

Christ the Savior Catholic Church

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 Christ the Savior Parish



Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm English

Sunday 8:00 am English
9:30 am Spanish
11:00 am English

Weekdays

Wed & Fri 5:00 pm English
Tue & Thur 5:00 pm Spanish

Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8:00 am ~ Noon & 1:00 pm ~ 5:00 pm
Saturday & Sunday Office Closed

Sacrament of Reconciliation

(ONLY BY APPOINTMENT) Tuesday to Friday at 4:30 pm
(SOLO CON CITA) de Martes a Viernes a las 4:30 pm

Sacrament of Baptism The parish would like to help you prepare for the baptism of your child. Baptisms are generally celebrated on Saturday after 5:00 pm Mass or Sunday after the 11 am Mass

Quinceañeras

Must be enrolled in Confirmation Classes or be confirmed.

Sacrament of Marriage

In order to give couples adequate time to prepare for their wedding, we ask that couples call the parish office to schedule an appointment with the pastor six months prior to the anticipated wedding date.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

When a family member is ill, please call the office or if is an emergency please call (915) 834-9006 Available 24/7 Anywhere in El Paso, County

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, every 1st Friday and Third Thursday of the Month from 2:30 to 4:30 am

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Nena Guerrero

Rosarios

**33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 16, 2025**



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When I was a kid growing up in New England, I'd occasionally go on a whale watch. Once we went out with calm waters and clear skies. But on the way back in, the sea got rough. I was just a kid, and I remember thinking we should turn left or right toward the shoreline I could see. But the pilot of the boat kept going straight — right into the waves — focused on a small, discouragingly distant lighthouse. Even when it flickered in and out of sight, he stayed the course. He knew where he was going. That image comes to mind when I hear Jesus' words in today's Gospel regarding false messiahs: **"Do not follow them" (Luke 21:8)**. In times of chaos or uncertainty, there are always voices offering easier routes, promising false safety, claiming to speak for God. But Jesus isn't found in the loudest voice or the nearest shoreline. He is steady, like a lighthouse in the storm. The tribulation of which Jesus speaks — it's real. It happened to the Temple, it happened to him, it happens in the Church, and it will come to each of us. But the command is not to panic. It's to endure. To keep steering toward him. Faith isn't about having all the answers or dodging every wave. It's about knowing where the lighthouse is — and trusting it enough to keep going, especially when false safety beckons us to stop.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9 (see 9)/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Lk 19:41-44

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19/Lk 20:27-40

Next Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 (see 1)/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

November 15 & 16

St. Vincent de Paul

November 29 & 30

Christmas Memorial

PRE-BAPTISMAL CLASSES

The next pre-baptismal class will be held **Monday, Jan. 12 from 6 to 9 pm**. The fee is \$10 per person. Please register in the office one week before the class.

YOUNG-ADULT MINISTRY

"...What about my talents?!"

For anyone looking to find out more about their talents, sow, grow and understand them. We'll have workshops to learn new things and talks while exploring the gifts God gave you to shine and serve others. Meetings every Friday from 5-7 pm

ANGEL TREE: Please deliver the gifts before Thanksgiving. Our children's party will be in early December. Gifts should be wrapped with the Angel Tag attached. Thank you so much for your generosity.

RELIGIOUS ED NEED HELPERS

The Religious Formation program is in need of helpers for our Eucharistic preparation classes on Wednesday evenings. This is a wonderful opportunity to help our youth learn more about God and our Church. Please contact Barbara McMillen if you are interested or call the office. Thank you!



MEN'S WINTER CLOTHING COLLECTION

We will also be collecting men's winter clothing from November 8–23 to help those in need during the colder months. Please bring new or gently used coats, sweaters, gloves, and hats.

The next two weeks, **THAT MAN IS YOU** ministry will have their meetings on Tuesday instead of Thursdays. Meetings will be held on November 18 & 25 instead of 20 & 27. Thank you.

LIVE THE LITURGY

Jesus' words today are filled with fire and brimstone, vivid with images of pain, suffering, confusion — and, ultimately, peace. Do we believe what he promises? Do we have the endurance to stay with him until the end?



ANUNCIOS

COLECTAS ESPECIALES

Noviembre 15 y 16
Noviembre 29 y 30

St. Vicente de Paul
Memorial de Navidad

CLASES PRE-BAUTISMALES

La Próxima Clase Pre-bautismal: será el lunes 12 de enero de 6 a 9 pm. El costo es de \$10 por persona. Favor de registrarse en la oficina por lo menos una semana antes de la fecha de la clase.

ÁRBOL DE LOS ÁNGELES: Por favor, entreguen los regalos antes del Día de Acción de Gracias. Nuestra fiesta para los niños será a principios de diciembre. Los regalos deben estar envueltos con la Etiqueta de Ángel pegada. Muchas gracias por su generosidad.

EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

El programa de Formación Religiosa necesita ayudantes para nuestras clases de preparación eucarística los miércoles por la noche. Esta es una maravillosa oportunidad para ayudar a nuestros jóvenes a aprender más sobre Dios y nuestra Iglesia. Comuníquese con Barbara McMillen si está interesado o llame a la oficina. ¡Gracias!



COLECTA DE ROPA DE INVIERNO PARA HOMBRE

También recolectaremos ropa de invierno para hombres del 8 al 23 de noviembre para ayudar a los necesitados durante los meses más fríos. Traiga abrigos, suéteres, guantes y gorros nuevos o poco usados.

VIVIR LA LITURGIA

Las palabras de Jesús hoy están llenas de fuego y azufre, vívidas con imágenes de dolor, sufrimiento, confusión y, en última instancia, paz. ¿Creemos en lo que promete? ¿Tenemos la resistencia para permanecer con él hasta el final?



33° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario 16 de noviembre de 2025



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La perseverancia, ¿qué significa esta palabra tan importante? Es mantenernos firmes en nuestros planes y buenos propósitos. Perseverar en los estudios, en el trabajo y en las relaciones familiares requiere entusiasmo y energía cada día. Nada es fácil, y hoy Jesús nos invita a no tener miedo ante las adversidades y catástrofes que vemos actualmente, sino a superar las pruebas con fe y confianza en un Dios que no defrauda: *"Con todo, ni un cabello de su cabeza se perderá"*. Y agrega otra frase que nos invita a despertar del letargo espiritual: *"Manténganse firmes y se salvarán"* (Lucas 21:18-19). La liturgia de hoy nos ayuda a reflexionar sobre las muchas traiciones, hambres y guerras que azotan a nuestros hermanos y hermanas en el mundo. Sin embargo, a pesar de todo eso, caminamos con esperanza. Nada ni nadie puede arrebataros la seguridad de que Dios está caminando a nuestro lado. Pero no debemos dejarnos engañar dejando pasar el tiempo sin hacer nada por nuestro bien y el de los demás. *"El engaño es creernos dueños del tiempo. El tiempo no es nuestro. Del tiempo existe solo un soberano: Jesucristo. No os dejéis engañar en la confusión. El cristiano se mueve por este camino del momento, con la oración y el discernimiento. Pero deja el tiempo a la esperanza. El cristiano sabe esperar al Señor en cada momento; pero espera en el Señor al final de los tiempos"* (Papa Francisco).

Domingo: Mal 3, 19-20/Sal 97, 5-6. 7-8. 9 (ver 9)/2 Tes 3, 7-12/Lc 21, 5-19

Lunes: 1 Mac 1, 10-15. 41-43. 54-57. 62-64/Sal 118, 53. 61. 134. 150. 155. 158/Lc 18, 35-43

Martes: 2 Mac 6, 18-31/Sal 3, 2-3. 4-5. 6-7/Lc 19, 1-10

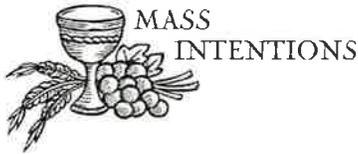
Miércoles: 2 Mac 7, 1. 20-31/Sal 16, 1. 5-6. 8 y 15/Lc 19, 11-28

Jueves: 1 Mac 2, 15-29/Sal 49, 1-2. 5-6. 14-15/Lc 19, 41-44

Viernes: 1 Mac 4, 36-37. 52-59/1 Cr 29, 10. 11. 11-12. 12/Lc 19, 45-48

Sábado: 1 Mac 6, 1-13/Sal 9, 2-3. 4 y 6. 16 y 19/Lc 20, 27-40

Domingo siguiente: 2 Sm 5, 1-3/Sal 121, 1-2. 3-4. 4-5 (ver 1)/Col 1, 12-20/Lc 23, 35-43



Sat Nov 15 **5:00 pm**

Thanksgiving Sacred Heart, BVM
& St. Jude – Rosa Sosa
Happy B'Day Estella Ontiveros
Happy B'Day God bless Hwajin Rosalia Clark
For health of Fred Cho
Spec. Int. Joshua & Alexandria
†Irma Herrera - Family
†Leo Tollens - Wife
†Annie Koch – Family
†Abel & Ofelia Flórez
†Soledad P. Joaquín

Sun Nov 16 **8:00 am**

God's blessings Julio & Hortensia for your 50th Wedd. Anniv.
Knights Council 9129
For the health of Bill Moseley
Spec. Int. Joseph Delgado
†Cecilia Rene Carrasco – Dad Jesús

