

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Sunday, November 24 ♦ Christ the King Sunday

9:00 a.m. Gary Stephen Lyle
(Brian & Lisa Lyle Henry)

11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross
2 Sm 5:1-3; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43

Monday, November 25 ♦ NO MASS

Tuesday, November 26 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Holy Souls in Purgatory (Vince Staley)
Dn 2:31-45; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday, November 27 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Bert Straub (Hank Coughlin)
Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Lk 21:12-19

Thursday, November 28 ♦ Thanksgiving Day

10:00 a.m. Albert Straub (Georje Franz)
1 Kgs 8:55-61; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 1: 39-55

Friday, November 29 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Special Intention for Fr. Michael Watson
(Paul & Charlene Pardi)
Dn 7: 2-14; Lk 21: 29-33

Saturday, November 30 ♦ St. Andrew

11:30 a.m. Darlene M. Manley (Fred & Mary Callahan)
Rom 10:9-18; Mt 4:18-22

Sunday, December 1 ♦ First Sunday of Advent

9:00 a.m. Margaret & Elsie Haninger
(Glenn Haninger)
11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross
Is 2:1-5; Rom 13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44

+ Please remember in your prayers our homebound parishioners, and those who are ill: Jodi Elgin, Sandra Hilbert, Elizabeth and Robert Hackett, Jestina Jones, Susan Luck, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Cathy Miller, Marilyn Scott, Jeanne Sharp, Patty Stover, Helen Violet, Elizabeth Wanamaker.

Support to St. Lawrence Haven – December 8

Attention all our “Lil Larry” sandwich makers. The next opportunity to support St. Lawrence Haven is Sunday, December 8, following the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

THANKS

NOVEMBER 17, 2013 OFFERINGS

Designated Collections

(Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)

Mass Attendance

9:00 a.m. = 82
11:00 a.m. = 77

Offertory\$2,090.00

Repair Fund.....\$ 21.00

Less 5% Diocese Tax(\$ 105.55)

Net to Parish:.....\$2,005.45

Thanksgiving Prayer

Loving and Good God, You have blessed us in many ways – in the beauty of our land, in the freedom we enjoy in the care of those who love us and the grace to believe in You.

We pray that we may ever be grateful for these blessings and continue to show our gratitude in action.

We bring this food, the fruit of our sharing, asking that You bless it. May it provide nourishment and joy to our sisters and brothers who will receive it.

We pray in Jesus’ name. AMEN

We need YOU this Christmas!

Starting at 12:00 noon Today!

Kids singing in the choir is easy, the time commitment minimal and the rewards are many. We begin after the 11:00 a.m. Mass today and will continue to do so through December 22nd. Please grant yourself the benefit of choral singing this coming Advent/Christmas season. Contact Kelly Doman for more information.

Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) – Today!

Today is the collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) needs your help. CCHD was founded to end the cycle of poverty throughout America by funding organizations that help individuals help themselves. With a tradition of improving education, housing, and community economic development, CCHD continues to make a positive impact in communities nationwide. Defend human dignity. Please give to the CCHD Collection.



Special Collection for Philippines – December 1

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has asked that all dioceses in the United States hold a special collection to raise desperately needed funds to assist the recovery following the devastation caused by Typhoon Haiyan. Bishop Campbell has designated Sunday, December 1, 2013 for this collection.

THE WORD

A good shepherd lays down his life for his sheep. For this reason the image of a shepherd become connected to the kingly role in the Old Testament. Good kings, like good shepherds, provided for and guarded their flock. As a boy David went from safeguarding sheep to defending his people, going up against Goliath. Later, as a king, he brought together all the tribes of Israel, uniting them as one people.

Jesus spoke of the good shepherd who left the ninety-nine to go out after the one lost sheep and bring it back. We see him do this even from the cross in his last moments. One criminal calls to Jesus to save himself and them, but the other recognizes Jesus is the innocent one who is passing over into his kingdom. When he asks that Jesus take him there, Jesus gently promises to do so.

As we approach the end of the year, we are reminded that our own end will come one day. Let us have the confidence of that criminal we commonly refer to as the “good thief” and make his request to the Lord our own. And whenever that day comes, we can learn from Jesus how to face it: by extending forgiveness to any who have hurt us, by being compassionate up to our final moment, and by handing over our spirit in trust to our Father in heaven. The king will then surely come, gather us up in his arms, and take us with great joy into the kingdom.

– Does today’s image of Jesus on the cross help you to appropriate the image of Christ as king?

– What does it mean when we hear that by baptism we are part of a royal people?

from “Living the Word”

November 24, 2013		
Christ the King Sunday		
Entrance Hymn	706 (vs. 1-3)	Crown Him with Many Crowns
Gloria	Worship Aid	Community Mass
Readings	Missalette	p 98
Psalms	434	I Rejoiced When I Heard Them Say
Gospel		
Acclamation	347	Celtic Alleluia
Preparation of Gifts	710	To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King
Eucharistic Acclamations	Worship Aid	Community Mass
Communion Hymn	647	Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence
Closing Hymn	706 (vs. 4-5)	Crown Him with Many Crowns



Special Parish Dates

Mark your calendars for the following important dates for the parish:

- 1) **Thursday, November 28, 2013 – Thanksgiving Day – 10:00 a.m. Mass only.**
- 2) **Sunday, December 8, 2013 – Deanery Reconciliation Service at St. Augustine/Gabriel – 4:00 p.m.**
- 3) **Tuesday, December 24, 2013 – Christmas Eve Mass at 4:00 p.m.**
- 4) **Wednesday, December 25, 2013 – Christmas Day Mass at 10:00 a.m.**
- 5) **Sunday, December 29, 2013 – Feast of the Holy Family, Rectory Open House following each Mass.**

JOB POSTING

Bethesda Healing Ministry seeks an organized, energetic, practicing Catholic to lead its day-to-day operations. This “servant leadership” role – based at Bethesda’s offices on the campus of Christ the King Parish – will involve organizing and implementing the activities of the Ministry, including meetings, retreats, and conferences; expanding the reach of the Ministry through communication with parishes, Diocesan offices, and other community organizations; supervision of hourly staff and volunteers; coordinating the work of the governing council and committee heads in areas such as finance, fundraising, communication, and legal. Competence with basic office equipment and MS Office Suite is necessary. If you are interested in learning more, please forward your résumé, letter of interest, and salary history to Jim Gernetzke jimgernetzke@gernetzke.com.

Martin de Porres Center presents:

LIFT OUR VOICES, LIFT OUR HEARTS

Concert by the Columbus Christian Center Choir

Sunday, December 8 – 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Freewill donation will be taken.

Please register by December 6.

To register for this program, please call the Center at (614) 416-1910 or email martindeporres@opeace.org.

Christmas Cookies!

St. John Chrysostom Byzantine Catholic Church is holding it’s 9th Annual Christmas Cookie Sale on Saturday, December 14, from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at 5858 Cleveland Avenue, Columbus, OH 43231.

We are currently taking orders for trays of 6 dozen assorted cookies at \$30.00/tray; Nut, Apricot and Poppysseed Rolls at \$10.00 per 11” roll; and pirogi sold frozen by the dozen at \$5.00 per bag of Potato/Cheese, Sauerkraut, Sweet Cheese or prune filling. To place your order, please call 614-882-6103 and follow the prompts. We are continuing to take orders through Sunday, December 1st.