY FACE AND WORSHIP



I studied Arabic for two years in college. Sadly, I have forgotten most of it apart from a few phrases. As with any language, the best way to learn Arabic is not through translation, but through immersion in conversation with native speakers. So, one of my weekly assignments was visiting Arab coffee houses and restaurants in the Arabic speaking neighborhoods of Los Angeles to find conversation partners. Many of my conversation partners were from ancient Christian churches, such as Chaldean and Coptic Christians, and many others who I spoke with were Muslim. After a few minutes of small talk, a Muslim man once asked if he could ask me a question about my faith as a Christian. I said he could, so long as I could answer in English. He agreed, and asked if I really believed that Jesus Christ was the God who created and sustains the world, and if I really believed that Jesus was present in the Eucharist. I told him I believed that was true. His response haunted me, “if that is true, how can you Christians treat Church so casually? If God was really in that bread and wine, I would fall on my face and worship.”

Perhaps that story does not convict you in the same way that it convicted and still convicts me, but it is a story that has shaped my view on the purpose of gathering together for Church ever since and my role as a Priest, ironically spoken by a kind and thoughtful Muslim man. Church is no light thing. It is where and how we enter into the presence of God in Word and Sacrament. Fellowship is an important part of Christian life, but the Church is not a social club. Charity is a vital part of Christian life, but the Church is not a charitable organization. God makes real claims on our allegiances, but the Church is not a political organization. Whatever other emphases we place on the Church in order to grow the Church or make it suit our whims and preferences, the Church is where heaven and earth intersect, and where God’s people meet God through Word and Sacrament.

Why do we worship as we do (and why is Father Matt so rigid and uncompromising about how we worship)? Why should we enter the sanctuary in silent reverence allowing space and time for prayer rather than treating that time like a time for casual conversation? Why do I, as Celebrant, quietly dispense the Sacraments at the altar rail, instead of using that time to have a conversation or exchange a smile with those who come forward for the Sacraments, even with my own family? Why do I insist on following the liturgy instead of asking the liturgy to follow us? The answer to all of those questions is simple, Church is where and when we encounter God. A conversation with a friend or a smile with Fr. Matt will not be able to save you, only Jesus Christ can save us. Come to Church for Him and no one else.

As Communion is given, we say, “This is my body which is broken for you; preserve you body and soul unto everlasting life; take and eat this in remembrance that Christ died for you; and feed on him in your hearts by faith with Thanksgiving.” These words of administration tell us what communion is, what communion is for, and how communion is to be received. This is Christ’s body, broken for us. How can we receive that lightly?

Yours In Christ,
Fr. Matt

“O Cast your burden upon the Lord, and He shall nourish you,
and shall not allow the righteous to fall for ever.”

Psalm 55:23

WELCOME GERARD JAMES FORWOOD

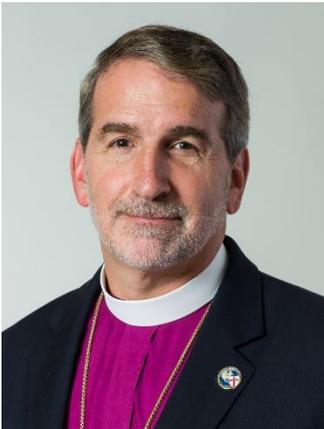


Congratulations to the Forwood Family on the early arrival of Gerard James Forwood on September 2nd. Weighing in at a hefty seven pounds and four ounces, Gerard is home and doing well. Along with mom and dad, Gerard joins one excited sister and three just as excited older brothers!

From Brooke and Seth: "We're so thankful for the prayers and support that have ushered in his quick and safe arrival."

May the Lord watch over him and bless him.

A CALL TO PRAYER FOR THE ROYAL FAMILY FROM THE ARCHBISHOP



As Chairman of the Global Anglican Future Conference Primates Council (Gafcon) and Archbishop of the Anglican Church in North America, I join with Anglicans across the world in praying for the royal family at this most difficult time.

