

Christ the King Church

MISSION STATEMENT

"Christ the King Parish is to "Go and Make Disciples" by welcoming all into our community: growing as Holy Disciples in formation through prayer, fellowship, and witnessing to God's people.

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 29th, 2024

PASTOR'S REFLECTION



The apostle John reported to our Lord with the claim, "We saw someone driving out demons in your name and we tried to stop him because he is not of our company." Bluntly, Jesus ordered them not to stop him and essentially told them that they do not have an exclusive copyright over His name. It is still a question being raised even today regarding good people who were not disciples of Jesus or who believe in Jesus but did not want to become a member of the Christian community. Can people who do not believe in God, who belong to a non-Christian religion, or a Christian sect be saved? Can a Catholic who does not participate in the sacramental life of the Church be called a Catholic?

The gospel of Mark gives an answer to this question, but he does a balancing act. In the first part of the gospel, he tells us that Jesus appreciated all the good that was done by people who did not follow him. He was tolerant of them and refused to show any sign of rejection. In the second part of the gospel, he tells us that Jesus was very strict and demanding to people who claimed to be his followers. For them, there was no compromise, no easy-going attitude or laxity in judgement, but only a call to live what they believe. It is in line with what Jesus has been teaching about not judging our neighbor. Let us be very considerate of people outside the Church and be sure our own backyard is clean.

Father Efren A. Tomas, MS



Readings for September 28-29, 2024

1st Reading: Numbers 11: 25-29

Responsorial Psalm 19

2nd Reading: James 5: 1-6

Gospel: Mark 9: 38-43, 45, 47-48

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

In what way am I like the one who stores up treasure?
In what way am I like the one whose wages are withheld? What can I do from my position to properly reflect the lessons Jesus taught?

If a Loved One at home, wishes to do confession and receive communion, please call the office to set up an appointment for one of our Priest.

IS GOD CALLING YOU TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH OR TO COME BACK TO CHURCH AND COMPLETE YOUR SACRAMENTS?

APPLICATIONS ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED AT THE CHURCH OFFICE. PLEASE BRING A COPY OF YOUR BAPTISM CERTIFICATE IF YOU ARE ALREADY BAPTIZED. YOU MAY ALSO INQUIRE BY CALLING THE CHURCH OFFICE AT 808-877-6098.

CLASSES FOR THE UNBAPTIZED ADULTS HAS BEGUN EVERY SATURDAY AT 10AM IN THE HISPANIC ROOM

PRAY FOR THE SICK

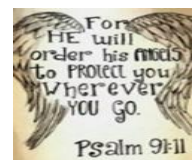


Renee Amor, Darlene Bascar, Joshua Bascar, Lokahi Bissen, Marlon Blando, Josefina Blando, Diosdado Canaveral, Bertha Ching, Dolinda Cortez, Filemon

Cortez, Colette Dang, James Fernandez, John Fernandez, Mark Felipe, Mila Funtanilla, Daniel Ganancial, Jr., Mike Guerrero, Lawrence Hasoso, Lourdes Icat, Sandra Kanemitsu, Maria Lauweilig, Valentina Lindholm, Lisa Manglicmot, Mario Manglicmot, Melvin Manglicmot, Henry Martin, Ilihia Mata Kee-Chong, Mercedes Neri, Daniel Ornellas, Cayetana Paet, Epifania Paet, Ernest John Paet, Jimmy Gabriel Paet, Felicitas Pelino, Chaunsey Pinheiro, Tomas Pulido, Norma Romero, Jeffrey Ruffato, Kathy Sacapanio, Gary Sagayaga, Marina Sagayaga, Al Saimon, Eleanor Sajolan, Marina Sajor, Simeon Salvador, Cru Silva, Crystal Silva, Francis Silva, Angelita "Lita" Soliven, Christine Souza, Espie Tavares, Mary Tom, Rose Marie Tomas, Jessica Tongson, Norma Visitacion, Genealle Agatha Acoba Yanos

Prayers for those in the Military Service Men/Women: Nolan Felipe, Ryan Gaoiran, Robert Garo, Talan Mortejo, Arturo Pedro, Luke Silva. Reilly Kanani

Anyone wishing to submit names must call in every month. *Your mass intention request must be submitted 10 days prior to your requested date.*



PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 10AM MASS

Come and Celebrate Mass as we honor and show our Appreciation to our Priest: Father Efren and Father Anil. Followed by Pot Luck Luncheon in the Hall. Bring your favorite dish to share.

