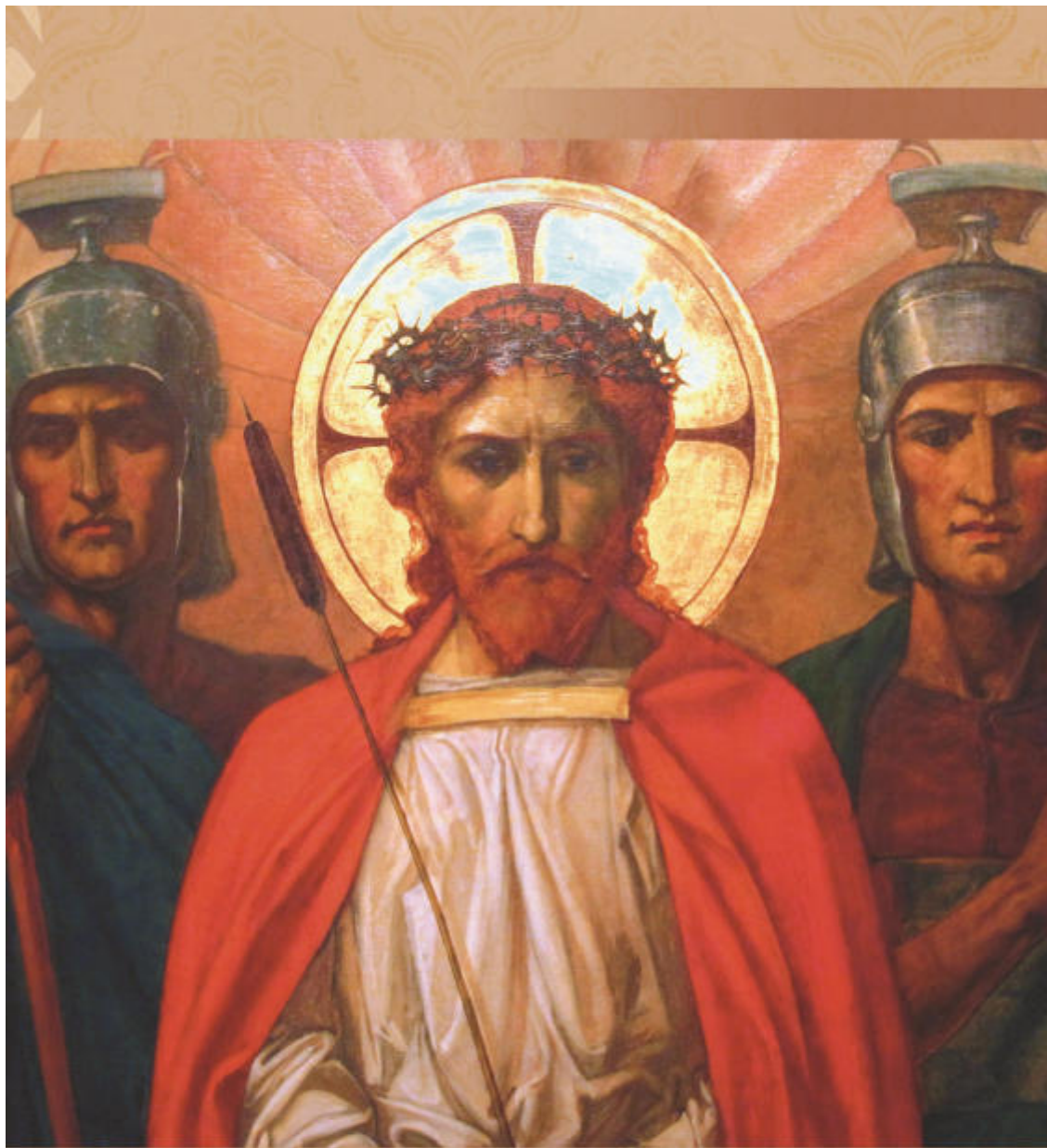




ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

Catholic Church

NOVEMBER 24, 2019



OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

The rulers sneered at Jesus and said, "He saved others, let him save himself if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God." - Lk 23:35

Week at a Glance

Sunday

All Masses | Church
Second Collection for
The Catholic Campaign for
Human Development

All Masses | Church
WINGS Christmas Brunch
Ticket Sales

7pm | Parish Hall
Lifeteen & Edge
Family Potluck

Monday

7pm | St. John Paul Room
Advent Series: Topic 1

Tuesday

3:30pm | Church
Companioned Prayer

Wednesday

11am | Garden Room
Women's Games

Thursday

All Day | Parish Office
Closed

9am | Church
Thanksgiving Day Mass
(Only Mass for the day)

Friday

All Day | Parish Office
Closed

Saturday

5pm | Church
Blessing of Advent
Wreaths & Candles
(Also during Sunday Masses)

Sacraments

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday Vigil	5:00 pm
Sunday	7:30 am
	9:00 am
	11:30 am
	6:00 pm

1st Sunday Spanish 1:30 pm

Daily Mass Times

Mon. - Fri.	6:30 am
Mon. - Sat.	8:15 am

Holy Day Mass Times

6:30 am
8:15 am
12:00 pm
7:00 pm

Reconciliation/Confession

Saturday 3 - 4:30 pm
or by appointment

All Other Sacraments

Please call the office for information.