Throughout her life, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II has been a faithful Christian witness to the world and a defender of the Christian faith. While we mourn her passing, we celebrate and give thanks for her long life and faithfulness to the Lord Jesus Christ. I pray for all the Royal family, that in their time of mourning and grief, they may find comfort in the Lord Jesus Christ, and peace from the Holy Spirit, which surpasses all understanding. I also pray for wisdom in the days ahead for King Charles III, the royal household, and all the countries of the Commonwealth.

Into your hands, O merciful Savior, we commend your servant Elizabeth. Acknowledge, we humbly beseech you, a sheep of your own fold, a lamb of your own flock, a sinner of your own redeeming. Receive her into the arms of your mercy, into the blessed rest of everlasting peace, and into the glorious company of the saints in light. Amen.

+ *Foley Beach*

The Most Rev. Dr. Foley Beach

Archbishop of The Anglican Church in North America and Gafcon Chairman

But the Lord is faithful. He will establish you and guard you against the evil one.

2 Thessalonians 3:3

Blessing - of the - ANIMALS

Sunday, October 2nd
4:00 PM



PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

BAPTISM SUNDAY WILL BE ON NOVEMBER 6TH – All Saints Sunday

If you or anyone in your family is interested in being baptized, please contact Fr Matt or the church office for additional information.

HELPING HANDS MINISTRY NEEDS YOUR HELP

The church is looking for members who can readily offer a hand when a member of the congregation is in a season of life where they need help with things like cleaning their home, making meals, picking-up groceries, shoveling snow, etc.

If you are interested and able, we would love to have you on the Helping Hands Ministry to help fulfill these needs and others as they arise. Please get in touch with Anna Hultin via email or telephone if you desire to participate.

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NEW EARLY 8:00 AM SERVICE READERS

If you are interested in serving as a Reader or Intercessor for the new 8:00AM service, please contact the church office.

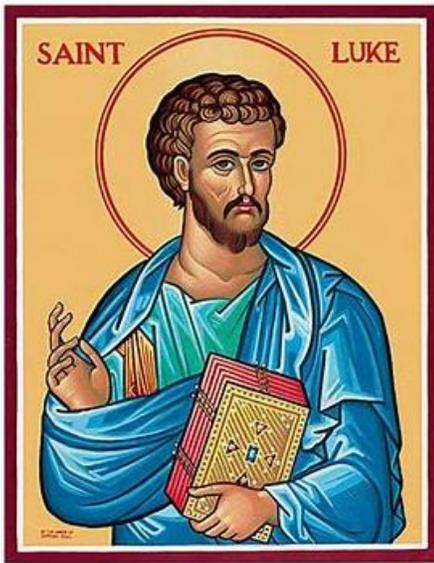
WEEKLY ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATIONS

If you would like to add a personal flower dedication in the Sunday bulletin for a certain week, please visit www.stpetersloveland.org/flowers and fill out the form.

NEWCOMER CATECHISM CLASS

Sundays at 11:00AM, November 27th through December 18th for all who are newcomers and/or desire to be confirmed or received into the church.

ST LUKE'S FEAST DAY IS OCT 18th



St. Luke the Evangelist, a Greco-Syrian who came from Antioch, was a physician by trade and thought also to be an artist. Some historians believe he might have also been a slave. Although he was a Gentile and not a Jew, he was a disciple of Paul. He was with Paul first at Troas and then at Philippi, Jerusalem, and finally Rome. The two were imprisoned together in Rome; and he is mentioned as being a loyal friend in several of Paul's letters including Colossians, Philemon, and Timothy.

St. Luke is the author of the Gospel according to St. Luke and the Acts of the Apostles, of which his information for his inspired writing came from his close association with Paul and those around him who had been eye witnesses to Jesus' life. It is only in Luke's writings that the unique relationship between Jesus and women is reviled, and where parables are presented that relate to social justice and the poor. It is only in his Gospel that we read the story of the Annunciation, the visit of Mary to Elizabeth, the story of Lazarus, the story of the Prodigal Son, and the story of the

woman who is forgiven for disrupting the feast by washing Jesus' feet with tears and hair.

Early tradition holds that St. Luke died in Boetia, Greece, at the age of 84, but other traditions hold that he was martyred. St. Luke's feast Day is celebrated on October 18th, and he is considered the patron for physicians, surgeons, and artists. The oxen or calf is considered a symbol for St. Luke as they are symbols of sacrifice for Jesus.



