The Cathedral of Our Lady of Walsingham

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+ Solemnity of Christ the King + 24 November AD 2019 +

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Call the Parish Office if you wish to. . .
+ become a Registered Member of Our Lady of Walsingham + explore the possibility of becoming Roman Catholic
+ schedule a Wedding or a Baptism + talk about the Annulment process + schedule a Confession by appointment

December Prayer Intentions of the Holy Father, Pope Francis

The Future of the Very Young

That every country take the measures necessary to prioritize the future of the young, especially those who are suffering.

Welcome to Our Visitors

Thank you for sharing in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass with us today. Please fill out a visitor's card (found in the pew racks) and return it in the offering plate so we will have a record of your visit. And please introduce yourself after Mass.

If you are a Catholic, we at Our Lady of Walsingham receive Holy Communion kneeling and by intinction (both species on the tongue).

If you are not a Catholic, during Communion we invite you either to come forward with your arms crossed over your chest, or fingers across your lips, and receive a blessing from the Priest or Deacon, or remain in your pew and reflect on the presence of Christ.

IC XC NI KA

Solemnity of Christ the King

Sunday, November 24

Eucharistic Procession to the Shrine with Benediction

after the 11:15 Principal Mass

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You are encouraged to take the Bulletin & Mass Leaflet home to utilize them in your prayer life.

The Flowers at the High Altar are given in Memory of

Dominic Blackwell

Twenty-Second Sunday After Trinity

Weekly Budget	$ 16,650
Regular Offering	$ 20,958
Mass Attendance	929

WEEKLY VOTIVE LIGHTS

THE VOTIVE LIGHTS OF

THE MARTYRS

BURN THIS WEEK FOR ALL THOSE ILL, ESPECIALLY

Howard Chapman
Brian Almond
Shannon Shrader
Joseph Schmidt
Monica Bloodworth
Ernest Santos
Ana Echeverria
Max Ziegler
Barbara Elliott
Roz
Natalie
Chris Pace
Keaton Kroll
Micah
Carson Dratch
Ryder
Tyler Lay

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THE VOTIVE LIGHT OF

OUR LADY

BURNS THIS WEEK FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS OF

James Fisher & Mark Ferenz
Greg Danna
Joan Feehrey
John W. Hensen
Nina Thienes
Gary Valentine Jr.
Colin William Nobles
Alfred Jules Bernard
Joe Nocera
Nia
Dominic Blackwell

