

St. Ann Catholic Mission

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“We of St. Ann Parish, being of the family of Christ, commit our lives to Gospel values in the community in which we live and worship. Through Eucharist, Spiritual development, Evangelization and Ministry, we show that we love and serve all persons as brothers and sisters in Christ.”



November 23, 2025

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Sunday Mass:

9:30 a.m.

(Divine Mercy Chaplet: 9:00am, first Sunday)

(Rosary: 9:00am All other Sundays)

Tuesday Mass:

10:30 a.m. Mass

Holy Day Masses:

Times to be determined.

Adoration:

First Friday of each month 12:00-1:00 pm

Reconciliation/Saturday:

2:00 to 3:30 p.m.

(Immaculate Heart of Mary,
26½ & H Roads, Grand Junction)

Parish Staff:

Pastor: Fr. Carl Wertin

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Deacons Luke Konantz, Mike Doerhman

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Pastoral Council

Brian Kaufman, pres., Judy Cole,

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Costanza, secretary

Finance Committee

Ron Gilligan, Mike Simmons, Mike Rowland

To start the prayer chain, please call Mary Beth Gilligan, 970-409-8080. To schedule communion for the homebound, contact Jill, 970-261-4806

Welcome to all visitors who are worshipping with us today!

If you are a newcomer to the area, please stop by the Hospitality Room and pick up a Registration Form.

Parishioners... complete the “Change Form” if you’ve had a recent change in information, for example, telephone number, address, e-mail, family composition, etc.

Parish office hours: 9:00am-12:00pm. Tuesday 970-464-5024.

Meditation

Christ Reigns with Love

After the rather scary gospel last week, we end our year with a message of hope.

The Solemnity of Christ the King this year reminds us that Jesus is the true King. His rule is not about power and wealth. It is about love, mercy and peace. He leads us by giving his life for us. This feast helps us see what real kingship means in God’s eyes.

On this day, we remember that Jesus is the head of all creation. Everything belongs to him. Yet he chooses to care for us as a shepherd cares for his sheep. We are called to follow his way of kindness and service.

This feast also gives us hope. Christ’s kingdom is not broken or temporary. It is forever, and he invites us to be part of it. When we live in his love, we share in the joy of his kingdom, both now and in the life to come.

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom. Luke 22:42



PARISH HAPPENINGS
St. Ann Mission Nov. 23

Please remember the following in your prayers: Bethel Davis, Mary DuFresne, Diana McDermott, Tom Foral, Macie Bridges, Daniel DuFresne, Leo Stewart, Frances Durand, Ron Gilligan, Joan DuFresne, Teri Toms, Dave Kornely, Jim Selcke, Vinnie Langella, Christopher Garcia, Phyllis Barker, Pam Werner, Alex Polzine, Sherry Knez, Andy Putnam, Charlotte Clymer, Carol Vardy, Rick Costanza, Linda Torrez, Charlie Trosclair, Steven Schearer, Theresa Casey, Edi & Connor Baxter, Desi & Theo McDermott-McGullion, Paulina Garcia, Katie Lily, Isabelle Esquivel, Karen LeCompte, Janis Malkewicz, Rita Alecia and Margaret Talley.

Names appear for 3 months unless otherwise requested. If your loved one has been deleted in error, please see Jill.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Joyce Valentine who passed away last Sunday. Joyce's funeral will be at 10:30, Tuesday, 11/25 at St. Ann's.

Also pray for the repose of the soul of Felix Saldana Quiroz who was in a car accident.

Our collection on Nov. 16: \$1049.39.

Gluten-free hosts are available. Please see an usher to request one.

We are observing a centering minute before every Mass.

Need something? Can't get ahold of anyone in the office? Call Jill 970-261-4806

Remember to do what it takes to protect your parish family from illness.

St. Ann's bulletin online. Go to IHM's main page (ihmgjt.org). Click on the St. Ann's link.

If you have anything for the bulletin, please contact Jill, 970-261-4806 or

shoediva.palisade@gmail.com or pastor@Stannspalisade.org.

Gratitude Corner:

To all who donated to the Thanksgiving Food Baskets. We are fortunate to have such a kind and giving parish family.

Today's Mass is for Shirley Maroney by Anni Selcke-Vilches. Tuesday's Mass is for Joyce Valentine.

Liturgical ministers for Nov. 30, 2025:

- **Lector:** Susan
- **EM:** Linda, Gaynel, Arsie
- **Ushers:** Ruth, Fred
- **Counters:** Judy, Linda W.
- **Coffee Host:** Birthday cake Sunday
- **Musician:** Choir
- **Server:** Commons

The St. Joseph 2026 missals are in the narthex, as are the Advent meditation books.

Learn about Saints in a fun way. See the table in the narthex.

Choir practice, Saturday, 11/29, 8:30am.

The memorial candles are in the narthex for you to take home.

Next week we will begin our annual giving tree. You may start bringing in hats, scarves, gloves and socks to be given to the Day Center. Also in one week is our annual bake sale after Mass. Proceeds for this will go to Homeward Bound.

Thank you to Deacon Mike for sharing his thoughts on Living the Gospel in Our Lives. He gave us great food for thought.

Meals on Wheels meets Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon in the Civic Center Gym. Reservations required 970-298-9844.