

Christ the King ~ November 25, 2018

In today's Gospel reading, it is Pilate who refers to Jesus as King of the Jews. Jesus does not confirm that he is a king, and makes it clear that his kingdom does not belong to this world. His purpose for being in the world is to testify to the truth.

Saturday, November 24, 2018

5:00 p.m.

Intention : Deceased Family Members †

Requested by: Jeanne Tristant Family
Intention of: Children & Grandchildren
Requested by: Maria Rocha

7:00 p.m. (St. Mary's)

Intention: All Souls in Purgatory †

Intention: Maria F. Melo †
Requested by: C.P.I.D.E.S.

Sunday, November 25, 2018

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7:30 a.m.

Intention: Lorinda Cunha †
Requested by: Arthur & Hope Carmo

10:00 a.m.

Intention: All Souls In Purgatory †
Intention: For All Those Inscribed in the Legacy of Faith Book

11:30 a.m.

Intention: Jose I. Borges †
Requested by: Madalena Borges (RIP)
Intention: Alvarinha Galante
Requested by: Husband & Son

6:30 p.m. (Spanish/St. Mary's)

Intention: People of the Parish

Monday, November 26, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Intention: All Souls In Purgatory †
Intention: Ben Pacheco †
Requested by: Lucy Silveira & Family

Tuesday, November 27, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Intention: All Souls In Purgatory †
Intention: Maria Sequeira †
Requested by: Joe Sequeira
Intention: Richard Avila †
Requested by: Parents & Family

Wednesday, November 28, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Intention: All Souls In Purgatory †
Intention: Joe B. Coelho †
Requested by: Wife & Family

Thursday, November 29, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Intention: All Souls In Purgatory †
Intention of: Quinten Wesley Caetano
Requested by: Alan & Mary Oliveira
Intention: Filomena Avila †
Requested by: Maria May
Intention of: Frank & Mary Homen
"Happy 65th Wedding Anniversary"

Friday, November 30, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Intention: All Souls In Purgatory †
Intention: Joe Macklin †
Requested by: Kathy Macklin

Saturday, December 1, 2018

10:00 a.m. Funeral Mass for Ermelinda Bertao

5:00 p.m.

Intention : Joao DaRocha †
Requested by: Wife & Family
Intention: John M. Borba †
Requested by: Natalie Apolinario

7:00 p.m. (St. Mary's)

Intention: All Those Inscribed in the St. Mary's Memorial Book

Sunday, December 2, 2018

First Sunday of Advent

7:30 a.m.

Intention: Humberta Fontes †
Requested by: Emily Rosa

10:00 a.m.

Intention: Jose M. Tavares †
Requested by: Parish Community
Intention: Joao B. Coelho †
Requested by: Joao Coelho Jr.

11:30 a.m.

Intention: Alvarino Gomes †
Requested by: Joey Gomes
Intention: Raul Apolinario †
Requested by: Wife

6:30 p.m. (Spanish/St. Mary's)

Intention: People of the Parish

Let us remember and pray for our beloved departed, especially for **Ermelinda Bertao** that they may receive the abundant fruit of God's presence and also for their loved ones that they may receive God's consolation and peace at this difficult time.

Please Keep in Your Prayers: Joao Avelar, Eliza Alves, Joao Avila, Mary Beaman, Maria Belo, Jack Betschart **Isidoro Bettencourt**, Leonor Brasil, Violet Brazil, Stephen Coelho, Elizabeth de Sousa, Elvira Freitas, Jared Germann, Cheryl Komos-Morse, Joe Lemos, Patrick Leyden, Joe B. Machado, Esther Martinez, Leonor Melo, Gloria Jean Mendes, Manuel Mendes, Phyllis Mendes, Carmen Moura, Prescilla Moura, Felismina Noronha, Maria Nunes, Jordan Ouse, Eliseu Pacheco, Joe & Lourdes Rocha, Maria Rocha, Maria Rosa, Raymond Sequeira, Joe Silveira, Ellen Silveira, Sandra Toste & Jeannie Tristant.

Please remember if you have an ill family member or friend that you would like to include on our prayer list or even have a visit by the priest call the parish office at 667-8961.

#Religious Education News+

1st Communion Parent/Child

Meeting will take place in the Parish Hall on Saturday, Dec. 1st from 9:00-12:00pm, or Sunday, Dec. 2nd from 12:30-3:30pm. Reconciliation and 1st Holy Communion will be discussed. This is for 2nd Year students and parents.

