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Weekend Masses

Saturday.....4:00 pm
 Sunday9:00 am

Weekday Masses

Monday, Tuesday & Friday ..8:00 am

Office Hours

Monday—Wednesday.....
8:00 am—12:00 pm
 Thursday.....12:00 pm—3:00 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday—after 8:00 am Mass to 9:00 am
 1st Friday—after 8:00 am Mass until
 10:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday.....11:00 am
 And by appointment

Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage, or RCIA

Contact the parish office to make
 arrangements.



OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE - NOVEMBER 26, 2023

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 KING OF THE UNIVERSE

“Come, you who are blessed by my Father.
 Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the
 foundation of the world.” - Mt 25:34

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Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

In May 2023, for the first time in almost three quarters of a century, a monarch was crowned in England. A few days later a friend of mine scoffed, “What a waste of time and energy! What is the point of a king?”

I’m a proud American who wants neither theocracy nor monarchical restoration. I like our democratic republic. But the coronation of King Charles reminded me of something needed in every person and community: confidence in the future. The king’s most basic role is to symbolize the unity of the nation. In England, the parliament members handle many of the practical duties of governance. But the king or queen can do what they cannot: embody in a single person the reality and future of a whole nation. To say, “this is our king” is to say, “we exist as a community, and we have a future.” Kingship isn’t primarily about the power of one person or family. It’s about the enduring identity and unity of the whole.

To say Christ is our King is to say we exist as a people. We are *one in him*. We are, and we will be as long as he is. And since he will be our risen king forever, together we have a future filled with hope. Even the best countries will finally fall. But Christ and his Church will endure forever. What good news! It’s not a waste of time to crown a king. We do it all the time. Let’s be sure to crown the right one — the one whose kingdom never ends. —Father John Muir



Mass Intentions

Monday, November 27

8:00 am † Michelle Warden
† Mary Tomcheck

Tuesday, November 28

8:00 am † Lenora Rosen

Wednesday, November 29

NO MASS

Thursday, November 30

NO MASS

Friday, December 1

8:00 am † Larry Staszak
Mass in our Chapel

Saturday, December 2

4:00 pm † Jim & Andy Scovell

Sunday, December 3

9:00 am For All Our Parishioners
Living & Deceased

† deceased ♥ Intention of • In honor of

Parish Support

Contributions from the week of **November 12**

General Fund:	\$2,867.00
Capital Improvement:	\$469.00
Church Maintenance:	\$15.00
Christian Education:	\$60.00



THANK YOU for supporting YOUR Parish;
every contribution helps, no matter the amount!

When the Son of Man comes in glory, may we be among those who have fed the hungry, welcomed the stranger, and clothed the naked. For Jesus tells us clearly that it is those who have demonstrated good stewardship by sharing their gifts with the less fortunate who will receive God’s blessing and inherit the kingdom.

Christmas Is Less Than 4 Weeks Away

here are a couple of ideas for your gift giving.....

Great Reading Material

Stop in after Mass and check out the “Abandoned Book Classroom”. There are many books available for you to adopt.

You’ll surely be able to find the perfect gift for someone special in your life. If you’re not sure what to get, Fr. Finian will be glad to help you.



Scrip Cards

If you give gift cards as presents for Christmas, or any time of year, please consider purchasing Scrip cards. There many vendors and denominations available in addition to those we stock, so if you have a certain vendor or denomination in mind and you don’t see it on the In Stock or Order Only lists, please leave a message at the parish office and I’ll check and let you know if it can be ordered.

Scrip News

Many Thanks to the **11** people who purchased **\$1882** worth of Scrip from November 6th to November 12th, giving the Parish **\$109.65** in profit.

This Week in the Parish

Tuesday, November 28

1:00 pm Finance Mtg

Thursday, November 30

5:30 pm Evening Prayer

6:00 pm Adult Education

Subject: Formed video
on Reconciliation, Part 2

Friday, December 1

8:00 am Mass—Parish Book of
Healing
Mass in our Chapel

First Friday—

Eucharistic Adoration
begins immediately after
Mass. Please plan to come
and spend some time with
Our Lord.



