



STAR of the SEA

a stewardship parish

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November 25, 2018 The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe (719 in Red Missal) *Last Sunday After Pentecost (810 and 814 in the Black Missal)*



Why are we weeping?

The other Friday we put on a dramatic reading, Erasmus of Rotterdam's Julius II, a Renaissance Pope. It brought to mind my own Pope, John Paul II, who took

the chair of Peter when I was 16 years old. I am a priest because of him. But I thought back to July 25, 2002, when my little flock of young people was gathered in Toronto for World Youth Day, waiting for John Paul to arrive. Over the horizon someone caught sight of a white helicopter approaching and cried out "*Il Papa viene!*" The aircraft tilted a bit toward us and several in my group burst into tears, including myself. We were astonished. Why on earth were we crying? Over the next few days, it became clear how much we longed for a father on earth who



communicated the love of our Father in heaven. God gave St. John Paul the gift of

fatherhood, and this great Papa helped his children overcome their fears.

Fear had paralyzed Poland for many years by the time Karol Wojtyla became the Supreme Pontifex, or bridge-builder. Communist tyranny had established a generational terror into the entire Soviet bloc. In June of 1979, as I was graduating from High School, the new Holy Father arrived in Poland to dispel that fear with a few words: "Be not afraid to fling open wide the doors to Christ!" Fear grips our country today. A tyranny more sophisticated than Soviet communism is growing in the west. No one dares question regnant anthropological ideologies imposed with sophisticated social media and ruthless political force. Appeals to rational discussion are labeled "hate," and few dare confront irrational rage. Political and commercial powers have amassed immense sums of capital.

Be Not Afraid John Paul faced a "dictatorship of relativism" like we do, but his courage did not falter. No ideological streams could poison the wells of joy from which he drank. And so he could be a father to us all, a Holy Father who could show the entire world reasons for hope. May St. John Paul, looking at us from his window in the Father's House (in the words of Joseph Ratzinger's funeral homily), bless us. May we hear the words again that he gave us in his first words as Pope: *Non abbiate paura! Aprite, anzi, spalancate, le porte a Cristo!* "Do not be afraid! Open, *fling wide even*, the doors to Christ!" *Fr. Joseph Illo* www.fr.illoblog.com

Our Mission Statement:

To evangelize God's people beginning with the gift of the Holy Eucharist.

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Office: M-F

8:30am-4:00pm.

Closed 12:00-1:00pm

Weekend Masses

Sat Vigil 4:30pm, Sun 8am, 9:30am, 11:30 am (Latin), 7:30pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Mon. 8:00am till Saturday 4pm, Tuesday 7-8pm, Every 2nd Sunday 3:15-4:15pm

Daily Masses

Monday to Friday 7:30am (Latin) 12 Noon Saturday 8:30am

Social Events

Coffee & Donuts After Sunday Masses Young Adults Tuesdays 7pm

Holy Day Masses

7:30am (Latin) 12 Noon, 5:30pm, 6:30pm (Latin)

Devotions to Jesus

Sacred Heart First Friday after Noon Mass, Divine Mercy Saturday at 3pm

Confessions

15 Minutes before every Mass, Saturday 3:15-4:15 or by appointment

Devotions to Mary

Perpetual Help Wednesday after Noon Mass. Fatima First Saturday after 8:30am Mass



NEWS

"The Mass of the Americas"

December 8, 2 p.m. St Mary's Cathedral

The first new Mass commissioned for the Cathedral since the installation Mass in 1971, the "Mass of the Americas" (composed by the award-winning Frank La Rocca) invites us to recognize how Mary united all God's children into one family. A tribute to Our Lady of Guadalupe (patron saint of Mexico and the Americas) and Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception (patroness of the United States), this Mass for 16 professional voices, organ, violin, bells and marimba in Spanish, Latin, English and Aztec will be a world premiere event.

Register here:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mass-of-the-americas>

Christmas Drive for the Homeless

For our Christmas drive for the homeless, let's help keep them warm this winter. Our goal is for 100 sets of hats and gloves, mostly for men (75 for men, 25 for women). We need them by Friday, December 14.

Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive in Memory of Thomas

THANK You Parishioners for your generosity. We received close to 100 bags of donated food including frozen turkeys! We will be distributing them to the Missionaries of Charity and the French Sisters of Fraternite de Notre Dame who tirelessly cook and serve the homeless.

Star of the Sea Book Club

Next Book Club meeting will be on Wednesday, 11/28 to discuss Dante's Purgatorio from the Divine Comedy. 7 p.m. in the rectory, and all are welcome.

Altar Boy Training, December Schedule:

Saturday, Dec 8th, noon; Monday, Dec 10th, 6pm; and Saturday, Dec 22nd, at noon. Training for new servers will be in the Ordinary Form first, and then the Extraordinary Form for those who are interested.

For more information, please call Fr. John Fewel at (415) 751-0450, or email to: fr.johnfewel@starparish.com

Deanery 3 Simbang Gabi Joint Celebration - Novena Schedule

Simbang Gabi ("Mass at Dawn") is one of the longest – over 600 years – and most important religious celebrations in the Philippines. It was originally a series of "Masses at Dawn" for nine consecutive days (a novena) before Christmas Day. Its liturgical significance emanates from Advent being the time of spiritual preparation to worthily welcome and receive the Child Jesus.

Simbang Gabi will be celebrated at parishes throughout San Francisco, beginning with Mass at St. Dominic on December 15th and concluding at St. Mary's Assumption on December 23rd. The 2018 schedule is:

12/15/18 at 5:30 pm Saturday ---St. Dominic

12/16/18 at 6:30 pm Sunday --- Most Holy Redeemer

12/17/18 at 7:00 pm Monday --- Most Holy Redeemer

12/18/18 at 7:30 pm Tuesday -- St. Ignatius

12/19/18 at 6:30 pm Wednesday - Star of the Sea

12/20/18 at 6:30 pm Thursday - Star of the Sea

12/21/18 at 5:30 pm Friday -----St. Ignatius

12/22/18 at 6:30 pm Saturday -- St. Monica/St. Thomas Apostle

12/23/18 at 7:30 am Sunday -- St. Mary's Assumption Cathedral

We would like to call in our parishioners (Filipino & non-Filipino alike) to participate (contribute food for hospitality) and attend the two Masses at Star, and/or the participating parishes.

For more information, contact Estrelle Chan directly at 415.336.9193

ESTATE PLANNING

Think * Plan * Give

For an everlasting gift you can make to our parish, please contact Mariella Zevallos 415-751-0450 or email to mariella@starparish.com

PRAYER

EVENTS

The Sunday Scriptures

by Fr. Joseph Illo **Christ the King** (Daniel 7: 13-14, Revelations 1: 5-8, John 18: 33B-37) *My Kingdom does not belong to this world,* Our Lord tells Pilate in the Gospel today. He is certainly a king, but never a political ruler who could govern in this world. The prince of this world is the prince of lies, and so we should not be discouraged when we cannot compete with the political forces of this age. His Kingdom is not of this world, and neither are we. We must go back to him, in the next world, to be truly happy. Let us look for Him, at every Mass, to come on the clouds of heaven for us.

	Time	Intention
Sat 11/24	8:30am	+ All Souls
	4:30pm	+ Carole Dawn Musetti Berry + Sylvia Ferras
Sun 11/25	8am	+ All Souls People of the Parish
	9:30am	+ Mildred Paras
	11:30am	+ Asuncion Tamtarong + Charles Alado
	7:30pm	Int. of Lupita and Barry Walsh + Jovita Trance
Mon 11/26	7:30am	Int. of Kathleen Kwok (100 year birthday)
	12Noon	+ All Souls + Sylvia Ferras + Justina Martha Lee + Michael Arthur Thibadeau
Tue 11/27	7:30am	+ All Souls + Peter Trinh Nguyen + Michael Christopher Buckley (Anniversary)
	12Noon	Int. of Huong Tran for her husband's healing + Elizabeth Merrett (Birthday)
Wed 11/28	7:30am	+ All Souls
	12Noon	+ Patricia Di Zordi
Thu 11/29	7:30am	+ All Souls
	12Noon	Int. of Rodney Paras and Family + Salvacion Ignacio
Fri 11/30	7:30am	+ All Souls
	12Noon	In Thanksgiving of Ramel and Maria Socorro Macalalad and Family
Sat 11/31	8:30am	+ Dr. Donald Raymond and Mary Theresa Lintner
	4:30pm	Int. of Holy Name Society for the Canonization of Blessed John of Vercelli

