

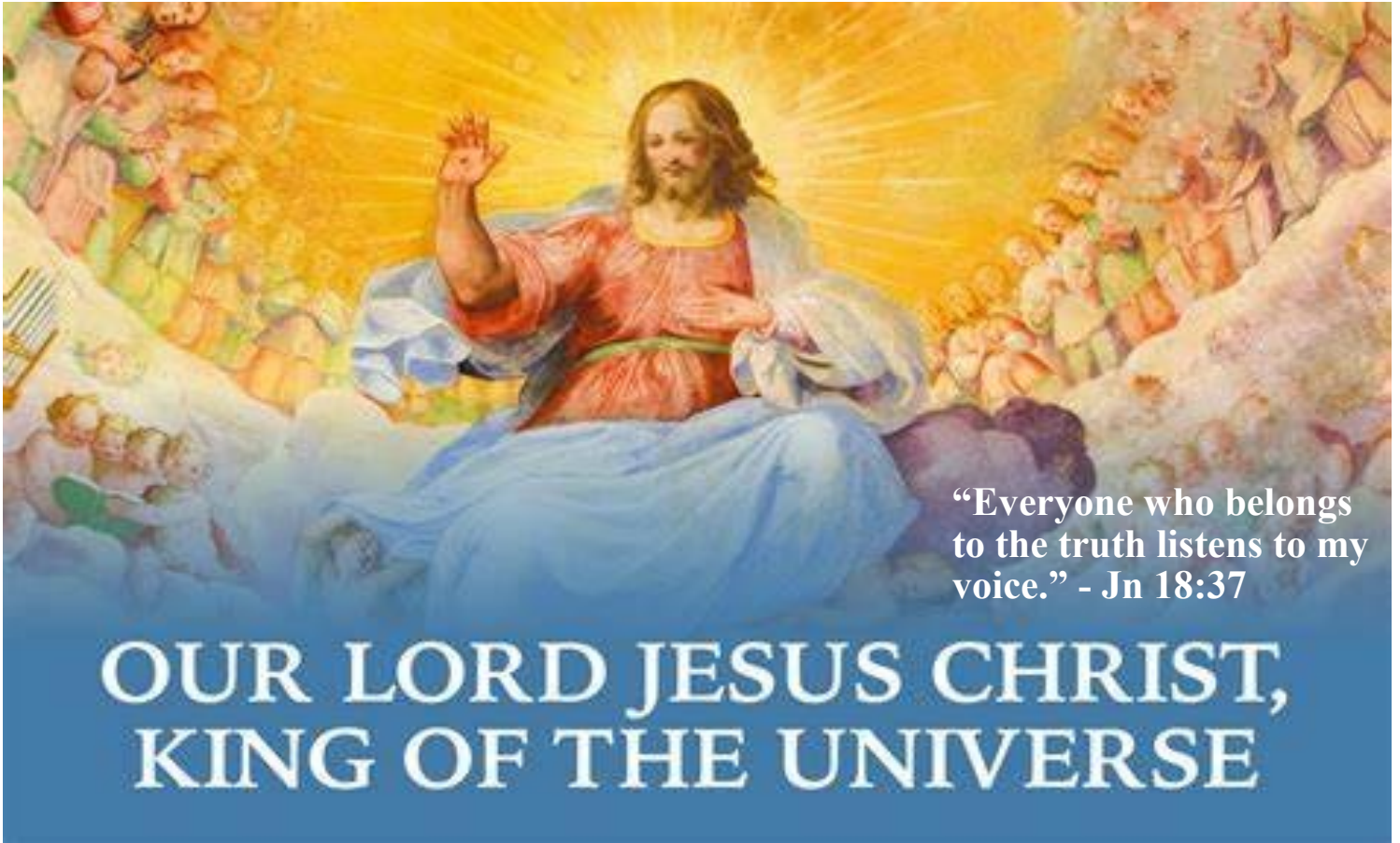


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Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe •

November 24, 2024



“Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.” - Jn 18:37

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OUR PARISH MISSION

We are a dynamic faith community, truthful to Catholic teaching, spiritually nourishing, united in the Eucharist, reaching out and accompanying one another through engaging ministries, witnessing the gospel through the example of our lives.



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1212 S. 117th Street

MASS TIMES:

Saturday: 4:00 pm (MPH West)
Sunday: 8:30 am, 10:30 am,
7:00 pm (MPH East)
Weekdays: 8:00 am (MPH East)
Monday, Wednesday,
Friday, and First
Saturdays

SCHOOL YEAR WEEKDAY MASS:
Tuesdays 8:00 am (MPH West)

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8:30 - 4:30 pm Monday - Thursday
8:30 - 1:00 pm Friday



Thanksgiving Mass - Thursday, November 28th at 8:30 am

No Eucharistic Adoration on Thursday, November 28th

Parish office will be closed November 28th and 29th for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

MASS INTENTIONS



Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2024

4:00 PM † Michael Iannantuoni
(West Site)

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2024

8:30 AM † Dave Sr. and † Eleanore Shook (East Site)

