

St. Peter Catholic Church-Rocky Ford, St. Peter Catholic Church-Ordway
Mary Queen of Heaven-Fowler
December 2, 2018



THE SUNDAY BULLETIN

Fr. Paul Ekeh—Pastor
Deacon Terry Marinelli

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES St. Peter's in Rocky Ford

Praying of the Rosary 3:30 p.m.
Before Saturday Mass.
Saturday 4:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass

Tues-Fri Daily Mass 8:00 a.m.

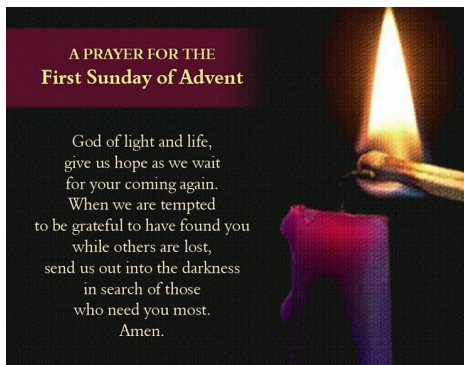
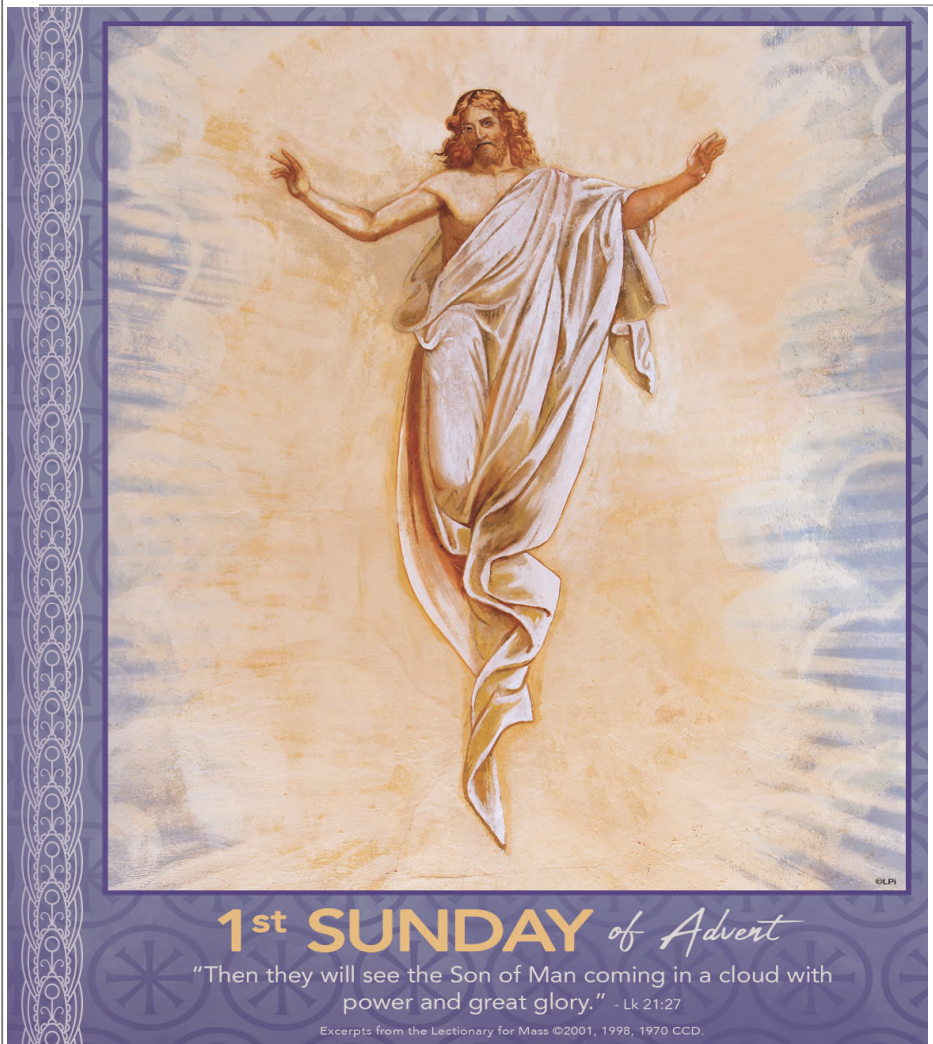
Confession every Saturday and before Mass
2:30-3:30 p.m.

Weddings or Quinceañeras
Saturdays 12:00 p.m.

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Office Hours:
Monday—Thursday
9-12 am 1-4 pm
Friday: 9-12 Noon

St. Peter's in Ordway
By appointment
Sunday 10:00 a.m.
905 Main Street
Contact: Paul Romero
719-267-3136

Mary Queen of Heaven in Fowler
By appointment
Sunday 12:00 p.m.
602 7th Street
Contact: Jean Atkinson
719-252-4676



A PRAYER FOR THE First Sunday of Advent

God of light and life,
give us hope as we wait
for your coming again.
When we are tempted
to be grateful to have found you
while others are lost,
send us out into the darkness
in search of those
who need you most.
Amen.

