



Not Red and Not Blue: Catholics and Politics

On Wednesday, September 23rd, Deacon Clarke E. Cochran will present: “Not Red and Not Blue: Catholics and Politics”

Remote presentation for St. Peter Parish, 7:00-8:30 pm.

The Catholic Church has not been immune to the ideological and partisan divisions riling American society. These divisions combined with the American commitment to individualism, self-expression, and economic inequality make it exceedingly difficult for the Church to bring Catholic Social Teaching to bear on our political, social, and economic challenges. Deacon Cochran will consider the deep sources of these challenges as well as resources within the Church to overcome them. In addition, he will demonstrate how the Catholic tradition of prudential discernment applies to voting decisions. There will be ample opportunity for comments, questions, and ideas from those in attendance via Zoom.

Deacon Cochran is Professor Emeritus of Political Science at Texas Tech University, where he taught from 1970 to 2007. He also served as Vice President, Mission Integration, with Covenant Health in Lubbock, Texas, from 2008-2013. He is the author of several books and numerous articles and reviews in the areas of political philosophy, health care policy, religion and politics, and Catholic social teaching.

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Time: Sep 23, 2020 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

REGISTRATION at:

<https://forms.gle/TLgCcjSGwcSgbvwG9>

Once you register, look for an email on Sept. 22 including the link to the Zoom meeting for this live event.

Questions can be directed to Deacon Clarke at clarkecochran@stpeterscatholic.org