

**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, November 20, 2022
Solemnidad De Cristo Rey, 20 de Noviembre de 2022**



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OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

He said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied to him, "Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."
- Lk 23:42-43

NUESTRO SEÑOR JESUCRISTO, REY DEL UNIVERSO

Le decía a Jesús: "Señor, cuando llegues a tu Reino, acuérdate de mí". Jesús le respondió: "Yo te aseguro que hoy estarás conmigo en el paraíso".
- Lc 23, 42-43

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**LITURGY - NO THANKSGIVING EVE MASS, WEDNESDAY, 11/23
NO DAILY MASS, THURSDAY, 11/24 & FRIDAY, 11/25**

Public Weekend Masses—In Church

Saturday: 5 PM English—Livestreamed
Sunday: 8:30 AM Spanish
10:30 AM English—Livestreamed

Public Weekday Masses—In Church

Tuesday 11/22: **Pray the Rosary, NO MASS** 7 PM Spanish
Wednesday 11/23: **NO MASS** - 9 AM English
Thursday 11/24: **NO MASS** - 9 AM English
Friday 11/25: **NO MASS** - 9 AM English
1st Friday & Adoration: 8 AM-Adoration
8:30 AM-Rosary
9 AM-Mass
Adoration ends at 11 AM

All weekday Masses are also livestreamed

Adoration

Tuesday: 5 PM—6:45 PM
Friday: 9:30 AM—11 AM

Anointing of the Sick

First Friday of the month, or by appointment.

Confessions

Tuesday 11/22: **No Confessions** 6 PM—6:45 PM
Friday 11/25: **No Confessions** 9:30 AM—10:15 AM
Saturday: 4 PM—4:50 PM
Sunday: 7:30 AM—8:20 AM

Parish Office Hours

Monday—Thursday: 9 AM—2 PM
Friday: 9 AM—Noon
Saturday & Sunday: Closed
All major holidays: **Closed -11/24 & 11/25**

LIVE THE LITURGY

INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Our king hangs on a cross. Onlookers saw this as the final defeat of a fool who many saw as an insurrectionist. They laughed at him and challenged his kingship by looking for proof: Save yourself! Historically, earthly kings are influential figures wielding significant power over the quality of their subjects' lives. Where is Jesus' power? Slowly fading away, he's a failure in many eyes. Brokenness and vulnerability are often seen as failures. Something went wrong and exposed us, revealing our fragile and sometimes incorrect selves to others. Yet, what appears at first to be shameful is really a golden key to life. It is only when vulnerable that we learn how to love genuinely. Marking what seems the end of a failed mission, Jesus Christ our King hangs before us as the vulnerable, wounded key to God's infinite love and life. The kingdoms of this world pass away. Jesus hangs as our king of a world that never ends. When we are vulnerable and broken in death, we fall into the fullness of Christ and are made one with him. This is more than any earthly king can promise and is the salvation we seek.



Let us
go with
joy
to the
house
of the
Lord.

PSALM 122

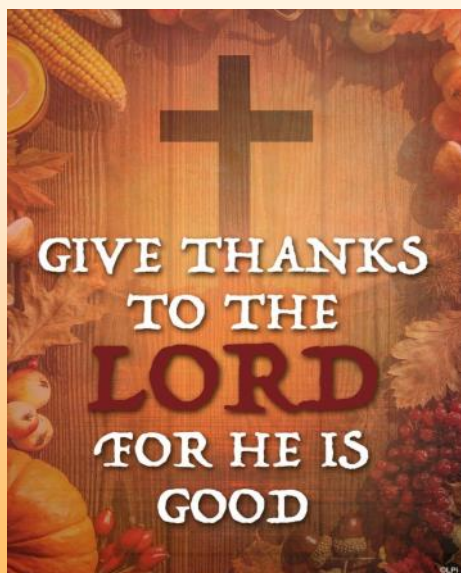
The rulers sneered at Jesus and said, "He saved others, let him save himself if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God." Even the soldiers jeered at him. As they approached to offer him wine they called out, "If you are King of the Jews, save yourself."

- Lk 23:35-37

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GIVE THANKS
TO THE
LORD
FOR HE IS
GOOD

THANKSGIVING
BLESSINGS

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EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

Recognize God In Your Ordinary Moments

Is Christ King in Our Hearts?

When you think of a king, who is the first person to pop into your head? It may depend on how much history you know, or which historical period intrigues you the most. As Americans, the first person we might think of is King George III, whose reign has become synonymous in our national lore with the concept of tyranny.

