



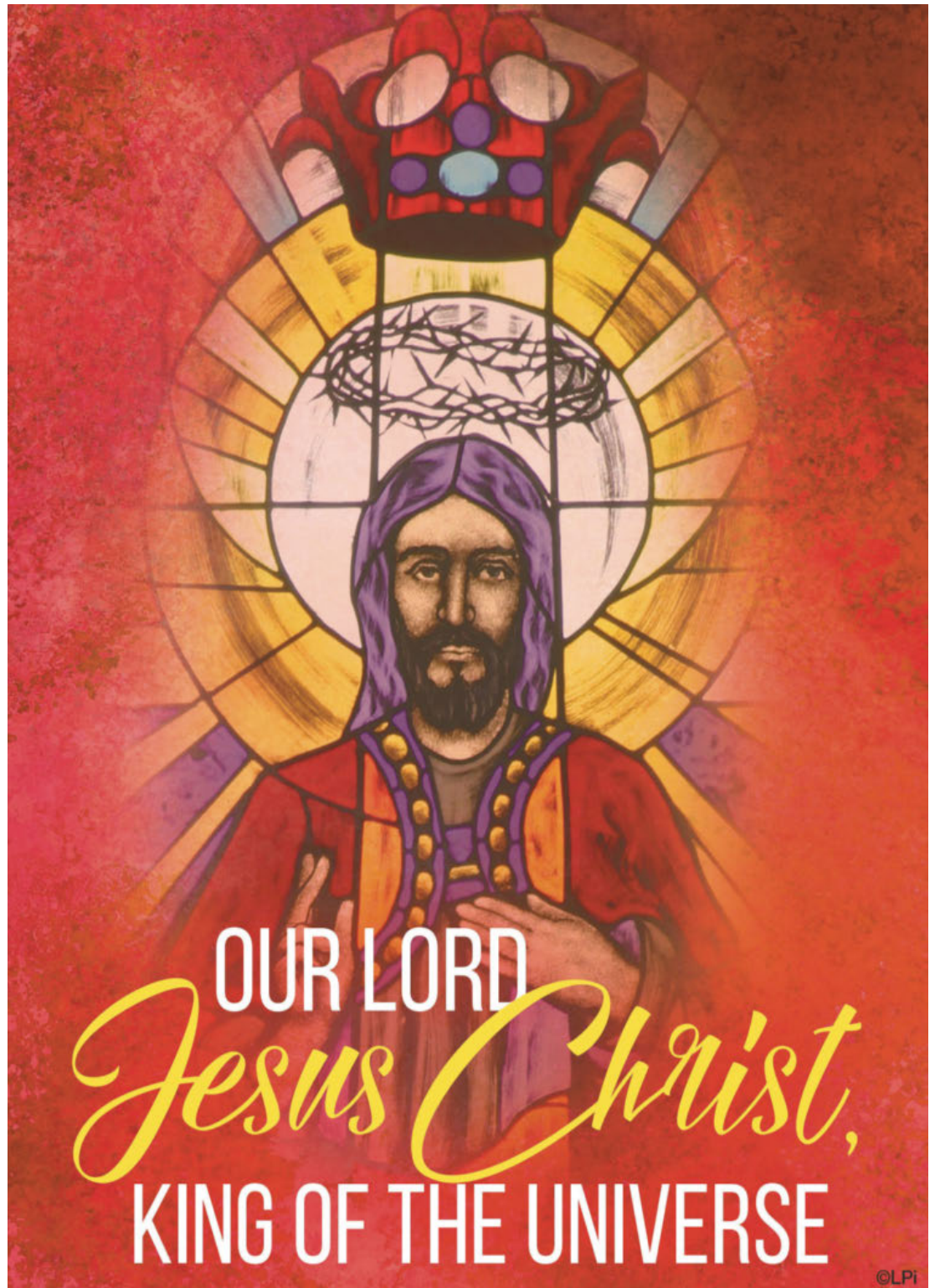
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Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

November 24, 2024

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A Just Harvest serves a hot lunch every day. FHC donates the meal served on the SECOND THURSDAY of each month. Please scan the QR Code to sign up for FOOD DONATIONS.