Registration is ongoing for Grades 1-12th for those wanting to complete their sacraments. 1st Time students please bring a copy of your baptism record and birth certificate.



PARISH CALENDAR

SATURDAY, Sept 28

10am OCIA Classes /Hispanic Room

3:30pm Confessions

5pm Mass

SUNDAY, Sept 29

Masses: 6am, 8am, 10am, (12 Noon Hispanic Mass) & 6pm
11am Priesthood Sunday Celebration/Pot Luck / Hall

MONDAY, SEPT 30

6pm Hispanic Mass / Church

TUESDAY, OCT 1

5:30pm WOTC-Hispanic Room

6pm CTKFCC /Parish Hall

WEDNESDAY, OCT 2

6:30pm Faith Formation Classes for Grades 1-5

THURSDAY, OCT 3

6pm Bazaar Committee Mtg/St/ Marianne

6:30pm Faith Formation Classes for Gr. 6-12

FRIDAY, OCT 4

6AM Holy Hour for Vocations

12 Noon Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

5pm Blessing of the Pets/Church Alleyway next to Rectory

6pm Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

SATURDAY, OCT 5

10AM OCIA classes 10 am in the Hispanic Room



BAZAAR NEEDS AND WANTS DONATIONS OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:
Rice, Water, Juice, Corn (gallon size-Costco or

Island Grocery. Please bring these items to the Rectory Garage and notify the office at 808-877-6098



MANY OF YOU ARE NOT REGISTERED AS A PARISHIONER. IT IS HIGHLY ENCOURAGE FOR YOU TO REGISTER SO THAT WE MAY KNOW OF YOU. PLEASE COME TO THE OFFICE TO REGISTER OR WE CAN EMAIL YOU THE APPLICATION. PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE COLLECTION ENVELOPES. FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL THE OFFICE 808-877-6098 DURING BUSINESS HOURS



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4TH AT 5PM. MEET @ THE ST FRANCIS STATUE.



SWEETBREAD FUNDRAISER

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12,
\$7 A LOAF. TICKETS ON SALE AT THE OFFICE. MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY 9AM-3PM. Tickets will be sold at all masses next weekend - October 5 & 6.

OCTOBER THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY



Thursday, October 7th at the Grotto for the Unborn (front of the church)

Family Rosary for America and the Unborn

Beginning October 5-6, at every weekend Mass Rosary will be said ½ an hour before mass.

Ohana in Christ Annual Appeal OCTOBER 5 & 6

A Collection will be taken

YOUR GENEROSITY OVER THE PAST YEARS IS GREATLY APPRECIATED TOWARDS THE ANNUAL APPEAL WHICH IS DIFFERENT FROM THE MONTHLY COLLECTION THAT WE HAVE FROM CHRIST THE KING. FOR 2024 to 2025 OUR DIOCESAN GOAL IS \$31,234.00

Thank You for Your continued support!



YOUTH NIGHT 9/23/2024

Youths from the Altar Server Ministry in training and current ones along with students from Faith Formation gathered in fellowship with Team Building Activities. Since October is the Month of the Rosary, they learned how to pray the Rosary. Couples for Christ gave each student a Rosary to keep. Much Mahalo to Auntie Hariett and Auntie Evelyn for doing their measurements for the albs. Thank You to the Parents & Families who also participated and thank you to Couples for Christ for Facilitating.

Christ the King Church
HISPANIC COMMUNITY

By Father Ornelo Cherrez

Les deseo una Feliz Y bendecida semana

Domingo 29 de Septiembre del 2024. (Semana XXVI del tiempo ordinario).

