

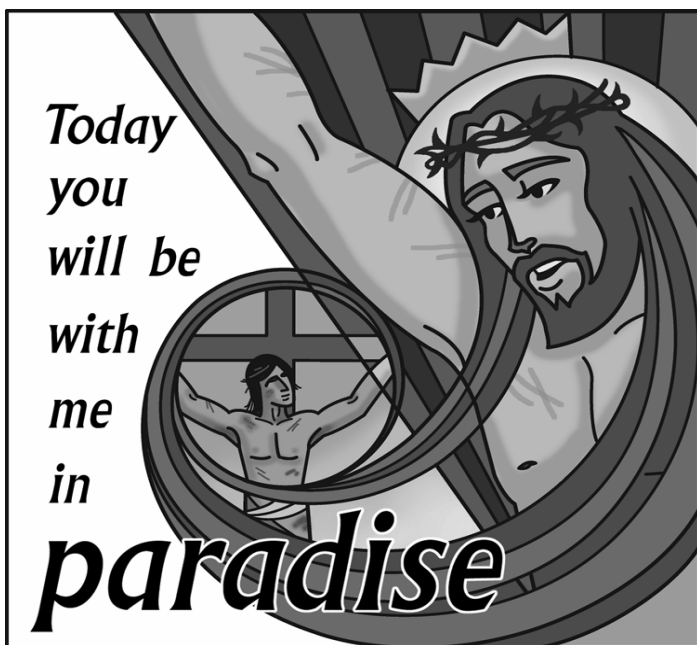
Holy Cross Catholic Church

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**Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe
November 24, 2019**

Eucharistic Liturgy Schedule (Mass)

Saturdays: 5:00 p.m.
Sundays: 7:45, 9:00, 10:30 a.m.,
12:15p.m. (Spanish)

Weekdays:
Monday and Thursday: 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

Thursdays: 5:30-6:30 p.m.
Eve of Holy Days: 6:00 to 6:30 p.m.

Marriages:

Arrangements must be made six months in advance.

Baptisms:

Required pre-baptismal classes for parents and godparents. Please call the office two months prior to anticipated baptism date.
Sponsors (Godparents) must be practicing Catholics.

Matrimonios:

Los arreglos deben hacerse con seis meses de antelación.

Bautismos:

Se requiere clases pre-bautismales para padres y padrinos. Por favor llame a la oficina dos meses antes de la fecha prevista para el bautismo.
Los padrinos (padrinos) deben ser católicos practicantes.

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**Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe
November 24, 2019**

I rejoiced because they
said to me,

“We will go up to the house of the LORD.”
— *Psalm 122:1*



OF KINGS AND KINGSHIP

Americans have an uncomfortable relationship with kings. The American Revolution was fought for independence from King George, after all. Nonetheless, today every Catholic church around the world celebrates the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. Today's feast invites us to look beyond our national loyalties and rejoice in our primary identity. We are children of God in Jesus, Christ the King. Our readings help us consider what it's like to belong to God's kingdom. The book of Samuel captures the deep longing of the Israelites for a king to shepherd them. Saint Paul reminds the Colossians that we belong to the kingdom of Christ, whose power he praises in a beautiful hymn. Finally, Luke's Gospel calls to mind the kind of king Jesus chooses to be—a suffering servant, a man for others. By sacrificing his life for us, Jesus throws open the gates of Paradise.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The Lord said to David, “You shall shepherd my people Israel” (2 Samuel 5:1-3).

Psalm — Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord (Psalm 122).

Second Reading — Thanks to the Father who has made you fit to share in the inheritance of the holy ones in light (Colossians 1:12-20).

Gospel — Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom (Luke 23:35-43).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Dn 3:52-56; Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45; Dn 3:57-61; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28;
Dn 3:62-67; Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Dn 6:12-28; Dn 3:68-74; Lk 21:20-28
Thanksgiving Day, Suggested:
Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9;
Lk 17:11-19

Friday: Dn 7:2-14; Dn 3:75-81; Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22

Sunday: Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-9;
Rom 13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44

Please be generous in this week's special collection, which supports the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, one in six people live in poverty. Through this collection you support programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for people across the country who struggle. In addition 25% of the funds we collect will remain in our diocese to fund local antipoverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and work on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

Question of the Week

For Adults:

In what ways is Jesus
the ruler of your life?

For Children:

How can you show
that you honor Jesus
as the king of your
life?

