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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

CTK PARISH OFFICE STAFF
Mela Padilla - Office Manager **(661) 391-4640**
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For the following:
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Thirty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time - November 8, 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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Wisdom and preparation

God calls us to seek wisdom and live with hope. We stay ready for Him by keeping our faith strong.

Pay attention to how you are living each day. Make choices that help you stay close to God and ready to follow him.

The 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A reminds us to stay alert and live with faith. The readings speak about wisdom, hope, and being prepared for what is to come. It teaches us that following God means paying attention and being ready to meet Him at any moment.

Live wisely and watchfully. We do not know when the Lord will come, but if we keep our faith strong, we will be ready to welcome Him with joy.

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Sabiduria y preparacion

Dios nos llama a buscar la sabiduría y vivir con esperanza. Nos mantenemos listos para Él manteniendo. Presta atención a cómo estás viviendo cada día. Haz elecciones que te ayuden a mantenerte cerca de Dios y listo para seguirlo.

El 32º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario, Año A, nos recuerda que debemos estar atentos y vivir con fe. Las lecturas hablan sobre la sabiduría, la esperanza y estar preparados para lo que vendrá. Nos enseña que seguir a Dios significa prestar atención y estar listos para encontrarnos con Él en cualquier momento. Vive con sabiduría y atención. No sabemos cuándo vendrá el Señor, pero si mantenemos nuestra fe fuerte, estaremos listos para recibirlo con alegría.

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sat Nov. 7	8 am 4 pm	+Deborah Moles +Joe and +Shirley Clerou
Sun Nov. 8	7:45am	+Michael Curran
	9:30 am	+Deceased members of the Legion of Mary
	11 am	+Angel de Jesús - aniversario del fallecimiento
Mon Nov. 9	8 am	**COMMUNION SERVICE**
Tue Nov. 10	8 am	Int. of Hillary Buffington
Wed Nov. 11	8 am	+Genovevo Medina
Thu Nov. 12	8 am	Int. of Iris Villalobos Jauregui & +Josefina Gaitan +Deborah Moles
Fri Nov. 13	8 am	Int. of Iris Villalobos Jauregui & +Josefina Gaitan +Lynne Sill
Sat Nov. 14	4 pm	+Caroline Glass and +Billy Edwards
Sun Nov. 15	7:45 am	+Father John O'Neill
	9:30 am	+Amanda Duncan
	11 am	+Lucio and +Eugenia DeSantiago

Please keep them all in prayer!

Pope Leo XIV,
Msgr. Stephen Frost,
Father Joseph,
Deacons Fred & Joe, Justin Fleeman, Peggy Hubble and Family, Mary Jacintha, Sarah Flores, The Moles Family, Domenica Aversano, Maria Verdin, Dana Soria, Joe Ancheta, Rodney Sloan, Veryl Dragoo

Rest in God's Glory

Brenda Barker
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NOVEMBER 8TH, Sunday

AT THE END OF EACH MASS
7:45 AM - 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

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Christ the King

Ladies Guild

Thursday, November 12th

6:00 PM in the Parish Hall

We'll make a Christmas craft, have some delicious snacks - so you don't have to eat dinner first - and enjoy the company of some terrific women!





Parish Office Closed

Parish office will be closed – **Wednesday, November 11th due to Veterans Day.**
There will be **no** adoration as well.

La oficina parroquial permanecerá cerrada el **Miércoles 11 de Noviembre con motivo del Día de los Veteranos.**
Tampoco habrá adoración.



Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel
St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

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consider mailing your donation to:

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The Armor of God

Ephesians 6:10-13: "Finally be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the principalities, the powers, the world rules of this present darkness, and the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm."

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