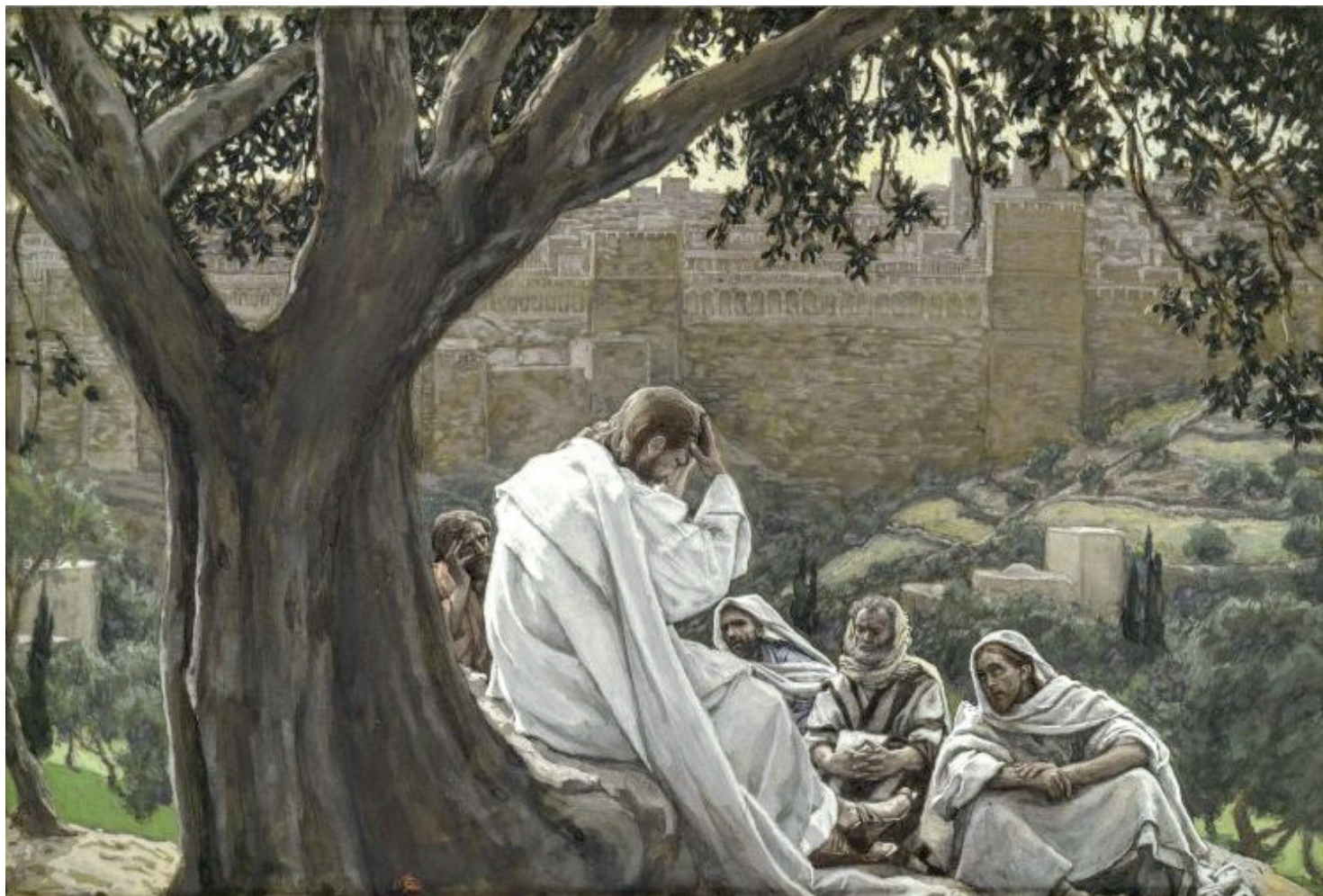


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**33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**NOVEMBER 13, 2022**

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PRELUDE

INTRODUCTORY RITES

*The Mass begins with the Processional Hymn.  
The celebrant and other ministers enter in procession and reverence the altar with a kiss.  
The altar is a symbol of Christ at the heart of the assembly and so deserves this special reverence.*  
STAND