NON-PERISHABLES may be dropped in the AJH bin in the Bell Tower (open M-F, 7a-3p) any time BEFORE the WEDNESDAY preceding the SECOND THURSDAY of the month.

PERISHABLES MUST BE LEFT in the bin ON THAT WEDNESDAY BY 7:30am to ensure they're usable when delivered that morning to the AJH kitchen.

VOLUNTEERS are also needed to SERVE the FHC lunch on that SECOND THURSDAY of each month. Volunteers are asked to be at AJH from 11:15 to 2:30 to help with set-up, lunch, and clean-up. Lunch is served 12-2. Each server is asked to bring 2-3 gallons of whole or 2% milk. Please use the SignUp below to volunteer.

The next donation date is WEDNESDAY, November 13, for the lunch that will be served on THURSDAY, November 14.

AJH also runs a pantry, providing food to roughly 175 households every week. Donations of NON-PERISHABLES are always welcome and may be put in the Bell Tower bin. Suggested: canned chicken, tuna, fruit and vegetables; cereal, rice, pasta.

Please contact Pam (pmpilgrim@comcast.net) or John (jmcenroe561@comcast.net) McEnroe with questions.

Sign up by scanning the QR code or by going to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0D49AAAE2EA75-ajustharvest#/>



SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS

Parishioners: Conor Carroll, Kevin Kenny, Max Bennett Fifer, Mary Ferguson, Tina Johnston, Matthew Morgan, Michele Bialobok, Bill McClintic, Patsy Callahan, Catherine Phelps, Andy Hick, Mary Fran Burke, Charie MacDonald, Tamara Tangney, Nancy Semerdjian, Cecilia Milotti, Gracie Iberle, Cullen Wishnow, Kayde Roberson, Dr. Peter Roberson, Bob Seebeck, Debbie Buck.

Relatives & Friends: Miriam Kowalewski, Bruno Babiniec, Bernadette Turegano, Elizabeth Grace Molenda, Diane Meinke, Paul Glasser, Rick O'Donnell, John Minielly, Greg Edwards, Elizabeth Timm Preston, Braden Mattei, John Pratt, Jean Kalish, David Pemberton, Virginia Butler, Shayla Senesak, Don Kohlfeld, Thomas Chandle, Carole Herson, Christopher Johnston, Philip Hall, Brian McCann, Anne Marie Adreani, Rowan Collier, Lyn Law, James Anderson, Patricia Nickol, Sue-Gray Goller, George Pokhriyal, Viktoria Lozynska, Kaylee Southern, Jean Wilson, Barbara Byrne, Carolyn Riley, Madeline Chiodo, Sharon Saltz, Rosie Dee, Sarah Patzer, Ron Mace, Jimmy Harrigan, Tina Johnston, Jeanie Egmon, Stephanie DeBuoy, Fred Sontheimer, John McGuinness, Carmine Rende, Heather Tangney, Jo Ann Tousignant, Joseph Felicelli, Bennett Hatfield, Loyola Draine, Kathleen Leppert, Carrol Buccilla, Dorothy Alexander, Patrick Stanton, Daniel Stanton, Dan Douglas, Lisa Bruno.

REST IN PEACE

Thomas Donahoe

Andy Cavallari, *husband of Judy Cavallari*
May the faithful departed rest in peace.