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Your love as husband and wife is a gift to one another as well as a gift from God. Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend to receive the tools needed to make the most of this precious gift. Deepen your communication, strengthen your relationship, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending the next WWME weekend Feb 28-1 in Antelope Valley. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information contact Ed and Jo Lara at 818-848-6729 or go online at www.twocanlove.org We help make good marriages better.



Pray for ...

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Manuel Barrera	Maria Jimenez	Dana Powell
Jamie Belch	Kathy Lane	Robin Reggano
Drew Boxley	Eliana Rose Lara	Ramon Ricafort
Kylie Boxley	Heather Ledesma	Mark Scharler
Ed Brown	Antonio D. Malare Jr.	Steve Schuesler
Mela Cano	McMullen Family	Suzanne Silbertasch
Madison Choate	Mary Mesick	Minnie Stuehrmann
Terri Cipriano	John Montante	Retha Therrien
Guadalupe Contreras	Christina Morelli	Richard Therrien
Arlene Delnero	Ramona Patterson	Maria Guadalupe Vargas
Yves Fournier	Armando Perez	Jamie Vlach
Juan Gonzalez	Joe Perez, Jr.	Debbie Warn
Lupe Gonzalez	John Perez	Justin Warn
Manuel Gonzalez	Kendra Perez	Lori Wesdell
Katelin Hernandez	Marie Perez	Janet Yandle
Margaret Jimenez	Breanna Pflaumer	

RELIGIOUS GIFT STORE Christmas Hours

Our Religious Gift Store will be open every week-end from November 30th to December 22. Come in and shop for your Christmas gifts! If you do not see what you are looking for our volunteer staff will be happy to assist you.

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Altar Servers

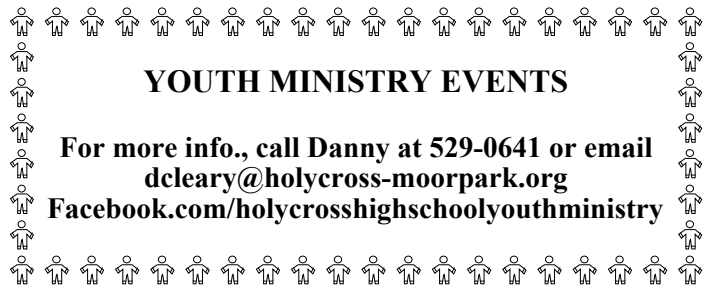
dnmikekromm@holycross-moorpark.org, to set an appointment.

Altar Server Training

The Parish is offering Altar Server training for those interested. The criterion is from ages 10 to 13 and in the fifth through eighth grades. Interested parents should contact Deacon Michael Kromm via email at

ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION NEWS

St. Rose ICF invites you, your family, and friends to a Christmas Party in the church hall on **Friday, December 6th at 6:30 p.m.** Enjoy appetizers, drinks, and a delicious dinner catered by Viva La Pasta! There will be a DJ, dancing, photo booth, and raffles! Cost is \$15 for adults, \$5 for kids 6-12, and free for kids 5 and under. RSVP to Rita at (805) 579-8970 or Barbara at (805) 522-9863.



YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS

For more info., call Danny at 529-0641 or email dcleary@holycross-moorpark.org
Facebook.com/holycrosshighschoolyouthministry



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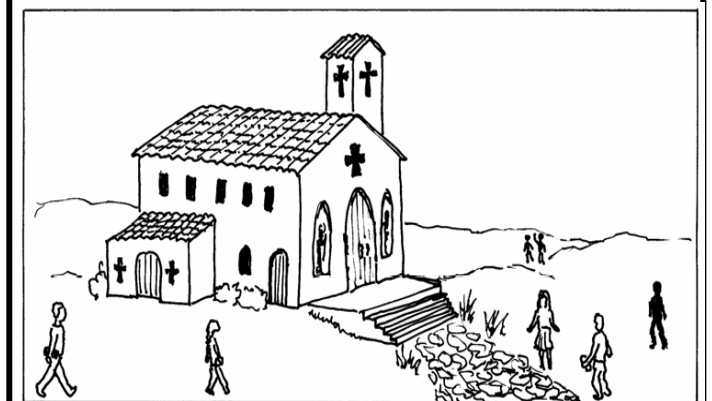
Join us as we give thanks!