9:30 am

60° Aniversario de bodas de Javier y María de Jesús Zarate
†Rosario Reyes
†Ruperto y Eleuterio López
†Rosa Ramírez
†Andrés Macias
†Eduardo Estrada

11:00 am

Happy B'Day Armando Guevara
13th Wedding Anniversary Armando & Cristina Guevara
†Kim Kum Yee – Daughter Agnes
†Maria Luisa Pacheco
†Macario Valverde
†Michael Neal – Mom
†James Matthew Celaya
Deceased members of Hidalgo Velarde Family
Deceased members of Shippy Noble Family

Mon Nov. 17 **5:00 pm**

NO MASS

Tue Nov. 18 **5:00 pm**

Happy B'Day Michael Orosz – In Laws Julio & Hortensia
Por la salud de Amanda
For all those who served in the U.S. Military
†Soledad P. Joaquín

Wed Nov 19 **5:00 pm**

†Kim Jin Soup – Aunt Agnes
†Justina Stallard – Theresa Palyu
†Maria Song – Theresa Palyu
†Soledad P. Joaquín

Thu Nov 20 **5:00 pm**

†Maria Kim – Theresa Palyu
†Wanda Peterson – Theresa Palyu
†Soledad P. Joaquín

Fri Nov 21 **5:00 pm**

†Kim Jin Soup – Aunt Agnes
†Catharina Wong – Theresa Palyu
†Peter Kim – Theresa Palyu
†Soledad P. Joaquín

**Parish Stewardship
Corresponsabilidad de la Parroquia**

Giving for November 8 & 9 Weekend

Weekend Donations: \$6,688

*Thank you for your continued support during these hard times!
¡Gracias por su continuo apoyo durante estos tiempos difíciles!*

**Christ the Savior Catholic Church
Income & Expense for October 2025**

Income 25,866

Expenses 27,313

Income less Expenses -\$1,447

Building Fund Donations for October: \$8,232

Building Fund Online Giving: **\$1,754**

Flauta Sale (Anita's group): **\$473**

Aluminum Cans: **\$63**

Gift Shop: **\$381**

God Bless you all!

Thank You!

¡Gracias!

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Baby Peyton Lara, Mayra Pagani, Elizabeth Martinez & Family, Nellie Johnston & Jon-Paul De la Motte, Lisa Lopez, Simon Lopez, Guadalupe Lopez, Katy Rimel, Sylvia Rimel, Veronica Rimel, Johathan Medrano, Donald Glenn Shippy, Rita Garcia, María de Jesús Regis de Román, Albert Cazares, Alicia Fausto, Sergio Fausto, Guadalupe Yañez, Viviana Morales, Michael Isaac Escobedo

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



The Sanctuary candle will burn brightly for
†Martha Castro

La vela del Santísimo brilla esta semana por
†Martha Castro

WEEKLY REFLECTIONS

PRACTICING CATHOLIC

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Two Things Can Be True At Once

As my husband and I drove our firstborn child home from the hospital, I sat alongside my daughter in the backseat. Terrified, exhausted, exhilarated, confused, hopeful — I was all of these things at the same time. I gazed at her, this magnificent little creature whose face was both familiar and strange to me, thinking: *She is exquisite. She is the future. She is life.* And then I burst into uncontrollable sobs. “What’s wrong?” my husband cried, panicked, glancing in the rearview mirror. “She’s — going — to — die — someday,” I blubbered, choking on my own tears. “Ohhh, honey.” I’ll never forget the tone of his voice as he clearly debated turning this car around and taking me back to the hospital for an emergency psych evaluation. “I think you might be tired.” Ten years later, it’s a memory we laugh about. I hadn’t slept more than four hours in four days. Postpartum hormones had lain waste to my senses. Here, on the threshold of new life, all I could think of was death. It’s funny. It’s absurd. But it also makes a lot of sense. Love and hate. Hope and fear. Joy and sorrow. Death and life. What lasts forever, and what is even now passing away before our eyes. To be human is to know that these feelings, these realities, can and often do occur at the same time. To be Christian is to know that it means something — even if we cannot understand what. Not yet. In every moment of his earthly life, Christ shows us that two things can be true at once. A virgin is a mother. An exile is a king. The temple will be destroyed, and it will last forever. The world is ending. The world is beginning. The cross is death. The cross is life.