WEDDING BANNES

Pamela Enriquez & Scott Dates II

BAPTISMS

Grace Jane, *daughter of Daniel & Megan Persa*
Blair Cheryl, *daughter of Daniel & Megan Persa*



**Join us for Thanksgiving Day Mass
at 7:00am and 10:00am.**

Readings for the week of November 24, 2024

Sunday: Dn 7:13-14/Ps 91:1, 1-2, 5 (1a)/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37
Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13/Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 7-8, 9/Lk 21:12-19
Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 21:20-28
Friday: Rv 20:1-4, 11-21:2/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a/Lk 21:29-33
Saturday: Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 4:18-22
Next Sunday: Jer 33:14-16/Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14 (1b)/1 Thes 3:12-4:2/Lk 21:25-28, 34-3

Looking for a few helpers or families to help with our monthly Sunday Socials. These coffee and donut gatherings are scheduled on the Sundays of the Children's Mass Liturgy. Coffee and donuts are provided. Our schedule for this year is:

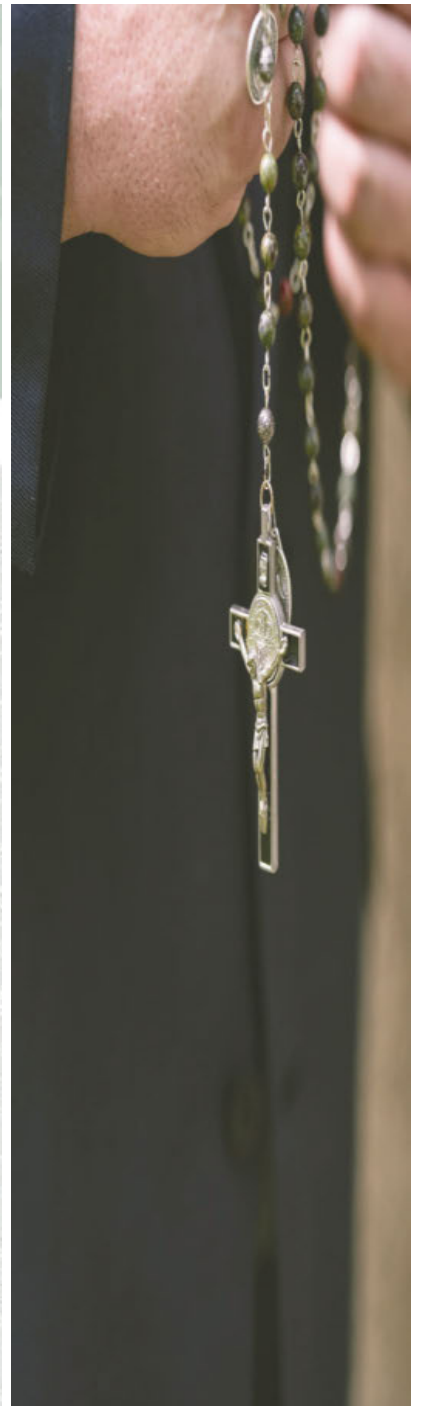


Dec. 15, Feb. 9, March 9, April 6 and May 18.

If you would like to help us with one or two of these dates or would like more info, please contact Susan Marren (847) 651-6331, Colette Wetzal (847)987-5719 or Sarah Ryan (847)446-7646.



Usher volunteers needed, especially at the 7:30am Mass. If you'd like to help, please contact the parish office.



The weekend of November 30/December 1 is the first weekend of Advent.

Beginning Thanksgiving morning, in the southwest corner of our Church (next to the Marian Shrine), there will be a large Christmas tree. On the tree will be paper ornaments with gift ideas to help those in need this holiday season.

The ornaments will reflect giving that can range from gifts of hats or mittens to the commitment to provide gifts for 2 or 3 members of a family. Hopefully, this wide array of choices will encourage some of our youngsters to take part in this effort to brighten the holidays for those in need.

The goal is for the tree to be bare by the end of the weekend.

ALL GIFTS ARE TO BE RETURNED BY THE WEEKEND OF DECEMBER 14/15 so that they may be delivered locally in time for Christmas.