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: *LO, HE COMES WITH CLOUDS DESCENDING* HYMN 186

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON (10:30 am only) Pew Missal, page 258

✠. In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **R. Amen.**  
✠. The Lord be with you. **R. And with your spirit.**

PENITENTIAL ACT Pew Missal, page 4

*The Penitential Act follows the greeting. At the very beginning of the Mass,  
the faithful recall their sins and place their trust in God's abiding mercy.*

KYRIE *Sancta Maria Magdalena* Pew Missal, page 30

*The Act of Penitence includes the Kyrie Eleison,  
a Greek phrase meaning, "Lord, have mercy."*

GLORIA *Heritage* Pew Missal, back page

*The Gloria begins by echoing the song of the angels at the birth of Christ:  
"Glory to God in the highest!"  
In this ancient hymn, the gathered assembly joins the heavenly choirs  
in offering praise and adoration to the Father and Jesus through the Holy Spirit.*

COLLECT

*The Introductory Rites conclude with the Opening Prayer, also called the Collect.  
The celebrant invites the gathered assembly to pray and, after a brief silence,  
proclaims the prayer of the day. The Opening Prayer gives a context for the celebration.*

Grant us, we pray, O Lord our God, the constant gladness of being devoted to you for it is full and lasting happiness to serve with constancy the author of all that is good. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

SIT

LITURGY OF THE WORD

*In the Liturgy of the Word, the Church feeds the people of God from the table of his Word.  
The Scriptures are the word of God, written under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit.  
In the Scriptures, God speaks to us, leading us along the path to salvation.*

READINGS Pew Missal, page 258

HOMILY

CREED Pew Missal, page 9

STAND

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL ✠. Let us pray to the Lord. **R. Lord hear our prayer.**

*The Liturgy of the Word concludes with the Prayer of the Faithful.  
The gathered assembly intercedes with God on behalf of the Church,  
the world, and themselves, entrusting their needs to the faithful and loving God.*

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS Pew Missal, back page

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SIT

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

*The Liturgy of the Eucharist begins with the preparation of the gifts and the altar.*

*As the ministers prepare the altar,  
representatives of the people bring forward the bread and wine that will become the Body and  
Blood of Christ. The celebrant blesses and praises God for these gifts and places them on the altar.*

OFFERTORY HYMN     *Hark! A Herald Voice Is Calling*     Hymn 153  
STAND

ORATE FRATRES     Pew Missal, page 11

## PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Grant, O Lord, we pray, that what we offer in the sight of your majesty, may obtain for us the grace of being devoted to you and gain us the prize of everlasting happiness. Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

PREFACE DIALOGUE     Pew Missal, page 11

*After a brief introductory dialogue, the celebrant begins the Preface.  
The Preface tells of the wonderful actions of God, both throughout history and in our lives,  
giving thanks to God for all these things.*

SANCTUS     *Sancta Maria Magdalena*     Pew Missal, page 35

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER     *Prayer I - page 11; II - page 14; III - page 15*  
KNEEL

*We have entered the most important part of the Mass. This sequence of prayers contains the  
consecration which is the heart of the Mass. By the power of the Holy Spirit, through the words  
and actions of these prayers, the priest accomplishes the great work of the Mass: bringing Christ  
Himself down upon our altar, so that we may offer Him to God. Our gifts of bread and wine,  
representing ourselves, are transformed into the Body and Blood of Christ. Then the priest offers  
Christ, and ourselves in union with Christ, to God.*

MEM. ACCLAMATION     *ICEL Chant- Save us...*     Pew Missal, page 39

STAND

COMMUNION RITE

*The Communion Rite begins with the Lord's Prayer. Jesus taught this prayer to his disciples when they  
asked how to pray. In this prayer, the people join their voices to pray for the coming of God's kingdom.  
We ask God to provide for our needs, forgive our sins, and bring us to the joy of heaven.*

OUR FATHER     Pew Missal, page 17

THE PEACE     Pew Missal, page 18

AGNUS DEI     *Sancta Maria Magdalena*     Pew Missal, page 36

KNEEL

BEHOLD THE LAMB OF GOD     Pew Missal, page 18

*Guidelines for the Reception of Holy Communion are inside the front cover of the Pew Missal.*

