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LITURGY SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASSES:

SATURDAY VIGIL 5:30 P.M.; SUNDAY 8, 9:30,
AND 11 A.M. (MUSIC WITH SCHOLA CANTORUM)

WEEKDAY MASSES:

M - F: 8 A.M.; SAT 9 A.M.

FIRST FRIDAY: 8 A.M. FOLLOWED BY A HOLY HOUR

HOLY DAYS: PLEASE SEE BULLETIN

NATIONAL HOLIDAYS: 9 A.M. (NO 8 A.M.)

RECONCILIATION: SATURDAY 4-5 P.M.

BAPTISM: PLEASE CALL RECTORY

MARRIAGE: PLEASE CALL RECTORY SIX MONTHS IN ADVANCE

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings - Sunday, November 6th

Malachi 3:19-20a
2 Thessalonians 3:5-12
Luke 21:5-19



Faith First

To Live Faithfully in the Present

This Sunday's readings focus on the end of the world. • The First Reading speaks of the Day of Judgment (*the Day of the Lord*), which is forecast to come upon the earth; a day when God punishes evildoers and rewards the faithful. This is to be the day God establishes a reign of justice in the world. • The Responsorial Psalm emphasizes that since God is king, it is only logical that He will come to establish His reign, where He will rule the world with justice and the peoples with equity. • While the First Reading and the Gospel emphasize the end of the world being at hand, the Second Reading tries to help us strike a balance for daily life. We should not stop working, be lazy or become busybodies or presume upon the generosity of others, but live quiet, gentle lives as a good example to any observer. St Paul himself tries to set this example by not depending on the generosity of those to whom he preaches, but always earning his own living, never burdening others. • Today's Gospel presents a teaching about the end of the world. Jesus warns that many things (wars, insurrections, etc.) would occur before the end, but those things would not signal

the end. Jesus tells His disciples to trust God to deliver them in all their difficulties. This doesn't mean that they would be spared from suffering, but that even if they were martyred, God would always hold them in His heart. While their earthly lives might not be secure, their lives in the world to come would be.

Elements of the Liturgy: The Preparation of the Altar and Gifts

Sometimes referred to by the old terminology of the "Offertory," the Preparation of the Altar and Gifts begins the Eucharistic celebration, leading us to the Eucharistic Prayer. The altar is prepared, and the gifts of bread and wine are presented and set upon the altar, as the presiding priest praises God for the gifts that will become for us the Body and Blood of Christ. The presentation

of the gifts may be accompanied by a song, and typically, donations for the poor and the Church.

Service of Prayer for the Dead

Friday, Nov. 18th 6:30pm in the Church. A simple service of prayer for the Holy Souls in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Perhaps you could invite someone who is recently bereaved, be they Catholic or not? Perhaps you could reach out to someone who has lapsed from the practice of their faith?

In Our Prayers

Daily Mass Intentions November 13-- November 20

Sun	8:00am	Holy Souls
	9:30am	Karen Baker (+)
	11:00am	The People of the Parish
Mon	8:00am	Aaron Sanchez (+)
Tue	8:00am	Jill Richards (+)
Wed	8:00am	Holy Souls
Thu	8:00am	Int...Altar Society
Fri	8:00am	Mary E. and Ralph Baez Jr. (+)
Sat	9:00am	Holy Souls
	5:30pm	Fran Leeper Buss (+)
Sun	8:00am	Hope Harrington (+)
	9:30am	The People of the Parish
	11:00am	Holy Souls

In Memoriam

Let us pray for all those who have died
and are in need of prayer.
May they enjoy peace, happiness and light.

