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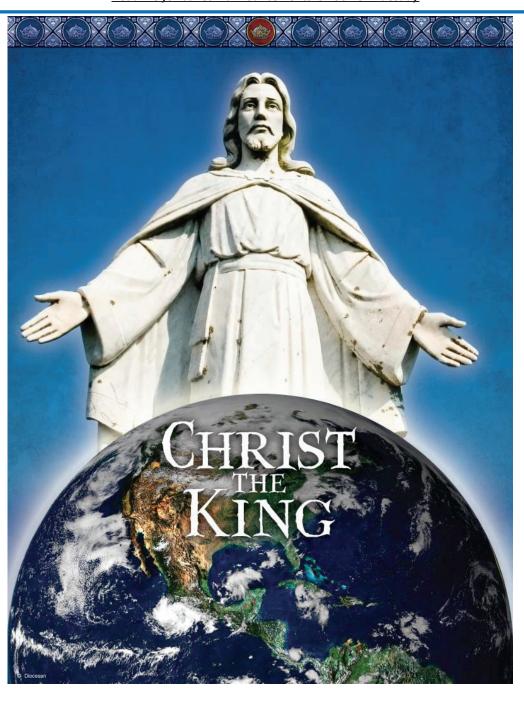
Mon/Wed/Thu/Fri- at St. Joseph, Bardstown 348-3126—rcrepps@stjoechurch.com

*Baptism: Contact Gilly Simpson if you are interested in Baptism.

*Confession: Contact Priest before Mass

*Marriage: Contact Father Brandon DeToma if you are interested in Marriage in the Church

*Cards to the III: Contact Julie Carter 502-460-5621
*Deadline for bulletin announcements is noon on Tuesday





Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 19

6:00 p.m. For the People of St. Michael

Sunday, November 20

10:00 a.m. Geraldine Simpson

Tuesday, November 22

10:00 a.m. Rose Hill

Thursday, November 24– Thanksgiving Day

10:30 a.m. Kelly Simpson

Saturday, November 26

6:00 p.m. Abby Barnett

Sunday, November 27

10:00 a.m. For the People of St. Michael

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24 at 10:30 am



Prayer Intentions for the sick:

Atticus Keene, Jamie Prather, Randy Rogers, Amy Vuturo, Charlotte Shields, Debbie Mays, Dean Smith, Dalton Reinle, David Rodard, Clarence Curtsinger, Donnie Hall, John Cissell, Bunny Brady, Andy Brinegar, Jeanette Welch,

CeCe Starling, Dustin Hilbert, Kathy & Bobby Wooldridge,
Barry Prather, Monte Spalding, Jean Harris, Randy Hobbs,
Harold Wilkerson, Theresa & Stephen Harbin, Michael Bowman,
Karen Cheek, Ann Hagan, Toby Lewis, Marie Clark, Tony Phalm,
Howard Perkins, Kathy Thomas, Helen Kleeman, Ronnie Trent,
John & Linda Roby, Betty Kaye & Danny Hayden, Thomas Myers,
Alton Humphrey, Kathy Humphrey, Jim Crenshaw, Cathy Thomas,
Jerry Dickerson, Lisa Vuturo, Debbie Whitson, Jerry Hamilton,
Christine Donahue, Joanie Coulter, Mike Connelly, Marchell Hill,
Joe Fertenheimer, Mike Wilhite, Jeanette Higdon, Eddie Cecil

Donations 11/13/22

Sunday Collection \$ 1,329
Wreaths Across America \$ 141
Cemetery \$ 40

Cemetery Donation \$100
In Memory of the Thomas Elder Family

Online Donations \$ 100.00



Anniversary Masses with Archbishop Fabre Cathedral of the Assumption, 12 pm

Sunday, December 18 for

Couples Celebrating 30, 40, 50, 60 and longer years married.

Please contact the parish office to submit your information. Registration deadline is December 7.



NOVEMBER

11/23 NO CCD Classes 11/30 CCD Classes

DECEMBER

12/7 CCD/ 1st Reconciliation
12/14 Caroling at Nazareth
12/21 NO CCD (Christmas Break)
12/28 NO CCD (Christmas Break)

JANUARY

1/4 CCD Classes1/11 CCD Classes1/18 CCD Classes1/25 CCD Classes

November 20, 2022



"Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, a stranger and you welcomed me, naked and you clothed me, ill and you cared for me, in prison and you visited me." Matthew 25:34-36

Stewardship Stewardship is opening our hearts, time, and hands to others. It means being available to others, willing to WAY OF LIVING listen, and sharing our blessings in justice and love. In doing this, we serve Jesus Christ, our Lord and King.

Breaking Open God's Word:

Our Lard Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Three times those surrounding Jesus on the cross scoffed at this supposed king slowly dying the death of a criminal. The rulers, the soldiers, and one of the criminals each call upon him to save himself if he is so powerful. The criminal goes on to demand that he save him as well. None of these people can imagine anyone, especially a king, being so selfless that he wouldn't do whatever he could to save his own life. They cannot understand the paradox of God

ignominious death. Only the criminal who recognizes Jesus' innocence seeks not that his own life be saved, but rather life in a kingdom that the Messiah is willing to die for.

being born into this world seemingly only to die an



CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR Development Collection

will take place this weekend November 19-20, our parish will take up a collection for the

Catholic Campaign for Human Development. More than 37 million people (over 11% of the population) in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face in bringing permanent and positive change to their communities. In addition, 25% of the donations stay here in the Archdiocese of Louisville to fund anti-poverty programs throughout our 24 counties.

NOVEMBER

Saturday 6 PM Sunday 10 AM LECTORS:

11/19 Mike Koehler 11/20 Andrea Higdon 11/26 Terry Rogan 11/27 Julie Carter *Thanksgiving Day 11/24 - Mike Simpson

USHERS:

Tom Higdon Tim Prather
Mike Koehler Billy Prather

SUNDAY SERVERS:

11/20 Kyle Crepps 11/27 Server Needed



Parish Council Meeting- Nov. 29 6:30 pm

Finance Council Meeting- Dec. 13 6:30 pm

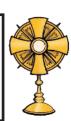
Our Parish Goal: \$6,100

Our Parish Participation Goal: 35 households

Totals to Date: \$ 3,880 with 26 household participation

There is still plenty of time to respond with a gift. Gifts may be made through our parish office or online at www.ArchLou.org/CSA

ADORATION meets the 1st & 3rd
Monday of the month.
Next Meeting: Monday
November 21 at 6 PM



Beginning the Church's liturgical year, Advent (from, "ad-venire" in Latin or "to come to") is the season encompassing the four Sundays (and weekdays) leading up to the celebration of **Christmas**.

The Advent season is a time of **preparation** that directs our hearts and minds to Christ's second coming at the end of time and to the anniversary of Our Lord's birth on Christmas. From the earliest days of the Church, people have been fascinated by Jesus' promise to come back. But the scripture readings during Advent tell us not to waste our time with predictions. Advent is not about speculation. Our Advent readings call us to be alert and ready, not weighted down and distracted by the cares of this world (Lk 21:34-36). Like Lent, the liturgical color for Advent is purple since both are seasons that prepare us for great feast days. Advent also includes an element of penance in the sense of preparing, quieting, and disciplining our hearts for the full joy of Christmas.

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