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Jesus Christ King of the Universe

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OFFICE HOURS

M, T, Th, F 9:00am-3:00pm

Closed Wednesday



“There would be no sense in saying you trusted Jesus if you would not take His advice.”

— C.S. Lewis



SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

Daily Mass: M, T, TH, F 8:30 AM

Wednesday 6:00 PM

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November 24, 2019



Monday November 25
8:30 A greater Respect for All Human Life

Tuesday November 26
8:30am +Nancy Cunningham
Req. By: Morell Family

Wednesday November 27
6:00 pm +Trish Pham
Req. By: Bella

Thursday November 28
8:30am +Ken Darga
Req. By: Linda, Kellyann & Zack Darga

Friday November 29
8:30am +Earl Phillips
Req. By: Bob & Lucette Wombacher

Saturday November 30
4:00pm +Erika Boudreau
Req. By: Mom & Dad

Sunday December 1
8:00am +Denise Beane
Req. By: Bartus Family
10:30am Parishioners of SFXC

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: For registered and active parishioners: Please contact the Church Office. Baptism instruction is required for Parents.

Reconciliation (Confessions)
Saturdays 3:00-3:45 PM
Or by Appointment

Weddings: For registered and active parishioners: must be arranged with the pastor at least 6 months before the date desired. Please contact the Church Office for more details.



TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

First Reading: 2Sm5:1-3
Psalms: 122: 1-5
Second Reading: Col1:12-20
Gospel Reading: Luke 23:35-43

Devotions:

Tuesday 9:00am Blessed Virgin Mary
Thursday 9:00am St. Frances Cabrini Novena

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:
After Mass M, T, Th, F with the Rosary
Friday 9:00am—2:30pm



Parish Membership: Through baptism we become God's sons and daughters, and brothers and sisters to each other in Christ.

Every family in the parish is encouraged to properly register and receive numbered offertory envelopes.

Registration forms for permanent members can be obtained by visiting the Parish Office during office hours. We appreciate you taking the time to update your parishioner information.

Please email us Secsfxc@verizon.net or call the office at 941-776 -9097 with any updates.

Night Emergencies: 941.201.9741

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Readings for the Week

Monday St. Catherine of Alexandria

Dn1:1-6,8-20 PsDn3:52-56 Lk21:1-4

Tuesday

Dn2:31-45 Ps Dn 3:57-61 Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday

Dn5:1-6,13-14,16-17,23-28 Ps Dn3:62-67
Lk21:12-19

Thursday

Sir50:22-24 Ps138:1-5 ! Cor1:3-9 Lk17:11-19

Friday

Dn7:2-14 Ps Dn3:75-81 Lk21:29-33

OFFERTORY

Today's bulletin had to be sent to the publisher by November 15th.

We will publish the offertory for November 17th next week.



COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN ANGEL TREE

The Angel Tree will be up for two more weeks. Please consider taking one of the Angels from the tree in the Narthex which will provide clothing for Migrant Farming Families.

Please purchase the items needed listed on the Angel and return it by December 8, with the Angel attached to the wrapped gift. If you would like to give a wrapped toy as well; please list the toy on the Angel attached to the clothing items.

If you would like to provide a gift card—please place it in an envelope and deliver it to the Office.

(Listing of different Churches and times with dates.)

Ex: (In Chronological Order)

