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**Rev. Joseph
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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:00 p.m. (Vigil, English)

Sunday 7:45 a.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m. (Spanish)

Daily Masses:

Monday - Communion Service 8:00 a.m.

Tuesday - Friday 8:00 a.m.

First Saturday 8:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m., or by appointment

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT (Chapel)

Mon., Tue., Wed. & Fri. 9:00 a.m. - Noon

Thurs. 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

HOLY COMMUNION FOR HOMEBOUND

Call the Parish Office

BAPTISMS & MARRIAGES

By appointment with the Pastor

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Teresa Grimm - 661-391-4640

ADULT OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Ed & Carole Lugo, (951) 903-8471

Chris & Terry Thompson, (661) 203-7255

LIFE TEEN - Traci Peel (661) 859-4179

2nd & 4th Tuesdays 6:00 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY (YAM)

Natalie Olvera, (661) 910-5090

youngadultministryctk@gmail.com

Contact Deacon Fred Ansolabehere at

deaconfred@christthekeing.ws

For the following:

Altar Servers, Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors



Twenty-Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time - October 11, 2026

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Parish Finance Council - Dcn. Fred Ansolabehere,

Tom Duncan, Ron Holbert, Jude Hupp, Peggy Hubble,
and Ed Lugo

Greeters/Ushers - Kathy Haynes, (661) 588-8877

Music Ministry - Jim McClelland, (661) 472-1763

Carmelite Discalced Secular - 3rd Sunday 1:00 p.m.

McGovern Hall, Carole Souza, (559) 936-5432,
thelittleway73@gmail.com

Ladies Guild - 2nd Thursday (monthly) 6:00 p.m.,

McGovern Hall, Peggy Hubble, President (661) 747-5942,
phubble523@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus - 1st Thursday (monthly) 7:00 p.m.,

McGovern Hall, Justin Fleeman, Grand Knight (661) 343-7282,
FLEE_SR@sbcglobal.net

Right to Life Rosary - 4th Thursday (monthly) 6:30 p.m.

Norm Reimers, ncreimers@att.net

Bible Study - Tuesday 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m., Room A

Spanish Prayer Group - Tuesday 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

McGovern Hall, Oscar Coreas, (661) 477-2252

Prayer Blanket Ministry - 1st and 3rd Wednesdays (monthly)

9:00 a.m. - Noon, Room B, Karen Flores, (661) 345-5217

Prayer Blankets are available in the parish office.

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Rather than attempt to be worthy, our vocation is to continually expand our capacity to receive divine life and enjoy the banquet of God's self-giving.

*Key theme for today is
"Faith and Readiness"*

God welcomes everyone to His feast. He provides comfort, strength and hope. We must accept his invitation with ready hearts.

The 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A reminds us that God invites everyone to share in His joy. The readings speak of abundance, welcome, and being ready to take part in what God offers. Like a great feast, His love is open to all, but we must come prepared to receive it.

Isaiah tells of a feast on a mountain where sorrow and death are gone. God gathers all nations and wipes away tears. It is a picture of hope and comfort.

This connects with the Gospel, where Jesus speaks of a wedding banquet that welcomes anyone willing to come.

Paul in the second reading, teaches that strength and peace come from trusting Christ in every situation. Whether we have plenty or little, God provides what we need. The 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A, reminds us that God's care never fails. He calls each of us to accept His invitation and live with thankful hearts.

*"Invite to the feast whomever you find"
(Matthew 22:9)*

**WELCOME SOMEONE WHO FEELS
LEFT OUT THIS WEEK!**



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sat Oct. 10	5 pm	+Joe and +Shirley Clerou
Sun Oct. 11	7:45 am	+Maria Tiburcio Villaruz
	9:30 am	+Jean Pierre Petrisans
	11 am	+Deborah Moles
Mon Oct. 12	8 am	COMMUNION SERVICE
Tue Oct. 13	8 am	COMMUNION SERVICE
Wed Oct. 14	8 am	Int. - Kay Beavers - Birthday
Thu Oct. 15	8 am	+Adeline Moser +Cathy Melton
Fri Oct. 16	8 am	+Monica Etcheverry +Genovevo Medina
Sat Oct. 17	5 pm	+Joe and +Shirley Clerou
Sun Oct. 18	7:45 am	Int. of CTK Altar Servers
	9:30 am	Int. of Garrett and Avery Mendez
	11 am	+Guadalupe Guzman and +Aniseto Guzman

Please keep them all in prayer!

*Msgr. Stephen Frost,
Father Joseph, CTK Ministries,
Justin Fleeman, Peggy Hubble and Family,
All parishes in Kern County, Mahlon Eaton
II, CCD Catechists & Assistants, Donald
Border, Mary Jacintha, Sarah Flores, The
Moles Family*

Rest in God's Glory

Pam Wells, Deborah Moles



RESOURCES FOR THE
28TH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
YEAR A



REFLECTIONS, IDEAS, GRAPHICS
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I CAN DO ALL THINGS THROUGH CHRIST

WHEN I AM WEAK,
YOU MAKE ME STRONG.

THROUGH EVERY TRIAL,
YOU LEAD ME ON.

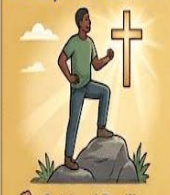
I WILL NOT FEAR.
I WILL NOT FALL.

THROUGH CHRIST,
MY SAVIOR, I CAN
FACE IT ALL.

**"I CAN DO ALL THINGS
THROUGH CHRIST"**

THROUGH HIS STRENGTH, THROUGH HIS LOVE,
HE IS WITH ME DAY AND NIGHT.

JESUS, MY STRENGTH



Spiritual Resilience

JESUS, MY SONG



Heartfelt Praises

IN YOU I STAND



Unwavering Faith

IN YOU I AM STRONG



Divine Empowerment

I CAN DO ALL THINGS THROUGH CHRIST

SAFE SHELTER
& SUPPORT



Providing Basic Needs

COMMUNITY
& GUIDANCE



Fostering Belonging

MENTAL WELLNESS
& CARE



Addressing Distress

ADVOCACY &
EMPOWERMENT



Building Stability

FOR THE VULNERABLE, THE UNHOUSED, AND THOSE FACING RISING ECONOMIC HARDSHIP
AND MENTAL DISTRESS, THAT THEY FIND ENDURANCE THROUGH CHRIST AND RECEIVE
COMPASSIONATE, DIRECT AID FROM COMMUNITIES OF FAITH.

**From the Christ the King
Office of Religious Ed**

Calling all middle schoolers! Want to learn more about your faith? We will be having classes for middle school beginning Wednesday, October 14th. Please contact Teresa Grimm if you are interested in attending! tmariégrimm@gmail.com

Calling all Religious Ed families! We will be having a special talk and will be praying a rosary for world peace - led by our Confirmation students, in the church at 6pm on the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, October 7th. Parents/ Guardians and siblings welcome. Get a free rosary!

**Desde Cristo Rey
Oficina de Educación Religiosa**

¡Llamamos a todos los estudiantes de secundaria! ¿Quieres aprender más sobre tu fe? Tendremos clases para estudiantes de secundaria a partir del Miércoles 14 de Octubre. ¡Por favor, comunícate con Teresa Grimm si estás interesado en asistir! tmariégrimm@gmail.com

¡Llamamos a todas las familias de Educación Religiosa! Tendremos una charla especial y rezaremos un rosario por la paz mundial - dirigida por nuestros estudiantes de Confirmación, en la iglesia a las 6pm en la Fiesta de Nuestra Señora del Rosario, el 7 de Octubre. ¡Obtén un rosario gratis!



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