A Blue Angel

Adopt-a-family for Madonna Mission

A not-for-profit organization providing education and resettlement support programs for refugee individuals and their families in Chicago. Envelopes containing family information and gift ideas **MUST** be signed out at the table next to the tree the weekend of Thanksgiving. Gifts should be returned to the Parish Center lobby by December 15.



A Red Christmas Lightbulb

St. James

\$50 Target gift cards for St. James families. All cards should be returned to the lock box in the Parish Center lobby by December 15.



A Green Mitten

St. Thomas of Canterbury / St. Ita

Gloves, hats, socks, underwear, sweaters and fleeces for men, women, and children to be distributed at the food pantry at St. Thomas / St. Ita Parish. All items should be returned to the marked bins in the Parish Center lobby by December 15.



A Yellow Ornament

The Courage Program

Toys for children newborn to age 14 of single moms on the southwest side of the city and adjoining suburbs. All unwrapped toys should be returned to the marked bin in the Parish Center lobby by December 15.



A Brown Gingerbread Man

Jewel Gift Cards

To help feed families at both St. James & St. Thomas / St. Ita Parishes. Click on the QR code to donate online via [GiveCentral](#) any amount or drop a check payable to FHC for bulk purchase and return to the Rectory by December 15.

USE THE QR CODE TO DONATE FOR JEWEL GIFT CARDS





FHC WOMEN'S GUILD

Soup for Homeless

WEDNESDAY 9:00-10:00AM

BRING APRON, CUTTING BOARD
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THE INGREDIENTS FOR SOUP.

THURSDAY 7:30-9:00AM

BRING APRON. BE PREPARED TO
HEAT AND DELIVER THE SOUP.

Dates 2024
Dec. 11 & 12

Dates 2025
Jan. 8 & 9
Feb. 12 & 13
Mar. 12 & 13
April 9 & 10

Parish Center Kitchen - Sign Up Genius for Registration



SOLEMN VESPERS

For the season of Advent

Thursdays at 7pm

December 5 - Fr. Mario

December 12 - Fr. Anderson

December 19 - Bishop Grob



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December 6, 2024 | 10am-2pm



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- Organize a high top for 6-8 people
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- \$100 per table.

RSVP AS A SINGLE:

- We will place you at a Community Table. The Guild will provide nibbles and beverages
- \$25 per member single
- \$35 per nonmember single

RSVP FOR PROGRAM ONLY:

- Attend the program ONLY - NO SOCIAL. Both Men & Women Welcome
- \$10 per person

EVENT TO BENEFIT OUR FRIENDS AT:



SOLD OUT

FHC Women's Guild
Advent Candlelight
December 10, 2024

The Women's Guild invites you to a faith-filled evening of Speakers, Christmas Carols & Community

6:30 - 7:30 pm Program in Church
7:30 - 10:00 pm Social in Parish Center

This year's Advent Candlelight program will begin in the church where attendees will be gifted with stories from inspiring speakers and the merry sounds of Christmas carols. After the program, the Advent Evening continues in the Parish Center. Please scan the QR code to reserve your spot at a community table OR to RSVP for the program only.



Scan the QR Code to Register via Signup Genius

QUESTIONS?

Contact Elisa Kline at elewiskline@comcast.net or Michelle Nelson at izzynelson1@aol.com

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Retreat Leader: Fr. Michael Graham, SJ

Former Xavier University President (2001-2021); collaborator in the area of Jesuit Mission and Identity; ordained in 1988; entered the Jesuits in 1978.