St. Thomas Moore, Sarasota: Dec. 10—5:00pm

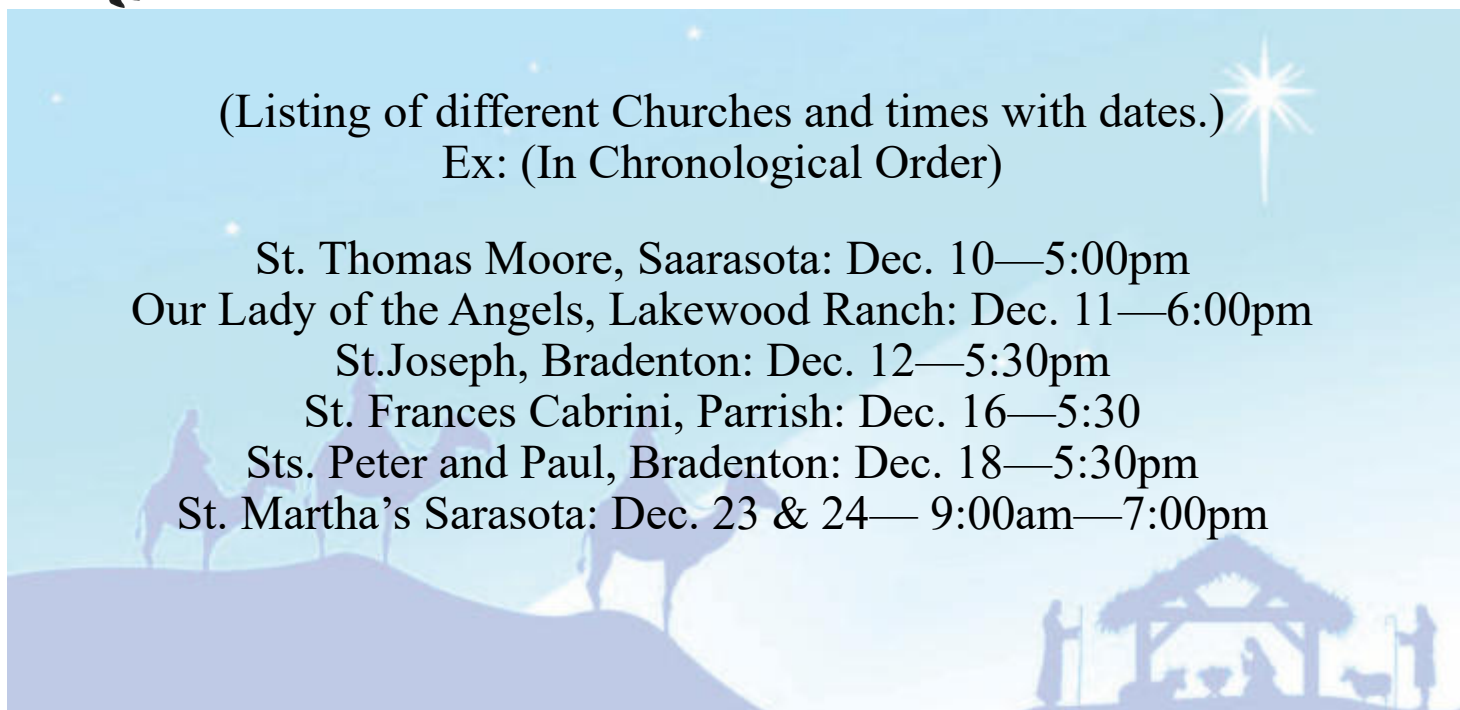
Our Lady of the Angels, Lakewood Ranch: Dec. 11—6:00pm

St. Joseph, Bradenton: Dec. 12—5:30pm

St. Frances Cabrini, Parrish: Dec. 16—5:30

Sts. Peter and Paul, Bradenton: Dec. 18—5:30pm

St. Martha's Sarasota: Dec. 23 & 24— 9:00am—7:00pm



Learning and Understanding Our Faith

Christ the King: Marcellino D'ambrosio, PH.D

From the dawn of civilization, kings have arisen who have dreamed of possessing a world-wide dominion, a universal kingdom that would last forever. Some have come close to conquering much of the known world—Alexander, Genghis Khan, Augustus Caesar, and Adolf Hitler, to name a few. And some kingdoms have lasted a very long time, such as Rome whose Eastern half lingered on for 2000 years.

But despite all their machinations, pretensions, and self-glorifying monuments, the great rulers of the earth all proved mortal like anybody else. They had their day in the sun only to disappear. Their kingdoms, too, ultimately passed away, leaving abundant ruins for generations of tourists and archeologists to explore.

