

First Sunday of Advent - November 27, 2016



Cristo Rey Catholic Church



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1st SUNDAY OF ADVENT

"Be sure of this: if the master of the house had known the hour of night when the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and not let his house be broken into." —Mt 24:43

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Masses

Saturday - 4:30 PM (Sunday Obligation)

Sunday - 10:00 AM

Every Third Sunday at La Cañada - 1:00 PM

Weekdays - 12:10 PM (Monday, Wednesday, Friday)

Holy Days - As scheduled in the Bulletin

Confessions

Saturday - 4:00 - 4:25 PM

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday

8:30 AM - 12:00 Noon 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

Friday

8:30 AM - 12:00 Noon

Visitation to the Homebound: Call Parish Office 505.983.8528

PARISH SUPPORT

November 20

UNAVAILABLE AT TIME OF PRINT**MASS INTENTIONS****November 28 - Monday - Advent Weekday**

12:10pm +Ron French - Betty Gibson

November 30 - NO DAILY MASS**December 2 - First Friday - Advent Weekday**

For the People of the Parish

December 3 - Saturday - Saint Francis Xavier

4:30pm +Juanita "Tina" Rodriguez-Ryland -
 Ryland/Rodriguez Family
 +Julian Montoya (BD) -
 Lilly Delgado & Family
 +Deacon Lynn Bower (21st Anniv) -
 Lena Bower & Family
 Special Intentions for all those who are
 Incarcerated & their Families

December 4 - Second Sunday of Advent

10:00am +Robert, +Ernestine & +William Babcock
 - Angela & Anita
 +Eloy Calles - Socorro Calles
 +Fidelia Esther Lopez -
 Levi Lopez & Family
 +Virginia Ortiz (1st Anniv) -
 Rosina & Delia
 For the People of the Parish

Readings for the Week of November 27, 2016

Sunday: Is 2:1-5/Ps 122/Rom 13:11-14/Mt 24:37-44
Monday: Is 4:2-6/Ps 122/Mt 8:5-11
Tuesday: Is 11:1-10/Ps 72/Lk 10:21-24
Wednesday: Rom 10:9-18/Ps 23/Mt 4:18-22
Thursday: Is 26:1-6/Ps 118/Mt 7:21, 24-27
Friday: Is 29:17-24/Ps 27/Mt 9:27-31
Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Ps 147/Mt 9:35--10:1, 5a,
 6-8
Next Sunday: Is 11:1-10/Ps 72/Rom 15:4-9/Mt 3:1-12


Minister Schedule for December 3 & 4

Saturday, 4:30p.m.

Hospitality

Jose Gonzales Sr.*, Matilde Rios,
 David Salazar & Mike Specht

Sacristan

Grace Vigil & Peaches Collins

Altar Servers

Carol Montoya & Ryan Vigil

Readers

Antonio Gabaldon & Miguel Gabaldon

Eucharist Ministers

Marshall Martinez, Carol Montoya, Vicki Rodriguez,
 Patrick Sanchez, Carole Van Valkenburgh &
 Arlene Vender

Choir

Bilingual

Sunday, 10:00a.m.

Hospitality

Peter Ortega*, Martha Kallejian,
 Lisa Valdez Bonney & Steve Padilla

Sacristan

Rosina Medrano

Altar Servers

Miguel Gabaldon & Adriana Sanchez

Readers

Willow Powers & Socorro Rios

Eucharist Ministers

John Gagne, Ronald Holmes, Mike Malinowski,
 Maria Gagne, Anna Cordova & Carolyn Narlesky

Choir

Traditional

Bible 101 returns on Thursday, Dec. 1. We will cover centuries of Salvation History in one class, beginning with the arrival of Israel into the Promised Land under the rule and guidance of the Judges. But the people tire of the judges and desire a king. God accepts Israel's rejection of Him as King, and raises up Saul as the first King of Israel. But it's a disaster from the beginning, and God calls upon the prophet Nathan to seek out a young shepherd boy to be the next king. David will assume the throne after many years of servitude to Saul, and Israel will reach her peak of power and wealth and holiness. David will be the precursor of the ultimate Priest King to come. To prepare, please read the Old Testament books of Joshua, Judges, 1-2 Samuel, and 1 Kings 1-11. Classes are at Cristo Rey at 1:00pm and 6:30pm. Bring a Bible and your Bible Timeline, as well as a Catechism of the Catholic Church. Please contact Father Rob with any questions (955-8863 or associate@cbsfa.org). **Please note: the next two classes on Dec 1 and Dec 8 are back to back!**

PLEASE COME AND HELP KEEP HIM COMPANY

First Friday Adoration will begin at 9:00am December 2, with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Morning Prayer. Reposition will be at 12:00pm, followed by 12:10pm Daily Mass. **PLEASE** plan on **COMMITING** at least 1/2 hour, or longer if you are able to spend time with our Lord. You will find a binder with sign-up sheets at the entrances/exits of the church, or call the parish office at 983.8528.