Blessing of the Family Thanksgiving Basket

At the Mass on Thanksgiving Day, baskets with food and drink for your holiday meal will be blessed. Bring your baskets to the 9:00 AM Mass.

There will no evening Mass.

For the Thanksgiving Holiday the parish office will close at noon on Wednesday, November 27th and reopen Monday, December 2nd.



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BULLETIN BOARD



Moorpark Pantry Plus Priority Items

We will accept and appreciate all food donations

Pasta Sauce	Canned Tuna
Jelly	Breakfast Cereal
Canned Corn	Peanut Butter
Canned Green Beans	

Safeguard the Children
Parish Committee Chair
Ron Clouse-529-1397

Did You Know?

Building active listening skills with children

Building your active listening skills with the children in your life can help you communicate more effectively with them, and it can also clue you in to any suspicious or potentially dangerous relationships in their lives. Active listening lets the speaker know that you have heard, understood, and valued what he or she said. Often, children don't feel this way, but with a few easy tactics, you can change that, building a relationship of trust and respect. As an active listener, be sure to make eye contact while the child is speaking. Ask follow-up questions and check in to make sure you both understand what's being said. Avoid "yes or no" questions and instead ask open-ended questions that will keep the conversation going. For more tips, get a copy of the VIRTUS® article "Children are to be Seen and Heard," at <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>.

Desarrollando habilidades para escuchar activamente a los niños
El desarrollar sus habilidades para escuchar activamente a los niños en su vida puede ayudarle a comunicarse con ellos con mayor efectividad, y además puede ayudarle a descubrir cualquier relación sospechosa o potencialmente dañina en sus vidas. El escuchar activamente le deja saber al orador que usted le ha escuchado, entendido y que usted valora lo que él o ella le ha dicho. Con frecuencia, los niños no se sienten escuchados, pero con unas pocas tácticas fáciles usted puede cambiar eso, construyendo relaciones de confianza y de respeto. Como un escuchador activo, asegúrese de ver al niño a los ojos mientras él o ella estén hablando. Haga preguntas de seguimiento y en ocasiones repita para asegurarse que ambos entienden lo que se ha dicho. Evite hacer preguntas cuyas respuestas solo sean "sí o no" y en su lugar haga preguntas de las que se puedan obtener respuestas amplias para que siga la conversación. Para más consejos, obtenga una copia del artículo de VIRTUS® "Children are to be Seen and Heard" (A los niños se les debe ver y escuchar) en <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/>



Holy Cross Church
Council 9969
(FAITH IN ACTION)

A Legacy of Faith & Service

The month of November is a reminder to all of us that we remember those in our family who have passed away and to be thankful for the blessings the Lord has given us. It is time for the brother Knights to pray for loved ones and charity of collecting food for the needy of Moorpark. Without these efforts there will be many in Moorpark without food on Thanksgiving Day. So let us re-commit our efforts to make this month a truly blessed month of Remembrances and giving. Next month brings us Advent and the Birth of our Lord Savior.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

November 23rd & 24th -Thanksgiving Food Drive.

The Knights will be at Vons & Ralph's collecting food for the needy of Moorpark. Please help us collect items from these two store who help people in need. When you look to pick up your items for the week, please donate items to us. If you would like to help, contact John Cleary @ johnc@wcbp.net

December 3rd – Lord's Table. On Tuesday the Knights will be sponsoring this event at 5:15pm to 7pm in the Chapel. Come help set up, serve and clean up. Be there by 5:15 PM.

December 12th- Parking Control for Our Lady of Guadalupe Masses at Holy Cross Church. (Contact Augustine Godinez @ avg111@aol.com) We need your help from 5:00pm to 7:30pm.

December 14th –Parking Control- 1st is parking control for Boy's & Girls Club Toy's give away. Be there by 6:30am at Boy's & Girls Club. (Contact Augustine Godinez @ avg111@aol.com)

December 14th – Knights Christmas Party, 6 to 10pm. Set up for the event will be Friday Dec 13th at 6PM. Bring for family and enjoy the joyous season with your fellow Knights. (Contact Andy Suarez @ ANDY.D.SUAREZ@GMAIL.COM)

Do not hesitate to call upon "The Friends of St. Raphael." This Knights of Columbus Ministry is available for ALL our fellow Parishioners who are ill and would like a visit from one or more of our Brother Knights. If you would like additional information or a visit from a Brother Knight, please contact **Leonard Cruz @ 805-889-1620** (leonardcruz386@yahoo.com) or **Kenny Rodriguez (PGK) @ 805-298-2219**(gabrielkenneth@gmail.com) or our **Grand Knight (contact info below).**