Hermanas y hermanos, la tolerancia, como virtud social las lecturas de este domingo, van sin embargo en ese sentido. Y debemos decir, sin complejos ni arrogancias, que hay un sentido cristiano de la tolerancia. Así por ejemplo nos enseña el Concilio Vaticano II en su Decreto sobre la Libertad Religiosa, n. 2.

"Declara este Concilio Vaticano que la persona humana tiene derecho a la libertad religiosa. Libertad, que consiste en que todos los hombres han de ser libres de toda coacción por parte de individuos, grupos sociales o cualquier poder humano, de tal modo que en materia religiosa nadie sea obligado a obrar, contra su conciencia, mas que tampoco sea impedido, dentro de los debidos límites, para obrar en conformidad con ella, ya solo ya asociado con otros, tanto privada como públicamente. Declara, además, que el derecho a la libertad religiosa se funda radicalmente en la dignidad misma de la persona humana, tal cual se conoce por la palabra de Dios y por la razón misma. Derecho a la libertad, en la persona humana, que de tal modo ha de ser reconocido en el ordenamiento jurídico de la sociedad que se le considere como un derecho civil.

El Santuario de la Conciencia "Ninguna autoridad humana tiene el derecho de intervenir en la conciencia de ningún hombre. Esta es también testigo de la trascendencia de la persona frente a la sociedad, y, en cuanto tal, es inviolable. Sin embargo, no es algo absoluto, situado por encima de la verdad y el error; es más, su naturaleza íntima implica una relación con la verdad objetiva, universal e igual para todos, la cual todos pueden y deben buscar. En esta relación con la verdad objetiva la libertad de conciencia encuentra su justificación, como condición necesaria para la búsqueda de la verdad digna del hombre y para la adhesión a la misma, cuando ha sido adecuadamente conocida. Esto implica, a su vez, que todos deben respetar la conciencia de cada uno y no tratar de imponer a nadie la propia "verdad", respetando el derecho de profesarla, y sin despreciar por ello a quien piensa de modo diverso. La verdad no se impone sino en virtud de sí misma. "Negar a una persona la plena libertad de conciencia y, en particular, la libertad de buscar la verdad o intentar imponer un modo particular de comprenderla, va contra el derecho más íntimo.

Feliz y bendecida semana.



What is Priesthood Sunday?

Priesthood Sunday is a special day set aside to honor priesthood in the United States. It is a day to reflect upon and affirm the role of the priesthood in the life of the Church as a central one. This nationwide event is coordinated and sponsored by the US Council of Serra International.

When is Priesthood Sunday celebrated?

Priesthood Sunday is celebrated on the last Sunday of September.

Note: Parishes may choose to celebrate Priesthood Sunday on another Sunday when it is convenient for them.

Why is Priesthood Sunday important?

Catholics are invited to observe Vatican-backed worldwide events, namely, [World Day of Prayer for Vocations](#) and [World Day for Consecrated Life](#). In the United States, we also have [National Vocation Awareness Week](#) and [National Catholic Sisters Week](#)

Priesthood Sunday, however, specifically honors priests, without whom the Mass could not be offered, and Sacraments could not be celebrated.

More than the other events listed above, Priesthood Sunday is a more personal one for parishes and organizations with a chaplain. It is for those who cultivate close working relationships with their priests and therefore could benefit from a special day to express their gratitude. It's a chance to thank and honor priests in unique ways.

It is essential to note that **the number of priests and ordinations in the United States has steadily declined in the past 50 years.** Meanwhile, the number of parishes without a resident priest pastor has sharply increased in the same period of time. **The men who answer the call to priesthood are special indeed, and they are working harder than ever before.**



THANK YOU FOR ALL THAT YOU DO FOR OUR PARISH! WE LOVE AND APPRECIATE YOU!

Father Efran & Father Anil &

Father Ornelo!