There is another thing that these great ones of the earth had in common—they jealously guarded their glory, sharing it with no one. Their ascent to the pinnacle of power was made over the backs of others, and they did not hesitate to eliminate any and all rivals.

This Sunday's feast celebrates the fact that there is one who is remarkably different. He came to serve all, even his enemies. He truly was a Son of Man, with a vulnerable human nature. But he was also truly Son of God. Not in some mythological sense, like the Pharaohs, or the wishful-thinking sense, like the Caesars, but really and truly, the Immortal, the Eternal, taking the form of a mortal man in a specific time in history.

Rather than executing his opponents, he forgave them. Rather than dominating his subjects, he exalted them. He even called them not servants, but friends, and bestowed on them a share in his own priesthood and kingship. Though he died, like other kings, it was for a different purpose than Augustus in his bed or Hitler in his bunker. He died willingly to save his people, and his death was not a result of a battle lost or a plan gone awry, but of a glorious victory planned before the world began.

He rose in glory, which can't be said for the rest of them. And at his heavenly coronation, when he ascended to his Father, he was given what all the rest lusted for—a worldwide dominion that will not pass away.

But the world goes on oblivious, with corporate executives and statesmen still jockeying for position, exalting themselves at the expense of others. Still others crowd the cover of People magazine competing for other glories like the King of Rock'n roll.

The true King, however, is biding his time. He will return and suddenly things will be seen as they truly are. His coming will sweep away ambition, vanity, and pretensions, and much of what now appears important will look very empty. No longer will oppression be allowed to stand; the innocent will finally be liberated from those who victimize them.

This dominion will truly be universal—there will be nowhere left where he is not recognized as Who He is, though in some quarters, that acknowledgment will be made with consternation and gloom.

For his coming means doom. . . judgment for those who have for so long resisted him. They will be allowed, of course, to cling to the evil that they have chosen, and hold it close to themselves for all eternity. But they may no longer afflict others with it.

This judgment, this kingdom, will have the last word. No election will overturn it in four years or four million years. There is no one stronger who can rest the dominion from his Almighty hand.

The Church instituted this feast of Christ the King during bleak days, when fascist and communist clouds were darkening the earth with their ominous shadow. The feast serves as a reminder to us that we know the end of the story and should not be fooled by the braggarts who strut and the bullies who gloat. They'll be gone soon. And He'll be here soon. How soon no one knows. (Catholicexchange.com)



"And even if polls show a large percentage of Catholics disagrees with the Church's teaching, in belief and in practice, on this (sexual morality) or any other issue, God does not change his mind to conform to opinion polls. WE DID NOT ELECT HIM TO BE GOD, AND WE CANNOT VOTE HIM OUT OF THE OFFICE."
-Peter Kreeft

November 24, 2019



Come Join us!

Thursday, December 19

@5:30 in

Mother Cabrini Center.

Please call the parish office at 776.9097 to RSVP with the number of people who will be attending and the entrée, side dish, or dessert you would like to bring.

“For centuries men have kept an appointment with Christmas. Christmas means fellowship, feasting, giving and receiving, a time of good cheer, and home.” —W. J. Tucker



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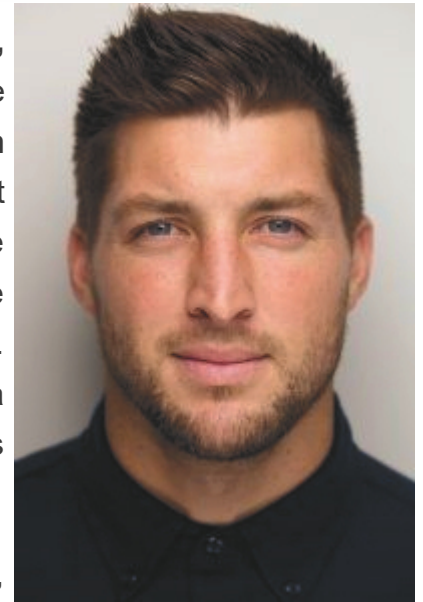