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THE VOTIVE LIGHT OF

ST. GABRIEL

BURNS THIS WEEK FOR

Susan Roy & Family
Bernard Family

+

THE VOTIVE LIGHT OF

ST. JOSEPH

BURNS THIS WEEK FOR

Barron Family

+

THE VOTIVE LIGHT OF

ST. JUDE

BURNS THIS WEEK FOR

Larry & Katherine Jones

+

In Our Parish This Week

Saturday, November 23	**Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro**
8:00 am	**Said Mass** [Jose Alcantara+]
9:00 am	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - Seton Hall
3:45 pm	**Confessions**
4:00 pm	Rosary
4:30 pm	**Vigil Mass** [William A. Lakey+]
Sunday, November 24	**Solemnity of Christ the King**
7:30 am	Rosary for Vocations - Cathedral
8:00 am	**Sung Mass** [Joan Feehrey+]
8:45 am	**Confession**
9:00 am	Coffee & Donuts Served in Newman Pavilion
9:00 am	FLM St. Nick's Gifts Collection Narthex
9:00 am	KoC Thanksgiving Turkey Delivery Cathedral Drive
9:30 am	**Sung Mass** [Anne Fautt+]
9:45 am	CCD Classes - Seton Hall
9:45 am	Adult Forum - Great Hall
11:15 am	**Solemn Mass** [Parishioners of OLW]
1:15 pm	**James Price Hotze Baptism**
4:00 pm	Jackson Osborn Organ Recital Cathedral
5:00 pm	High School Choir- Seton Rehearsal Hall
5:30 pm	Rosary for Vocations - Cathedral
6:00 pm	**Said Mass with High School Choir** [Mary Worth]
Monday, November 25	**St. Catherine of Alexandria**
8:30 am	Morning Prayer - Holy House Chapel
	Holy House Academy Classes on Break
12:00 pm	**Said Mass** [Tony/Martha Jones+]
4:30 pm	Evening Prayer - Holy House Chapel
7:30 pm	Piping Rock Singers - Seton Rehearsal Hall
Tuesday, November 26	**Weekday before Advent**
8:30 am	Morning Prayer - Holy House Chapel
12:00 pm	**Said Mass** [Carla Ontiveras]
12:45 pm	Rosary & Adoration
1:00 pm	Bulletin Folding - St. Jude Hall
5:30 pm	Evening Prayer & Benediction - Holy House Chapel
6:30 pm	Adult Choir - Seton Rehearsal Hall
7:30 pm	*Cor ad Cor* - Seton Hall/St. Dunstan
Wednesday, November 27	**Weekday before Advent**
8:30 am	Morning Prayer - Holy House Chapel
	Holy House Academy Classes on Break
12:00 pm	**Said Mass** [Ethel Chaney+]
4:30 pm	Evening Prayer - Holy House Chapel
Thursday, November 28	**Weekday before Advent**
	Parish Offices Closed
9:00 am	**Said Mass** [Parishioners of OLW/OCSP]]
Friday, November 29	**Weekday before Advent**
8:30 am	Morning Prayer - Holy House Chapel
12:00 pm	**Said Mass** [Evelyn Edwards+]
4:30 pm	Evening Prayer - Holy House Chapel
Saturday, November 30	**Saint Andrew, Apostle**
8:00 am	**Said Mass** [Karen Cloud]
3:45 pm	**Confessions**
4:00 pm	Rosary
4:30 pm	**Vigil Mass** [James Haynes+]
Sunday, December 1	**First Sundy of Advent**
7:30 am	Rosary for Vocations - Cathedral
8:00 am	**Sung Mass** [Joan Feehrey+]
8:45 am	**Confession**
	Coffee & Donuts on Break
9:00 am - 1:00 pm	Final St. Nick's Gift Collection - Narthex
9:30 am	**Sung Mass**
	CCD Classes on Break
	Adult Forum on Break
10:50 am	Sung Mattins - Cathedral
11:15 am	**Solemn Mass** [Parishioners of OLW]
1:00 pm	Walsinghammers Youth Group Advent Wreath Fundraiser - St. Jude Hall
1:00 pm	Walsinghammers Gift Wrapping - Seton Hall
1:15 pm	**Ben & Theo Matsumura Baptism**
5:30 pm	Rosary for Vocations - Cathedral
6:00 pm	**Said Mass**

Christus Rex

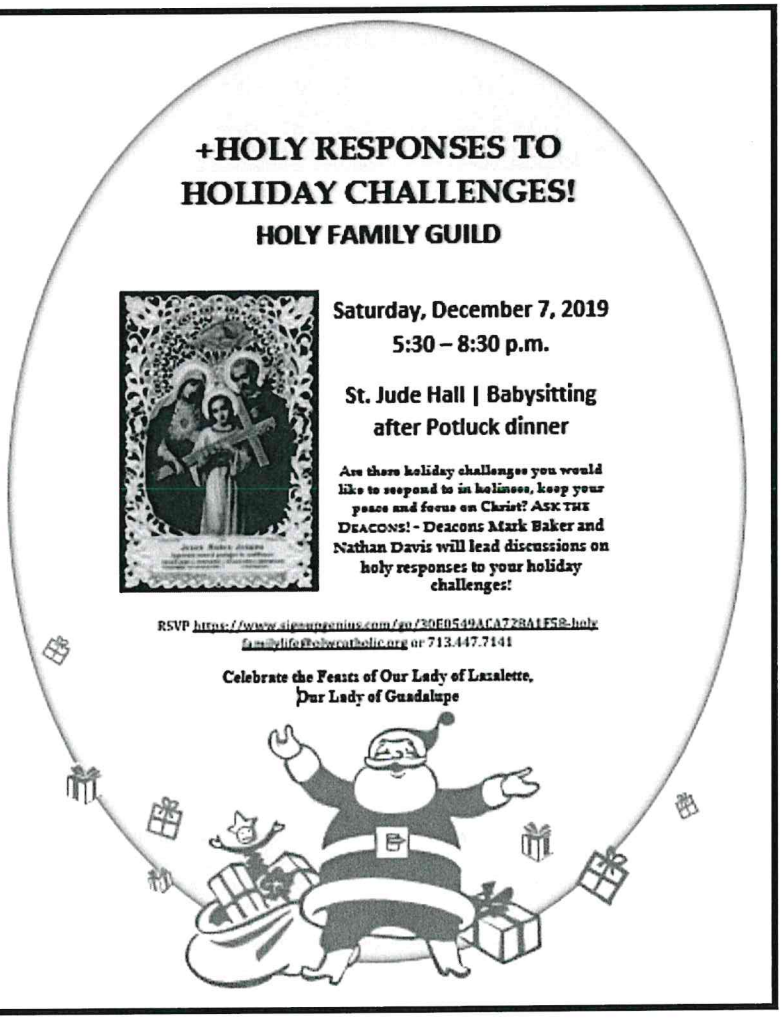
The Solemnity of Christ the King is a modern feast and the most recent of the Church's festivals dedicated to the Person of Our Lord. It was instituted in 1925 by Pope Pius XI and given its current position at the end of the liturgical year by Pope Paul VI in 1969. But despite its twentieth-century origins, this feast draws deeply from the wells of the most ancient traditions of the Church in celebrating the august figure of the *Rex Gloriae*, seated at the right of the Father, enthroned in splendor and shining in golden mosaics from the apses of the oldest Christian basilicas.