Most charming and saintly Physician, you were animated by the heavenly Spirit of love. In faithfully detailing the humanity of Jesus, you also showed his divinity and his genuine compassion for all human beings. Inspire our physicians with your professionalism and with the divine compassion for their patients.



Almighty God, Who didst inspire Thy servant St. Luke the physician to set forth in the Gospel the love and healing power of Thy Son: Graciously continue in Thy Church the love and power to heal, to the praise and glory of Thy Name; through the same Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, one God, now and forever. Amen.

ZETEO TO HAVE A MERRY CHRISTMAS

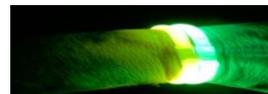


The role of St. Peter's Anglican Church with Zeteo is one of "relationship". Our goal is to show our love for the staff, children and administration of Zeteo and thus help them through their hard times. Most of the Zeteo staff members have suffered tremendously in their lives from poverty to growing up in families with alcohol, abuse, etc. Kate the director has shared the backgrounds of some staff when appropriate, and it is shocking to understand that humans can survive the things some have endured. Most staff lack self-esteem and are taken aback by our generosity which makes our role of relationship so important. With this in mind, the Zeteo team packed four boxes of Christmas gifts on September 16th, thanks to the special leadership of Debbie Delorme.

We are so thankful to the families of our congregation that "adopted" all thirteen children for Christmas gifts. We also had a family send a very special gift to Kate in the name of this congregation (I would say what the gift was, but Kate might read this article and surprise element would be gone). Finally, twenty reusable packs were filled with a large insulated water bottle, playing cards, toiletries, Tic Tacs, and other sundries for each staff person. Thank you to all who contributed to supplying the staff gifts! In keeping with our role of relationship, Debbie, Carole and Grace DeLorme made Christmas tags for each staff member's pack and wished Merry Christmas in their local language. – Tagalog! The cards read "Merry Christmas. We love you. Love, St. Peter's family." In Tagalog it is: "*Maligayang Pasko! Mahal kita, Ang iyong pamilya San Pedro.*" Please pray that all boxes arrive safely at Zeteo in time for Christmas.

The major news from Zeteo this month was the hospitalization of Parker from G6PD crisis. This is a genetic disorder that can cause hemolytic anemia and is usually triggered by medicine, certain foods, infection, etc. As it turned out, the Zeteo water station equipment had been damaged in an electrical event about a week before Parker became ill. Those at Zeteo had been drinking contaminated water for about a week and Parker was the first to show signs of illness. He had amoebic dysentery that triggered the G6PD crisis. Thankfully Parker was treated at the local hospital and his red blood cells remained just above the transfusion threshold and he was able to return home. Most of the others now have amoebic dysentery. Kate spent an entire day with two drivers going to seven different locations to get the needed medication.

Please pray that all the children and staff at Zeteo recover quickly from their bouts of dysentery. Also, a very special thank you the congregation of St Peter's for seeing to it that the children and staff will have a very Merry Christmas!



LAST MINUTE TYPHOON NOTE:

As many of you know, Zeteo just made it through super Typhoon Noru with minimal damage. The typhoon was predicted to be like a direct hit of a category 5 hurricane. I did text Kate every hour or two throughout the typhoon and they never lost cellphone coverage during the event. On one occasion Kate text back: "Most of the kids and caregivers are in the nursery dome. Anna and Bart are with Ester in the original housing dome, as these are the safest locations. Christian is in the school building as long as possible to protect the contents from blowing water. MakMak and George are trying to protect the water station equipment and all of our inventory of food, diapers, formula, etc. I (Kate) am at the Mission House trying to protect all that we can here. I have computers and passports and critical files packed in tubs." A later text was this: "[Glow sticks from St Peter's are tracking kids and caregivers in the pitch darkness.](#)"

If anyone isn't on the Zeteo prayer/update list that receives this type of information, please let me know and I will add you to the distribution list.