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

Eyes On Your Own Paper

“Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be powerful earthquakes, famines, and plagues from place to place.” Looking at these words, I have to wonder. Am I reading the Bible or today’s newspaper headline? It’s never easier to despair than when you glance up and take a good look at what’s going on in the world: disasters, natural and contrived, wars, resentments, rivalries, and divisions. It is almost too much sometimes, isn’t it? The twenty-four-hour news cycle doesn’t help. Add social media and it’s enough to push anyone into a nervous breakdown. When you find yourself in this place of despair, remember Paul’s admonishment in his letter to the Thessalonians. Work quietly and eat your own food. It’s not so different from the old “keep-your-eyes-on-your-own-paper” rule of the classroom. Poking our noses into other people’s business, we may think we are getting a shortcut to the right answer, but we’re really just getting distracted. When we become too preoccupied with events that we cannot control — whether they are happening in our neighborhood or half-a-world away — we are tempted to leave off the very specific work God has given us in our own lives. We are easily lured into anger, bitterness, and anxiety. What is the work that God has called you to? Is it your career? Your family? Your community? What is your food — what nourishes you, sustains you, connects you to something real, powerful, and life-giving? This is what you should be concerned with. This is where your thoughts and your efforts should be. Work quietly and eat your own food.

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REFLEXIONES DE LA SEMANA

PRACTICANDO CATÓLICA

Por Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Dos Cosas Pueden Ser Ciertas a la Vez

Mientras mi esposo y yo llevábamos a nuestra primogénita a casa desde el hospital, me senté junto a mi hija en el asiento trasero. Aterrorizada, agotada, eufórica, confundida, esperanzada, eran todas estas cosas al mismo tiempo. La miré a ella, a esa pequeña y magnífica criatura cuyo rostro me resultaba familiar y extraño a la vez, pensando: *Es exquisita. Ella es el futuro. Ella es la vida.* Y entonces rompí a sollozar incontrolablemente. “¿Qué pasa?”, exclamó mi esposo, presa del pánico, mirando por el espejo retrovisor. —Va a morir algún día —balbuceé, ahogándome en mis propias lágrimas—. —Oh, cariño. Nunca olvidaré el tono de su voz mientras debatía claramente si dar la vuelta a este auto y llevarme de regreso al hospital para una evaluación psicológica de emergencia. — Creo que podrías estar cansada. Diez años después, es un recuerdo del que nos reímos. No había dormido más de cuatro horas en cuatro días. Las hormonas posparto habían sido un desperdicio para mis sentidos. Aquí, en el umbral de una nueva vida, todo lo que podía pensar era en la muerte. Es gracioso. Es absurdo. Pero también tiene mucho sentido. Amor y odio. Esperanza y miedo. Alegría y tristeza. La muerte y la vida. Lo que dura para siempre, y lo que aún ahora pasa ante nuestros ojos. Ser humano es saber que estos sentimientos, estas realidades, pueden ocurrir y a menudo ocurren al mismo tiempo. Ser cristiano es saber que significa algo, aunque no podamos entender qué. Todavía no. En cada momento de su vida terrena, Cristo nos muestra que dos cosas pueden ser verdaderas a la vez. Una virgen es una madre. Un exiliado es un rey. El templo será destruido y durará para siempre. El mundo se está acabando. El mundo está comenzando. La cruz es muerte. La cruz es vida.

LA CORRESPONSABILIDAD DIARIA

Ojos en tu propio papel

“Se levantará una nación contra otra y un reino contra otro. En diferentes lugares habrá grandes terremotos, epidemias y hambre.” Mirando estas palabras, tengo que preguntarme: ¿Estoy leyendo la Biblia o el titular del periódico de hoy? Nunca es más fácil desesperarse que cuando miras hacia arriba y echas un buen vistazo a lo que está pasando en el mundo: desastres, naturales y artificiales, guerras, resentimientos, rivalidades y divisiones. Es casi demasiado a veces, ¿no? El ciclo de noticias de veinticuatro horas no ayuda. Agregue las redes sociales y es suficiente para empujar a cualquiera a un ataque de nervios. Cuando te encuentres en este lugar de desesperación, recuerda la amonestación de Pablo en su carta a los Tesalonicenses. Trabaja en silencio y come tu propia comida. No es tan diferente de la vieja regla del salón de clases de “mantén tus ojos en tu propio papel.” Al meter nuestras narices en los asuntos de otras personas, podemos pensar que estamos obteniendo un atajo a la respuesta correcta, pero en realidad solo nos estamos distrayendo. Cuando nos preocupamos demasiado por eventos que no podemos controlar, ya sea que estén sucediendo en nuestro vecindario o a medio mundo de distancia, nos sentimos tentados a dejar de lado el trabajo muy específico que Dios nos ha dado en nuestras propias vidas. Somos fácilmente atraídos por la ira, la amargura y la ansiedad. ¿Cuál es la obra a la que Dios te ha llamado? ¿Es tu carrera? ¿Tu familia? ¿Tu comunidad? ¿Cuál es tu alimento? ¿Qué te nutre, te sustenta, te conecta con algo real, poderoso y dador de vida? Esto es lo que debería preocuparte. Aquí es donde deben estar tus pensamientos y tus esfuerzos. Trabaja en silencio y come tu propia comida.

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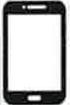
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