In the papal encyclical establishing the feast, *Quas Primas*, Pope Pius XI deliberately and provocatively seized upon the image of divine monarchy to rebuke modern secularism and to proclaim the "Social Reign of Christ the King." Insisting that all nations and all peoples are bound by the precepts of divine and natural law, that Christ is indeed the King of Kings and Lord of Lords, here and now, and that every society and government owe Him undisputed homage, the Pope also taught that men should seek the peace of Christ in the kingdom of Christ, hereafter--*Pax Christi in Regno Christi.*

Originally assigned to the last Sunday of October, the Feast of Christ the King was intended to precede and frame All Saints' Day on November 1 in showing Christ in glory reigning with His Blessed Ones in heaven. In his decision to move the observance to the last Sunday of the liturgical year, taking the place of what had been the Twenty-Sixth Sunday after Pentecost, Pope Paul VI further emphasized the eschatological character of sacred time and of the Church's mission: *Thy Kingdom come and Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.*

Insofar as the liturgical year is nothing other than the life of Jesus drawn out in time and aimed at realizing the Kingdom of God, it is fitting that these days of grace culminate by rejoicing in the *Majestas Domini* and that we turn then in Advent to eager anticipation of the King Who is also the Baby in the manger at Bethlehem. And it is fitting too in our parish that we observe this glorious feast by keeping our annual custom of concluding the last Mass of the year with a Eucharistic Procession and Solemn Benediction, as we kneel and receive the King's blessing from His Sacred Body held aloft in the golden monstrance.

Dr. Clint Brand



FAMILY LIFE MINISTRIES

Visit us:
http://olwcatholic.org/family-life-ministry-1
email: **familylife@olwcatholic.org**

"St. Nick's Gifts"

When: Return your gifts by Sunday, December 1 at 1:00 pm to the barrel in the narthex. The Walsinghammers Youth Group will wrap these presents at their meeting on December 1st.

Thank You! Family Life Ministries is grateful to sponsor this in collaboration with our parish Holy House Academy, Walsinghammers Youth Group, The Kid's Reading Room and Kid's Hope USA.

Thanksgiving Week Schedule

The Parish Office will be open November 25 & 26 and will re-open on Monday, December 2nd. Thanksgiving Day Mass is at 9:00 am on November 28. Most Rev. Steven J. Lopes, Bishop of the Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter will preside. You are invited to bring an item of food which you plan to serve at your Thanksgiving Day feast to be blessed at the Mass. We will also have a collection to support the Spring Branch Food Pantry.

It's time for our Advent Wreath Making Social!

Join the Walsinghammers Youth Group on Sunday, December 1, at 1:00 pm in St. Jude Hal. We will have all the supplies to create a lovely Advent Wreath. Bring your lunch to enjoy while you are crafting your wreath, and afterwards we will provide a Sundae Bar as a sweet treat! The cost for a family is $45 and for a couple or single person is $30. This event is a fundraising opportunity for the youth to attend the *Rally for Life* in Austin, Tx in January 2020. Please sign up by Friday, November 30 at **olwcatholic.org/youth-group** so we can purchase the right amount of supplies. After the wreaths are finished, we will end with a blessing and a prayer for a fruitful Adventide. We hope you can join us for this beautiful entrance into the Advent season!