Please Pray for the Sick

Megan Panson, Annabelle Barden, Robin Aurelius, Steve Barry, Justin Plunhoff, Paulina Cerezo-Rangel, Joetta Connors, Delia & Santiago Chavez, Diane Peters, Michael Kelly, Brian McKenna, Dick Grutzmacher, Margarita Enriquez, Robert McAleese, Diana Zuniga, Dale Wooldridge, Nancy McGarry, Gary Pepe, William Daniel Reed, Stephanie Merenda, Victoria Generoso, Jim Collins, Robert Arkebauer, Dena Foster-Cook, Josephine Haddock, G.R. Gurley, Darren Stewart, Marge Mugartegui, Angel Curiel, Phillip Worth, Sonia Damiano, Ava Grace Arnold, Karen Amnon, Mary Terese Henriksen, Pamela Saenz, Stan Boyd, Norma Clark, Robert Clark, Jr.

Stand erect and raise your heads

Saint of the Week:

Saint Elizabeth of Hungary – November 17

St. Elizabeth of Hungary was a princess who was known for her charity. She was promised to a nobleman at birth and she married him at the age of 14, but became a widow just six years later. Her family attempted to seize her dowry, but she regained it and used the money to build a hospital for the poor, having been greatly influenced by the philosophy of St. Francis of Assisi.

Rather than building it at her family's castle at the top of a steep, rocky hill, she built the hospital at the bottom of the hill so the sick who needed care could reach it easily, personally caring for many of those who came for help. She did all this before dying at the age of 24.

St. Elizabeth of Hungary is the patron

saint of hospitals, nurses, bakers, brides, homeless people, and widows.

Prayer of the Week

Father in heaven, ever-living source of all that is good, from the beginning of time you promised man salvation through the future coming of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. Help us to drink of his truth and expand our hearts with the joy of his promises, so that we may serve you in faith and in love and know for ever the joy of your presence. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Veterans Day

This weekend, we honor all those parishioners & family members who have served, or are currently serving, in the military, defending our freedoms. We thank them for their service and pray that God will bless them and their families with His peace.

Meetings & Events

Christmas Food Drive



The Christmas food drive is now underway. We are collecting food for our Society of St. Vincent de Paul pantry and for the families of students who attend Cristo Rey High School. Please support the campaign by filling a bag with non-perishable food items you might find on your Christmas table or with pantry items that can be used into the new year. Not sure what to put in your bag, there is a suggested shopping list in the vestibule for your assistance. Return your bag to the **Parish Hall** before or after Masses this weekend or November 19/20. Thank you to Trader Joe's on Folsom Blvd for donating the bags and the Sacred Heart Parish School children for tying the ribbon on each bag. Questions, please call Emilia at 916-927-1667. Thank you for your ongoing generosity!

Second Sunday Social Today at noon



Join your fellow parishioners in the Parish Hall for fellowship and light refreshments, following the 11:00am Mass. Regardless of the Mass you attend, we hope you will join us at noon.

All are welcome!

Bible in a Year

Meets every Monday at 8:45 in the Parish Hall to listen to the podcast presented by Fr. Mike Schmitz, of Ascension Faith Formation. Come every Monday or as often as you like. Join us as we share thoughts and prayers and strive to increase our understanding of the Word of God.



time for just you and God.

Eucharistic Adoration Tuesday, November 15

Spend some quiet time with our Lord on **Tuesday, November 15th**. The church will be open from 6am until 8pm for Eucharistic Adoration. You can visit before work, after work, midday... Talk to God. Tell Him what's on your mind. Wait in silence and listen to what God is saying to you. This is a

MOMS

Ministry of Mothers Sharing

Our next gathering will focus on Gratitude as we prepare for Thanksgiving. We'll pray and share and do some crafting for the holiday. Join us Wednesday evening, November 16, from 7:00–8:30 pm in St. Anthony Hall at Sacred Heart School.

Altar Society News

Members are invited to our next meeting on Nov. 18 at 10 AM in the Parish Hall.

Women's Retreat

Mark your calendar now! The Sacred Heart Women's Retreat is scheduled for February 24-26, 2023, at the Christ the

King Passionist Retreat Center. It will be a wonderful way to begin the Lenten Season together with other women of the Parish. Register online www.ChristTheKingRetreatCenter.org or call 916-725-4720 ext. 307.





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