Please pray for: Spencer Christensen, Billy Kennedy, Edna Herrera, Miles Sellai, Tom Schatz, Dave Van Sciver, Rosa Lee, Maria Fernanda Marcal, Sally Tu, Maggie Tom, Janice Illo, Louis N. Petropoulos, Chuck La Mere, Tom McDonough.

Call the office to have your loved ones listed here.

Adoration: Monday 8:30am through Saturday 4:30pm.

Vespers: Monday - Friday nights @ 5:45 to 6pm

Saturday November 24, Legion of Mary 9:30am in the Parish office.

Saturday November 24, Divine Mercy Devotion at 3pm at the Church followed by Rosary/Novena.

Sunday November 25, Holy Rosary Sodality Pray the Rosary after the 8am Mass in the Church.

Tuesday November 27, Bible Study at 3:30pm in the rectory. Contact Mary Ann Eiler (650) 660-4546

Tuesday November 27, Holy Hour: A priest reads the daily gospel, followed by 15 minutes of silence. We conclude our Holy Hour with benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Confessions are available throughout the hour.

Wednesday November 28, Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help after the Noon Mass.

Wednesday November 28, Book Club will meet to discuss *Divine Comedy* at the Rectory at 7pm.

Thursday November 29, Pro-Life Group at 7pm prays outside Planned Parenthood on Valencia Street.

Thursday November 29, Fasting and Prayer for Priests and the Church on Thursday, November 29. Join our young adults group each Thursday for a Holy Hour for Priests at 6pm to offer both vocal and silent prayer and the Rosary as a unified community.

Saturday December 8, The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary -Holy Day of Obligation
Mass:8:30am

Saturday December 8, "Mass of the Americas" 2pm St Mary's Cathedral

Wednesday December 12, Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mass 6:30am, followed by refreshments in the auditorium with Mariachi's music.

December 15, Star Mothers' Group right after the 8:30 Mass, held in the Rectory.

Saturday December 15, Star Outreach is cooking for the homeless; please consider volunteering each 3rd Saturday.

To have your Star of the Sea event listed in the weekly bulletin, please email bulletin@starparish.com

STAR of the SEA

Hymns and Prayers

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King
of the Universe

PROCESSIONAL HYMN:

Rejoice, the Lord is King - #731, v.1-3

Rejoice, the Lord is King!
Your Lord and King adore!
Rejoice, give thanks, and sing,
And triumph evermore.
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

The Lord, our Savior, reigns,
The God of truth and love;
When he had purged our stains,
He took his seat above.
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

His kingdom cannot fail,
He rules o'er earth and heav'n;
The keys of death and hell
Are to our Jesus giv'n.
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

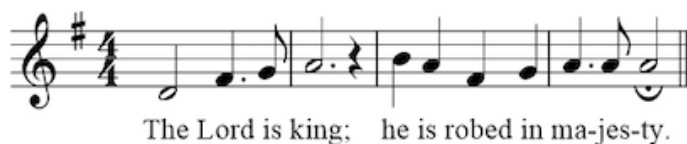
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LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING: Daniel 7: 13-14

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps. 93:1a



SECOND READING: Revelations 1: 5-8

ALLELUIA 227



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

v. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!
Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is to
come!