We, the Catholic Community of St. Peter are committed to following Christ in faith and love through the sacramental tradition of the Catholic Church.

Our Mission:

We, the community of St. Peter, embrace the richness of our diversity. We are committed to join in the Body of Christ by proclaiming the Word of God: by becoming responsible stewards of God's gifts: and by continuing our Catholic Tradition through the education of, and outreach to, all our brothers and sisters.

We journey together to build up the Kingdom of God.



Mass Intentions

Saturday, Dec 1, 4:00 p.m. Rocky Ford

For the health of Carla Aragon
†John Pantoya

Sunday, Dec 2, 8:00 a.m. Rocky Ford

For the health of Theresa Maestas

Sunday, Dec 2, 10:00 a.m. Ordway

†Felicia Terrones Martinez
†Jose Rodriguez
†Esther Salas

Sunday, Dec 2, 12:00 Noon-Fowler

Priest Intentions

Tuesday, Dec 4, 8:00 a.m. Rocky Ford

Priest Intentions

Wednesday, Dec 5, 8:00 a.m. Rocky Ford

Priest Intentions

Thursday, Dec 6, 8:00 a.m. Rocky Ford

Priest Intentions

Friday, Dec 7, 8:00 a.m. Rocky Ford

Priest Intentions

Saturday, Dec 8, 8:00 a.m. Rocky Ford

Priest Intentions

Saturday, Dec 8, 4:00 p.m. Rocky Ford

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Pre Confirmation, 1st year and 2nd year confirmation- your service hours are due on December 2 – no exceptions.



Immaculate Conception of The Blessed Virgin Mary - Mass on Saturday, December 8 at 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. in Rocky Ford.
(Holy Day of Obligation)

Penance Services

Wednesday, Dec 5 at 6:00 P.m. La Junta

Thursday, Dec 13 at 6:00 p.m. Lamar

Thursday, Dec 19 at 6:00 p.m. Rocky Ford

2nd Collection December 9, 2018 for Support for Retired Religious.



It's time for our annual Angel tree project for the poor. Please select an ornament from the Christmas tree in the back of the church. Please purchase a gift for each angel ornament that you select. Please return the unwrapped gift to this tree by Sunday, December 16th with the tag attached. Keep the ornament as a reminder of the Christmas season.

Dynamic Catholic
invites you to have your



Advent is a time to prepare our hearts for Christmas, but we often get distracted and busy. Don't let Advent pass you by. All you have to do is sign up at BestAdventEver.com There you will find short inspirational videos, practical tips and real-life encouraging stories. So register today.



Advent Wreath

1st CANDLE – (purple) **THE PROPHECY CANDLE or CANDLE OF HOPE** – We can have hope because God is faithful and will keep the promises made to us. Our hope comes from God. (Romans 15:12-13)

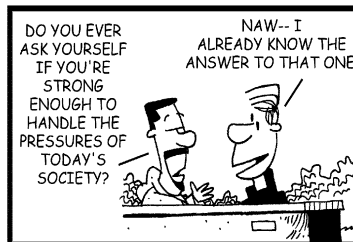
2nd CANDLE – (purple) **THE BETHLEHEM CANDLE or THE CANDLE OF PREPARATION** – God kept his promise of a Savior who would be born in Bethlehem. Preparation means to "get ready". Help us to be ready to welcome YOU, O GOD! (Luke 3:4-6)

3rd CANDLE – (pink) **THE SHEPHERD CANDLE or THE CANDLE OF JOY** – The angels sang a message of JOY! (Luke 2:7-15)

4th CANDLE – (purple) **THE ANGEL CANDLE or THE CANDLE OF LOVE** – The angels announced the good news of a Savior. God sent his only Son to earth to save us, because he loves us! (John 3:16-17)

5th CANDLE – (white) **"CHRIST CANDLE"** – The white candle reminds us that Jesus is the spotless lamb of God, sent to wash away our sins! His birth was for his death, his death was for our birth! (John 1:29)

1st SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Calendar for St. Peter's (RF)

Dec 2—Dec 8, 2018

Sunday, Dec 2
8:00 a.m. Mass—Rocky Ford
10:00 a.m. Mass— Ordway
12 Noon Mass—Fowler

Friday, Dec 7
8:00 Mass RF
Adoration to follow

Tuesday, Dec 4
Mass—8:00 a.m. RF

Saturday, Dec 8
8:00 a.m. Mass
2:30 p.m. confession
3:30 Rosary RF
Mass 4:00 p.m. RF

