

Many Christians are motivated by the presumption that if they work hard and do the right thing their lives and the situation of the world should get better every day. However, there are no guarantees or time frames in God's promises to renew the face of the earth. It will happen, but "when" remains unanswered.



Next weekend, **November 21 & 22**, the second collection will be for the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development**. Over 46 million people in the U.S. live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to address the obstacles they face as they work to lift themselves out of poverty. Please be generous. Thank you.



Everyone is welcome on Thanksgiving morning, **Thursday, November 26th at 9:00 am**. We invite all families of the parish to make every effort to attend as we offer thanks to God for the many blessings and graces we receive. Bring to this Mass the bread and wine for your Thanksgiving meal, to be blessed at the Mass and shared with family and friends in your home.

THE ADVENT GIVING TREE

Go into many stores and you cannot miss the fact that Christmas is soon approaching. Some of us have already begun to think about our Christmas shopping. Once again this season we invite our parishioners to reach out to our parish families who are in need.

The ADVENT GIVING TREE will be placed in the church on November 28th & 29th ~ the First Sunday of Advent.



Please consider taking a "Gift Tag" and prayerfully fulfill the gift and return it to the church or parish office by December 13th, to be delivered in time for Christmas.

Let us enter into the true spirit of Christmas, for we celebrate God's greatest gift to the world...the gift of His Son! Thank you to all who will participate.

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

The Lord Jesus has been our guide and leader, calling us into greater discipleship. Today, Jesus asks us not to bury the treasures entrusted to us at Baptism, but to invest those treasures -- our gifts and talents -- to help further the reign of God. Our personal talents, our gifts, and most importantly our love all dry up if they go unused. Love is given to be given away!

Name one way that you have used a natural gift or talent to help further the Lord's work here.



MASSES FOR

NOVEMBER 16 - 22, 2020

*Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead.
However the following are specifically remembered this week.*

Monday, November 16

7:30 am - Intentions of All Souls Day Envelopes
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Tuesday, November 17

7:30 am - Peter Gallo, Jr. by family

Wednesday, November 18

7:30 am - Intentions of Parishioners
5:30 pm - Eucharistic Adoration - Spanish
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Thursday, November 19

7:30 am - Intentions of All Souls Day Envelopes

Friday, November 20

7:30 am - Eleanor & Domenico Mirante by family
3:00 pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Saturday, November 21

8:00 am - The Presentation of the Blessed Mother

SPONSORS FOR OUR BULLETIN

Because our weekly parish bulletin can no longer be paid by ads on the back page, we are hoping to help defray this expense by asking parishioners to come forward each week by sponsoring the bulletin with a donation of **\$40.00**. Please call the parish office if you wish to help.

+ WEEKLY CHURCH SUPPORT +

*What Our Lord Asks Is Not Equal Gifts - But Equal Sacrifice.
(Increased Giving Campaign)*

Weekend of November 7 & 8

Church Collections & Mail-in Budgets
\$5,431.00

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday, November 21

5:00 pm

Matthew Celeberto - 2nd Year Remembrance
by mother & family
Philomena Ciccone by family
Dorothy V. Giarrusso by husband

6:30 pm - Mass in Spanish

Sunday, November 22

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

8:00 am

In Honor of Christ the King

9:30 am - Mass in Spanish

11:30 am

Annunziata Ierfino - 2nd Anniversary Remembrance
by Rosanna I. Grillo
Muriel Keegan by grandson Michael
Frank & Marion Cuiccio by daughters



**SANCTUARY CANDLE &
ALTAR BREAD & WINE:**

*In Memory of
Dorothy Giarrusso by husband
Rosa Ortega by family*

+ Died in Christ +

Rosa Ortega

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In Memory of

Muriel Keegan