

26 November 2023

Solemnity of Christ the King of the Universe (New Calendar)
XXIV and Last Sunday after Pentecost (Traditional Calendar)

Sunday Mass: Anticipated Sat. 4PM/Sun.8AM Ancient Rite Latin Mass
Sunday 9:30 AM (Live-streamed) & 11 AM

Confessions: Wed. & Fri. 6:30-6:55 PM/Sat. 7:30-7:55 AM
Sat. 2:30-3:30 PM & 6:30-7:30 PM

THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

Mon. 27 Nov. Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal/St. Maximus, Bishop
8 AM Ancient Rite Latin Mass
For: Special Intention

Tue. 28 Nov. St. Catherine Laboure, V, R./Bl. Jacob Thomson, Pr, M.
8 AM For: Raymond Wright+
Req: The Martin Family
Holy Rosary for the Preborn and the Newborn

Wed. 29 Nov. Bls. Edward Burden, George Errington, William Gibson,
William Knight, Priests, Martyrs under Elizabeth I.
7 PM For: Special Intention
Req: Regina Rose

Thu. 30 Nov. St. Andrew, The first-called of the Apostles
8 AM For: Clark Mollenhauer+
Req: Mr. & Mrs. John Vanderhoof

Fri. 1 Dec. St. Edmund Campion, Priest, Martyr
7 PM For: Forgotten Souls in Purgatory
Req: Our Lady's Sodality

Sat. 2 Dec. The Prophet Nahum/St. Bibiana, Virgin, Martyr
8 AM For: Special Intention

4 PM For: John Covino+
Req: The Martin Family

Sun. 3 Dec. I Sunday of Advent (Both Calendars)
8 AM For: Joyce Lott+
Req: Mr. & Mrs. Timothy Maciag
9:30 AM For: William Ruane+
Req: Mr. & Mrs. Stephen van Lieshout
11 AM For: The Parishioners of OLGCC

SOLEMN ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

On the Solemnity of Christ the King we expose Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament on the Altar after the 11 AM Mass, where He remains until 4PM. At 4 PM, we celebrate the Office of Vespers and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

This Solemn Exposition gives all of us an opportunity to come before our Eucharistic King to adore Him, especially on behalf of those who do not adore their God; to make amends to Him for all the sacrileges, offenses and negligence He is offered in the Sacrament of His love; and to implore Him for His mercy on our sin-shattered world and Church.

We hope that **each** parishioner will want to spend some time with Jesus our Savior.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES RESUME TUE. 28 NOV.

Jr. High School Class 7 PM Adult Education 8 PM Rectory

WOW! THERE'S MONEY IN THEM THERE PIES!!!

The girls of Our Lady's Sodality want to thank all the parishioners who bought pies or made donations to their Pie Sale last weekend. The little bakerettes netted over \$1100!!!

LUNCHEON FOR OUR SENIOR PARISHIONERS: SAT. 2 DEC.

The women of the Rosary Society will be serving a luncheon for our senior parishioners next Saturday at 12 noon at the Rectory. All senior parishioners are welcome...please sign the list on the bulletin board if you intend to join us. If you have a driver bring you, he/she is welcome to the luncheon as well.

LIVE CHRISTMAS NATIVITY PLAY: SUN. 17 DECEMBER 5 PM

This year, the site of our Nativity Play will be the van Lieshout Farma at 6166 Happy Valley Rd., Verona. Live animals will be featured in the program this year.

The Play itself will be the same as in years past, with the same script and characters.

Please sign your child(ren) up for a part in the Play on the list that is posted on the bulletin board in the vestibule.

Rehearsal will be either on the 15th or the 16th of December, depending on which date is more agreeable to the parents.

On the Kingship of Christ

from Credo: A Compendium of the Catholic Faith
by Most Rev. Athanasius Schneider

#453. How is Christ a King?

He is the Chief Executor of God's perfect will, the primary Lawgiver and Supreme Judge, omnipotent in executing His own perfect will. "All power is given to Me in heaven and on earth" (Mt. 28:18).

#454. Must the Kingship of Christ be recognized by all men?

Yes, Whether considered as individuals or in the societies of families and nations, "the empire of our Redeemer embraces all men".

#455. How must the Kingship of Christ be acknowledged?

1. *Individually* by our choice to believe His doctrine and obey His commands;
2. *Collectively* by families and nations living in accord with the same doctrine;
3. *Privately*, by progressing in the interior life of holiness;
4. *Publicly*, by imitating, obeying and adoring our King in all our external actions.

#456. Must be King rule not only over individuals, but also over nations?

Yes, in this there is no difference "between the individual and the family or the state; for all men, whether collectively or individually, are under the dominion of Christ. In Him is the salvation of the individual, in Him is the salvation of society."

#457. Does Christ's royal empire extend only to Catholic nations?

No, "Christ's empire includes not only Catholic nations, not only baptized persons who, though of right belonging to the Church, have been led astray by error, or have been cut off from her by schism, but also those who are outside the Christian faith; so that truly the whole of mankind is subject to the power of Jesus Christ."

#458. Are there disastrous consequences if Christ is excluded from political life?

Yes, "With God and Jesus Christ excluded from political life, with authority derived not from God but from man, the very basis of that authority has been taken away....The result is that human society is tottering to its fall, because it no longer has a secure and solid foundation.

#459. What means did the Church establish to realize His reign on earth, until He returns?

The Catholic Church, despite the imperfections of its members, this Church is therefore a divine institution, and already the visible realization of the Kingdom of God on earth.