For more information contact our Grand Knight, Larnoe Dungca @ 626-841-1421(larnoe@gmail.com) or **Membership Director Jose Zavala @ 805-210-0831** (jnz3@icloud.com) & **MATT Stuhr @ 805-208-1476** (MATTHEW.STUHR.138@MY.CSUN.EDU)

**ACTIVIDADES HISPANAS
EN HOLY CROSS**

Domingos:

12:15 PM - Misa en Español

Lunes, Miércoles y Jueves:

6:00 – 8:30 PM Entrevistas Sacramentales

Tercero Domingo del mes:

Clases Prebautismales-- en la iglesia

Primer Viernes del mes:

6:00 PM - Hora Santa

7:00 PM - Misa en Español

Primero y Tercer Sábado del mes:

Bautismos en Español

Misas de Quince Años:

Por favor llame a la oficina cinco meses antes
al (805) 529-1397

Clases de Formación Continua Para Adultos

Cada primer lunes y tercer lunes del mes.

Información comunicarse al José Martínez (805) 312-1917/Dn. Eduardo (805) 501-1416.

Para solicitar entrevistas o información general en español favor de llamar al 529-1397.

Por favor, contribuya generosamente en la colecta especial de esta semana, la cual apoya a la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano. En los Estados Unidos, una de cada seis personas vive en pobreza. A través de esta colecta usted apoya programas que tratan con las causas de la pobreza y proporcionan un futuro sostenible a las personas que siguen luchando en el país. Además, el 25% de los fondos recaudados permanece en nuestra diócesis para financiar proyectos antipobreza en nuestra comunidad. Por favor, en oración, considera la manera de apoyar a esta colecta y trabajar desde la periferia. Encuentra más información sobre la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano, en www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.



**Nuestro Señor Jesucristo,
Rey del Universo**

24 de noviembre de 2019

Qué alegría cuando me dijeron:

“Vamos a la casa del Señor”.

— *Salmo 122 (121):1*



DE REYES Y REINADOS

Los estadounidenses tienen una relación incomoda con los reyes. La Revolución Estadounidense se peleó para lograr la independencia del Rey Jorge, después de todo. Sin embargo, hoy cada iglesia católica alrededor del mundo celebra la Solemnidad del Nuestro Señor Jesucristo, Rey del Universo. La celebración de hoy de la Iglesia nos invita a ver más allá de nuestras lealtades nacionales y regocijarnos en nuestra primera identidad. Somos hijos de Dios en Jesús, Cristo el Rey. Nuestras lecturas nos ayudan a considerar cómo pertenecer al Reino de Dios. El libro de Samuel captura el profundo anhelo de los israelitas por un rey que los pastoree. San Pablo recuerda a los colosenses que pertenecemos al reino de Cristo, cuyo poder alaba en un hermoso himno. Por último, el Evangelio de Lucas evoca el tipo de rey que Jesús elige ser, un siervo sufriente, un hombre para los demás. Al sacrificar su vida por nosotros, Jesús abre las puertas del Paraíso.

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — David hace un pacto con los ancianos de Israel en presencia del Señor y lo ungen como rey de Israel (2 Samuel 5:1-3).

Salmo — Vayamos con alegría al encuentro del Señor (Salmo 122 [121]).

Segunda lectura — El Padre nos arrancó del poder de las tinieblas y nos trasladó al Reino de su Hijo amado (Colosenses 1:12-20).

Evangelio — El malhechor arrepentido recibe la promesa del paraíso de boca de Jesús (Lucas 23:35-43).

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

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Martes: Dn 2:31-45; Dn 3:57-61; Lc 21:5-11

Miércoles: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Dn 3:62-67; Lc 21:12-19

Jueves: Dn 6:12-28; Dn 3:68-74; Lc 21:20-28

Día de Acción de Gracias—sugerencia:

Eclo 50:22-24; Sal 145 (144):2-11;

1 Cor 1:3-9; Lc 17:11-19

Viernes: Dn 7:2-14; Dn 3:75-81; Lc 21:29-33

Sábado: Rom 10:9-18; Sal 19 (18):8-11;

Mt 4:18-22

Domingo: Is 2:1-5; Sal 122 (121):1-9;

Rom 13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44