

Christ Our Light Catholic Church

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday

9:15am - noon & 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Friday 9:15am- noon

Other times by appointment

Website: www.christourlight.org

PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor Rev. Elias Lopéz

Grant Holt, Permanent Deacon

Gregory Jelinek, MD, Permanent Deacon (Retired)

Jeremy Trull, Deacon

ADMINISTRATION & BOOKKEEPER

Nelda Kurten

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Carolyn Katkoski

DIRECTOR OF LITURGY AND MUSIC

Susan Russell

SACRISTAN

Samuel Pry

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Michael Culver (Chairperson), Teresa Morales, Jason Katkoski, Laura Quirino,

Gerardo Olguin, Sam Pry and Larry Busa

FINANCE COUNCIL

Teresa Morales, Ann Clark, Carolyn Katkoski

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Jessica Herrera

SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday Vigil: 6:00pm

Sunday: (English) 8:00am

Sunday: (Spanish) 1:00pm

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

First Saturday 9am

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 8:30am

Tuesday 6:00pm (English)

Thursday 6:00pm (Spanish)

ROSARY PRAYED IN COMMON

Tuesday & Thursday: 5:40pm

Wednesday & Friday: 8:10am

Saturday: 5:15pm

Sunday: 7:15am & 12:15pm

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

Tuesday, Thursday and

2nd & 4th Saturdays 5:00-5:45pm

and by appointment 936-825-3920

RECONCILIACION/CONFESIONES

Los Martes, jueves y el

segundo y cuarto sábado a las 5:00-5:45pm

y por cita 936-825-3920

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time : February 9, 2020

Christ Our Light Catholic Church • Navasota, Texas

February 08 & 09, 2020

Under the Patronage of St. Patrick and Our Lady of Guadalupe

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTION

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10

No Mass

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

6:00 PM Minnie Crouch †

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

8:30 AM Yvonne Meitzen †

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

8:30 AM Julian Olguin, Birthday

10:00 AM Joe † Shirley † Guidry @ Daybreak

6:00 PM* Jose Ruiz Pizano †

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14

8:30 AM Nina Rotello †

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15

6:00 PM Vigil Deacon Grant, In Thanksgiving for 25 Years of Service

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

8:00 AM Deacon Grant, In Thanksgiving for 25 Years of Service

1:00 PM* People of the Parish

*Spanish



E-Mail Addresses for the Parish

To e-mail Fr. Elias...fr.eli@christourlight.org

To e-mail Nelda: nelda@christourlight.org

To e-mail RE Board: reboard@christourlight.org

Christ Our Light web-site: www.christourlight.org

BULLETIN DEADLINE TUESDAY 12:00 NOON

Announcements and or articles are to be submitted in writing to the Parish Office, or faxed to 825-7612 or e-mailed nelda@christourlight.org.

Events, meeting etc. for the Parish Calendar are to be submitted in writing to the Parish Office in advance.

AFTER MASS WEEKLY PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deadline Tuesday, 12:00 Noon. Announcements are to be submitted in writing to the Parish Office. The Pastor reserves the right to pick and choose which announcements are made in this forum as there is a need to keep these to a minimum.

Todos los anuncios deben ser presentados por escrito en la oficina de la parroquia no mas tarde que los martes al mediodia. El Pastor decidirá si las noticias son de importancia para ser pronuncia das.

