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MASS & LITURGY SCHEDULES AND INTENTIONS

Sat. 15-Nov Vigil - 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 4:00 p.m. *confessions* (MP)
 5:00 p.m. † Peter McCann (HB)

Sun. 16-Nov 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 7:00 a.m. Lvg. & Dec. Mbrs St. Joseph's (HB)
 9:00 a.m. † Pope John Paul II (MP)
 11:00 a.m. † Deno Bassoni (MP)
 # 5:00 p.m. † Louie Giudici (MP)

Mon. 17-Nov St. Elizabeth of Hungary
 5:00 p.m. *Communion Service*

Tues. 18-Nov St. Rose Philippine Duchesne
 5:00 p.m. † Patricia Dooling (MP)

Wed. 19-Nov Weekday
 5:00 p.m. † Alice H. Peterson (MP)

Thurs 20-Nov Weekday
 5:00 p.m. † Edith Barlough (MP)

Fri. 21-Nov Presentation of the BVM
 5:00 p.m. *Communion Service*

Sat. 22-Nov Vigil - Christ the King
 4:00 p.m. *confessions* (JW)
 5:00 p.m. † Frank & Sandra Millang (HB)

Sun. 23-Nov Christ the King
 7:00 a.m. † Rose Heifetz (MP)
 9:00 a.m. Lvg. & Dec. Mbrs St. Joseph's (MP)
 11:00 a.m. † Michael Favia (HB)
 # 5:00 p.m. † Catherine Claire Graham (MP)

(MP) Fr. Matt Pennington, (HB) Fr. Howard Bleichner
 (JW) Fr. John Warburton, (JC) Fr. James Catalano
 (MM) Fr. Mike Marini

♫ Signed † Deceased # LifeTeen ** Incense may be used
 Mass

**Assisted Listening Devices are available in the vestibule before all
 Masses for people with hearing impairments.**



**New members to the music ministry are
 always welcome**, including musicians, projec-
 tionists and sound people. Contact Tom
 O'Brien, Music Director, for more info.

OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD
fiscal year begins 9-1-08

| | 9-Nov-08 | YTD |
|-----------------------|-----------------|------------|
| Weekend Collection | \$12,072 | \$ 114,952 |
| Electronic Collection | 0 | 4,102 |
| Mail Plate | 1,110 | 5,907 |
| Holy Days | 289 | 5,023 |
| Actual Offertory | 13,471 | 129,984 |
| Budgeted Offertory | 12,155 | 133,705 |
| Difference | \$1,316 | -\$3,721 |

Reconciliation

Confessions heard Saturdays At 4:00 p.m.
 or by appointment.

Baptism

Call the parish office for an interview.

Marriage

Preparation should begin at least six months prior
 to the wedding.

Prayer Tree 469-5396

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
NOVEMBER 16, 2008

**“HE CALLED HIS SERVANTS AND HANDED
HIS FUNDS OVER TO THEM”**

-MATTHEW 25:14



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

November is a month of remembrance for the dead, and cemeteries have long been a focus for prayer. Our tradition holds great respect for bodily remains, since the body was created and redeemed by God, was once the “dwelling place of the Holy Spirit,” and has a destiny of life with God in glory. The funeral practices of the early church contrasted greatly with those of the pagans, who had a great dread of the dead body. The ancient Christian funeral liturgy ended with the relatives and friends giving a final kiss to the body. It expressed affection and showed their faith that the grave would not be the last word. This kiss horrified pagans, who thought that any contact with the dead was degrading.

Every year on their loved one’s “birthday to life,” the Christians would return to the place of their burial to mark their profound communion with those whose lives were hidden in Christ. Typically, they buried the dead with their faces turned toward the east, symbolizing the rising of the Sun of Justice, Christ, at the end of days. They were attracted to the catacombs or burial grounds just as we are today. They would often celebrate the Eucharist at the tomb. Before long, as soon as Christians were allowed to build places for worship, they relocated cemeteries from beyond the city walls to surround the church. This was not so much because the church made the ground holy, but because the bodies of the saints hallowed the ground on which the church was built, a subtle but beautiful difference.

~ Rev. James Field

SHARE YOUR GIFTS

The need is GREAT
Your generosity is appreciated!
Next weekend the Giving Tree is up – Please
consider taking a tag to purchase
a gift for someone who has less – much less.