We don't have much familiarity with kingship in modern American society. Kings tend to make us uneasy. Presidents, on the other hand — we can handle those, because we know we are a president's boss. No matter how much power he has, we are the electorate. We are the source of that power. We're comfortable with this arrangement.

But with kings it is profoundly different. Traditionally, the king derives his power from God. His rule bridges humanity with the divine.

We should reflect carefully on whether or not we have made Jesus Christ king in our hearts, or whether we regard him as a president. The difference isn't just one of titles, it's one of roles. Subjects do not demand anything of a king. They beseech. They entreat. They submit, and they accept.

Do we demand of Christ, or do we beseech? Do we tolerate God's edicts with grumbling, or do we embrace His word as the means of our reconciliation with Him?

The "good thief" treated Christ as a king. His counterpart treated him as a president. And it's worth remembering that Jesus Christ is not the President of the Universe.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

WELCOME TO ST. THOMAS PARISH!

Thank you for celebrating with us today. We invite you to come and worship with us again. If you would like to be a member of our faith community, please take a moment to register. We would love to have you as our spiritual companion.

BIENVENIDOS A LA PARROQUIA DE SANTO TOMÁS!

Gracias por celebrar con nosotros. Les damos una cordial invitación para celebrar la santa misa cada domingo con nosotros. Si usted desea ser un miembro de nuestra comunidad de fe, por favor llene el formulario de registro. Nos encantaría contar con usted como miembro de nuestra familia.

THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

INTENCIONES DE LA MISA DE ESTA SEMANA

Sunday, November 20,

Monday, November 21
No Mass

Tuesday, November 22, 7 PM
Rosary tonight, No Mass

Wednesday, November 23, 9 AM
NO Thanksgiving Eve Mass

Thursday, November 24, 9 AM
NO Daily Mass

Friday, November 25, 9 AM
NO Daily Mass

Saturday, November 26, 5 PM
† Anthony & Phyl Fernandes (by Mona Fonseca)

**SOLEMNIDAD DE NUESTRO SEÑOR
JESUCRISTO REY DEL UNIVERSO**

**¡BENDITO EL QUE VIENE EN EL
NOMBRE DEL SEÑOR!
¡BENDITO EL REINO QUE LLEGA, EL
REINO DE NUESTRO PADRE DAVID!**



ANUNCIOS

**-03-11 DE DICIEMBRE: NOVENA DE ROSARIOS
PARA LA VIRGEN DE GUADALUPE, 7:00pm**

**-08 DE DICIEMBRE: SOLEMNIDAD INMACULADA
CONCEPCION DE LA SANTISIMA VIRGEN MARIA.
MISA 700pm (MISA DE PRECEPTO)**

**-12 DE DICIEMBRE: CELEBRACION DE LA VIRGEN
DE GUADALUPE.
MANANITAS 5:00am
MISA 6:00am
DESAYUNO 7:00am**

**CELEBRACION POR LA TARDE
ROSARIO 5:00pm
MISA 7:00pm**

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS
WEEK, ALL THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR OUR
PRAYERS:**

FOR THE SICK: We remember especially: Judy Lund, Joan King, Martha Hickman

FOR THE DEAD: Please pray for our beloved deceased Ron Guy, John Legitt and Joan Meryhew. May the Lord receive him unto Himself giving strength, comfort, and peace to their families and our parish community.

OUR FINANCIAL GIFTS

November 5th and November 6th, 2022

Saturday & Sunday English Masses.....\$4,603.21
Sunday & Tuesday Spanish Masses.....\$1,915.61
Weekly Online Stewardship.....\$1,794.44
Maintenance Fund /
Fondo de Mantenimiento.....\$220.00

**Total Donation /
Donación Total.....\$8,533.26**

Thank you for your generosity!

BAUTISMOS: Cada PRIMER DOMINGO del mes.
Para mas información favor de llamar a la oficina.

PRESENTACIONES: Cada ULTIMO DOMINGO del mes. Favor
de llamar a la oficina primero

CONFESIONES: Todos los Domingos de 7:30 am
8:20 AM
Todos los Martes de 6:00 a
6:45 PM

CLASES PREMATRIMONIALES
Mas información, favor de llamar a Gabriel y Átala Olivas al
numero. (206) 909—4944

Bulletin Notices: *The article deadline is 12 PM (Noon) on the Friday* a week before the weekend you wish it to appear (8 days in advance). Notices about parish events or items of interest to the parish are welcome, however posting cannot be guaranteed. Email bulletin articles/notices to : michellem@sainthomastukwila.org