PARISH REGISTRATION

To our new parishioner, we welcome you to Christ Our Light Parish. Please register at the parish office or ask one of the Hospitality Ministers to help you. For parishioners moving out of the parish or changing your address or phone number, please notify the parish office, 825-3920.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10

5:00 PM Spanish Legion of Mary, CH Cry room

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

5:00 PM to 5:45 PM Confession, CH

6:00 PM Spanish Choir Practice, CH

7:00 PM Parish Council Meeting, SPH

7:00 PM Adult Confirmation Class, SPCC

7:00 PM Spanish Lectors Practice, CH

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

5:10 PM Youth Choir Practice, SPH

6:00 PM CCE PreK thru 5th Grades

7:30 PM Choir Practice, CH

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

12:00 PM English Legion of Mary, CH Cry room

2:00 PM Liturgy & Music Work & Practice Time, CH

5:00 PM to 5:45 PM Confession, CH

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14

6:00 PM That's Amore! Valentine Day Dinner and Cabaret, St. Stanislaus Parish Hall

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15

No Events Scheduled

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

10:00 AM CCE 6th thru 12th Grades

MASS INTENTION REQUESTS ARE NEEDED FOR 2020

Most needed are Intentions for weekdays. Fr. Eli celebrates Mass everyday except Mondays and some weekdays celebrates two to three Masses. Stop by the office to request your Mass Intentions.



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Sacrament of Baptism Schedule

English Baptism Class Schedule for 2019: 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM April 11th, July 11th and Oct. 10th., 2020 PARTICIPANTS MUST REGISTER AT LEAST 1 WEEK PRIOR TO CLASS. To register please contact Deacon Grant Holt at 936-825-6448 or Lucy Coronilla at 936-419-9296.

Spanish Baptism Class Schedule for 2019: 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM, April 26th, July 26th and Oct. 25th. For Information, call Rosa Torres at 936-419-8974

ALL DOCUMENTS AND FORMS must be completed and turned in before Baptism Date. SCHEDULED Baptism will be celebrated once a month at 12 noon every 3rd Saturday following completion of the baptismal classes the prior month and Fr. Elie has been informed in advance. The Sacrament of Baptism is a communal celebration. Therefore, private baptisms are not celebrated here.



**PRAY for THE CONTINUING
RECOVERY OR COMFORT OF
the infirmed and homebound
members of our community.** Jo

Ann Clepper, Frank Crouch, Herman Culmer, Gilbert Druck-
hammer, Liz Johnson, Juanita King, Mary Ann Knowles,
Leslie Mills, Leon Nowak, Victor Ostigui, Leona Pasket,
Angelina Peterson, Wallace Peterson, Lucila Rivera, Josh
Sechelski, Dana Sowell, and Krysten Sowell, Jessie Valadez,
III, Crystal Winkler.

Call the parish office when a member of our community has a
need to be remembered in prayer, 825-3920.

Also, if you have added a name to the prayer list, **please call to
let us know when to remove the name from the list.**
Thank you.

New Memorial Candles



The new Candle Stands are electrical.
Anyone wanting to light a candle may do so by
pressing the red button and give an offering.
The candle will burn for 12 hours. Memorial
Candles burning for one year are \$150.00
each. Come by the parish office to schedule and pay your
offering of \$150.00 for your Memorial candle.

YOUR PARISH SUPPORT SU APOYO PARROQUIAL

**TRESASURE YOU HAVE
SHARED:**



**GIFTS FOR GOD — YOUR
TITHE RESPONDS**

February 01 & 02, 2020

(94) Offertory Envelopes/Loose Checks and On Live Giving	4,224.50
Loose Cash	882.44
Children	87.00
Total	5,372.55

DIOCESAN SERVICE FUND - 2019

Paid Over (Under) Goal: (495.42) Short

DIOCESAN SERVICE FUND—2020

Goal: \$24,940.00

Pledged:

Paid:

Total Registered Families: 651

Number of Participant:

Percent Paid:

Paid Over (Under) Goal:

Pledged Over (Under) Goal:

In Our Prayers

We remember in prayer our friends and loved ones
in active military duty, both in and out of harms
way, in the service of their our country. Pray for
peace in the world and for our leaders.

SSG Jorge Aguilar, Jr., Alexander Cortez,
Jesus Cortez, SFC Antinia Franco, 1SG
Jason Malek, Antonio Magallon, Jose Rene Milan
Christopher Munoz, Javier Salinas,
Sgt. Kevin Seigler, SSgt Allen Thane

OUR HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR FEBRUARY

**General Intention — Listen to the Migrants'
Cries:** We pray that the cries of our migrant
brothers and sisters, victims of criminal traffick-
ing, may be heard and considered.



