

St. Charles Borromeo Church

Sunday, November 25, 2018

Solemnity of Christ the King

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“My kingdom does not belong to this world.” (John 18:36)

According to Scripture, Cain, who killed his brother Abel, also founded the first city (Genesis 4:17). From that point on, violence has been a part of every kingdom in history. Just about any ruler you can name has used some form of violence in order to “keep the peace” and hold onto their power. Even the great King David advised his son Solomon to assassinate his political opponent as a way of consolidating Solomon’s rule after David’s death (1 Kings 2).

No wonder Jesus said his kingdom was not of “this world” (John 18:36)! He came as the “Prince of Peace,” not a calculating dictator (Isaiah 9:5). This is what makes today’s Feast of Christ the King so special. It’s the celebration of a new kind of King, who is ushering in a new kind of kingdom.

Jesus’ kingship is unlike any we have ever seen. Instead of exerting power over his people, he submitted himself to their power—even if it meant letting them put him to death. And because he refused the temptation to lord it over his people, God raised him up and established him as the one true King over all of creation.

And the kingdom Jesus rules? It’s a kingdom of converted hearts. It’s a kingdom of people who have renounced sin and violence and who are striving to live in peace and justice.

Of course, we’re not perfect. We still commit sins. We still resort to violence—even subtle forms of violence—to get our way. But rather than use the threat of external violence to force us to behave, Jesus our King treats us with kindness and unexpected, undeserved, scandalous mercy. He softens our hearts and asks us to love each other as he loves us—humbly, preferring each other to ourselves.

Jesus, King of the Universe, has come to overthrow sin through love, violence through peace, and injustice through mercy. This kingdom is not of this world. It’s far more glorious!

“Jesus, you are my King! Come reign in my heart.”

The Word Among Us – Daily Meditation (November 25, 2018)

Mass Intentions for the Week

Mon...., 11/26 - NO MASS

Tues...., 11/27 - 7:30 A.M. Mass - Freddie Pierce; George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Marguerite & Euel J. Zeringue; Ray Weimer Jr. (DA); William "Bill" Nezzio; M/M Richard Gaudet Sr. & Family

Wed...., 11/28 - 7:30 A.M. MASS – Mary Frances Bourgeois; Freddie Pierce; George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Memorial Society; Special Intention; William "Bill" Nezzio (WA)

Thurs...., 11/29 - 7:30 A.M. MASS – Freddie Pierce; George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Jill B. Boudreaux (B); M/M Richard Gaudet Sr. & Family

Fri....., 11/30 - 7:30 A.M. MASS – *First Friday; Feast of Saint Andrew, Apostle:* Freddie Pierce; George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Marguerite Zeringue; Philip Barrios

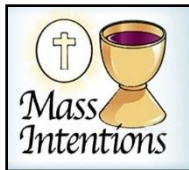
Sat...., 12/1 - 7:30 A.M. Mass – *First Saturday:* For all Priests & Religious; Vocation Support Group; Cathy Thibodaux; Patricia Barras; Lydia & Nelson Verdun; Clarence Ledet; Mercedes Knoblock; Richard "Peachy" Gaudet; Kathleen & Harold Dore; Sam & Leoma Glorioso; Myra Blanchard; Carol & Lloyd Trosclair; Priscilla Dufrene; George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Mary Alice, Horace & Terry Legendre; William "Bill" Nezzio

Sat...., 12/1 - 4:00 P.M. – Vigil Mass of The First Sunday of Advent: Paxton & Stephanie Spinella Moreaux (Wedding: 11/10/2018); P. J. Zeringue; Albin & Ida Clement; Alcee & Emily Zeringue & Family; Allen Duet; Claude & Annie Richard; Louis & Marie Duet; Betty Hebert; Velma & Scuddy Hebert; Carroll Acosta Sr.; Ces & Rena Zeringue; Yvonne & Charley Plaisance; Gene Nichols; Mike & Nita Zeringue; Charles & Nell Zeringue; Donatien & Kate Danos; Doris Pertuit Giroir (DA); Earline & Theogene Gaubert; Jeannie Gaubert; Fay Richard; Freddie Pierce; Gautreaux & Richard Families; George, Louise & Marcella Bourgeois; Gilbert "Chief" Knoblock; Tammy Knoblock Troups; Gregory, Boudreaux & Gaubert Families; Joseph P. & Mildred T. Bourgeois; Joel Bourgeois; Augustin "Gus" & May B. Theriot; Josephine & Roy Foret and Allen; Jules Quatrevingt; Harris & Louise Stevens; Typhy Jr. & Todd Rodrigue; Johnny & Lydie & E.J. Quatrevingt; Lawrence & Eugina Mayet; John (DA-11/30) & Doris (DA-11/30) Mayet; Clara M. Himel; Tisha Normand; Leonard & Janet Ernst & Family; Kevin & Cindy Bartholomew & Family; Sonny & Angie Ernst & Family; Br. Anthony Freeman; Brian & Debbie Freeman & Family; Leonce & Ruth Thibodaux & Sons & "Chinie"; Lydia F. Folse; Marguerite & Euel J. Zeringue; Ralph Melancon; Richard & Elsie Gaudet; Ronnie Sampey; Roy Bourgeois; Shirley Chiasson; Ruth & Charlie Brown; Ruth Marie Trosclair; Sally Thibodaux; Stone Savoy; Wilbert Dufrene; Ashley Dufrene; Beth Dufrene; Tarlton David; Warren LeBlanc; William "Bill" Nezzio; Clay Pierce; Betty Theriot; Brenda Arceneaux; Hugh & Irene Rodriguez; Richard E. LeBlanc Jr.