The Tradition of giving Advent & Christmas gifts during Mass continues.

We are now accepting donations for those gifts in memory or honor of a loved one. The gifts will be labeled accordingly. If you would to be a sponsor please call Dina at 632-7163. These gifts will be given to every child that is in attendance during the weekend Masses.

Drivers needed on Wednesday, Dec. 12th

to transport students from Holy Rosary Church to the Nursing homes in Turlock. We will meet at Holy Rosary at 6pm and return by 8pm.

Prayer testing deadline: For 1st Communion is Nov. 30th.

Please make your appointments ASAP so that your child can get tested.

Blankets and Bath Wash needed for the elderly in the nursing homes in Turlock. This year we will be visiting 5 nursing homes with a total of 330 people. Donations can be dropped off at the parish office or the church entrances before Dec. 5th.

Walk For Life will take place on Saturday January 26th. We will be taking a bus. Watch the bulletin for more information.

1st Year Confirmation Students mark your calendars. You and your sponsors have a retreat on **Sunday, January 13th** from 8:15-4:30pm. **Parents** will have a mandatory meeting on Wednesday, January 9th from 7:00pm-8:30pm in the Mission Church. John Sablan will be the guest speaker.

St. Mary's Christmas program / parish potluck will be held on Saturday, Dec. 15th after the 7:00pm Mass. Plan now on attending.

2018-2019 Bishop's Annual Appeal "Renewed Passion"....

is the theme of this year's Bishop's Annual Appeal that begins now.

The BAA is now underway. There are so many ways to be a part of the ministries that support vocation to the priesthood, religious education and spiritual formation for families, young adults and our youth. However, all the time and talents that are graciously offered to serve the needs must be financially supported. Thank you for considering a monetary gift for this year's appeal. *No gift is too small.*

Brochures are also available at the main church entrance with detailed information and if you wish to use to make your donation or you can donate online at www.dioceseoffresno.org/baa.

Thank you in advance for your prayerful consideration.

Please Join SALT Young Adult group at Holy Rosary Church for **Eucharistic Adoration** this Friday November 30th at 7 p.m. in the New Church. Please come and join us as we spend an hour with the most Blessed Sacrament. Welcome all from different parishes and those of all ages.

Turlock Together & Hilmar Helping Hands Announces annual **Christmas Box Sign-ups for Stevinson, Hilmar & Delhi, Tuesday December 4th** from 9am to 12 noon at the *Covenant Church, Hilmar.*

Please bring Photo ID, Proof of Residence Proof of all persons living in household with s/s #'s. Distribution day will be Saturday Dec. 22 from 8 a.m. to 4:40 p.m. at Turlock Fruit & Nut Co.

Hilmar Helping Hands Sunday Hilmar Helping Hands

Thank you to all those who contributed to Hilmar Helping Hands this weekend by bringing non-perishable food items to help the less fortunate families of our community. Your generosity is very much appreciated! Our pantry is open on Tuesday from 9 to 11. We help families in the Hilmar-Stevinson area up to 4 times a year, however no family is ever turned away.

Attention: Church Cleaning Teams Please remember to return cleaning cloths for the next teams use. We thank you as always for your time and talent in helping to keep our churches looking beautiful for worship

Thank You Angels Young & Old for your contribution to the piggy dumping and second collection this weekend for the building fund. We appreciate your continued generosity.

Filhos Sale NEXT Sunday, Dec. 2 to help defray the Fish Dinner expenses for the Building fund raiser in March 2019.

Close to Home.... We will once again have the **Angel Tree** for local needy children. Ornaments will be available at the main entrance of the church. Please return your unwrapped gift with ornament attached by MONDAY NOV. 26th to either the church or the parish office.

The Story of Salvation: The Great Adventure

A Catholic Bible study, which presents from Adam & Eve to the apostles Peter and Paul and the Early Church as a continuous story, will be offered in *Portuguese* beginning Monday, Nov. 19, beginning 6:00pm in the CCD Classrooms.

This is an adult Catholic education program. Please contact Antonio Freitas 667-0371 for more information.

Bulletin Advertiser renewals have been sent out. *If your business would like to advertise in our parish bulletin, please call the parish office as there are some available spaces. We take this opportunity to THANK our current advertisers for their support in helping to defray the cost of our weekly bulletin*

Our offering collection for November 17 & 18 \$4,464.00
Last Year November 18 & 19 \$3,827.50
Thank you, Obrigado & Gracias!