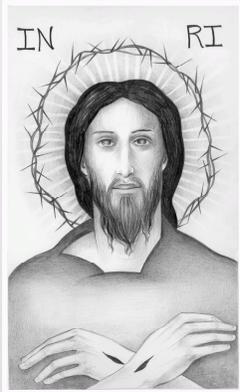


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OFFICE HOURS-

WEDNESDAY,
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PLEASE CALL BEFORE COMING TO
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MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY (VIGIL): 4:00 PM

SUNDAY: 9:00 AM, 11:30 AM
(SPANISH)

WEEKDAYS: WEDNESDAY 9:00 AM

THURSDAY 9:00 AM

FRIDAY 12:10 PM

CONFESSIONS

SATURDAYS
3:00-3:30 PM OR BY APPT.

CONFESIONES

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3:00 A 3:30 PM

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!Bendiciones a Ti!

The Blessings of Advent?

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¡Esten Siempre Alegres!

Third Sunday of Advent

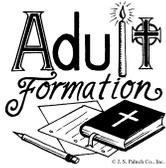
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FACILITIES DIRECTOR, ART AND ENVIRONMENT) - KAREN SMEATH

Gifts to God...Have You Given Yours?

ADULT FAITH FORMATION



Corpus Christi Catholic Book Club

Next Meeting:
Tuesday, February 20, 2018
at 6:30 p.m.

Book Selection: *Church of Spies: The Pope's Secret War Against Hitler*
by Mark Riebling

Read the book and join us for the discussion.
All are welcome!

Please add the following to our monthly "pray for" list in our Just for You newsletter....

Frank Leupp, Benjamin R, Jean Smeath, Helen Minshew, Richard DeLallo, Anna Mann, Evelyn McBride, Clare Hammer.

Call the office if you wish to add someone to our prayer list including; our military and members of our parish family and friends who are sick.

THE ICON STAND VOTIVE CANDLE
is burning this week for Clare Hammer

THE SANCTUARY LAMP CANDLE
is burning this week for Clare Hammer

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend Married Couples

It has been said the greatest gift you can give your children is two parents very much in love with each other. It's a breath of fresh air, the rebirth of romance and new beginnings. If you'd like to make your marriage even more special than it already is—register now! The 2017 weekend dates are:

February 9-11, in Sacramento, April 13-15 in Reno, April 27-29 in Sacramento, August 24-26 Sacramento.
Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: <http://www.sacramentowwme.org> or contact Terry & Janet at applications@sacramentowwme.org or 916-489-3464.

MUSIC NEEDED FOR OUR PARISH

The music ministry is in creative transition.
What ideas do you have?
We are looking for your wonderful ideas for this ministry.
Please let us know by placing letter in the offering baskets, stopping by the office or even emailing to generaloffice@ccchurchcc.org.

WEEKLY



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Thank You !
¡Gracias!

Reflection of the Week



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A key facet of stewardship has always been personal witness. Today's readings deal in large part with the witness of John the Baptist. St. John the Baptist, according to historians, was a few months older than Jesus. It is also generally accepted that he began preaching about six months before Jesus came to him to be baptized and to begin His ministry.

St. John the Baptist pointed to Jesus as the Messiah. John the Baptist, through personal witness, raised a great sense of expectancy and excitement, the kind of expectancy and excitement that we associate with this season of Advent. John tries to awaken in people a consciousness of sin, the importance of conversion and change, and the need to become more holy in God's eyes.

Those are the same goals we should have during this Advent season. The matter of witness is a serious and important thing. It establishes truth and a solid foundation for faith. When we personally witness, it means we make a commitment. We cannot be neutral when it comes to our faith. We are called to be disciples, witnesses of and for Christ. We best accomplish that by the ways we live our own lives and how we relate to and treat others.

Jesus can meet our every need. Now is the time for us to accept that and to place our total trust in Him. We can do that best by making our own commitment to be His disciple, a witness to Who He is and what He means to us and all people.

