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DECEMBER 8, 2024

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday

Monday—December 9th

The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Mother Mary

Mass: 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday-Friday

Mass: 7:30 a.m.

Morning Prayer and Adoration

Follows Mass

Weekend Mass

Saturday

4:00 p.m.

Sunday

8:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

7:00 p.m.

Confession

Saturday

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Or by appointment

PASTOR

Rev. Zaldy Norba

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Victor Raj



2nd SUNDAY OF ADVENT

"Every valley shall be filled and every mountain and hill shall be made low. The winding roads shall be made straight, and the rough ways made smooth, and all flesh shall see the salvation of God."

- Lk 3:5-6

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Monday, December 9th
Mass at 7:30 A.M. and 5:30 P.M.

Holy Day of Obligation.

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, December 9th.

If needed leave a message at 719/542-9248 Ext. 116



My Dear Daily Mass Goers, Parishioners and Friends of Christ the King Parish,

Please be informed that beginning December 10, our daily Masses (Tuesday through Friday) will be at 7:30 a.m. in the Morning. After the Mass we will expose the Blessed Sacrament and invite everyone to join us in Morning Prayer followed by Adoration. At 9:00 a.m. we will transfer the Blessed Sacrament to our Adoration Chapel.

Please be guided accordingly.

Yours in Jesus our Eucharist,
Father Zaldy B. Norba, SSS



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Have you welcomed the Catechumens?



This past weekend, a group of individuals (adults and teens) were welcomed into our community through the *Rite of Acceptance* and became catechumens (unbaptized individuals who are preparing for Sacraments of Initiation). The Parish Community is a vital part of their formation, providing Christian witness and fellowship as they prepare for the Sacraments.

Here are some ideas of how YOU can welcome them more fully into our community:

- We should give the catechumens evidence of the spirit of Christian community by our witness of wholehearted worship, fellowship, and apostolic activity.
- Welcome them at coffee/donuts, perhaps invite them out for lunch to chat, etc.
- Listen to their stories; invite candidates into personal conversation.
- Whenever possible, welcome the catechumens to community events and sit with them.
- Offer to pray for them; listening to their intentions and following up on their needs.



Christ the King joyfully welcomes the new Catechumens! On the First Sunday of Advent, we welcomed 7 of our 8 catechumens - those who are preparing to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation at the Easter Vigil. Please be sure to welcome them, get to know them, and include them in our Parish Community.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 7 - 4:00 p.m.

- † John Oechsle, by Ed Mastro
- † Antonia and Esteban Camacho, by Patricia and Julian Vigil
- † Joe and Sarah Maestas, by Chuck Maestas

Sunday, December 8 - 8:00 a.m.

For the People of Our Amazing Parish

Sunday, December 8 - 11:00 a.m.

- † Yvonne and John Neuhaus, by Paula Neuhaus

Sunday, December 8 - 7:00 p.m.

- † C.P. and Elizabeth Garcia,

by Tom DeNiro Family

Monday, December 9 - 7:30 a.m.

- † Virginia Sharon, by Molly Vega

Monday, December 9 - 5:30 p.m.

- † Francisco Pangtay, by David and Connie Hof

Tuesday, December 10 - 7:30 a.m.

- † Darrell Garza, by Celina and Frank Pacheco

Wednesday, December 11 - 7:30 a.m.

- † Msgr. Howard Delaney,

by Milton and Margaret Trujillo

Thursday, December 12 - 7:30 a.m.

- † Jim and Marge Willis,

by Robert and Karen Willis

Friday, December 13 - 7:30 a.m.

- † Francisco Pangtay, by Tom and Colleen Russ

Saturday, December 14 - 4:00 p.m.

- † Chuck Vega, by Molly Vega and Family

- † Francisca Cantu, by Cortez Family

- † Rudy Cantu, by Molly Vega and Family

Sunday, December 15 - 8:00 a.m.

- † Deacon Michael LaConte,

by Milton and Margaret Trujillo

- † Sue Mastro, by Mastro Family

Sunday, December 15 - 11:00 a.m.

For the People of Our Amazing Parish

Sunday, December 15 - 7:00 p.m.

- † Florence and Lloyd Naccarato, by Naccarato Family

Prayer Line

If you have a prayer request please call Sarah at 542-9248, Ext. 121 or email Sarah at snelson@ctkpueblo.org.



Readings for the week of December 8, 2024

Sunday: Bar 5:1-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 (3)/
Phil 1:4-6, 8-11/Lk 3:1-6

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/
Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Is 40:1-11/Ps 96:1-2, 3 and 10ac, 11-12, 13/Mt 18:12-14

Wednesday: Is 40:25-31/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8 and 10/Mt 11:28-30

Thursday: Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/
Jdt 13:18bcde, 19/Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47

Friday: Is 48:17-19/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Mt 11:16-19

Saturday: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16, 18-19/
Mt 17:9a, 10-13

Next Sunday: Zep 3:14-18a/Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (6)/Phil 4:4-7/
Lk 3:10-18



Dear Parishioners and Friends of Christ the King Catholic Parish and to all who attended the Taste of CTK on November 23rd and watched the concert:



Thank you so very much for your kind and generous support. To the Chefs at the eight tables representing eight countries, you all did a fabulous job decorating your tables, and the food was outstanding! Special thanks to Fr. Victor Raj for cooking the Indian delicacies.

To the Knights of Columbus: you are always ready, willing, and available to help us. Thank you once again.

A very special thank you to Rose Higgs, Inez Flores, Juanita Montoya, and Rosanna Padilla. Special thanks also to Marcia Griglak for decorating the Hall.

A very special thank you to Lori Judkins, the musicians and the choir for the gift of music and songs rendered during the concert. Looking forward for this next year.

May Christ our King continue to bless our Parish community and family with the abundance of generous and kindhearted people who are willing to share their time, talent and treasure.

In Jesus our Eucharist,

Father Zaldy Norba, SSS, Pastor





Christmas Eve

4:00 P.M. Mass

Let us know if your child(ren) would like to sing at the Offertory at the 4:00 P.M. Christmas Eve Mass and participate in a live manger scene!

Scan the QR code below to sign up or contact Emma Kate at ekottenstette@ctkpueblo.org, or call 719-542-9248 ext. 113.



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Join us for Christmas!



Christmas Eve:
Tuesday, December 24th
4:00 P.M. - Mass with Live Manger Scene & Children's Song
7:00 P.M. - Mass with Adult Choir
(No Midnight Mass)

Christmas Day:
Wednesday, December 25th
9:30 A.M. - Mass

Come early to each Mass and enjoy Christmas Prelude Music.



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Our Lady of Guadalupe

Feast Day

Thursday, December 12

Mass at 7:30 A.M.



Advent Retreat

Saturday December 14, 2024

Shrine of St Therese Hall
300 Goodnight Avenue
Pueblo, Colorado

Sponsored by the Council of Catholic Women Pueblo District

The Grace of Waiting: "Keeping our focus on the Lord"

8:00 a.m. Retreat Registration	\$10.00 per person
9:00 a.m. Guest Speaker Deacon Michael Sanchez	(Tickets also sold at the door)
11:00 a.m. Brunch & Fellowship	Raffle ~ Door prizes



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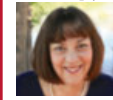
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