St. Alban Guild

Come as you are and bring your lunch! **All Parishioners** are invited to eat lunch and join us for fellowship with members of our Church family **after the 11:15 Mass on Sunday, December 8th.** After Mass, we will gather in the St. Jude Hall, bless the food, and commence to creating connections with fellow parishioners. Each family is responsible for their own lunch. You are invited to drop off your ice chests, insulated bags, in St. Jude Hall before Mass. Feed your family! Feed your soul! See you all on Sunday!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

November 23 – Randal Maggio, Lucas Newton
November 24 – Augustin Jimenez
November 25 – Andrew Hines, Sevina Salazar, Jessica Turner
November 26 – Carson Calkins, Andy Edling
November 27 – Margaret Ferenz-Yang, Athina D'Ascoli, Gianna Heinen
November 28 – Julia Newton, Robert Wallace
November 29 – Stella Stanley
November 30 – Jonathan Davidson, Marielle Pichon, Lina Umali
November 28 – Amy Viteri
December 1 – Christopher Harper, Fady Henri, Mary Jane Rhodes, Griffin Connally, Thomas Conally, Dimitri D'Ascoli, Angela Barrios

Happy Anniversary!

November 24, 1995 -- Joseph & Anne Maniscalo
November 24, 2007 – Tim & Mary Halbleib
November 26, 1976 -- Matthew & Judy McInturf
November 26, 2011 – Carlos & Amy Viteri
November 28, 1987 – Michael & Alison Peterman
November 28, 1998 – Jose & Amanda Avila
December 1, 2007 – Chuong & Amie Pham

The Shrine Shoppe
is open Sundays between Masses and until 1:15 pm.

Sunday Coffee and Donuts Ministry

Sunday coffee and donuts will take a break on December 1st and will resume December 8. Then we will be off for the rest of Advent through Epiphany. We have Sunday's in 2020 available for volunteers to help prepare the coffee and give out donuts. If you can help our ministry, please contact Mona Diaz at mona.diaz@olwcatholic.org or 713-683-9407.

Will You Help our Ordinariate Priests?

On November 30 and December 1, join your brothers and sisters across the Ordinariate in supporting the *Retirement Fund for Priests*: a second collection for the pension of the Ordinariate's clergy. Special envelopes will be provided this weekend for this collection; please take a donation envelope and consider offering a gift on November 30 or December 1. Checks should be made out to the "Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter." We will collect these gifts November 30 and December 1 (or you may mail your gift directly to the Chancery using the provided, pre-addressed envelopes). Please prayerfully consider making a gift!

Prophets: Messengers of God's Mercy

If we consider that God is the Divine Bridegroom and the Church is his Bride, then the prophets can be seen as "spiritual marriage counselors." They afflict the comfortable and comfort the afflicted, calling us to return to our covenant relationship with God. They urge us to repentance, warn us of the dangers of sin, and announce the blessings of faithfulness. Their prophetic words speak to us even today, as they draw us closer to our heavenly Bridegroom. The Cathedral of Our Lady of Walsingham will begin a ten-week Bible study *Prophets: Messengers of God's Mercy* on Thursday, January 30, 2020 at 7:00 pm. Participants will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. For more information or to register, visit the parish website at olwcatholic.org/bible-studies or contact John McGarry at 713.679.8110 or johnmcgarry05@gmail.com.

The Adult Forum

Faith Seeking Understanding: Adult Catechesis

~ Fides quaerens intellectum ~

Great Hall of the Chancery Sundays 9:45 am - 10:45 am

November 24	**Mr. Tomas Diaz**	**"On the Virtue of Obedience"**
December 1	**Adult Forum Break**	
December 8	**Mr. Greg Orcutt**	**"Mother of Theologians and Defeater of Heresies"**

The Adult Forum will be on Break until January 2020.

Seminarian Suppers Ministry

We have a need for volunteers to be a part of a new Ministry, **Seminarian Suppers.** This would be preparing food for a Sunday according to a schedule given that would be dropped off at the seminarians house by 4:00 PM. If you are interested in being a part of this ministry please contact Lynn Forrester at 714-757-2769 or lynnsuelynn@yahoo.com, or contact Danny Pitocco'. n8sdada@aol.com . We are targeting to have 10 to 12 families as part of this ministry.

AN ORGAN RECITAL ON CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

4.00pm, Sunday the 24th November

M. JACKSON OSBORN

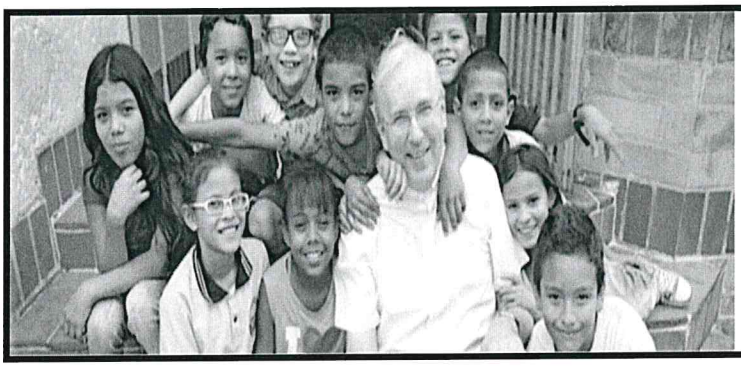
will Play a Recital of Renaissance and Baroque Organ Music
with Chant by Some Gentlemen of the Cathedral Choir
Directed by Edmund G. Murray, Cathedral Choirmaster and Organist