P.E.R.A. (Perpetual Eucharistic Reparative Adoration)

We are inviting and highly encouraging everyone to
sign-up for our "P.E.R.A." (Perpetual Eucharistic
Reparative Adoration). We are asking everyone to
devote ONE HOUR (at least) a WEEK adoring God
in the Blessed Sacrament—that is, only asking 168
parishioners to make adoration of God everyday,
24/7! We do this as a Parish Community in response
to the teaching of St. John Paul II:

*The "Church and the world have a great need for Eucharis-
tic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love. Let
us not refuse the time to go to meet him in adoration, in con-
templation full of faith, and open to make amends for the
serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration
never cease."*

(Dominicae cenae, 3)

Please call Mary Rangel @ 936-419-9024.

THE CATHOLIC FAITH ON DEMAND Web site is FORMED.ORG

The Parish Code to access the website is

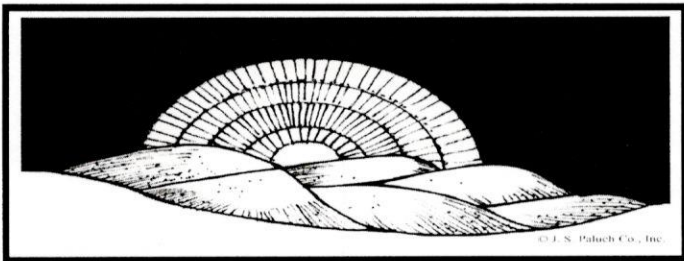
**There are 2 easy ways to connect to
FLOCKNOTE (pick one):**

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Then register to create an account.

NOTE: Do not use Mozilla Firefox browser.

1. Visit our church at: www.flocknote.com/christourlightchurch
2. Text SPOLG to 84576 from your phone to
subscribe to updates.



Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 9, 2020

Light shines through the darkness for the upright.
— Psalm 112:4

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Every 1st weekend of the month (Saturday Vigil and Sunday Masses) blessing of all who have a birthday or Wedding Anniversary during the month.



PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS
to the Priesthood and Religious Life
especially in our Archdiocese.

MEMORIALIZING THE SANCTUARY CANDLE

If you are interested in memorializing the Sanctuary candle, in memory of, in personal reverence and petition or Special Intention for the week, stop by the parish office for more information.

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Giving

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Online Giving Now

Christ Our Light now accepts online giving. Parish Soft is our parish's online giving program. Enroll at the link below. It is secure and easy to use. You will be able to use Parish Soft for normal tithing and special collections throughout the year. Apps are available, so your cell phones/tablets can be used for online giving.

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**GHECK
THIS OUT!**

Priests vs. Seminarians Basketball

The epic game is right around the corner! It's the Priests vs. Seminarians Basketball Game on Friday March 6, 2020. This will be the fourth year and it's going to be another fantastic game. Fun event for families and people of all ages... there's no substitute for being there LIVE! About half of the total tickets will be \$5 per person and the court side/floor tickets will not be more than \$25 per person. Tickets go on sale at noon on February 1. Purchase at houstonvocations.com/tickets

MONTHLY REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASSES

Refreshment will be served after Masses the first Sunday of each month. The refreshments and service will be provided by the following:

Altar Society—January and July
Pastoral Council—February and October
Finance Council—March and September
R.E. Board—April and August
Stewardship—May and November
Choir—June and December

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time — That we let our light shine before others and be a bold witness of our faith! *"Let your light shine before others, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven."* Matthew 5:16 The generosity of being a good steward of your gifts has a positive effect on people and it is contagious! Good works encourages more good works. Let your light shine! Be careful to recognize that God is working through you and don't put yourself above the people you have been called to help.

