

November 20, 2022 Our Lerd Gesus Christ, King of the Universe

MISSION STATEMENT

We, at All Souls Church, are a multicultural Catholic Community called to share our gifts and to grow through worship and spiritual formation. We are brothers and sisters in Christ led by the Holy Spirit to witness the Good News to all.

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All Souls Catholic Church



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PASTORAL CENTER HOURS

Monday-Friday 9am-7pm Closed for Lunch: 12:30pm-1:30pm

PARISH MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays/Entre Semana Monday-Saturday 7:30am

Saturday/Vigil: 5:30pm

Sunday/Domingo

English: 7:30am, 9:00am, 5:30pm Español: 10:30am

Holy Days to be Announced

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4-5pm & by appointment

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please call the Pastoral Center for a priest. Uncion de los Enfermos: favor de llamar al Centro Pastoral para contactar a un sacerdote.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Español: El primer sabado del mes a las 10am English: Third Saturday of the month at 10am

SACRAMENT OF HOLY MATRIMONY

Book for an appointment at least 6 months in advance Llame al Centro Parroquial por lo menos 6 meses antes

DEVOTIONS

Holy Hour: 1st Friday of the month at 7pm (Bilingual)

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Encuentro Matrimonial Victor Pla

Amigos de Jesus — Estela Murga

Filipino Ministry Rose Pichon

Youth Ministry Leticia Urtecho

Ma Grace N. Tima

Catholic Women's

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Readings & Prayers for the Sick

First Reading:

When all the elders of Israel came to David in Hebron, King David made an agreement with them there before the LORD, and they anointed him king of Israel. (2 Sm 5:3)

Psalm:

Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord. (Ps 122)

Second Reading:

He delivered us from the power of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. (Col 1:13-14)

Then he said,

"Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom."

He replied to him,

"Amen, I say to you,

today you will be with me in Paradise." (Lk 23:42-43)

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Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43 Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 21:1-4 Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13/Lk 21:5-11 Wednesday:Rv 15:1-4/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 7-8, 9/Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 21:20-28 Friday: Rv 20:1-4, 11—21:2/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a/Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Rv 22:1-7/Ps 95:1-2, 3-5, 6-7ab/Lk 21:34-36

Loan Le Ethelyn Beltran
Angelica Ruedas Karen Katsumura
Matthew Perez Andrea Primicias
Pilar Garza Cecilia Chow
Gary Meraz Erik Lifrak

David A. Jr. & Family Ray Argueta & Family

Lucy Tsang Jose Crespo Eleanore Ciechoski Joe Negrete

Rosa Martinez Bernardina Castañeda

Ramirez Family Reyes Family
Wally & Becky Puente Mercedes Tarrazona
Cynthia Manriquez Fernando Torres

William Gonzalez Gerardo Duran
Joel Lopez Cidronio Abelar
Guadalupe Nevarez Yessenia Alvarez
Evelyn De Guzman Juanita Madrigal
Hortencia Palafox Mark Venegas
Francis Araiza Marco de la Garza

Rafael Garcia Therese Huyen-Duong Thi Vu

Sonia Gorope Elizabeth Pham Arturo Recalde Jesus Ortiz

FROM THE PASTOR'S CORNER

34th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year "C" Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

In his study of 10 African kings whose stories must be told on film, ABS staff tells the story of "Shaka, king of the Zulus, who was born in 1787. He was the son of Zulu Chief Senzangakhona and his wife Nandi. When Shaka was 26, his father died and left the throne to a son, Sijuana. Shaka ambushed and killed Sijuana, taking leadership of the Zulus. He came to power around 1818.

Shaka was a strong leader and military innovator. He is noted for revolutionizing 19th-century Bantu warfare by first grouping regiments by age and training his men to use standardized weapons and special tactics. He invented the "assegai," a short stabbing spear, and marched his regiments in tight formation, using large shields to fend off the enemies throwing spears. Over the years, Shaka's troops earned such a reputation that many enemies would flee at the sight of them.

With cunning and confidence as his tools, Shaka built a small Zulu tribe into a powerful nation of more than a million people and united all tribes in South Africa against European colonial rule. The Zulu nation continued to use Shaka's innovations in wars after his death (ABS staff Dec 7, 2013)."

Like the Zulu people who annually celebrate the life of Shaka, it is always a joyful day whenever Christians gather to celebrate the feast of Christ, the King of kings. This solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, the King of the universe has been celebrated yearly since 1970 to mark the end of the liturgical season.

What a joyful day to celebrate the solemnity of Christ the King. Our church is beautifully decorated. I see a lot of smiling faces around me. Many people are already in the Thanksgiving mood. Children dress like it is already Christmas, but it is not yet Christmas.

Christ the King is a celebration used to mark the last Sunday of the liturgical season. Next Sunday we begin the Advent season in preparation for Christmas.