Sun....., 12/2 - 7:30 A.M. – First Sunday of Advent: Marguerite Thibodaux; Harry Becnel; Benson Plaisance Jr.; M/M Benson Plaisance Sr.; Cecile B. Rodrigue; Frank & Edna Weimer; Fred & Ruby B. Hebert; Guillot & Aupied Families; Helen Schexnaydre; Joy Lynn Naquin (B); Jules J. & Jeanne L. Ball; Michael Trosclair; Michael Poussard; Brandon Courteaux; Jules Quatrevingt; Edward Comeaux Jr.; Linda Kliebert; Louis & Inez Devillier; Patricia & Cherry Devillier; Louise Bourgeois (B); M/M Jessie Pierce Sr.; M/M Roy Ledet; Milton Ledet; Paul & Agnes Traigle &

Family; Camilla Knoblock & Family; Philip & Goldie Weimer; Ray Weimer Jr.; Roberta F. Boudreaux; Theresa & Philip Touns Sr.; U. G. & Marie Landry; Betty Arabie; George Landry; Velma & J.P. Breaux Sr.; Rose Himel Ledet; Wilbur J. Brown; William "Bill" Nezzio; Calvin Bourgeois Sr.; Mark Benoit; Roberta Olivier; Wilbur J. Brown; Ethlyn "Toot" Brown

Sun....., 12/2 - 10:00 A.M. – *First Sunday of Advent:* Marcella Bourgeois; Beverly Lagarde Breaux; Christine Martin; Madison A. Lagarde; Eddie Thibodaux & Allison; Edward & Amelia Gervais & Heather Gaudet; Freddie Pierce; Irvin & Marie Prejeant; George & Bernice Whitman; Joseph E. Blanchard Jr.; K.C. Touns, DVM; Kerry Robichaux; Mary Frances Bourgeois; Mary W. & Dave Robichaux; Norman (DA-12/1) & Ouida Babin; Poor Souls in Purgatory; Rose Legendre (B & DA); Tyler Hebert; William "Bill" Lyles; Clay Pierce; Coleen Cuneo; Constancio "Camoy" Izaguirre Jr.; Jose Lara; Cynthia Molaison Naquin; David "L.J." Lagarde Jr.; Delsie Pertuit; Joseph Lagarde Sr.; Dorothy (Dot) Lagarde; Ruth Grabert; William "Bill" Champagne; Billy Champagne



2019 MASS BOOK STILL OPEN

The 2019 Mass Book is still open to receive Mass Intentions for your loved ones (living or deceased.) 2019 Mass forms are available in the foyer of the church.

DATES, TIMES & PLACES

❖ 24/7 – Perpetual Adoration (*Chapel*)

Mon..., 11/26 – **NO MASS**

Tues..., 11/27 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (*Chapel*)

Wed..., 11/28 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass/Novena (*Chapel*)
10:00 A.M. – Rosary (*Chapel*)

Thurs..., 11/29 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass (*Chapel*)

Fri..., 11/30 - **7:30 A.M.** – First Friday Mass (*Chapel*)
8:00 A.M. – Communion Calls

Sat/Sun..., 12/1-2 – Maintenance Collection (*Two baskets will be passed.*)

Sat..., 12/1 - **7:30 A.M.** – First Saturday Mass (*Chapel*)

8:00 A.M. – Vocation Support Group Meeting (*Conference Room*)

11:00 A.M. – Community Meals Delivered

4:00 P.M. – Vigil Mass

Sun..., 12/2 - **7:30 A.M.** – Mass

8:45 – 10:00 A.M. – 11th Grade CCD Class

10:00 A.M. – Mass/Children's Liturgy



Our Lady of Fatima Statue

will be in the home

Nelson & Lydia Verdun

on 11/28-12/5/2018

BLESSED SACRAMENT CANDLE (IN CHURCH) IN MEMORY OF: (11/23-29)

Philip Marse (DA-11/24); Gautreaux & Richard Families; Orena Adams; Joseph & Inez Danos

BLESSED SACRAMENT CANDLE (IN CHAPEL) IN MEMORY OF: (11/23-29)