Boletín de Mayordomía—Reflexiones

5º domingo del Tiempo Ordinario — ¡Para que dejemos que nuestra luz brille ante los demás y que seamos testigos audaces de nuestra fe! *"Deja que tu luz brille ante los demás, para que puedan ver tus buenas obras y glorificar a tu Padre que está en el cielo."* Mateo 5:16 ¡La generosidad de ser un buen administrador de sus dones tiene un efecto positivo en las personas y es contagioso! Las buenas obras alientan más buenas obras. ¡Deja que tu luz brille! Sé cuidadoso al reconocer que Dios está trabajando a través tuyo y no e pongas por encima de las personas a las que has sido llamado para ayudar.

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LATER...

One who waits to do a great deal of good at once, will never do anything.
—Samuel Johnson

PRESIDENTIAL GARDENING

After I die, I want it said of me that I plucked a weed and planted a flower wherever I thought a flower would grow.
—Abraham Lincoln

IGNITE: *Our Faith, Our Mission*

Summary Report: January 27, 2020

Parish Goal: \$208,632.00

Total Pledged to Date \$100,513.00

Paid—Undesignated \$44,136.41 21.16%

Paid Over/(Under) Goal (\$108,119.00)

% of Parish Goal Pledged 48.18%

Number of Participation 38

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“Gratia Plena is a nonprofit organization that provides mental and spiritual health services for mental illnesses, addictions, and marriage/family problems. All counselors are Catholic and provide services in a way that is faithful to teachings, values and traditions of the Church. Their closest office is near The Woodlands, but counselors are also available by video session. For more information, see their website at www.gratiaplenacounseling.org call (832)532-0129, or email info@gratiaplenacounseling.org.”

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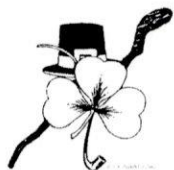
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“BRING YOUR GREASTES GIFTS TO THE LORD”

2020 DIOCESAN SERVICES FUND

God bless each of you who have so generously responded in support of the 2020 Diocesan Fund. If you have heard Christ's call and have not yet responded, please do so today. To give online, please visit www.archgh.org/dsf. Help us attain our parish goal of \$24,940.00

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St. Patrick Day Festival

There is a Sign Up Board in the Narthex with a list of prizes needed for the St. Patrick Day Festival Raffle to be held on Sunday, March 15th on the Church grounds. This will be a day of food, games and activities to help with the expense of running our Religious Education Program. More than one person or family can select a prize. If you have any questions concerning the prizes you can contact any of the R E Board members. We appreciate your support!

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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
World Marriage Day

Monday: St. Scholastica

Tuesday: Our Lady of Lourdes;
World Day of the Sick

Wednesday: Lincoln's Birthday

Friday: Ss. Cyril and Methodius;
Valentine's Day

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario;
Día Mundial del Matrimonio

Lunes: Santa Escolástica

Martes: Nuestra Señora de Lourdes;
Jornada Mundial de los Enfermos

Miércoles: Nacimiento de Lincoln

Viernes: San Cirilo y san Metodio; Día de san
Valentin

Sábado: Bienaventurada María Virgen

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Words Worth Noting — The price of greatness is responsibility.

—Winston Churchill

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FISH FRY 2020

Friday, February 28th, 5-8PM (or till sold-out)

KC Hall 9306 CR420 (Courtney Rd Off Spur 515)



Catfish, Fries, Hush puppies, and Coleslaw

\$10/Plate Dine-In or Pick up

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815 South LaSalle

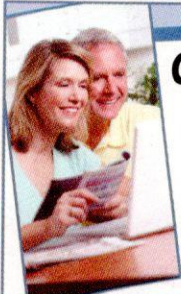
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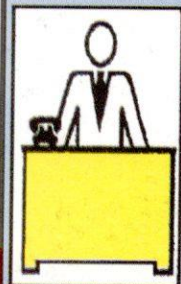
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