GOSPEL

John 18: 33B-37

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY ANTIPHON

Ask of me, and I will give you the nations as your
inheritance, and the ends of the earth as your
possession.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM (9:30) - Sung by Choir

Lift Up Your Heads, O Ye Gates - Mathias

*Lift up your heads, O ye gates,
and be ye lift up ye everlasting doors;
and the King of glory shall come in.*

*Who is this King of glory?
The Lord strong and mighty,
The Lord mighty in battle.
The Lord of hosts, he is the
King of Glory.*



OFFERTORY HYMN:

Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending - #617, v. 1 & 4

Lo! He comes, with clouds descending,
Once for our salvation slain;
Thousand thousand saints attending
Swell the triumph of his train.
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!
Christ the Lord returns to reign.

Yea, amen! Let all adore thee,
High on thine eternal throne;
Savior, take the pow'r and glory;
Claim the kingdom for thine own:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!
Thou shalt reign and thou alone.

SANCTUS 127

128 MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION A

AGNUS DEI 132

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Lord sits as King for ever. The Lord
will bless his people with peace.

COMMUNION ANTHEM (9:30) - Sung by Choir

Thou Wilt Keep Him in Perfect Peace - S. S. Wesley

*Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace,
whose mind is stayed on thee.
The darkness is no darkness with thee,
but the night is as clear as the day.
The darkness and the light to thee are both alike.
God is light and with him is no darkness at all.
Oh let my soul live, and it shall praise thee,
for thine is the kingdom, the power,
and the glory, for evermore.*

COMMUNION HYMN:

Be Thou My Vision - #452

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
All else be naught to me, save that thou art;
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true Word;
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;
Thou my great Father, thine own may I be;
Thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.

High King of heaven, when vict'ry is won,
May I reach heaven's joys, bright heaven's Sun!
Heart of my heart, whatever befall,
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King - #800

To Jesus Christ, our sov'reign King,
Who is the world's salvation,
All praise and homage do we bring
And thanks and adoration.

Refrain:

Christ Jesus, Victor! Christ Jesus, Ruler!
Christ Jesus, Lord and Redeemer!

Thy reign extend, O King benign,
To ev'ry land and nation;
For in thy kingdom, Lord divine,
Alone we find salvation.

(Refrain)



The Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite

Last Sunday After Pentecost

Processional Hymn:

O God of Love, O King of Peace - #660

O God of love, O King of peace,
Make wars throughout the world to cease;
Our greed and sinful wrath restrain;
Give peace, O God, give peace again!

Whom shall we trust, but thee, O Lord?
Where rest but on thy faithful word?
None ever called on thee in vain;
Give peace, O God, give peace again!

Where saints and angels dwell above,
All hearts are joined in holy love;
O bind us in that heav'nly chain;
Give peace, O God, give peace again!

INTROIT Jeremiah 29: 11, 12, 14

Dicit Dóminus: Ego cógito cogitatíones pacis, et non afflictiónis: invocábitis me, et ego exáudiam vos: et reducam captivitátem vestram de cunctis locis. (Ps. 84: 2) Benedixísti, Dómine, terram tuam: avertísti captivitátem Jacob. Glória Patri et Filio et Spíritui Sancto, sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, et in sǽcula sǽculórum. Amen. Dicit Dóminus: Ego cógito cogitatíones pacis, et non afflictiónis: invocábitis me, et ego exáudiam vos: et reducam captivitátem vestram de cunctis locis.

COLLECT

Excita, quǽsumus, Dómine, tuórum fidélium voluntátes: ut divíni óperis fructum propénsius exsequéntes; pietátis tuǽ remédia majóra percípiant! Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sǽcula sǽculórum.

GRADUAL Psalms 43: 8, 9

Liberásti nos, Dómine, ex affligéntibus nos: et eos, qui nos odérunt, confudísti. In Deo laudábimur tota die et in nómine tuo confitébimur in sǽcula. Allelúja, allelúja. (Ps. 129: 1, 2) De profúndis clamávi ad te, Dómine: Dómine, exáudi oratíonem meam. Allelúja.