10:30 AM Living and Deceased Members of our Parish (East Site)

7:00 PM Living and Deceased Members of the Martinez and Medrano Families (East Site)

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2024

8:00 AM † Jackie Daveley (East Site)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2024

8:00 AM † Edward Holzem (West Site)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2024

8:00 AM † Jennifer L. White (East Site)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2024

Thanksgiving Day

8:30 AM † Beth Varela

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2024

8:00 AM † Rose Marie Hauser (East Site)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2024

4:00 PM † Robert Breitzman (West Site)

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP



The Mary Candle at 106th St. Site is burning this month

In Loving Memory of J. Trinidad Sanchez

The Chapel Candle at 106th St. Site is burning this month

In Loving Memory of Deacon Gene Brah



REFLECTIONS FROM FR. MATTHEW

“My Kingdom does not belong to this world” (John 18:36)

This Sunday is the last Sunday of the Church’s Liturgical year. On this Sunday we celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King, a Feast instituted by Pope Pius XI in 1925, celebrating Jesus’ kingship over the entire universe. Through the readings from Daniel, Revelation, and the Gospel, we are reminded of Jesus’ unique kingship that differs from earthly rulers.

In the first reading we hear the vision of **Daniel** (7:13-14) “one like a Son of man” coming with the clouds of heaven. This figure receives all authority, glory, and a kingdom that will never end. This vision points to Jesus and His eternal kingship. This universal reign of Christ includes everyone. Jesus invites all of us into His kingdom, regardless of our background. His kingship is for everyone who believes and follows Him.

In the gospel we see Jesus under trial in front of Pilate and his questioning of Jesus as King. But Jesus makes it very clear that His Kingdom is not of this world. Jesus is king, but not the kind of king we imagine or expect. Jesus’ kingdom is different from any earthly kingdom. Earthly kings come and go, but Jesus’ rule is everlasting. He has all power and authority given by God. His Kingship is very different from our idea of Kingship. His idea of power is very different from ours. His idea of kingship is of service, humility and vulnerability.

This feast invites us to reflect if Jesus is truly the King of our lives. Jesus must be the ruler of every part of our lives—family, work, personal, intellectual, and physical. He becomes the ruler of lives when we fully commit to Jesus, not just in some areas, but in all aspects. We have to make Jesus the center of our lives and not just give Him lip service. Today’s Feast encourages us to make a true and total commitment to Christ as our King.

In baptism we are anointed to share Jesus’s office as king. As such we are called to enact service and justice to others. Each of our relationships presents an opportunity to live Jesus’s example based not on power but on self-giving. Power to serve others with humility and bring about Jesus’s dream of establishing His kingdom in our small corners of the world.

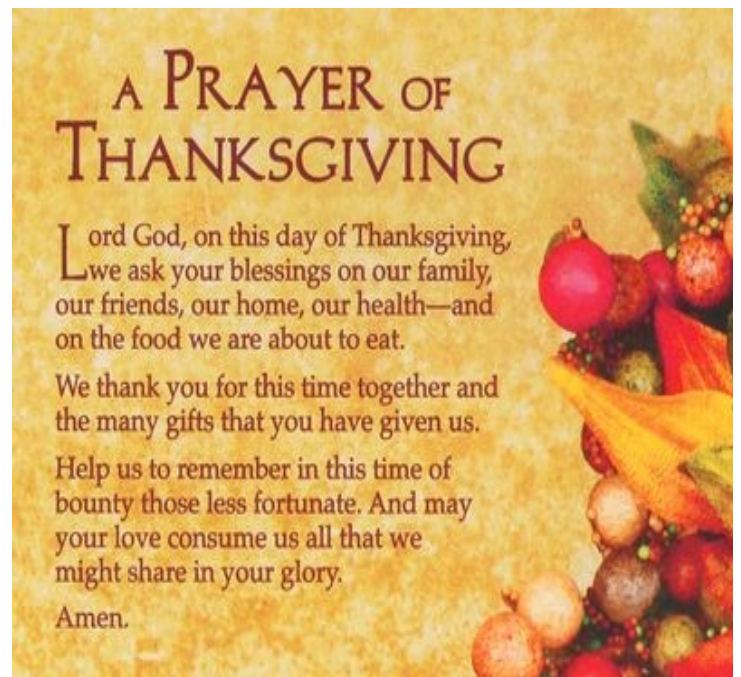


Eucharistic Revival

As we celebrate the Feast of Christ the King, let us embrace the reign of Jesus in every part of our lives, and let us hold fast to the promise that he will come again in power and great glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

“There He is: King of Kings and Lord of Lords, hidden in the bread. To this extreme has He humbled Himself for love of you.”