Marnie with the Zeteo Team



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD 2022



It's time to start collecting Operation Christmas Child boxes again. Pack a shoebox for a boy or girl age 2-4, 5-7 or 9-12 and bring it to church **by November 13th**. Go online to www.samaritanspurse.org for more information and to print a label and "follow your box" to the child's country. Free shoeboxes will be available to **pick up at church on Sunday, October 9th**.

Gift suggestions:

Toys to include items that children will immediately embrace such as dolls, toy trucks, stuffed animals, kazoos, harmonicas, yo-yos, jump ropes, balls, toys that light up and make noise (with extra batteries), etc.

School Supplies:

Pens, pencils and sharpeners, crayons or markers, stamps and ink pad sets, writing pads or paper, solar calculators, coloring and picture books, etc.

Hygiene Items:

Toothbrush, mild bar soap (in a plastic bag), comb, washcloth, etc.

Accessories:

T-shirts, socks, ball caps, sunglasses, hair clips, toy jewelry, watches, flashlights (with extra batteries).

A Personal Note:

You may enclose a note to the child and a photo of yourself or your family. If you include your name and address, the child may write back.

Prayer for All Saints Day

Dear God, thank you for the example of the Saints.

I desire to join in their company,
worshipping you forever in Heaven.

Please help me follow their footsteps,
and yours, Jesus Christ.

Please help me to conform myself to Your image,
seeking Your will in all things, as the Saints did.

Please help me to devote myself, and all that I do,
to Your glory, and to the service of my neighbours.

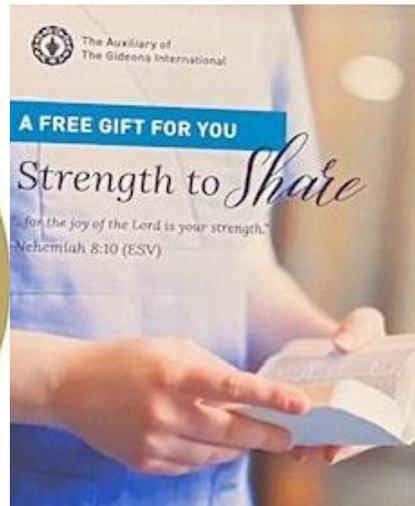
Amen.



ALL SAINTS' DAY

A SPECIAL ALL SAINTS DAY SERVICE WILL BE HELD AT ST. PETER'S ANGLICAN CHURCH ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST, AT 12 NOON.

OUR GIDEON BIBLE OUTREACH



St. Peter's has several involved and dedicated Gideons, worldwide distributors of *Bibles*, in our parish. Long time Gideons, Rex and Margaret Kellums are witness to what a blessing this ministry is through having participated in many Bible distributions and more. Pictured here is Gideon Auxiliary member Margaret with an Auxiliary sister, having a delightful time offering Bibles at the State convention, "exhibit fair" of the *Colorado Health Care Association* held in Loveland CO, September 22. The *auxiliaries* provide Bibles at no cost to medical facilities, physician's offices and nursing homes (health care related places). This is where your donations to the Gideons go, to provide for Bibles only. The Gideons International are very active and constant missionaries. The Gideons at St. Peter's are St. Peter's missionaries! There are Gideon cards available in our foyer--giving each of us an opportunity to help spread God's Word--to be a part of this worldwide missionary effort to provide Bibles worldwide, in memory or in recognition of loved ones. We hope that you will join us in this card ministry! If anyone is interested in *being* in the Gideons, please contact one of the Gideons here at St. Peter's! May God bless the reading of His holy word!

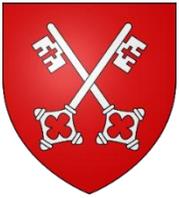
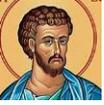
OCTOBER SERVICE SCHEDULE - Year C

If you are not able to serve on the assigned date, please find a replacement, and let me know by Wednesday of the assigned week. 970.292.8595 or elizabethb@stpetersloveland.org