The Lord saith: I think thoughts of peace, and not of affliction: you shall call upon Me, and I will hear you; and I will bring back your captivity from all places. (Ps. 84: 2) Lord, Thou hast blessed Thy land: Thou hast turned away the captivity of Jacob. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. The Lord saith: I think thoughts of peace, and not of affliction: you shall call upon Me, and I will hear you; and I will bring back your captivity from all places.

Stir up, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the wills of Thy faithful people, that they more earnestly seeking the fruit of divine service, may receive more abundantly healing gifts from Thy tender mercy. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

Thou hast delivered us, O Lord, from them that afflict us: and hast put them to shame that hate us. In God we will glory all the day: and in Thy Name we will give praise for ever. Alleluia, alleluia. (Ps. 129: 1, 2) From the depths I have cried to Thee, O Lord: Lord, hear my prayer. Alleluia.

OFFERTORY Psalms 129: 1, 2

De profúndis clamávi ad te, Dómine: Dómine, exáudi oratíonem meam: de profúndis clamávi ad te, Dómine.

From the depths I have cried out to Thee, O Lord; Lord, hear my prayer: from the depths I have cried out to Thee, O Lord.

SECRET

Propítius esto, Dómine, supplicatiónibus nostris: et pópuli tui oblatiónibus precibúsque suscéptis, ómnium nostrum ad te corda convérte; ut a terrénis cupiditatibus liberáti, ad cǽléstia desidéria transeámus. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sǽcula sǽculórum.

Be gracious, O Lord, to our humble entreaties; and receiving the offerings and prayers of Thy people, turn the hearts of all of us to Thee: that freed from greed of earthly things, we may pass on to heavenly desires. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

COMMUNION: Mark 11: 24

Amen dico vobis, quidquid orantes petitis, credite quia accipietis, et fiet vobis.

Amen I say to you, whatsoever you ask when you pray, believe that you shall receive and it shall be done to you.

POSTCOMMUNION

Concéde nobis, quǽsumus, Dómine: ut per hǽc sacraménta quǽ sumpsimus, quidquid in nostra mente vitiósum est, ipsórum medicatiónis dono curétur. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sǽcula sǽculórum.

Grant unto us, we beseech Thee, O Lord, that through these Sacraments, which we have received, whatsoever in our minds is corrupt, may be cured by the gift of their healing power. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

Recessional Chant: Salve Regina - #739

*Salve, Regina, Mater misericordiǽ,
vita, dulcedo, et spes nostra, salve.
Ad te clamamus exsules filii Hevǽ,
Ad te suspiramus, gementes et flentes
in hac lacrimarum valle.*

*Eia, ergo, advocata nostra, illos tuos
misericordes oculos ad nos converte;
Et Jesum, benedictum fructum ventris tui,
nobis post hoc exsilium ostende.*

Recessional Hymn:

Lo, He Comes With Clouds Descending - # 617, v. 1 & 4
(see pg. 5)

OUR COMMUNITY

Wine & Cheese With Star of the Sea!

"A Night of Pour Decision," November 30, 2018,
6:00-8:30pm at Star of the Sea Auditorium.

Enjoy a night of wine and cheese with the teachers, staff and families of the Star of the Sea. **\$50 per person.**

Childcare is available for \$5 per child. Want to use Venmo? Send your buy-in to @bregentile or bring cash/check to the school's office to reserve your place.

Michael Perry will be hosting our event! As a graduate of the Culinary Institute of America, Michael can speak about wine as well as its relationship with food and dining. Michael's approach to wine and wine education is keeping in mind that wine is first and foremost a source of enjoyment, especially in a setting with good food and friends.

Tea Pots and Tea Cups

Are your closets full of unneeded things that you have accumulated through the years? Please see if you have a set of tea cups and some tea pots that you may want to donate. Our goal is to collect 80 tea cups and saucers and 20 tea pots, to be used on a one of a kind "High Tea" benefit event at the parish to raise funds to paint our beautiful historic church. Please contact Mariella at (415) 378-2360 or bring your donation to the office. Save the date! Saturday, January 19, 2019 at 1:30pm @ Auditorium. THANKS!