Having walked with Christ, beginning from His birth to His ascension into heaven and having been filled with the Holy Spirit to preach the Word, we are proud to say it loud

and clear to the world today that we have a trustworthy King who by dying destroyed our death, by rising restored our life and by ascending to the Father has given us the reason to live in the hope of eternal life.

Kingship, though a borrowed political concept is today used by the church to explain the relationship which a Christian enjoys with Christ who by His death and resurrection has become the Pantocrator and the Cosmocrator of the universe.

As Christ, Jesus has the whole world in His hands. Our future is in His hands and that is why we have the courage to feel safe in the world.

Our story becomes a success story because Jesus Christ is our Ebenezer. Jesus is victorious even on the cross. Not only that everything was created through Him and for Him, yet as Christ, Jesus becomes the supreme ruler of heaven and earth and everything in it.

In Jesus as the Christ, life in the world and especially for all who believe and live under His supreme authority becomes purposeful and assumes a new and deeper meaning.

Unlike the kings of the world who always act as lord over their subjects, Christ's authority is love. He rules with love, hence all who live in love live in God.

Although we may shop, eat, drive, dress etc. like others in the world, yet, knowing Christ and having a relationship with Him puts a new and unique dimension to our being in the world.

Christian life becomes a hopeful life because we worship a King who has gone through it all and is now seated at the right hand of God in heaven.

By becoming King, Jesus transforms kingship from its notion of authority to service and invites all God's children to live in the world like those who are called to serve and to give their lives as a ransom for many.

Knowing Christ the King may not make us immune to the pains, sufferings and failures of life. We still have to experience moments of joy and sadness in the world, but as prince/princess we live in joyful hope because we are victorious in Christ our King, who has prepared for those who love Him, eternal values which neither the human eyes can see nor the human mind can comprehend. Let us therefore remain in the love of the Christ who loved us first.

Finance Report

Mass Intentions

Due to early bulletin deadlines, we are unable to publish the collection data this week.

COLLECTION

TOTAL

Nov. 13, 2022

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Catholic Campaign for Human Development Collection

This weekend our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. More than thirty-eight million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to bring permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd.

Did you Know?

Children are especially susceptible to colds and flu, partly because they are exposed to more germs at school or daycare, or from picking up random objects and less frequent hand washing. You can protect your child against germs by taking preventative actions. Encourage (and model) regular hand washing and good hygiene, such as sneezing or coughing into your elbow. Monitor family members for signs of illness and if sick, stay home. For more information, visit cdc.gov/flu.

Sign up for this beautiful tradition!



Every year our Parish invites families to help us light the advent candles at the beginning of Mass. If you would like to partake in this beautiful tradition, please call our Pastoral Center to, both, express your interest and provide us with your contact information. Thank you!

SATURDAY	NOVEMBER	19-2022
5:30pm	Danilo & Anastacia Gan	Dec.
	Felipe Li Miranda	Dec.
	Felix Dy	Dec.
SUNDAY	NOVEMBER	20-2022
7:30am	Marjorie Henderson	Dec.
9:00am	Dioscoro Sr. & Caridad Mancao	Dec.
10:30am	Fausto Oliverio Murga	Dec.
	Pamela Williams	Dec.
	Ricardo Argueta	Dec.
	Jorge Antonio Jimenez	Dec.
5:30pm	Ronald Christopher Pablico	Birthday
	Phoebe Homans	Dec.
MONDAY	NOVEMBER	21-2022
7.30am	Scott Family	Dec.
	Miguel Castellanos	Dec.
TUESDAY	NOVEMBER	22-2022
7.30am	Guillermina Franco	Dec.
WEDNESDAY	NOVEMBER	23-2022
	Maura Gamez	Dec.
THURSDAY	NOVEMBER	24-2022
7:30am	Dicioco Family	Thanksgiving
	Andres Gamez	Dec.
FRIDAY	NOVEMBER	25-2022
7:30am	Alma Ibanez Mancao	Dec.
	Salvador Castellanos	Dec.
SATURDAY	NOVEMBER	26-2022
7.30am	Fwu Wan Queun	Dec.
	Jose C. Castellanos	Dec.