God Bless You!

THIS WEEK AT ST. JOSEPH'S

| | | | |
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| Sunday | 16-Nov | | |
| | 8:45 a.m. | Lambs For Jesus | Hall |
| | 9:00 a.m. | RCIC | Mary rm |
| | 9:15 a.m. | Children's Lit of the Word | Hall |
| Monday | 17-Nov | | |
| | 6:00 p.m. | Life Teen | Hall |
| | 11:30 a.m. | St. Joseph's Bridge | Hall |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Life Teen Core | Dining rm |
| Tuesday | 18-Nov | | |
| | 6:30 p.m. | Religious Ed (grades 1-5) | Hall |
| | 6:00 p.m. | Choir Rehearsal | Church |
| Wednesday | 19-Nov | | |
| | 7:00 a.m. | Christians in Commerce | Hall |
| | 9:00 a.m. | Scripture Study | Mary rm |
| | Noon | Knitting Hands/Prayerful Heart | Hall |
| | 6:00 p.m. | Liturgy Committee | Mary rm |
| Thursday | 20-Nov | | |
| | 6:30 p.m. | The Edge (Jr. High) | Hall |
| Friday | 21-Nov | | |
| Saturday | 22-Nov | | |
| Sunday | 23-Nov | | |
| | 8:45 a.m. | Lambs For Jesus | Hall |
| | 9:00 a.m. | RCIC | Mary rm |
| | | Children's Lit of the Word | <i>no class</i> |
| | 6:00 p.m. | Life Teen | Hall |

Pray the Rosary

4:30—4:45 p.m.

Monday—Friday

In the church

Thanksgiving Holiday Schedule

Perpetual Adoration will be suspended at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 25, and will resume at 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 30.
May everyone have a blessed holiday.

Perpetual Adoration Hours Available

Sunday 11pm-midnight

Wednesday 8-9am

Friday 2-3pm

Saturday 2-3pm

Hours requesting a back up:

Wednesday 4-5pm

Thursday 4-5pm

If you would like to sign up for a regular hour, please call Andy or Sondra Geyer at 464-9270

Break open next Sunday's scripture on Wednesday from 9:00-11:00 a.m. in the parish office.
All are welcome!

"God's Time - Our Time:

Living our Christian Life through the Church Year"

a series of talks for parents

On Tuesday, November 18 all are invited to join the St. Joseph Religious Ed Parents for a talk by Dr. Susan Mahan on the Season of Advent & Christmas. Come learn the history and customs of Advent/Christmas and find ways to make the season more spiritual in the midst of the hurries and the worries. From 4:30 - 5:45 in the Parish Hall

Life Teen-Confirmation Retreat

"UNSTOPPABLE"

December 12-14

Camp St. Francis

All High School Teens are welcome.

Your help is needed Would you would like to sponsor a teen to go on this retreat? The cost to go is \$125.00. Any donation is welcome. Contact Deborah Rovick at 475-8039.

Coming Attractions

Use the resources below to help prepare for and reflect on the Scriptures we will hear next weekend.

Our Scriptures for Sunday, November 23

Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ the King (Cycle A)

Ezekiel 34: 11-12, 15-17

I myself will look after and tend my sheep.

Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 23: 1-3, 5-6

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

1 Corinthians 15: 20-26, 28

He will hand over the kingdom to God the Father, so that God may be all in all.

Matthew 25: 31-46

Whatever you did for one of the least brothers of mine, you did for me.

Questions for reflection or sharing

Adults...

- What limits are there to my care and concern for others?
- How does this gospel affirm and challenge me about my bases and limits for reaching out to others?

Families...

- Who do I see that needs help that I have been ignoring?

Monday, November 17 (St Elizabeth of Hungary)

Revelation 1: 1-4, 2:1-5; Luke 18: 35-43

Tuesday, November 18 (St. Rose Philippine Duchesne)

Revelation 3: 1-6, 14-22; Luke 19: 1-10

Wednesday, November 19

Revelation 4: 1-11; Luke 19: 11-28

Thursday, November 20

Revelation 5: 1-10; Luke 19: 41-44

Friday, November 21 (Presentation of the Bl. Virgin Mary)

Revelation 10: 8-11; Luke 19: 45-48

Saturday, November 22 (St. Cecilia)

Revelation 11: 4-12; Luke 20: 27-40

Help us share the Nativity Story on Christmas Eve!