Prayer Intentions

God's help is only a prayer away

Please call the parish office, 983.8528, with the names of family members or friends for whom you would like us to pray. Let us pray for the following: Christopher Gonzales, Ben Salazar, Carlos Rodriguez, Andres "Andy" Gonzales, James Salazar, Benji Anaya, Delfina Lujan, Sue Moraz, Socorro Rodriguez, Theresa Armijo, Ed Vigil, Marcia Ortiz, Jeff Mascarenas, Delia Mendoza-Tapia, Basilia Villarreal, Trini Shelton, Julie Montoya, Stephanie Merenda, Isaac Olivares, Dora Baros, Shirley Archer, Deacon Tom Van Valkenburgh, Margaret Trujillo, Thelma Hagman, Steve Alire, Marcos Mendes, Rose Cruz, Gloria Maria Serrano, Christopher Browne, Catherine Brown, Elaine Favill, Carl Cox, Patrick Sanchez, Lucy Saiz, Rosie Saiz, Peaches Collins, Michele Lowrance, Crucita Ortiz, Florence Sanchez, Carmen Griego, Vicente Gutierrez, Eva Ortiz, Helen Keller, Msgr. Robert Calles, Mel Ortiz, Albert Rivera, Valentino Rivera, Joe Madrid, Gracie Olives, Salamon Sena & Carmen Griego



We invite all high school students to take advantage of this opportunity to build your community - where you can learn more about your Catholic faith, share in the mission of Jesus, support one another, and have loads of fun. Weekly LIFE TEEN Mass, teens will experience the depths of God's love through the Word, the teen community and the Eucharist. Following the Mass, our youth minister and core members lead the teens deeper into their Catholic faith experience. Every Sunday- Teen Mass at 12:00 followed by LIFETEEN sessions 1:30-3:00pm Crispin Hall. Contact Liz Gallegos 955-8864 or youth@cbsfa.org

November

27 NO LIFE TEEN SESSION - Thanksgiving Break

December

04 Saint Nick Party - Sponsored by the High school and Middle school youth

11 The Mass- A walk through the Mass (Mandatory All Candidates, Parents and Sponsors)

16 Posada at Cristo Rey 6:30pm

18 Ecumenical Procession - after the noon Mass

25 NO LIFE TEEN SESSION- Christmas Break

The Junior High Youth Program is a religious education for students in grades 6th, 7th, & 8th. The program will cover different topics based on our Roman Catholic Faith. The Youth group is a great way to get to know yourself, God, and others better. Every Sunday - Teen Mass at 12:00 followed by Middle school faith formation Classes 1:30-3:00pm at St. Katherine Drexel. Contact Liz Gallegos 995-8864or youth@cbsfa.org

November

27 No Class - Thanksgiving Break

December

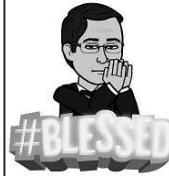
04 St. Nick's Party

11 The Mass- A walk through the Mass (Mandatory All Middle School)

18 Ecumenical Procession after the Noon Mass

22 Posada- Sponsored by the Youth and Young Adult Ministry

25 NO MIDDLE SCHOOL SESSION - Christmas Break



IMPORTANT DATES FROM THE PASTOR

Daily Mass on **Wednesday, November 30**, is cancelled. There will be a change in our **Christmas Eve Mass** times. We will only have **1 Christmas Eve Mass** and that will be our **4:30pm Mass**. **Christmas Day Mass** will be at **10:00am**.

Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Will be celebrated at La Cañada beginning with Vespers December 10, at 6:30pm. Mass will be celebrate on December 11, at 1:00pm.

Villa Therese Catholic Clinic, located at 219 Cathedral Place, will be having its Annual Holiday Fundraiser on December 2nd at the Hotel Santa Fe. Tickets are \$150 and include two dinners and a chance to win \$5,000. Please call [505-983-8561](tel:505-983-8561) or stop by the clinic to purchase a ticket. Free flu shots are available and our Skin Cancer Screening Clinic takes place every third Monday of the month. The next one will take place on December 12th. To make an appointment, please call our number above.

1st SUNDAY OF ADVENT

"Therefore, stay awake! For you do not know on which day your Lord will come." Jesus doesn't tell us when he will come again; but he does tell us all we need to know. First, he leaves no doubt in our minds that he will in fact return--this isn't a question we have to debate. And secondly, he tells us what we need to do to be ready: stay awake! As long as we don't doze off while we're waiting, everything will be all right.

So our task is a relatively simple one. We are called to be on the lookout. We are supposed to be ready for the Lord when he appears. This is a straightforward instruction to be sure. But it does contain an inherent challenge: it's often much easier to hit the snooze button than to get up and at 'em. It's our task, however, to make sure we don't give in to the temptation to fall back asleep.

This is what the season of Advent helps us to do. It's like the Church's alarm clock, ringing with persistence in our ears: Wake up! Throw off the covers of apathy and distraction! Jesus is coming! Get up and get your house in order before he arrives! What exactly this means will be different for all of us--the particular behaviors we need to change, the specific virtues we need to develop--all of this is unique to each individual. But our common goal is the same--to clean house in our hearts and make ourselves ready to welcome the Lord. Yes, his return at the end of time will be a momentous event, but even if we never experience it during our lifetime, Jesus still wants to come to us here and now, to dwell in our hearts through the presence of his Spirit. This Advent, let's be ready to welcome the Lord every minute of every day.



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