- St Josemaria Escriva



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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, 34-36



SENIOR MINISTRY

Director: Sr. Lincy Augustine, SJT
pastoral@mphwa.org

Mission Moments

A desperate son called the Ministers of Care (Senior Ministry Team) visiting his 95-year-old mother explaining that it was no longer safe for his mom to live in her home but she was unwilling to consider a move. The son asked for help in speaking to his mother. The parishioner had lived in the house for 65 years and was distraught over the thought of moving. The team sat with the parishioner and listened to her concerns. Sr. Lincy shared a story about how the sisters are called to go where they are told and they came to the USA, a whole new country, with nothing but one suitcase. ***The three prayed together about the situation.*** Later that evening the mother called the son and told him she was ready to move. She has since moved to a place that can properly support her and she is thriving. She shared with the senior ministry visitors that she has “no time now” because she is so busy now with all of her new friends and Bingo!

PUSH- Pray Until Something Happens!

Thanksgiving Luncheon for Our Seniors
is on Tuesday, November 26th
at St. Camillus (11:30 am—2:00 pm)



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Director: Sr. Vita Lobo, SJT 414-595-7052
faith@mphwa.org

Loving God;
 We turn our hearts to You on this day for giving thanks, mindful of Your many gifts. For each one, we are grateful. For each one we are blessed. For each one we are opened to the abundance of Your love. May this Thanksgiving offer us a reminder to be generous with others, as You are with us. We praise You. We rejoice in You. We give You Thanks. - Amen



May God fill your heart and bless your home with peace and lasting

December Classes are:
Sunday, December 1
Sunday, December 8
Sunday, December 15
(Family Day— 9:00 am
Breakfast with Jesus concludes with 10:30 am Mass)

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Angel Trees

Tags on the Trees at both Sites
 November 9-
 December 8

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CHRISTMAS COOKIES for our SENIOR HOMEBOUND FAMILIES

November 23/24 – Those registered as contacts for the Human Concerns Committee-A.R.K.PROJECT “Christmas Cookies for the Homebound” event please pick up your cookies **after mass today!!** Late pickup is available at the office during regular office hours until November 27 or by request. Any questions call Beth at (414)545-1518 or the office at (414)453-5192.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY, November 24, 2024

Ham and Roll Sale after Masses

MONDAY, November 25, 2024

9:00 AM Sheepshead - PC 9 (106 St.)
 5:30 PM MPH SVDP Meeting - BH (116 St.)
 6:45 PM Evening Prayer - Church (106 St.)

TUESDAY, November 26, 2024

11:30 AM Thanksgiving Luncheon - St. Camillus
 6:45 PM Evening Prayer & Rosary - Church (106 St.)

WEDNESDAY, November 27, 2024

8:45 AM Scripture Study - ND (106 St.)
 9:00 AM MPH Helping Hands - BH (116 St.)
 9-11 AM MPH Food Pantry - BH (116 St.)
 9:00 AM Sheepshead - PC 9 (106 St.)
 6:45 PM Evening Prayer - Church (106 St.)

THURSDAY, November 28, 2024

Thanksgiving Day

Parish Office Closed

No Eucharistic Adoration

6:45 PM Evening Prayer - Church (106 St.)

FRIDAY, November 29, 2024

Parish Office Closed

2:00 PM Crossroads kitchen food Prep/Serve
 2:00 PM Crossroads cupcake drop-off
 6:45 PM Evening Prayer and Chaplet of Divine Mercy - Church (106 St.)

SATURDAY, November 30, 2024

7:00 AM Men's Scripture Study - ND (106 St.)
 9:30-11:30 AM MPH Food Pantry - BH (116 St.)

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HUMAN CONCERNS/OUTREACH

Director: Kathy Smith 414-453-5192 ext. 125
Kathy@mphwa.org.



Our **ANGEL TREES** for:
Coats for
FR. GENE'S HELP CENTER
and **Toys** for the
CAPUCHIN COMMUNITY SERVICES,
will be up for all of November
Thank you in advance for your
generosity!

St. Ben's Community Meal

DECEMBER dates:

*Serving Monday, Dec. 16, 4pm carpool 106th
Sandwich Making/Bagging Thursday the 19th at
8AM at 106th Kitchen*

*Food Delivery Thursday 8-9:30 AM or
2-3:00 PM to 106th Kitchen*

Contact Kathy: to donate/serve

Questions/volunteer:

Kathy Smith 414-453-5192x125 or kathy@mphwa.org
Blessings to all who help with this ministry!

Cookie Baking

Wednesday, December 4th

Parish Center (106 St. Site)

9:00 am - ?

If you would like to help us, bring a batch of your favorite cut out dough and we will roll, cut out, bake and put icing on them. (We will furnish the icing.) These cookies will be added to the MPH Cookie Sale. Any questions call 262-786-9542.

Please bring a bag lunch and have some fun!



MPH Ministries—DID YOU KNOW?

Sharing Food is one of our largest & most important ministries

The MPH St. Vincent de Paul Conference:

- Runs a **Food Pantry** out of our Bethany Outreach Ministry Center at our West Site (1322 S. 117th St.) that is **open every Wednesday 9-11 AM & every Saturday 9:30-11:30 AM**. It serves a large geographic area (boundaries of the 3 original parishes) and is supported by our parishioners, Hunger Task Force, and the Meijer Simply Give Food Campaigns.

The pantry has served 1,316 households with 2,650 total people, October, 2023-August, 2024



Spaghetti Dinner 2024

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