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Nuestro rey cuelga de una cruz. Los espectadores vieron esto como la derrota final de un loco que muchos vieron como un insurrecto. Se rieron de él y desafiaron su realeza buscando pruebas: ¡Sálvate a ti mismo! Históricamente, los reyes terrenales son figuras influyentes que ejercen un poder significativo sobre la calidad de vida de sus súbditos. ¿Dónde está el poder de Jesús? Desapareciendo lentamente, es un fracaso ante muchos ojos. El quebrantamiento y la vulnerabilidad a menudo se ven como fracasos. Algo salió mal y nos expuso, revelando nuestro ser frágil y, a veces, incorrecto a los demás. Sin embargo, lo que al principio parece vergonzoso es en realidad una llave de oro para la vida. Solo cuando somos vulnerables aprendemos a amar genuinamente. Marcando lo que parece el final de una misión fallida, Jesucristo, nuestro Rey, cuelga ante nosotros como la llave herida y vulnerable del amor y la vida infinitos de Dios. Los reinos de este mundo pasan. Jesús cuelga como nuestro rey de un mundo que nunca termina. Cuando somos vulnerables y quebrantados en la muerte, caemos en la plenitud de Cristo y somos hechos uno con él. Esto es más de lo que cualquier rey terrenal puede prometer y es la salvación que buscamos. ©LPi

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Ap 14, 1-3. 4-5/Sal 23, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/Lc 21, 1-4 Martes: Ap 14, 14-19/Sal 95, 10. 11-12. 13/Lc 21, 5-11 Miércoles: Ap 15, 1-4/Sal 97, 1. 2-3. 7-8. 9/Lc 21, 12-19

Jueves: Ap 18, 1-2. 21-23; 19, 1-3. 9/Sal 99, 1-2. 3. 4. 5/Lc 21, 20-28 Viernes: Ap 20, 1-4. 11—21, 2/Sal 83, 3. 4. 5-6 y 8/Lc 21, 29-33

Sábado: Ap 22, 1-7/Sal 94, 1-2. 3-5. 6-7/Lc 21, 34-36

Domingo siguiente: Is 2, 1-5/Sal 121, 1-2. 3-4. 4-5. 6-7. 8-9/Rom 13, 11-

14/Mt 24, 37-44

¿Sabla usted?

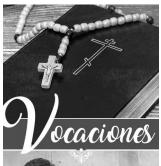
Los niños son especialmente susceptibles a los resfriados y a la gripe, en parte porque están expuestos a más gérmenes en la escuela o en la guardería, o por recoger objetos al azar y lavarse las manos con menos frecuencia. Usted puede proteger a su hijo contra los gérmenes tomando medidas preventivas. Fomente (y modele) el lavado de manos regular y una buena higiene, como estornudar o toser en el codo. Supervise a los miembros de la familia para detectar signos de enfermedad y, si están enfermos, quédense en casa. Para obtener más información, visite cdc.gov/flu.

AMIGOS DE JESUS

El grupo de oración, Amigos de Jesús, les invita a unirse a una noche de reflexión, alabanza y oración en comunidad. Las reuniones son a las 7pm cada miércoles. Si gus-

ta unirse, favor de llamar al Centro Pastoral para mas detalles.







Oh Espíritu Santo, Espíritu de sabiduría y amor divino, imparte Tu conocimiento, comprensión y consejo a los jóvenes para que puedan conocer la vocación en la que mejor pueden servir a Dios. Dales valor y fuerza para seguir la santa voluntad de Dios. Guía sus pasos inciertos, fortalece sus resoluciones, protege su castidad, moldea sus mentes, conquista sus corazones y condúcelos a las viñas donde trabajarán en el santo servicio de Dios.

Amén.

RETIRO PARROQUIAL

Por favor, anote las fechas para nuestro retiro parroquial.

Español: Diciembre 2, 3, 4 de 7pm a 9pm

Inglés: Diciembre 9, 10, 11 de 7pm a 9pm

PARISH NEWS

Thanksgiving Day Mass

All Souls Catholic Church would like to wish everyone a wonderful Thanksgiving Day. We are undoubtedly blessed this year to be able to share with you in person as we express our gratitude to our Lord.

During our Thanksgiving Mass on Thursday, we invite our parishioners to dress in their native attire and process in with the flags of their respective countries.

If you would like to participate in this annual tradition, please call our Pastoral Center to leave your contact number and the name of the country you will be representing. We look forward to your participation.



Following the Mass, you are invited to partake in the delicious luncheon in the parish hall prepared by our youth in the Confirmation Program/Youth Ministry.

PARISH RETREAT

Please come join us for our Advent retreats to prepare our hearts and minds for the coming of Our Savior.

Spanish Retreat

December 2nd, 3rd, 4th from 7 pm to 8:30 pm

English Retreat

December 9th, 10th, 11th from 7 pm to 8:30 pm

General Theme: Come to Bethlehem!

Friday night: We ask for Healing and New Life

(Includes a prayer for healing and anointing of the sick)

Saturday night: We Live in the Light of Faith with Mary and Joseph

(includes reflection and recitation on the joyful mysteries

of the Rosary)

Sunday Night: In the Manger we find the Bread of Life (includes Adoration and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament)

Happy Birthday Merci





Parish Community Luncheon

Please drop off the following items on November 21st:

- Bags of shredded mozzarella cheese
 • Pumpkin pies
 • Whipped Cream

- Tubs of butter
- Celery

More Fiesta Pictures...