We are planning a very special presentation of the Christmas nativity gospel for the 5:00 pm Family Mass on Christmas Eve. We'll need children and whole families to participate in a very simple re-enactment as Mary, Joseph, shepherds, innkeeper, magi, angels and more. Adults can also help with staging

and preparations. Please help us share the story of the first Christmas. If you would like to participate, or have any questions, contact Teresa and Brad Roades at Roades@cruzio.com or leave a message at 464-1228.

Advent & Christmas Memorial Fund

A contribution to our Advent and Christmas decoration fund in memory of a deceased loved one is a loving way to remember them this Christmas. Memorials will be listed in a Christmas Season bulletin, a star bearing the name(s) will be hung on the evergreen trees and garlands that will decorate our church. *Look for donation envelopes in the pews next weekend* and place them in the collection or bring them to the parish office.



Mary Helen's Corner

During this season, I ask for Christmas cards to distribute in jail.

- 1) They must be of a **religious** nature.
- 2) They must come with postage (Inmates are not allowed to buy stamps).
- 3) Spanish cards are appreciated.
- 4) I need them by December 9.

I am also in need of **soft cover** books.

- 1) self-helps books
- 2) health books

Please do not bring any other type of book, pamphlet or magazine. I get too much material I cannot use. If it's not on the list I can't use it. Bless you all for your love and help. Thanks to everyone who prays for this work.



St. Vincent de Paul Thanksgiving Food Baskets

St. Vincent de Paul food baskets will be delivered to parishioners in need on November 25. We hope to reach all that are in need of a Thanksgiving food basket.

Our menu consists of turkey, stuffing, gravy, mashed potatoes, canned peas and corn, fresh fruit, canned yams, marshmallows, dinner rolls, cake and frosting. We welcome donations of frozen turkeys, bread dressing, packaged turkey gravy, canned corn and peas, boxed mashed potatoes, cake mix and frosting. Other food items and grocery gift cards are welcome. We also use these donations for families in need throughout the year. Please bring the frozen turkeys to the parish office. The other items can be dropped in bins in the church vestibule or brought to the rectory. Thank you for your support and generosity through the years.



Thanksgiving Day Mass 9:00 a.m. November 27

What better occasion to gather to give thanks to God for the gift of his Son, Jesus and for all our many blessings!

We will celebrate a special Mass at 9:00 a.m. on Thanksgiving Day, November 27. You may bring some bread and beverage from your meal to have them blessed.

Thanksgiving Mass Gift Procession

We are planning a special procession with gifts representing the bounty of the land. If your family would like to participate, please contact David at 475-8211, ext. 16 or liturgist@stjoscap.org.



Bring the Eucharist to Those Homebound

St. Joseph's Minister to the Elderly and Homebound is looking for a few people to participate in this joyful ministry. Can you spare a few hours once every 3-4 months and bring communion to those that are too frail to make it to Mass? Call Gloria Favor for more information on this rewarding ministry at 475-8387.



Sing Joyfully!

Sing with the Sistine Choir this month: Thursday, November 20 at Golden Age and Tuesday, Nov. 25 at Pacific Coast Manor. Mass starts at 11:00 a.m. Contact Gloria Favor at 475-8387.

Christmas Craft Fair

Young Ladies Institute Santa Cruz #95 (YLI) will hold its annual Christmas Craft Fair and Boutique on Saturday and Sunday, November 22 and 23 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. each day. The Fair will be held at Our Lady Star of the Sea parish hall. Hand decorated canvas tote bags will be featured this year along with hand-made matching place mats and napkins in holiday and everyday motifs. Many other handcrafted items will be available as well as a large variety of potted plants and homemade baked goods. All proceeds will fund YLI's Christmas charities. For more information, please call Marilyn Palmer at 662-8911 or Pat Morotti at 423-8141.