OCTOBER 2022 VOLUNTEERS

Date	October 2 nd	October 9 th	October 16 th	October 23 rd	October 30 th
Proper	17 th Sunday after Pentecost	18 th Sunday after Pentecost	19 th Sunday after Pentecost	20 th Sunday after Pentecost	21 st Sunday after Pentecost
8 AM Reader/ Intercessor	Lynda Stoops	Terry Dunn	Anthony Alvarado	???	Marnie Dent
1st Lesson (OT) Readers	Hab. 1:1-13; 2:1-4 Johnny Moore	Ruth 1:1-19a Leslie Erickson	Gen. 32:3-8, 22-30 Terry Dunn	Jer. 14:7-10, 19-22 Kathleen Edmiston	Isaiah 1:10-20 Gary Eifert
Psalm	Psalm 37:1-17	Psalm 113	Psalm 121	Psalm 84	Psalm 32
2nd Lesson (NT) Readers	2 Timothy 1:1-14 Mary Anne Paul	2 Timothy 2:1-15 Jerry Webb	2 Tim. 3:14-4:5 Seth Forwood	2 Timothy 4:6-18 Doug Edmiston	2 Thessalonians 1 Skip Hyde
Gospel	Luke 17:5-10 Deacon or Priest	Luke 17:11-19 Deacon or Priest	Luke 18:1-8 Deacon or Priest	Luke 18:9-14 Deacon or Priest	Luke 19:1-10 Deacon or Priest
Intercessor	Thomas Maeda	Gary Eifert	Andrea Smith	Scott Cook	Mary Anne Paul
Usher(s)/ Greeter(s)	Mary Anne Paul & Ron/Lynda Stoops	Marnie Dent & Scott Erickson	Mark Maeda & Mike Bertollette	Kirstin Moore & Russ Thye	Denny/Mary Ann Llewellyn
Acolytes	Luke DeLorme & Jack Moore	Linnea Horlings & Titus Maeda	Isaac DeLorme & Theo Maeda	Nea Thye & Rosalie Moore	Asa Forwood & Logan Horlings
Flowers	Emily Maeda	Leslie Erickson	Andrea Smith	Kirstin Moore	Marnie Dent
Altar Guild	Kristi Bertollette & Lynda Stoops	Samantha Alvarado & Marnie Dent	Samantha Alvarado & Marnie Dent	Kristi Bertollette & Lynda Stoops	Marnie Dent & Mary Ann Llewellyn
Livestream	Lander Hultin	Rourke Alvarado	Adam DeLorme	Samantha Alvarado	Adam DeLorme
Nursery	Kirstin Moore & Carole DeLorme	Madeline Rucker & Nea Thye	Bethany Fisher & Grace DeLorme	Will McKamie & Alethia Thye	Madeline Rucker & Carole DeLorme

ST. PETER'S ANGLICAN CHURCH CALENDAR - OCTOBER 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		♥ Wedding Anniversary ★ Birthday				1  ST REMIGIUS Teen Group 6:00 PM
2 17 th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 8 & 9:30AM 11AM Youth & Adult Ed Blessing of Animals 4PM	3 ♥ Rachel & Max K. 	4  ST FRANCIS of ASSISI	5 Fr Matt's 1pm Bible Study	6 7AM Bible Study Group via Zoom	7 Rector's Day Off	8 Teen Group 6:00 PM ★ Ron S. Zeteo Box Packing 10AM
9 18 th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 8 & 9:30AM 11AM Youth & Adult Ed Op Xmas Child Boxes Available!	10 	11  ST PHILIP ★ Steffanie P.	12 Fr Matt's 1pm Bible Study 1Mission Info Mtg 7:00PM ★ Kathy P. 	13  ST EDWARD the CONFESSOR 7AM Bible Study Group via Zoom	14 Rector's Day Off	15  ST TERESA of AVILA Teen Group 6:00 PM
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23 20 th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 8 & 9:30AM 11AM Youth & Adult Ed	24 ★ Megan R.	25 ★ Michael C. 	26 Fr Matt's 1pm Bible Study	27 7AM Bible Study Group via Zoom ★ Ella E.	28  STS SIMON & JUDEAPOSTLES Rector's Day Off ★ Emily M.	29 Teen Group 6:00 PM ★ Catherine E. & Caleb A.
30 21 st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 8 & 9:30AM 11AM Youth & Adult Ed ★ Fr. Bill & Susie D.	31 ALL HALLOWS EVE					