Contact Us

Baptisms & Marriages: To learn about our Baptism program or to learn about our "Witness to Love" program to begin preparing for your wedding, please contact Fr. John Fewel at 415-751-0450.

Becoming Catholic: To know more about being Catholic and for information on our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) classes, contact Fr. Joseph Illo at 415-751-0450

Parish School of Religion: Star of the Sea aspires to help parents develop their children's love and knowledge of God. Contact Fr. Mark Taheny at 415-751-0450.

Sacred Music Program: To participate in our choir, please contact our music director Lynn Kraehling at lynn@starparish.com

1894 - 2019

125 Years of Beauty and Catholic Worship in the Richmond District

Our parish was founded in 1894, the Mother Church of the Richmond District. As we were the closest parish to the ocean at the time, the bishop named our community for Mary, Star of the Sea. Let us prepare our church for her 125th anniversary next autumn by giving her a fresh paint job, more attractive flooring, and a general sprucing-up for all that has become worn-down over the years! We renovate our homes every fifteen or twenty years, so let us all pitch in to give our Lord's house a brighter and newer demeanor. We hope to raise \$500,000 to paint inside and out, polish and repair, clean and touch-up. It's God's house. It's our house!

HELP US REACH OUR GOAL

\$500,000

Parish Painting Fund

Please contact us

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Thank you for your generosity!

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STEWARDSHIP *a way of life*

Stewards In Action

FEEDING THE HOMELESS

Many Star Outreach Angels to thank for our Thanksgiving service to the homeless last Saturday. The homeless enjoyed an incredible **Thanksgiving Feast**. Thank you to the **Knights of Columbus— Grand Knight Bud** (and his wife, Lorna), **Bastian, Derek, Gregoire, Ken, Martin, Mitchell, Pat** (and his wife, Valerie), and **Peter**. The homeless also received a **Thanksgiving Gift Bag** decorated by our **preschoolers**. **Stella, Bastian and Gregoire** helped make 130 sandwiches and with **Marianna and Mariella's** help filled the bags with all of the goodies. Thank you to the **Young Adults** who came to **serve the homeless** and **Fr. Joseph**, also a Knight, who spent time getting to know some of the homeless! All together, we brought joy to our brothers and sisters in the Mission district. **Special Thanks to Jacqueline Paras** for her wonderful leadership on the Star Outreach ministry.



Become a Star Parishioner

Please visit www.starparish.com or fill the form and return to our office. For more information call (415)751-0450

Parishioner Registration

Please place this in the offertory basket

- ☐ New Parishioner
- ☐ New Information

Name

Phone

Email

☐ FULL ☐ ASSOCIATE

Steward Stats



Time: 25 parishioners prayed the Divine Mercy chaplet last Saturday



Talent: 38 volunteers helped this past weekend on some of the parish activities.



Treasure: \$6,313 was given in the Sunday Offertory.

Catholic Campaign: \$769 was donated.

GIVING TREE

Each year, we help Catholic Charities provide gifts for at least 3 of their programs. Please visit our Giving Tree next week and choose a gift tag or two to help "brighten" up Christmas for a struggling family from St. Joseph's Family Center. Please also consider purchasing a gift or two for adults from the Derek Silva or Peter Claver community suffering from a chronic illness and threatened by homelessness. They tend to be forgotten.

Stewardship Reflection

November 25, 2018

Feast of Christ the King

"Jesus answered, 'My kingdom does not belong to this world.'" (John 18:36)

How often do we put all our time and energy into building a kingdom here on earth, forgetting that life here is short? The real kingdom is in the next life. Yet, how much time and energy do we invest in working for that eternal kingdom?

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

"You must propagate veneration of the Most Blessed Sacrament with all your might, for the devotion to the Holy Eucharist is the queen of all devotions."
Pope Benedict XVI

Adorers Needed:

Monday: Full coverage

Tuesday: 2pm

Wednesday: Full coverage

Thursday: 3pm

Friday: Full coverage

Saturday: Full coverage

www.adorationpro.org/star
Contact: Fr. John Fewel at