**CATHOLIC
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BALL 2020**

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2020

The **Catholic Charities Ball** will be held on **Saturday, February 8, 2020** at 6 p.m. at the Ritz-Carlton Grand Ballroom in Sarasota. We are excited to announce two-time Florida Gator national champion **Tim Tebow** will be the guest speaker. Tebow is also a first-round NFL draft pick and Heisman Trophy winner. In addition, he serves as a college football analyst for ESPN. Prior to joining ESPN, Tebow played three years in the NFL for the Denver Broncos and the New York Jets. Currently, Tebow is pursuing a career in professional baseball as a member of the New York Mets. Don't miss the opportunity to hear this dynamic professional athlete and celebrity!



All proceeds will benefit the programs and services of Catholic Charities, Diocese of Venice, Inc. in Sarasota and Manatee counties which include Our Mother's House, St. Martha's Early Learning Center, Bethesda House, Catholic Charities Family Haven, housing counseling and foreclosure prevention, financial assistance, senior services, professional counseling, refugee services and immigration services. The evening will include a cocktail hour, auctions, dinner and dancing. Tickets are \$300 a person. For information and tickets call 941-355-4680, ext. 311 or email mya.widmyer@catholiccharitiesdov.org.

Out and About the Parish

Pray for our Military:



Sgt. Amy Cook; Sgt. Thomas Cook; SFC Kevin A. Correira; Sgt. John M. Danko, Jr; Lt. Patrick Devito; Lt. Cmdr. Julie Dumais; P5 Kathleen Foley; Maj. Joseph Gill III; Sgt. Jonathan D. Ginn; Sgt FC Joseph Jackel; CPO Jennifer Keisacker; Sgt. Jeffery Keisacker; 1st Lt. William Knox; Sgt Austin W. Kommick; Seaman Nolan MacDowell; Major Bonnie Meister; Cpl Jaclyn Monnerjahn; Cpl Matthew Monnerjahn; SSgt. Francois Moreau; Sgt. Anthony Mottaz; E1 Brian O'Houlahan; LCpl Patrick O'Houlahan; 2C Rose O'Houlahan; Cpl Timothy O'Houlahan; Cpl Matthew Ortiz; SSgt Jeremy Pelkey; Maj. Allen Pepper; SSgt Alex Dante Ponzi; Sr.A Chelsey Danielle Ponzi; Sgt Steven Popek; Capt. John A. Scott; CPO Kevin Sips; Pfc Jason Stinton; Lt. Cmdr. Stephan Szachta; Sgt. Eric Terlau; 1st Lt. William P. Traeger; Capt. Edward Vazquez; Sgt. Nicholas Weaver, CPL Taylor-Kurlas White; Sgt. Damon White

**Happy Thanksgiving From The
St. Frances Cabrini Staff!!**



Health Tips for the Fall and Winter

The cold and flu season is here. I would like to ask that everyone take seriously their own health and the health of our fellow parishioners. Very often we forget how fragile some people's immune system is and that although we mean well, shaking each other's hand while we are ill can very easily spread germs that can make others very sick.

During the coming months please do not feel uncomfortable about not shaking hands at the "Sign of Peace" during Mass—a simple friendly wave or nod of the head is acceptable and could help keep all of us healthy this winter.

**REMEMBER TO:
Get plenty of rest**

Cover your mouth when coughing or sneezing.

Use disposable tissues. (Dispose of them in a waste basket—leaving them behind in a chair or on the floor can expose others to germs.)

**Wash hands frequently
If you are ill-- missing Mass is not a sin.**

Please do not shake hands. This will spread your cold/flu to others.

See your doctor as soon as you have signs of the flu.

**If you are able, get your flu/
pneumonia shot now.**

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