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MASSES

Daily: Mon - Fri: 8:00 AM Saturday 4:30 PM Sunday 10 AM PENANCE Saturdays 2:30-3:30 PM



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Mission Statement:

"Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, disciples of Jesus Christ in Worcester, MA, reaches out with love into the neighborhoods to welcome, serve, support, and engage the community in Jesus. In creating a welcoming relationship with Eucharistic and prayerful celebrations, we gather to make a difference by coming closer to God and one another."

November 24, 2024 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe



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

Life is short. How much time, energy and money do you put into building "your" kingdom here on earth? We all know we can't take it with us. The real kingdom is in the next life. Yet, how much time, energy and money do you invest in working for that eternal kingdom? Ask God for His guidance. Detach from earthly possessions. Generously share your material goods with others for the greater glory of God.

Daily Rosary-Praying of the Rosary will continue after the 8am daily mass in the church on Monday through Friday and at 9:15am before the 10am Sunday Mass. If you would still like to participate via Zoom, please let us know.

Mass Intentions & Calendar

Sat, Nov 23

9:00 am Mandatory Altar Server Training

4:30 pm

Sun, Nov 24 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

10:00 am Richard Marcinkevicius 26th anniv reg by sister Dana Michelina D'Angelo 1yr anniv req by a friend

Mon. Nov 25

8:00 am

Tue. Nov 26

8:00 am

Wed. Nov 27

8:00 am

Thu, Nov 28 Thanksgiving Day

8:00 am

Fri, Nov 29

8:00 am Matt Perno reg by Judy and Joe Verdini & Family

Sat, Nov 30

4:30 pm

Sun, Dec 1 1st Sunday of Advent

10:00 am Sonsini and Genovesi Families reg by Charles Genovesi and Elio Sonsini

SCRIPTURE READINGS

24 SUN Dn 7:13-14/Ps 91:1, 1-2, 5 (1a)/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37

25 MON Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 21:1-4

26 TUE Rv 14:14-19/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13/Lk 21:5-11

27 WED Rv 15:1-4/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 7-8, 9/Lk 21:12-19

28 THU Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/

Lk 21:20-28

29 FRI Rv 20:1-4,11-21:2/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a/

Lk 21:29-33

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

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME & TALENT

November Calendar Raffle Winners

Nov 1 Peter Luikey

Nov 2 Marion Stinchfield

Nov 3 Donna LaMontagne

Nov 4 Eva Kopoyan

Nov 5 Norma Nunag

Nov 6 Donna Messier

Nov 7 Kevin Shaughnessy

Nov 8 Kathy Bianchi

Nov 9 Cindy Douglas

Nov 10 Joseph Manzaro

Nov 11 James Morocco

Nov 12 Norma Nunag

Nov 13 Kerri Clark

Nov 14 Mary Sprino

Nov 15 Jackie Adams

Nov 16 Lisa Lynch

All winners will receive a phone call from Cheryl or Denise. Congratulations to all the winners!

Christmas Giving Tree

The giving tree will be set up on Saturday, November 30 and tags will be available to take from tree on Advent Sunday, **December 1st**.

Winter Coat Drive

Our Lady of Lourdes is collecting gently used coats, hats, gloves and scarves for children and adults. If you have any, please leave them on the stage in the church hall. They will be donated to Catholic Charities on **December 20th**.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEKLY OFFERING

Due to the Thanksgiving Day Holiday coming up, the bulletin had to be submitted by Friday, November 15. The offerings for 11/16-11/17 will be listed in next week's bulletin.

Knights of Columbus

Pope John XXIII Council #5481 has an on-going can/bottle collection program. Bring your cans to our Advent Breakfast on Dec 15th. Proceeds from this collection funds the Visitation House. If you cannot attend our Advent Breakfast and wish to donate any redeemable cans/bottles or metal, please contact Grand Knight, Nick Marrier at 774-230-1414 or via e-mail at nmarrier@gmail.com.

Senior Luncheon

Our next and last Senior Luncheon will be Thursday, **December 5th at 11:30am** in the church hall. Due to low attendance, the Senior Luncheons will be discontinued.

Religious Ed

Four of our Religious Ed students will be receiving their First Penance on Saturday, December 7th. Please keep William Frigon, Brianne Sentance, Maddison Lauzon and Kasey Gargas in your prayers.

Advent Breakfast

Our big Advent Breakfast is coming up on Sunday, December 15th after the 10am mass downstairs in the church hall. Tickets are \$10 per person and will go on sale starting November 23rd. Our Knights of Columbus is sponsoring this event.

Hospitality Meeting

There is a hospitality meeting this Sunday, November 17th after the 10am mass in the church hall to finalize all the details for our Advent Breakfast.