Wednesday, Dec 5
Mass -8:00 a.m. RF



Thursday, Dec 6
8:00 a.m. RF

Weekly Offering

Thank you for all your generosity and God Bless You!
For the week Nov 17 & 18 & Nov 24 & 25
 Rocky Ford \$ 1103.66 children-\$9.55 2nd coll—\$243.56
 \$948. 94 children's 4.00 BF -\$205.00
 Fowler \$
 Ordway: \$445.00 2nd Coll -\$214 11/25—442.00
 candles- \$110



Liturgical Minister Schedule

Saturday, Dec 8, @ 8:00 a.m. RF
Greeter:
Lectors: Chris & Pat
Eucharistic Minister: Jane
Ushers: Volunteer

Saturday, Dec 8, @ 4:00 p.m.RF

Greeters: Ray & Angela
Server: CJ
Lectors: Nora & Margret W
Eucharistic Minister: Frances & rose
Ushers: Benjie & Ed

Sunday, Dec 9, @ 8:00 a.m. Rocky Ford

Greeter: Youth
Servers: Madalyn & Cierra
Lectors: Silkiana & George Ann
Eucharistic Minister: Grace & Vanessa
Ushers: Youth

Sunday, Dec 9 @ 10:00 a.m. Ordway

Greeters & Gift Bearers: Guadalupe Society Members
Servers: Tesla Hernandez & Kamil Lovato
Eucharistic Ministers: Deacon, Bernadette Gump, Gen Osburn,
 Cecilia Gonzales, Deanna Sponsler
Lectors: Elisa Love & Stephanie Janssen
Ushers: John Sponsler & Jerry Scruggs

Sunday, Dec 9, @ 12:00 Noon Fowler

Lectors: Meranda Carpenter & Angie Montanez
Eucharistic Ministers: Rocky DeVore & Deacon
Gifts: Nancy Bono & Leilani Roe-Miller
Server: Trinity Montoya



Carla Aragon, Eva Aragon,
 Robin Aragon,
 Eliseo Berumen, Kristi Brown,
 Michelle Bush, Olivia Bustamante,
 Phil Buzan, Sapphire Cole, Kally
 Corsair, Johnny DeHerrera, Maria
 De Ruiz, Taylor Doney, Justin Gabehart,
 Servando Gallegos, Albert Garcia, Delia Garcia, Lori
 Garcia, Matt Grasha, Julia Grist, Iliana Gruntorad, Grable
 Guerrero, Valerie Herrera, B.J. Jansen, Cornelia Jaramil-
 lo, Dan Jaramillo, Michael Jaramillo, Tina Jaramillo, Della
 Lopez, Maria Lopez, Rita Lucero, Rosie Lucero,
 Lola Martinez, Cece Medina, Jean Viapando Medina,
 David Montes, Kris Montoya, Michael O'Brien,
 Deborah Oliver, Doug Oliver, Jason Pacheco, Karen
 Pohlen, Lloyd Quintana, Mary Quintana, David Rivera,
 Maryann Rollison, Ruby Rotondo, Emery Sandoval,
 Diane Sifuentes, Peggy Sheahan, Riley Sheahan,
 Tryston Sheahan, Yvette Stanley,
 Charlene Trujillo, Perfelia Trujillo, Danika Valdez,
 Arnold Viapando, Flabia Viapando, Lucy Vigil,
 Jacob Walter, Tahnee Wydra.

**If there is a name on this list that does not need to be, please
 let the office know. Thank you.**

**Bless our Service Men
 and Women**



Ben Aguilar,
 Todd Anderson,
 Vinny Apodaca,
 Kevin Aragon,
 Chris Aparicio,
 Jadon Valdez-Barela,
 Diane Bell,
 Andrea Montanez Bell,
 Zane Bearfoot,
 Gerald James Berumen,
 Shilo Bremer, Joe Butler,
 Mario Castro, Nathan Chavez,
 Laness Corum, Evan Crabb, Chris Day,
 Gabriel DeHerrera, Janelle Dippne,
 Josh Ensor, Kevin Flores, David Garcia,
 Julian Garcia, Matthew Lee Garcia,
 Ethan Gruntorad, Chris Hernandez,
 Jacob Hernandez, Manuel Hernandez,
 Randy James Kricen, Sgt. Catlin Wade Laurent,
 George Leone, Brandon Lopez, Martin Lucero,
 Richard Martinez, Steven Anthony Martinez Jr.,
 Jonathan Meagher, John Meyer, Eric Moncibiai,
 Jason & Stacy Mosher, Felicia Muniz,
 Kyle Newlin, Edward Ochoa, Tre Rivera,
 Mst Sgt Rueben Rodriguez,
 Raymond Rodriguez, Luther Lee Sacket,
 Crystal Salas, Joshua Salgado, Chris Slocum,
 Erick Tipword, Andrew Tomlin, Michael Tomlin,
 Travis Tomlin, TJ Tompkins, Issac Torres,
 Kevin Torres, Alexis Trujillo, Erik Vallejos
 Casey Videtto, Joe Vigil, Kristen Webb, Matt Webb.