Thank You Father Pedro for your presence with

US 😊



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SERVED BY THE MISSIONARIES OF OUR LADY OF LA SALETTE

PASTOR: FR. EFREN A TOMAS, M.S. (808) 344-3290

ASSOCIATE PRIEST: FR. ANIL KOCHUTHAZHATH VARGHESE, M.S. (808) 398-8089
(calls taken during office hours only)

DEACONS: Dcn. KENNETH BISSEN, JR. & Dcn. CORNELIO PULIDO

MAUI HISPANIC MINISTRY: REV. ORNOLDO CHERREZ 808.879.4844 Ext. 33

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday | 9am – 3:30pm

BUSINESS/FINANCE MANAGER

Madelyne Pascua

ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY

Mildred Chargualaf

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLERK

Shirley Kusuno

CHRIST THE KING

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

808.877.3587

DIRECTOR:

Carole Arakawa

SCHOOL BOARD CHAIRPERSON

Rodney Ching

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM

Baptism Classes are held on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 6pm in the parish hall. Parents and main Godparents must attend these classes. Please call the parish office to register before attending classes.

WEDDINGS

Couples are to begin the process of personal interviews and Marriage Preparation Programs with the priest/deacon at least six (6) months before the desired wedding date. Please call the office for an interview.

CONFESSIONS

Confessions are heard on Saturdays from 3:30 – 4:00pm, or you may call the parish office to schedule an appointment.

FUNERALS

Please call the parish office before making plans with the mortuary.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP – Lucy Peros

Contact Lucy Peros:

lucyperos@yahoo.com

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5pm

Sunday: 6am, 8am, 10am & 6pm

Hispanic Mass: 12noon

First Sunday of the Month: Visayan Mass 7:30pm

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday through Friday: 7am

HOLY DAY MASS

7am & 6:30pm

WEEKDAY MORNING PRAYERS

Divine Mercy Chaplet: Monday-Friday after morning mass

Monday, Tuesday, Friday -Rosary at 6:30am

Wednesday: Our Lady of Perpetual Help at 6:30 am

Thursday: Our Lady of La Salette at 6:30 am

First Friday: 6am Holy Hour for Vocations

12 Noon – 6pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

MINISTRY & ORGANIZATION

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Chairperson: Dionie Cabias

Vice Chairperson: Juliet Calpo

Secretary: Kat Virgino-Ortoger

WORSHIP COMMISSION

Chair: Carol Ursua, Co-Chair: Ester Felipe

Extraordinary Ministers

Ushers/Usherette Ministry

Lector Ministry

Music Ministry

Altar Server Ministry

EVANGELIZATION COMMISSION

Sr. Angela Laurenzo/Safe Environment

Faith Formation/Confirmation

Grades 1- 8, High School

Pre-Jordan/Pre Cana/OCIA

Fr. Anil Varghese/Adult Communion & Confirmation

Couples for Christ: Dec Torricer

Deacon Cornelio Pulido, Our Lady of Manaoag

Deacon Kenneth L. Bissen, Jr., Prayer Group

Men & Women of the Cross- Dr. Gloria Rongcal

TEMPORALITIES/FINANCE COMMISSION

Building & Grounds

Finance Committee – Rose Inamasu

Parish Annual Bazaar

Stewardship Committee: Dionie Cabias

SERVICE COMMISSION

Chair: Fr. Anil Kochuthazhath Varghese, MS

Co-Chair: Valdyn Sakai

Bereavement Committee

Documentation & Publishing

Food Pantry

Grief Support

Homebound Ministry

Ministry to Persons in Care Facility

Outreach Networking Ministry

Respect Life

Social Media Ministry

Spiritual & Mental Health Ministry

Deacon Kenneth L. Bissen Jr. & Dr. Charmaine Bissen

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Father Anil Varghese, MS

ORGANIZATIONS

Assumpta Choir – Richard Gaoiran

Cancer Ministry - Dionie Cabias

CTK Filipino Catholic – Merlina Valdez

CTK Marian Choir - Paul Pigao

Hispanic Community – Pepe Vega

Knights of Columbus – Leo Agcolico

PASIFIKA EHU (Micronesian Community)– Al Saimon

Sacred Hearts Society

Santo Nino Club of Maui-Theresa Malapira

Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet & Ohana

St. Peter Chanel Choir (Sangato Petelo Sanele)

Tongan Community – Noa Siua