Deceased Members of KC Council #12060

ALTAR BREADS IN MEMORY OF: (11/23-29)

In Thanksgiving

MISSALETTES IN MEMORY OF: (11/23-29)

Joy Lynn Naquin

OIL FOR ALTAR CANDLES IN MEMORY OF: (11/23-29)

Herbert Danos

MARRIAGE: (November 16, 2018)

Devin Joachim Chiasson and Summer Elizabeth Robichaux

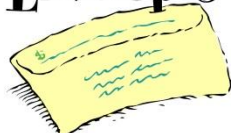
SACRIFICIAL GIVING (November 17-18, 2018)

\$3,333.00	In 99 Envelopes
<u>644.40</u>	Loose
\$3,977.40	Total



Catholic Campaign for Human Development Collection: \$366.00
Add'l. Maintenance: \$75.00
Add'l. Bayou Catholic Collection: \$65.00
St. Anthony: \$128.00

**Offering
Envelopes**



2019 CHURCH ENVELOPES

The 2019 Church Support Envelopes are available in the foyer of the church. For those already using the envelopes, **they are clearly labeled with your name and number.** A separate section of envelopes without labels are for "New Envelope Users".

We encourage all parishioners to use the envelope system in fulfilling this Christian expression of Love of God and His Church. We also thank those who faithfully contribute weekly, whether in the envelopes, in our loose collection, or through on-line banking services.



Make your church contributions ONLINE. It's easy!

You may consider making your weekly church contributions through your online banking. Many have found this very convenient. This is done by accessing your bank account online and following your bank's instructions for setting up online bill pay. The bank then sends the church a check from your account. Usually, you are given the option to send a fixed amount on a weekly or monthly basis, or you may choose to send a contribution at any time. The only information that should be required by your bank is the Church's name, address and telephone number.

Remember to PAY GOD FIRST when planning your budget. As always, thank you for your generosity.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

- MONDAY (11/26): Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Lk 21:1-4
- TUESDAY (11/27): Rvf 14:14-19; Lk 21:5-11
- WEDNESDAY (11/28): Rv 15:1-4; Lk 21:12-19
- THURSDAY (11/29): Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a; Lk 21:20-28
- FRIDAY (11/30): Rom 10:9-18; Mt 4:18-22
- SATURDAY (12/1): Rv 22:1-7; Lk 21:34-36
- SAT/SUNDAY (12/1-2): Jer 33:14-16; 1 Thes 3:12-4:2; Lk 21:25-28



BIBLE VERSE OF THIS WEEK:

"The Lord is King; he is robed in majesty." (Psalm 93:1)



FOOD DRIVE - The CCD Students along with the KC's are sponsoring a Food Drive now through December 9th. Donations of canned goods, staples, and/or cleaning supplies are being accepted. You may place them in the drum provided in the foyer of the Church, or students may bring them on a scheduled CCD Class or Mass. Thank you in advance for your generosity!



CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

Donations for Christmas flowers are now being accepted. If you would like to remember a deceased loved one in this special way, please contact the Administration Office no later than December 3rd.



CHRISTMAS SHARING TREE

This program provides toys to children of needy families in the St. Charles Community. A custodial parent may register the child/children (up to 12 years of age or under) **at the Administration Office through December 4th**.

If you know of a needy family in our community that has a child/children of age for the Sharing Tree, please notify the Administration Office with the name, address and telephone number of the family.



PARISH CHRISTMAS GATHERING - THURSDAY, DEC. 6th!

On Thursday, December 6th, there will be a Christmas Covered Dish Gathering in MFLC at 6:00 P.M. All Parishioners (including children) are invited. Santa will also stop by for a visit. Let us all come together for fellowship to celebrate this wondrous season of joy & peace.

The church will provide the meats, but side dishes, salads and desserts will be needed. *You are asked to bring a dish according to the "First Letter of your Last Name":* **A-F: DESSERTS; G-L: CASSEROLES (ex. *Cornbread dressing, rice dressing, mac & cheese*); **M-R: SALADS (EX: *green, pasta, potato, coleslaw, fruit*); **S-Z: VEGETABLES.******

If you are able to attend, please sign the sheet in the foyer of the church with your name, telephone number, and the dish you will be bringing.

*** Our Altar Servers will also be recognized for their service and presented gifts at this social.**



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Catholic Charities is in need of volunteers to help prepare income tax returns for low income seniors, individuals and families. Only the simple tax forms are prepared & e-filed on IRS computer software – all other situations are referred to paid preparers. The income tax site is run on the second floor of the Terrebonne Main Library every Tuesday during tax season (February 5 – April 9) from 9am – 3pm. No prior tax experience is necessary – we will train you if needed. Please contact Jennifer Gaudet at 876-0490 if you can help out. Thank you!

QUOTE:

"The world and your circumstances may press in and seek to crush you, but a relationship with Jesus will grow a joy in you that cannot be squelched."

