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Our Lord Jesus Christ,  
King of the Universe  
21-22 November 2015

Dear Catholic Community,

This is the last Sunday before we begin a new liturgical year. As we celebrate the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Universal King, we need to understand that the kingship of Christ is different from earthly kings. When we attempt to define kingship from our earthly king to Christ, we're going to get it wrong. He does not reign in magnificent royal palaces. Rather he reigns on the Cross and he wore a crown interwoven with thorns.

Therefore, if Christ is indeed the king of our lives, we must allow ourselves to be drawn by him, and we must also allow him to rule over our life. We confess that Christ is our Lord and King. But there are moments that Christ finds difficulty to rule over us because of our stubbornness, infidelity and disobedience. This solemn celebration can only be meaningful if, in our personal and real life, we know how to surrender our life and will to Christ. Have a blessed week!

Deacon Joe

November 21 through December 11

SAT & SUN		MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
<b>21</b> <i>DO: for Retired Religious Sat &amp; Sun</i>	<b>22</b> 0810 ALP 1030 CRE, EPIC 1030 Baptism Class 1030 Pageant Musicians practice, Old Post Chapel	<b>23</b> 1800 RCIA	<b>24</b> 1100 Bible Study	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> 1000 Thanksgiving Day Mass <i>Happy Thanksgiving!</i>	<b>27</b> Chapel Closed No Noon Mass
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> <i>First Sunday of Advent</i> NO Religious Education Classes	<b>30</b> 1800 RCIA	<b>DEC 1</b> 1100 Bible Study	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> 1100 Daily Mass 1130 Advent Recital Series 1900 K of C Roundtable	<b>4</b>
<b>5</b> 0900 Hanging of the Greens <i>DO: Holiday Voucher Program – Christmas Sat &amp; Sun</i>	<b>6</b> <i>Second Sunday of Advent</i> Name Tag Sunday 1030 Baptism Class 1030 EPIC 1030 Pageant Rehearsal, Old Post Chapel	<b>7</b> 1800 RCIA	<b>8</b> <i>Immaculate Conception</i> No Bible Study 1200 Mass 1800 Mass <i>Jubilee Year of Mercy begins</i>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> 1100 Daily Mass 1130 Advent Recital Series 1900 Penance Service	<b>11</b>

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**Mass:** 5PM Saturday Vigil, 9AM Sunday, Noon M-F. **Daily Mass:** Noon in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel

**Reconciliation:** 11:30-11:45AM Tuesday-Friday in Room 112

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**Registration:** Forms available on website or from an usher

**Sacraments and Sponsor Letters:** Requires registration. Fr. Fred has pastoral jurisdiction only for active duty military and their family members

**E-Bulletins:** Available on website; e-mailed each Thursday. Please add @jbmhatholicparish.com to "safe sender" list. Contact Pam with registrations changes or to Opt Out of receiving the e-bulletin.

**LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER--for Vocations to the Priesthood and the Military Chaplaincy; for our deployed troops and their families; for our parishioners who are ill; and for our deceased:**

**Deployed:** FC2 Joseph Reed, USN; Ginny Ortiz, Peace Corps, AEAN AJ **Deceased:** Wilbur Tucker, father of Dave Tucker Ortiz, USN

**Healing:** Buddy Craven, Joseph Toth, Jeanmarie Jonston, Jim Campbell, Alfred Prados, Jim Egan, Len Trahan, Bob Bowen, Kevin Tighe, Bob Schaaf, Alexis Coffey, Frank Bernardo, Nimpa Bautista, Bonnie Benne, Richard Wicks, Richard Brysacz (father of Margaret Asten), Morris McGregor, John Bikus, Suzie Kumashiro, Hamlin Ortiz (father of Ham Ortiz), Randy Krug, Justin Cimino, Jack Doyle, Virginia Hoh, Jeff Lepak, Al and Marilyn Hanson, Russell Plaisance, Warren Krug, Gigi Goode, Betsy Plowman, Warren Efting, Barbara Nestor

~ Please contact Pam to remove names from Deployed and Healing lists~

**Introduction to Today's Readings**

*First Reading:* Daniel 7: 13-14

*Second Reading:* Revelation 1:5-8

The book of Daniel was written 150 years before Christ, when the Jews were experiencing fierce persecution. The author wanted to encourage them by telling heroic stories about a person named Daniel who lived many centuries earlier. Today's reading describes Daniel's vision of heaven, and is written in symbolic language – similar to the book of Revelation. The term "Son of Man" indicated a human being chosen by God for a special purpose. Christians have applied this vision to Jesus.

The book of Revelation was not intended to predict actual people and events in later times. Rather, it was intended to be a source of hope for Christians who were suffering persecution near the end of the first century. Today's passage is from the very beginning of the book and is part of a greeting from God to the persecuted people.

*The LORD is king; he is robed in majesty. ~ Psalm 93*

**Announcements**

This weekend's **Designated Offering** is for the National Collection for Retired Religious. The next Designated Offering is the weekend of **5-6 December** for the Holiday Voucher Program - Christmas.

**November is the month of Remembrance.** Names of deceased loved ones may be written in the Remembrance Book located in the far left corner of the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

**Additional Dates:** Group Baptismal Instruction class is Sunday, **22 November** at 1030 in the Conference Room; Thanksgiving Day Mass, **26 November**, at 1000; Group Baptismal Class, Sunday, **6 December**; Advent Penance Service, Thursday, **10 December** at 1900.

**Advent Thursdays:** Advent recitals series starts **3 December**. Daily Mass is at 1100, followed by the recital at 1130, lunch at 1200 and devotional at 1230. The first recital features music performed by ceremonial organist, Dr. Randall Sheets.

**Hanging of the Greens:** Join us as the Protestant and Catholic communities gather together on Saturday, **5 December**, at 0900 to decorate the chapel for Advent and Christmas.

Registration is now open for **Mid-Atlantic Congress 2016, 4-6 February** at the Baltimore Hilton. A great opportunity to learn from, network and pray with some of the finest Church leaders from AMS and the mid-Atlantic region. Event details can be found at MAC 2016's website – [www.midatlanticcongress.org](http://www.midatlanticcongress.org). Contact Pam at [info@jbmhatholicparish.com](mailto:info@jbmhatholicparish.com) no later than **6 December** if interested in attending as she is coordinating group registrations and hotel accommodations.

**Flower Dedication:** A flower chart has recently been posted on the wall in Betsy Hendrix's office. You can request to have the flowers on a particular Sunday dedicated in honor of a loved one. There is no charge for the flower dedication. If you wish, you may add a bit to your regular donation.

**Winter items for Service Members' Children:** throughout November, the Gospel congregation is collecting new winter coats, warm hats, scarves, gloves and mittens that will be distributed by Army Community Service to help the children of Ft Myer-Henderson Hall service members. If you would like to help a military family in this way, please place your gift in the designated box in the reception area.

The Knights of Columbus and AMS have announced the dates for the **2016 Warriors to Lourdes Pilgrimage** for US military personnel - including the wounded, disabled, or infirmed - as **17-23 May 2016**. We will have a Designated Offering for the pilgrimage the weekend of 9-10 January 2016; applications and payment are due 15 January. For more information, visit [www.warriorstolourdes.com](http://www.warriorstolourdes.com)

Please remember the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA when you pledge to the **Combined Federal Campaign**. The AMS CFC# is: 10046.

**Offertory for 14-15 November 2015**  
1700 Vigil: \$1,623.52      0900 Mass: \$2,568.57

Please make checks payable to C.T.O.F.  
**TOTAL: \$4,192.09**      Attendance: 386