PROTECTING OUR YOUTH AND CHILDREN

If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a priest, religious or lay person working for the Church, and you want to share

feelings of hurt or betrayal, call Judith Audette, Victim Services Coordinator, Office of Healing and Prevention, 508-929-4363

508-726-2880 - direct, confidential line

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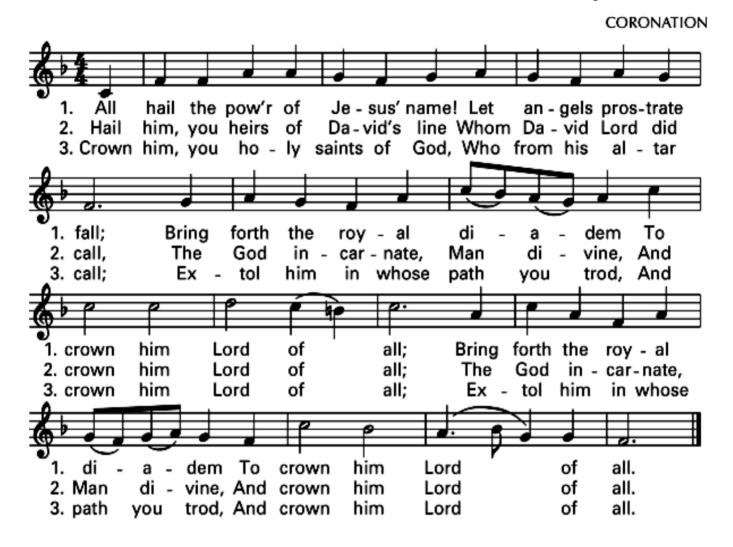
Go to: <u>ololma.org</u> & click on *Online Giving* for easy and secure instructions to set up your personal and confidential account or make an appointment with Fr. Brian or Cheryl at the rectory for help to set up your account.

- -By doing this: you can take the chore of filling your contribution envelopes unnecessary and take the guesswork out of how you support your parish.
- **-By doing this**: you help your parish maintain a consistent budget, especially when you are away from the parish and reduce the expense of sending envelope packages each month.

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE CYCLE B

GATHERING HYMN

All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name



GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you,
we bless you,
we adore you,
we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord, God, Heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord, Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us: You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer,
You are seated at the right hand of the

You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One; You alone are the Lord. You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, With the Holy Spirit, In the glory of God, the Father.

Amen

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING DANIEL 7:13-14

As the visions during the night continued, I saw one like a Son of man coming, on the clouds of heaven; when he reached the Ancient One and was presented before him, the one like a Son of man received dominion, glory, and kingship; all peoples, nations, and languages serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not be taken away, his kingship shall not be destroyed.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 93



SECOND READING

REVELATION 1:5-8

Jesus Christ is the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead and ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood, who has made us into a kingdom, priests for his God and Father, to him be glory and power forever and ever. Amen. Behold, he is coming amid the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those who pierced him. All the peoples of the earth will lament him. Yes. Amen.

"I am the Alpha and the Omega, " says the Lord God, "the one who is and who was and who is to come, the almighty."

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Mass of Christ the Savior Dan Schutte



GOSPEL JOHN 18:33B-37

Pilate said to Jesus, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you say this on your own or have others told you about me?" Pilate answered, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests handed you over to me. What have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingdom does not belong to this world. If my kingdom did belong to this world, my attendants would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not here." So Pilate said to him, "Then you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say I am a king. For this I was born and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

HOMILY

NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

The Response is:

"Lord hear us."



Lord Jesus Christ, who by your gift of your Body and Blood, are really present in our lives, hear the prayers of the Church of Worcester. Give us the faith of your Church, confident in your presence in our Masses, our tabernacles and our lives. Give us the faith to offer our lives to you, joined with the perfect sacrifice, which you offered on the altar of the Cross. Good and loving Shepherd, teach us how to lead your children home, that we might long together to glorify your name at the Supper of the Lord. For you are Lord forever and ever. Amen.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

Jesus Remember Me



HOLY, HOLY

MASS OF CHRIST THE SAVIOR

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord, God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

MASS OF CHRIST THE SAVIOR

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again

GREAT AMEN

MASS OF CHRIST THE SAVIOR

OUR FATHER

SIGN OF PEACE

LAMB OF GOD

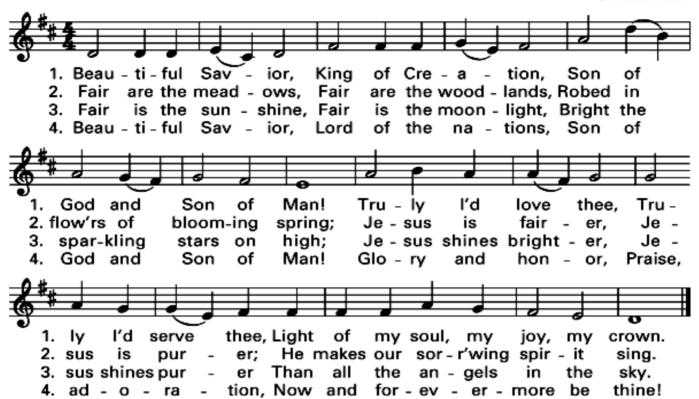
COMMUNION

MASS OF CHRIST THE SAVIOR

O Love Of God Incarnate



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