

SHRINE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST

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- December 12th, 2021 - Gaudete Sunday -



SHRINE CLERGY & STAFF:

Reverend Canon Matthew Talarico, *Rector*
Reverend Canon Luke Zignego, *Vice-Rector, Shrine Project Manager*
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REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays 8:00 am *except Tuesday*

Tuesday 6:30 pm

Saturday 8:00 am

Sunday Low Mass 7:30 am
Low Mass 9:00 am
High Mass 10:30 am

CONFESSIONS

Daily 30 minutes before Mass

Sundays: Confessions 30 min before each Mass

MONTHLY MASS ON 25TH DAY

in Honor of Infant King

Mass is followed by blessing of children, and veneration of the relic of the Holy Crib of Bethlehem.

DEVOTIONS FOLLOWING MASS

Tuesday 6:30 pm

Novena to St. Therese & Benediction

Wednesday 8:00 am

Litany and Devotions to St. Joseph

Friday 6pm Holy Hour

(Followed by Stations of the Cross during Lent)

Saturday 8:00 am

Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

Sunday Vespers and Benediction 6:00 pm

17th - 25th of each Month

Novena to the Infant Jesus

TUESDAY CONFERENCE FOR ALL

3rd Tuesdays of each month 7:30 pm

INFANT KING CO-OP

2nd & 4th Wednesdays. Mass 8:00am & 12:30pm

Ages 6-17, Time 9:15 am to 2:30 pm



Our Lady of Guadalupe

Blessing of Roses and reception after

The 10:30am High Mass today

ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Today, December 12, *Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe*, 7:30am & 9:00am Low Mass, 10:30am High Mass with Blessing of Roses followed by a Hispanic themed reception.

No Adult Conference in December

Wednesday, December 22, *Infant King Co-Op*
Low Mass at 12:30pm.

Saturday, December 18, *Simbang Gabi*, 8:00am Low Mass, followed by reception.

Friday, December 24, *Christmas Eve*, 10:30pm Carols, 11:00pm Midnight Mass followed by hot cocoa social.

Saturday, December 25, *Christmas Day*, 7:30am Low Mass, 9:00am Low Mass w/organ, 10:30am High Mass, blessing of children & veneration of the Holy Crib.

Monday, December 27, *Feast of St. John*, 8:00am Low Mass followed by wine blessing.

Friday, December 31, 5pm Sung Vespers, Benediction with chanting of *Te Deum* and Devotions. (plenary indulgence).

Giving Tree - All gifts with attached ornaments should be placed in the collection box. Thank you for sharing with those in need at this most special time of the year.

Rules & Reminders from the Vice-Rector Dear Faithful

As we continue to grow in numbers, it is necessary that I remind you all of the following important rules regarding the Chapel and parking lot:

- It is strictly forbidden to place cards, announcements, posters, booklets, devotions, brochures, etc. for public display/offering without the explicit permission of the Rector. This permission is never to be presumed.

Wisdom from St. Francis de Sales

"Examine your heart often to see if it is such toward your neighbor as you would like his to be toward you were you in his place. his is the touchstone of true reason."

YOUR WEEKLY OFFERING

All checks to the Shrine please make out to our legal name
"Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest"
Use black or blue ink only

Shrine Monthly Goal: \$12,000.00

Prory/Shrine Ops monthly goal: \$ 8,500.00
H.F.H Utilities & Infrastructure monthly goal: \$ 3,500.00

Last Sunday Collection : \$3,255.00
Month to date: \$3,255.00

H.F.H Extraordinary Fund Monthly Goal: \$ 4,000.00

*These donations will help cover the cost of our current extraordinary projects
(new offices on the 1st Floor, Reception Hall)*

Last Week Donations (*Green Envelopes*) : \$430.00
Month to date: \$430.00

Thank you for your generosity and support!

Use this QR Code to Donate for our Shrine



THE INSTITUTE'S 9TH ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE FOR LIFE

WILL TAKE PLACE JANUARY 20 - 22ND, 2022

IN WASHINGTON DC. REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR BUSES DEPARTING FROM FOUR APOSTOLATE LOCATIONS (ROCKFORD, CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, ST LOUIS, WEST ORANGE, PITTSBURGH.)