**For more information,
contact:**

**John Iberle
708-525-2460**

To register for this retreat, scan the QR Code
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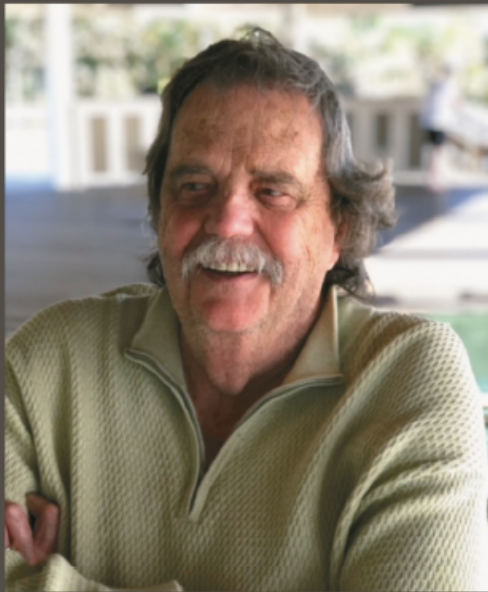


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Questions? Contact Judy Murphy @ 224-392-936 / firstfridayclubchicago.org

Welcome to

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We are enriched by the growing diversity of our parish family.
Please call the Parish Office for registration information.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 23

8:00 Millie Rueve
5:00 Jim White / Bob McKenna

Sunday, November 24

7:30 Catherine Elizabeth Lee, Anniv. / Joseph & Margaret Muscarelle
9:00 Rosemary & William Griffin
10:30 FitzSimons Family & Julie Reynolds Shaw / Robert D. Peterson
5:00 Chase Curtis

Monday, November 25

7:00 Jim Prindiville / Richard Vito / Robert Sanborn

Tuesday, November 26

7:00 A Special Intention for Jack Gallagher /
Members of the Mal Flanagan Family

Wednesday, November 27

7:00 Patrick McTigue / Doug Cooke

Thursday, November 28

7:00 Jim O'Sullivan, III / William Goodrich / A Special Intention
10:00 Deceased Members of the Crane Family / Celia Kanzer /
Dr. Malachi Flanagan, Peter Flanagan & Mal Flanagan /
Jim Connolly

Friday, November 29

7:00 Deceased Members of the Kleiderer & Lannan Families /
Thomas & Marilyn Mints / Rev. Aidan Keane

Saturday, November 30

8:00 Lewis Acott / Matthew Zapf, Jr.
5:00 Dodi Dwyer & Kel Brennan / Quinn & Snowy Stepan

Sunday, December 1

7:30 Franklin Sexton, Jr. / Jim Prindiville
9:00 A Special Intention of Thanksgiving
10:30 Blair Lawlor, Anniv. / Maureen Curry
5:00 Bob & Bev Lorey

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- To contact the parish office by email, please email parishoffice@faithhope.org.
- To contact a staff member by email, use the initial of their first name, their full last name followed by @faithhope.org.
- All announcements for the weekend Masses must be submitted by 3 pm the Thursday prior to the weekend.

Schedule of Weekly Masses

Saturday: 5:00 pm (*Vigil Mass*)
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am & 5:00 pm
Monday - Friday (except Wednesdays): 7:00 am
Saturday: 8:00am

Holy Day Mass Schedule

Please consult the website or contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 8:30 am - 9:00 am in Church

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8:45 am - 4:30 pm

Rosary

6:30 am and After the 7am Mass. All are welcome!

Adoration

Fridays until 9:30am

First Friday of the Month Adoration

Begins after the 7am Mass.

Next Weekend's Schedule - November 30 & December 1, 2024 (*)Preaching

Liturgy	Sat - 5pm	Sun - 7:30am	Sun - 9:00am	Sun - 10:30am	5:00pm
Celebrant	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD



Healing people connects us to God's love in a powerful way. The place we see Jesus face to face on earth today is in each other. Be someone who HEALS:

- H** here - make time and be here when they need you. Presence is a gift.
- E** empathetic- do your best to understand how someone is feeling and let their pain touch you.
- A** accepting- no judgment or trying to change someone or tell them how to think or feel.
- L** listen- focus on what they have to say and share and listen to the stories again and again.

When people are *here for us, empathetic, accepting and listening*, God works through them to bring us the healing that we need.

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