Sunday, December 3

10:00 am Donut Sunday
Advent Program—we
will replay the Formed
video on Reconciliation

Let no one mourn that he has fallen again and again: for forgiveness has risen from the grave!
—St. John Chrysostom

Readings for the Week

Readings for the week of November 26, 2023

Sunday: Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/Ps
23:1-2, 2-3, 5-6 (1)/1
Cor 15:20-26, 28/Mt
25:31-46

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Dn 3:52,
53, 54, 55, 56/Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57, 58,
59, 60, 61/Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17,
23-28/Dn 3:62, 63, 64,
65, 66, 67/Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8, 9,
10, 11/Mt 4:18-22

Friday: Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75, 76,
77, 78, 79, 80, 81/Lk
21:29-33

Saturday: Dn 7:15-27/Dn 3:82, 83,
84, 85, 86, 87/Lk 21:34-
36

Next Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-
7/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-
19 (4)/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk
13:33-37

November Intentions of the Pope and the Bishop

Pope Francis' Intention

We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

Bishop Ricken's Intention

May young men and women of our Diocese have the courage to discern a life of priesthood or religious life and find support in their families, friends, and parish communities.

Why are those who are notoriously undisciplined and unmoral also most contemptuous of religion and morality? They are trying to solace their own unhappy lives by pulling the happy down to their own abysmal depths.

— Fulton J. Sheen, *Seven Words of Jesus and Mary: Lessons from Cana and Calvary*

This Week's Birthdays— 75 or more years young

Lynette Parkin (11/28)
Randall Kuehl (11/29)

Birthday Blessings

Holy Season of Advent and Christmas Season Preparation

Please consider one or more of the below for additional spiritual practice:

- The little BLUE books for daily Advent reflection will be available at the Church entrances.
- THE WORD AMONG US, December scripture readings for all of Advent and Christmas, are available at the Church entrances.
- The CHRISTMAS donation box for NON-PERISHABLE food items for Paul's Pantry is now in the back of Church. Cash gifts are also acceptable. Please be generous.
- Individual Parish Advent Reconciliation will be held on TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 12th from 5:30 pm-6:30 pm in Church. Weekly confession will also be available each Saturday at 11:00 am during Advent.
- The Parish Secular Franciscan Order of St. Ann Fraternity will be offering EVENING PRAYER AND ADORATION in Church each Monday during Advent from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm. All are invited.
- Christmas setup is TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19th at 5:30 pm in Church, followed by Pizza Supper in Clare Hall.
- Advent program from FORMED will be offered each Sunday during Advent after the 9:00 am Mass (other than December 24th).
- Advent Prayer Bingo, sponsored by Parish Council.
- Christmas Oplatek (wafer) is available at the Church Office at

\$2 per package.

- Take some time during Advent to simply pray in silence. During the weekly Church office hours, we will open the Church for prayer upon request.

Advent/Christmas Gift Giving

The most-needed items on the Paul's Pantry non-perishable items list are: foods high in protein (like tuna, peanut butter, and canned meats), cereal, canned vegetables, canned fruit, canned soups with meat, single serving meals, and empty egg cartons. They are also asking for monetary donations to help purchase fresh foods.

Church Cleaning

We will be cleaning the Church for the Christmas season on **Saturday, December 9th**, beginning at 9:00 am. Many helpers are needed to make the job go faster. Men, women and children are welcome to help. Please bring a pail if you have one.

Parish Book of Healing

Please remember that our Parish Book of Healing is in the Vestibule of the Church. Each week at Friday Mass the Parish prays for those whose names have been written in the Parish book of healing for that week.

Please write the names of anyone you may know, including yourself, that may need prayer for spiritual or physical healing that week. There is an intention read at the Friday Mass for those named, and the book of healing is present at the Friday Mass.

Donut Sunday NEXT WEEK




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