**ALL REGISTRATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY
DECEMBER 18, 2021**

Registration Fee: \$260

Registration fee includes: Round trip on coach bus, most meals, and 2 nights at the Courtyard by Marriott Hotel

Please visit website today for details and to register online.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT - "GAUDETE"

7:30am Low Mass **Intentions of Our Lady of Guadalupe**, requested by Mr. Oscar I. Delgado
 9:00am Low Mass **Shrine Benefactors**
 10:30am High Mass **Maria Santos Sepulveda**, requested by Ms. Maria Saucedo

MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, ST. LUCY,

8:00am Low Mass †**Poor Souls in Purgatory**, requested by Ms. Lorena Hernandez

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14, FERIA OF ADVENT

6:30pm Low Mass **Castelan & Hernandez family**, requested by Ms. Lorena Hernandez

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, EMBER WEDNESDAY OF ADVENT

8:00am Low Mass **Intentions of Our Lady of Queen of Peace**, requested by Mr. Oscar I. Delgado

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, ST. EUSEBIUS, BISHOP & MARTYR

8:00am Low Mass †**Rose Taylor**, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Steve & Jessica Taylor

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17, EMBER FRIDAY OF ADVENT.....INFANT KING NOVENA

8:00am Low Mass †**Krzysztof & Halina Mrugala**, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Chester & Janina Kowalczyk
 6:00pm Holy Hour

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18, EMBER SATURDAY OF ADVENT.....INFANT KING NOVENA

8:00am Low Mass †**Stanislaw, Maria, Jan & Wladyslaw Mrugala**, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Chester & Janina Kowalczyk

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19, FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT.....INFANT KING NOVENA

7:30am Low Mass **Ewa, Jozef & Tomek**, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Chester & Janina Kowalczyk
 9:00am Low Mass **Shrine Benefactors**
 10:30am High Mass †**Jesus M. Gonzalez**, requested by Mrs. Virginia de la Luz Gonzalez

From the Vice-Rector

Dear Faithful,

The diversity of all peoples are to be gathered into the bosom of our Holy Mother the Catholic Church which is the only Ark of salvation. Yet Holy Mother Church has embraced the good aspects of the cultures of the peoples she has converted and purified and sanctified them. This is evident in the festivities for Our Lady of Guadalupe (after this Sunday's High Mass) and Simbang Gabi (this Saturday after 8 am Mass) we are having this week, which represent celebrations of the Mexican and Filipino people, respectively. When Our Lady appeared to Saint Juan Diego, she did so as a young Aztec woman, showing her closeness that people as they began to be converted to the True Faith. Simbang Gabi is a Filipino celebration of the nine day novena in preparation for the great Feast of Christmas. Each different Catholic culture has different ways of celebrating the influence of the faith upon them, and of thus honoring Almighty God. How beautiful is our Holy Mother the Church!

Rev. Canon Luke Zignego

SERVER SCHEDULE

Sunday, December 12th

AC1: Michal Neupauer
 AC2: Jozef Neupauer

MC: Hector Turcios
 Th: Diego Alcaraz
 AC1: Pablo Alcaraz
 AC2: Maximiliano Valdivia

Sunday, December 19th

AC1: Jozef Neupauer
 AC2: Michal Neupauer

MC: Albert Boudreau
 Th: Raymond McCague
 AC1: Luke Crapia
 AC2: Julian Lopez



USHER SCHEDULE

Sunday, December 12th

7:30am Low Mass
 - Mr. Razo
 9:00am Low
 - Mr. Raciunas
 10:30am High Mass
 - Mr. Lopez

Sunday, December 19th

7:30am Low Mass
 - Mr. Brongel
 9:00am Low
 - Mr. Kennedy
 10:30am High Mass
 - Mr. Thompson

A ROYAL BIRTHDAY GIFT FIT FOR OUR INFANT KING

Dear Faithful,

Each year at the Institute of Christ the King's international seminary in Gricigliano, Italy, our Prior General Monsignor Wach gifts a beautiful jewel to the statue of Our Lady of Fatima that we venerate in our seminary chapel. He does this in conjunction with the annual renewal of the consecration of the Institute to the Immaculate Conception as a tangible proof of our immense gratitude to her for all she has done for us and for the special protection she affords to our Institute.

This tradition of bestowing jewels or another gift upon an image of Our Lord, Our Lady, or the other saints in thanksgiving for favors received and to show veneration is one that is widespread throughout the old Catholic world. At Jasna Gora in Poland, the famous image of Our Lady of Czestochowa has been showered with gifts over the centuries. In the treasury above the sacristy, cases of jewels and religious objects, gifts from virtually every noble Polish name and much of European aristocracy show the wealth the devout have showered on the monastery. At Montenero, in Tuscany, the image of Our Lady venerated there is surrounded by jewels. In Prague, the Infant King has had many beautiful vestments and crowns made out of the gifts given.

Dear faithful, we would like to begin this tradition of giving the Infant King a gift this Christmas, in particular to thank him this year for the gift of the Holy Family House which has been a wonderful blessing for our Shrine community. We want to thank Him for all the graces received this past year, and also to simply show Him that we love Him.

A beautiful sapphire surrounded by diamonds has been found to offer as a gift to the Infant King on Christmas Day. Please consider offering a donation to help offset the cost of this sign of our gratitude to Him. Any extra donations received will go as a gift to the altar, to help purchase vestments, a chalice, or other objects for the holy liturgy.

Thank you very much for your generosity and remember what the Infant King has said,
"The more you honor me, the more I will bless you!"

Rev. Canon Luke Zignego
Vice Rector