20 Years

CHORUS ANGELORUM

Festival of Lessons and Carols

Please join us for *Advent Lessons and Carols*
Sunday, December 15 at 4:00 pm
Featuring Chorus Angelorum
assisted by the Cathedral Adult and Treble Choirs
Reception to follow in the Chancery Great Hall.
You won't want to miss this beautiful time honored tradition!



Let The Children Live!

Fr. Peter Walters, Founder and Director, of Casa Walsingham in Medellin Colombia will be visiting Our Lady of Walsingahm parish December 13 -15. More details forthcoming on his visit to Houston!

Advent Market

Join us Saturday December 14, from 5:30 to 6:30 and Sunday December 15 from 9:00 to 6:00 in the Great Hall of the Chancery.

Beautifully packaged cookies, cakes, candies, cards, religious items, soaps, candles, ornaments, and many other great gifts will be available for purchase.

All proceeds benefit the children of Holy House Academy

About the Boar's Head Festival

Since the ancient times, the wild boar was the most dangerous - and tastiest - game sought by hunters. At the ensuing feast, the boar's head would be decorated and presented to the hunter who brought it down. As England converted to Christianity, the slaying of the boar came to symbolize the victory of Christ over sin and death. At the feast, the boar's head is presented to Christ, the mightiest hunter of all. One of the earliest reports of the presentation of a boar's head dates back to King Henry II in 1170. For over 600 years, a Boar's Head Feast has been celebrated at Queen's College, Oxford. As the boar's head is presented, the traditional carol circa 1521, *The Boar's Head in Hand Bear I*, is sung.

Chorus Angelorum

presents the third annual

Boar's Head Festival Dinner

celebrating

The Feast of Epiphany

Saturday, January 4, 2020 at 7:30 p.m.

In the Chancery Great Hall

Featuring

Whole Roast Pig

with Traditional Accompaniments

Live Music & Costume Contest

Purchase tickets at www.chorusangelorum.org/events

Adult $30 Child (12 and under) $15

Proceeds benefit Chorus Angelorum educational programs

Piping Rock Singers

My Soul Doth Magnify

A Concert of Seasonal Medieval and Renaissance Favorites with works by Gibbons, Gombert, Hassler, Praetorius, Scheidt and more

December 6, 2019
7:30 PM

The Cathedral of
Our Lady of Walsingham

Admission: $20 General, $10 Student

www.pipingrocksingers.com

(832) 786-9226

Advent Sung Mattins

December 1st

10:40 am

Cathedral

Moveable Feasts 2019-2020

As we begin our new year in Advent, our Moveable Feasts will welcome new participants to be a part of these small group dinners with our fellow parishioners.

What are Moveable Feasts?

Moveable Feasts are periodic dinners for 8-10 parishioners who meet in the home of one of the families for a social dinner. No agenda. The Host family for each dinner provides the main course, and the other members provide side dishes, bread, dessert, and wine if desired. The hosting family rotates among the group. Both couples and singles are invited.

The goal is to have a sit-down dinner to share a meal and get to know each other. Although the dinner is targeted for adults, nothing would preclude a group from organizing some family focused activities or outings at other times.

The meals should be simple, soup and grilled cheese is just as good as steak and lobster. The goal of the group is to get to know better your fellow parishioners and foster the sense of family within our Parish community.

The dinners for the newly Moveable Feast groups can begin when agreed for your group, but no later than January to keep things moving. You can then meet from monthly to quarterly depending on the preferences of the group. Some groups have had theme dinners for fun. Find what will interest your group. Feasting will continue throughout the year. New members can join and new groups will form with the new Church year in Advent.

As much as possible, groups will be composed of parishioners from proximal Zip codes to minimize travel.

Each group will have a Moderator who organizes the first dinner and acts as a coordinator for the group. Please consider volunteering as a group Moderator.

How do I participate?

Easy! Just complete the form below and return to the Church Office. You can also enroll by sending an email directly to George Greene at the email address below or completing the form on the OLW web page: **https://olwcatholic.org/moveable-feast**

Please indicate if you would be willing to act as a Moderator for a group.

If you have any questions see me after mass or contact me by phone or email below:

George Greene **713-725-9106** **geoman@mac.com**