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Janie Avila, Beverly Bargetto, Christian Bauerle, Peg Behan, Ted Belleza, Shellie Boczek Begin, Joan Bernal, Anna Boken, Carolyn Busehart, Danny Buss, Hazel Caselli, Levi Castro, Paul Chafer, John Corgiat, Lillian Costello, Catherine De Polo, Nick Delurgio, Pamela Dennis, Brian Keith Dietrick, Judie Dorsey, Drew Duvall, Richard Earl, Mary Edwards, Pam Eierman, Annie Enright, Erin Evans, Renee Gibson, Sheila Godley, Sister Karen Hall, Maverick Hanecak, Irene Hilliard & family, Andrew Howard, Sandra Isola, Mej & Leo Jahn & family, Rena Jarvis, Hilda Keehn, Margaret Lawton, Brendan Lazaneo, Carlos Lopez, Drew Lopez, Christopher Lundell, Joan Lundell, Lee Marble, Jean Mauregard, Linda Mauregard, Golden McCormick, Tim McKay, Ida Mungai, Rev. Robert Murrin, Teresa Olmeda, Viola Owen, Joan Phariss, Maxwell Sanderson, Yvonne Schiro, Michael Shea Sr., Tiffany Shaffer, Tyler Sorenson, Josephine & Anthony Spano, Joan Ulrich, Dr. Paul Weiss, Jim Wertman, Gene Williams, Suzanne Zavala



Saint Rose Philippines Duchesne

Rose Philippine Duchesne came to the wilds of North America when anything west of Pittsburgh was considered uncharted wilderness. She came up the Mississippi to Missouri and established a school at St. Charles as early as 1818, while St. Elizabeth Seton was doing her work in the eastern United States. She is the foundress of the American branch of the Society of the Sacred Heart.

She was born in Grenoble, France, in 1769, her father a successful businessman. She was educated by the Visitation nuns and, although her father opposed her decision, she entered the Visitation Order in 1788, in the middle of the French Revolution. She was not able to make her profession because of the disruption of the Revolution and had to return home when the Visitation sisters were expelled from their convents.

During the Revolution, she cared for the sick and poor, helped fugitive priests, visited prisons, and taught children. After the Revolution, she tried to reorganize the Visitation community but was unsuccessful, so she offered the empty convent to St. Madeleine Sophie Barat, foundress of the Society of the Sacred Heart, and entered the Sacred Heart Order herself. When the bishop of New Orleans, William Du Bourg, requested nuns for his huge Louisiana diocese, St. Rose Philippine Duchesne came to the United States, arriving in New Orleans in 1818.

She and her four nuns were sent to St. Charles, Missouri, where she immediately opened a school; then at Florissant, she built a convent, an orphanage, a parish school, a school for Indians, a boarding academy, and a novitiate for her order. In 1827, she was in St. Louis where she founded an orphanage, a convent, and a parish school. Her energy and ideas were prodigious. When she was seventy-two years old, she founded a mission school for Indian girls in Kansas and spent much of her time there nursing the sick.

Her last years were spent at St. Charles, a model and inspiration to those around her, facing all the hardships of pioneer work. She died on November 18, 1852, at the age of eighty-three and was canonized in 1988. She was truly the "missionary of the American frontier," one that her beloved Potawatomi Indians called <Quah-kah-ka-num-ad>, "Woman-who-prays-always."

**St. Joseph's Catholic Community
Parish Registration Form**

Date _____ New Parishioner
 Change of Status
 No Envelopes

Family Name: _____

Head of Household _____ Spouse _____

Children _____ Date of Birth _____

Address: _____

Phone Number _____

E-mail: _____

I would like information on the following ministries:

Talents & Skills : _____

The only person who never makes mistakes is the person who never does anything.

~ Denis Waitley

Please call the office at 475-8211 for additional information on the following ministries:

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| Eucharistic Ministers | Lambs For Jesus | Grief Bereavement/Support |
| Lectors | Vacation Bible School | Perpetual Adoration |
| Greeters | Small Christian Communities | Golf Tournament |
| Ushers | Elderly | Landings |
| Music | Drivers/Transportation | Finance Council |
| Arts & Environment | People with Disabilities | Money Counters |
| Sacristans | Martha's Pantry | Contributions Postings |
| Altar Servers | St. Vincent de Paul | Newsletter |
| Lay Presiders | Prayer Tree | Giving Tree |
| RCIC | Social Committee | New Parishioners |
| RCIA | After Mass Coffee | ICF |
| Children's Liturgy of the Word | Life Teen | Prison Ministry |
| CCD | Young Adults | Satellite Shelter |
| Kids 4 Jesus | ReFocus/Marriage Enrichment | Hearts & Hands |
| Confirmation | | Good Shepherd School |
| 1st Eucharist | | St. Francis High School |
| Jr. High | | |