COMMUNION ANTIPHON     Pew Missal, page 259

COMMUNION HYMN     *Holy God we Praise Thy Name*     Hymn 155

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION     STAND

We have partaken of the gifts of this sacred mystery, humbly imploring, O Lord, that what your Son commanded us to do in memory of him may bring us growth in charity. Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

CONCLUDING RITES

BLESSING & DISMISSAL     Pew Missal, page 19

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL     Pew Missal, page 535

MARIAN ANTIPHON     *Salve Regina*     Hymn 236

POSTLUDE



# The Shape of the Liturgy

Offertory Hymn: *Hark! A Herald's Voice is Calling*

Like many other hymns originally written in Latin, *Hark! a Thrilling Voice is Calling* has been attributed to St. Ambrose, who served as Bishop of Milan, Italy, from 374 until his death in 397. Inspired by Sacred Scripture, the text of this hymn recalls the words in Isaiah chapter 40 where the Prophet tells of a voice crying out to prepare the way of the Lord. Also, the first eight verses of Mark's Gospel tell us that that prophecy was fulfilled in John the Baptist, who preached of the one who would come—one mightier than him. This hymn is a fitting reminder that the holy season of Advent approaches in just a few weeks—time now. Advent is of course one of the two penitential seasons in the church year (the other being Lent). The liturgical color is purple, the spiritual accent is penitential. We will count the Sundays of Advent with the lighting of the Advent wreath, as we seek to “Cast away the works of darkness” and “hasten with tears of sorrow. . .one and all to be forgiven”.

Perhaps also of interest and continuing in the tradition of St. John Henry Newman, the translator of this hymn, Fr. Edward Caswell (1814-1878), also began his ministry as a priest of the Church of England. But under the influence of Cardinal Newman, he became a Catholic and ended his days in Newman's semi-monastic community, the Oratory of St. Philip Neri at Littlemore, Oxfordshire. Fr. Caswell is a person I imagine we all know, but just don't know we know him, because he is also the author or translator of such familiar hymns as *O Saving Victim*, *Opening Wide*, *Jesus the Very Thought of Thee*, and *Earth Has Many a Noble City*.

On reflecting on Fr. Caswell's work for the spread of the Faith through his hymns, may you and I also be “spreaders” of our Catholic Faith and of our personal faith. And we can always and everywhere do that through the virtues of humility and kindness, remembering that humility is not thinking less of yourself, but rather it is thinking about yourself. And the virtue of kindness, as one of the Church Fathers put it: every act of kindness turns a person more and more into the image of our Lord Jesus Christ Himself.

-Fr. James Ramsey

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### Victoria Assembly 1126

Regular Business Meeting Monday November 21, 2022

Holy Family Catholic Church,

St Peter's Hall at 7pm.

## PARISH FESTIVAL MEETING &

### POTLUCK MEAL:

### HELP STUFF RAFFLE ENVELOPES

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH AT 6:00 PM**

We will meet on Friday, November 18 at 6:00 pm in the Activity Center to discuss our upcoming parish festival and to prepare the raffle ticket mailout for our parishioners. Come, bring a covered dish to share, and enjoy some fellowship while we work together for our parish.



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Meeting place is at St. Mary's Activity Center-Victoria  
401 S. Liberty St., Victoria, TX, 77901  
Tuesday, November 15 6:30 til ??

Turkey and beverages will be provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share for our Thanksgiving meal.

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**So please join us!!**

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“For I know the plans I have for you declares the Lord, plans to prosper and not to harm you, plans to give you a hope and a future.” (Jeremiah 29:11)

**KJT SOCIETY #115 QUARTERLY MEETING****NEXT SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH**

**KJT**  
Catholic Union of Texas

The KJT Society #115, Victoria, will be having a quarterly meeting at Holy Family Catholic Church in Victoria, in the Bridal room, following the 7:30 am Mass, on Sunday November 20, 2022. All members are invited to attend. For more information, please call Donald Dusek at 361-571-4777

**CHRIST THE KING PROCESSION****NEXT SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH AT 4:00 PM**

We will have the traditional Christ the King Procession at St. Mary's next Sunday, November 20th at 4:00 pm on the church grounds. Meet in the church for this beautiful act of homage to Jesus Christ, King of the Universe.

# THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S

### Saturday, Nov. 12

### Memorial of Saint Josaphat

9:00—5:00 pm Harvest Bazaar At St. Mary's  
 4:30 pm Vigil Mass Mass Intention: Bernadette Whitney  
 5:30 pm Confession Raymond Vecera †

### Sunday, Nov. 13

### 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30-12:30 Harvest Bazaar at St. Mary's  
 8:00 am Sunday Mass Mass Intention: Clyde & Jessie Starnes †  
 9:15 - 10:00 am Confession Charles & Ann Pesek †  
 9:30 am Holy Face Devotions - Chapel  
 10:30 am Sunday Mass Mass Intention: People of the Parish

### Monday, Nov. 14

### Mon. of the 33rd Week in Ordinary Time

7:00 am—7:00 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Chapel  
 12:05 pm Daily Mass Mass Intention: Sam, Mary & Robert Hyak†  
 12:35 pm Confession and Communal Rosary  
 2:00 pm Altar Society Meeting

### Tuesday, Nov. 15

### Tues. of the 33rd Week in Ordinary Time

7:00 am—7:00 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Chapel  
 12:05 pm Daily Mass Mass Intention: Bohumil Vrana, Sr. †  
 12:35 pm Confession and Communal Rosary  
 3:00 - 4:30 pm Divine Mercy Cenacle in the Chapel  
 3:30 pm St. Vincent de Paul Food Distribution  
 6:30 pm Choir Practice in the Church  
 7:00 pm RCIA (Classes to become Catholic)

### Wednesday, Nov. 16

### Wed. of the 33rd Week in Ordinary Time

7:00 am—7:00 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Chapel  
 10:55 am - 3:30 pm Homeschool Co-op  
 11:45 am Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick in the Church  
 12:05 pm Daily Mass Mass Intention: Wayne Dierlam †  
 12:35 pm Confession and Communal Rosary  
 6:00 - 7:15 pm CCD ( Religious Education K-12) in the Activity Center

### Thursday, Nov. 17

### Memorial of St. Elizabeth of Hungary

7:00 am—7:00 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Chapel  
 8:10 am Nazareth Academy Mass Intention: Katie Pagel†  
 9:00 am - 2:00 pm Quilt and Craft Corner in the Activity Center  
 12:05 pm Daily Mass Mass Intention: Tommy Gonzales †  
 12:35 pm Confession and Communal Rosary  
 6:00 pm St. Mary's Men's Group Meeting in Activity Center

### Friday, Nov. 18

### Fri. of the 33rd Week in Ordinary Time

7:00 am—7:00 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Chapel  
 12:05 pm Daily Mass Mass Intention: Robert Parson †  
 12:35 pm Confession and Communal Rosary  
 6:00 pm Parish Festival meeting (Prepare the Mailout) Activity Center

### Saturday, Nov. 19

### Sat. of the 33rd Week in Ordinary Time

11:00 am Mize Baptism  
 1:00 pm Ruiz Quinceañera  
 4:30 pm Vigil Mass Mass Intention: Kasper Lyssy †  
 5:30 pm Confession Sister Carmille Pfister†

### Sunday, Nov. 20

### Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe

8:00 am Sunday Mass Mass Intention: Anthony Innocenti †  
 Michael Vahalik †

#### Coffee and Donuts after the 8:00 a.m. Mass

9:15 - 10:00 am Confession  
 9:30 am Holy Face Devotions - Chapel

#### BBQ Pork Steak Fundraiser in the KC Hall

10:30 am Sunday Mass Mass Intention: People of the Parish  
 4:00 pm Christ the King Procession on Parish Grounds

## OFFERTORY GIFTS

Oct 31– Nov. 6

Sunday Collection.....\$8,751.05  
 On-line giving.....1,340.00  
**Total.....\$10,091.05**  
 Amount needed weekly to meet budget:  
 \$8,085.00

## MASS ATTENDANCE

### 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat., Nov. 5th at 4:30 pm.....133  
 Sun., Nov. 6th at 8:00 am.....95  
 Sun., Nov. 6th at 10:30am.....164  
**Total.....392**

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