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Sunday's Readings

First Reading — As a garden makes its growth spring up, so will God make justice spring up before all the nations (Isaiah 61:1-2a, 10-11).

Psalms — My soul rejoices in my God (Luke 1:46-50, 53-54).

Second Reading — Do not quench the Spirit. Do not despise prophetic utterances. Test everything; retain what is good (1 Thessalonians 5:16-24).

Gospel — I am the voice of one crying out in the desert, make straight the way of the Lord (John 1:6-8, 19-28).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jer 23:5-8; Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19;
Mt 1:18-25
Tuesday: Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17;
Lk 1:5-25
Wednesday: Is 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-4ab, 5-6; Lk 1:26-38
Thursday: Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a;
Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21; Lk 1:39-45
Friday: 1 Sm 1:24-28; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd;
Lk 1:46-56
Saturday: Mal 3:1-4, 23-24; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-10, 14;
Lk 1:57-66
Sunday: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29;
Rom 16:25-27; Lk 1:26-38

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Third Sunday of Advent
Thursday: St. Peter Canisius; Winter begins
Saturday: St. John of Kanty

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Last week, we looked at a form of nativity scene called a *presipio*, characterized by framing the crèche of Jesus with a vast array of personalities and a rich geographical context. The tradition was carried to the New World, and finds very rich expression in Latin America today. While in Europe the *presepio* was reserved mostly to the homes of wealthy nobles and great churches, in Latin America it was claimed by the poor and expressed the skills of native artisans. In Mexico, you can still find clay figures in every village market. In a way, the native people took the religion of Spanish rule and baptized it with their Indian culture by surrounding the crib of Jesus with local geography and people. In Brazil, where Christmas falls in summer, the figure of the baby Jesus is wrapped in gold and gems, and set on a hillside surrounded by flowers and animals of all kinds. Sometimes there is a double *presepio*, presenting both Nativity and Crucifixion.

In some places in Latin America, even non-religious people take care to have a *presepio* in the home, sometimes dedicating one whole room in the house or apartment to the scene. Some cities have markets where people from the countryside sell plants and figurines. In Cuzco, churches and families provide hot chocolate for the children of the poor who come down to help create the nativity scenes. In Paraguay, the baby Jesus grows—the small infant who arrives on Christmas Eve is replaced at New Year with a toddler Jesus who holds in one hand the globe and in the other a cross. Few Christmas traditions have the vitality and variety of *presepios* and crèches honoring the Nativity.

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Lecturas Dominicales

Primera lectura — Regocíjense en el Espíritu del Señor que nos trae buenas noticias (Isaías 61:1-2a, 10-11).

Salmo — Se alegra mi espíritu en Dios mi Salvador (Lc 1:46-50, 53-54).

Segunda lectura — ¡Alégrese! Conserven su integridad en el Espíritu y guárdense sin mancha hasta la venida del Señor (1 Tesalonicenses 5:16-24).

Evangelio — Cuando preguntan a Juan Bautista quien es, dice, “Soy la voz que grita en el desierto”

(Juan 1:6-8, 19-28).

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Jer 23:5-8; Sal 72 (71):1-2, 12-13, 18-19;
Mt 1:18-25
Martes: Jue 13:2-7, 24-25a; Sal 71 (70):3-4a, 5-6ab,
16-17; Lc 1:5-25
Miércoles: Is 7:10-14; Sal 24 (23):1-4ab, 5-6; Lc 1:26-38
Jueves: Cant 2:8-14 o Sof 3:14-18a;
Sal 33 (32):2-3, 11-12, 20-21; Lc 1:39-45
Viernes: 1 Sm 1:24-28; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lc 1:46-56
Sábado: Mal 3:1-4, 23-24; Sal 25 (24):4-5ab, 8-10,
14; Lc 1:57-66
Domingo: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Sal 89 (88):2-5,
27, 29; Rom 16:25-27; Lc 1:26-38

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Tercer Domingo de Adviento
Jueves: San Pedro Canisio; Comienza el invierno
Sábado: San Juan de Kanty

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

El día 16 de diciembre comienza la Novena de Aguinaldos en Colombia y otras partes de Latinoamérica. La novena consiste en 9 partes que se repiten por 9 noches:

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| 1- Oración inicial | 4- Reflexión del día |
| 2- Oración Mariana | 5- Gozos |
| 3- Oración de José | 6- Oración al Niño Jesús |
| | 7- Un Salmo |
| | 8- Invocación final |
| | 9- Villancicos (cantos navideños) |

Los participantes buscan aguinaldo (regalo). Para esto los colombianos tienen la costumbre de jugar “pajita en boca” buscando quien no trae una pajita en boca. La persona que no pueda mostrar que trae pajita en boca tiene que dar un regalo a quien lo descubrió. Los aguinaldos son recuerdo del regalo que nos dio Dios en su Hijo Jesús, prenda de su amor. Y si Dios nos da un aguinaldo tan grande es porque Dios no tiene pajita en boca cuando nos dice que nos ama.

En el corazón de la Novena está el refrán de Gozos:

Dulce Jesús mío / mi niño adorado
ven a nuestras almas / ven no tardes tanto.

Muy buen mensaje para el Adviento.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glitz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

This Week at /Esta Semana Corpus Christi

Mass Schedule

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Wednesday—December 20

9:00 am — †Brice Kness by Cecilia Kness

Thursday— December 21

9:00 am — †Mike Kness by Cecilia Kness

Friday— December 22

12:10 pm— Clara Louise Sciacca by her Grandparents

Saturday — December 23—

4th Sunday of Advent/vigil

4:00 pm — †Tanya Muller by her dad

Sunday — December 24— diciembre 24—4th Sunday of Advent/4º Domingo de Adviento

9:00 am— †Helen Scalibrini by Broderick Family

11:30 am— People of the Parish

Sunday — December 24— diciembre 24—4th Sunday of Advent/4º Domingo de Adviento

6:00 am—Fr Jilm Intentions

Minister Schedule/ Horario de los Ministerios



Saturday 4:00 p.m.
EM— as scheduled
Lector— as scheduled

Sunday 9:00 a.m.
EM— as scheduled
Lector— as scheduled

Sunday 11:30 a.m.
ME—Rodolfo y Evangelina Velasco
Lectór—Rodolfo Velasco

Our next Jacks Valley Elementary School
Food Drive will be January 13-14.
Thank you for your donations.

Around the Diocese

Diocesan Conference registration now open!

It's Not Too Late! Register Now!

The annual Diocesan Conference, "Keep Your Eyes on Me/Mantén tus ojos en Me" is being held January 5 & 6, 2018 at the Nugget Casino Resort in Sparks. Any registrations received after Friday, December 15, 2017 will be assessed a \$10.00 late fee. Late fee applies to onsite registrations as well.

Around the Diocese

Blue Christmas Prayer Service

A vigil of Light

Friday, December 22 at 5:30 pm

Ordination to the Presbyterate
Deacon Joe Walsh

Friday, January 19 at 6:30 pm
St Rose of Lima

The Respect Life Commission of the Diocese of Reno is cosponsoring three presentations at the annual Diocesan Conference in Sparks. Richard Doerflinger, who retired last year as the USCCB's Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, prepared policy statements and testimony on abortion, euthanasia, and other medical-moral issues for 36 years. He has published in many journals, and his syndicated column is distributed by the National Catholic News Service. He is an Associate Scholar the Charlotte Lozier Institute and a Fellow at the University of Notre Dame's Center for Ethics and Culture. He will present the following presentations on January 6, 2018: (1) "Assisted Suicide: The Ethics, the Law and the Dangers," (2) "Our Rights of Conscience Under Attack," and (3) "Shall we Manufacture of Children?" Please register at <http://www.renodiocese.org/diocesanconference>.

Walk for Life West Coast January 27, 2018

If you've never attended the Walk for Life, consider doing so...it's a great experience.

With buses leaving from various Reno churches.

Centering Prayer Workshop Holy Cross Catholic Church

See the entry for more information on most of these including flyers from NAMI.

Project Rachel

A Post-Abortion Healing Ministry

We pray for all those affected by abortion any way and whose hearts ache. May they be blessed with the courage to seek help and experience the love and mercy of God.

Call our help line 775-324-4325

Visit www.dioceseofreno.org, click the Ministries page and find us under "Agencies". The page gives information on Project Rachel.

Corpus Christi Information

Respect Life

Respect Life is praying across from the West End Abortion Clinic at 5915 Tyrone Rd in Reno twice a month. Directions: From Business US 395, turn east on Neil Rd., Turn right at Meadow Wood Ln, then turn right onto Tyrone Rd. If you are interested in praying with us, please call the office..



Next Date: January 6 at 9 a.m.

“He is always with us. Jesus promised this when he gave the disciples the same mission he gives to each of us: Go. ... Walk with each other. Do not be afraid to embrace God’s gift of life. Whatever storms or trials we face, we are not alone. He is with us.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities 2017-18 Respect Life Reflection, www.bit.ly/2x31e1X

“Él está siempre con nosotros. Jesús nos lo prometió cuando dio a los discípulos la misma misión que nos da a cada uno de nosotros: Vayan... Caminen juntos. Abracen el don de la vida que nos da Dios sin temor. No importa las tormentas o pruebas que enfrentemos, no estamos solos. Él está con nosotros”.

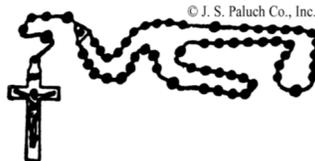
Secretariado de Actividades Pro-Vida de la USCCB Reflexión Respetemos La Vida 2017-2018, www.goo.gl/xzDEkx



St. Benedict Society - Sunday
January 7, 4:00 pm

Knights of Columbus - normally the 1st
Wednesday of each month - 7:00 pm
Next date: January 3rd

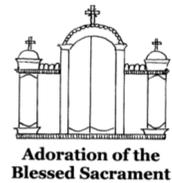
Catholic Daughters - usually the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 4:00 pm. None in July and August
Next date: December 20
Next Bake Sale: December 16-17



Rosary normally held every Wednesday & Thursday after Daily Mass & Friday at 11:20 am except during Eucharistic Adoration

Fridays, then the Rosary is at 10:00 am.

Eucharistic Adoration usually held on the first Friday. from 10:45 - 11:45 a.m., with Rosary at 10:00 a.m.
Next date: January 5th



Ministries/Ministerios

Altar Servers/Acólitos
Contact Parish Office

Youth Ministry/ Grupo de Jóvenes
Terrie Juchtzer-Youth Minister (The Club)
Contact Parish Office

Hands of Christ/Ministry to Sick
Las Manos de Cristo/A Los Enfermos
Contact Parish Office
Convalescent Home Coordinator
Terrie Juchtzer

Minister Scheduling/La Programación de Ministerios
Charlie Muller - 220-6242
Claudia Morales (en español)

Spanish Baptism Classes
Rodolfo y Evangelina Velasco

Pastoral Council/El Consejo Parroquial
Contact Parish Office

Knights of Columbus
Joe Pettit - Grand Knight

Adult Conversion Classes/
Los Sacramentos de los Adultos
Father Jim- Parish Office

Respect Life Committee/
El Comité de Respeto por la Vida
Lori Courtney - 885-6880

Catholic Daughters/Las Hijas Católicas
Pam Petersen-Regent

Rosary Maker's Guild/Maniobra de Rosarios
Cindy Pardini - Parish Office

St. Benedict Society/La Sociedad de San Benito
Phil Clarke- Minister - 267-3936

Hispanic Marriage Encounter/
Encuentro Matrimonial Hispano
Rodolfo y Evangelina Velasco

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Susan Zampirro 882-7523