Clergy

Fr. Renier Siva
Pastor

Fr. Cleetus Karakkat
Parochial Vicar

William Goeke
Jim McFadden

Deacons

Fr. Ignatius Haran
Pastor Emeritus

Parish Office

Mon.- Fri. 8:30 am- 4:30 pm
307 Montrose Drive, Folsom
Phone: 916-985-2065

Website:

FolsomCatholic.org

Social Media:

@FolsomCatholic

Bulletin

FolsomCatholic.org/bulletin

Bulletin Date	Ad Due by 5 pm
December 1	November 18
December 8	November 25
December 15	December 4
December 22	December 10

Welcome to

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

We are a community where we welcome all as members of the Body of Christ.

We are welcoming, faithful, passionate, joyful, authentic,
sacramental, loving and charitable.

Today's Readings

2 Sm 5:1-3 / Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 / Col 1:12-20 / Lk 23:35-43

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

Gospel Meditation

"The rulers sneered ... the soldiers jeered ... one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus." Is this the King of the Jews, the King of the Universe? If it is so, perhaps his kingdom is not at all what we would expect! In his letter to the laity, St. John Paul II spoke about how Christians share in the kingly mission of Christ. First, "they exercise their kingship as Christians, above all in the spiritual combat in which they seek to overcome in themselves the kingdom of sin." In other words, before we give any thought to transforming society, we must first allow God to transform us. Through daily prayer, regular self-examination, and frequent confession, we can recognize our faults more readily and choose love instead!

Second, St. John Paul II writes that the laity "make[s] a gift of themselves so as to serve, in justice and in charity, Jesus who is himself present in all his brothers and sisters, above all in the very least." Christ's kingship, and our own participation in it, requires us to look beyond the privileged of society. It goes beyond networking and struggles of power. It goes with Jesus to the Cross!

Still, the kingship of Christ ought to effect society. "The lay faithful are called to restore to creation all its original value ... ordering creation to the authentic well-being of humanity." Jesus does this in a radical way through his death and resurrection. We, too, are invited to bring new life to the world around us. This means holding the world and everything in it as sacred. It means advocating for civil policies that respect life and paying special care to the vulnerable and marginalized in every stage of life. It means being disciples of Jesus, inviting people into authentic love so that one day we will together "be with [him] in Paradise!"

Scripture Reflections

First Reading

Today's reading records how God orchestrated David's anointing as king of Israel, a central figure in Jesus' ancestry. What does this teach us about God's divine providence?

Second Reading

In today's reading from Colossians, Paul preserves for us one of the earliest Christological hymns (Col 1:15-20). How do you see this hymn affirming Jesus' identity as our Lord and King?

Gospel Reading

For Luke, those who mocked Jesus on the cross failed to see how his suffering and death were central to his identity as Lord and King of the Universe. Why do you think this remains a mystery to so many?



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At St. John the Baptist Parish,
we welcome all
as members of
the Body of Christ.

Thanksgiving Day Mass

November 28, Thursday, 9:00 am

Mass will only be celebrated at 9:00 am
on this holiday.

Parish Office Closed

Happy Thanksgiving!
November 28 - December 1

The Parish Office will be closed for the
Thanksgiving holiday. The staff wishes
you and your families a safe and blessed
Thanksgiving. We will reopen Monday,
December 2.

Blessing of Advent Wreaths and Candles

November 30, Saturday, 5:00 pm Mass
December 1, Sunday, All Masses

Blessing of wreaths and candles will take
place at all of the Masses on the first Sunday
of Advent. Please bring your items to the
altar stairs before Mass.

Director of Faith Formation Needed

Contact: Fr. Renier Siva
fr.renier@folsomcatholic.org

St. John the Baptist Parish is in need of a
Director of Faith Formation. This is a paid,
full time position. The required two forms
(Job description and Diocese PreApplication
Statement) are available through our web-
site, folsomcatholic.org. There is a link (Job
Opportunities) located at the bottom of our
home page to access these forms. Forms are
also available in the Parish Office. Please
note, experience in lieu of a Master's Degree
will be considered. Once filled out please
send them along with a resume and a letter
of interest to Fr. Renier Siva. Applications
may also be dropped off at the Parish Office.
All inquiries may also be forwarded to Fr.
Renier. If you know of someone, local to
our area who maybe able to fill this position,
please have them fill out an application.

Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Novena: Dec 3 - Dec 11, 7 pm, Garden Room

Feast Day Mass & Procession: Dec 12, 6:30 pm

Contact: Beatriz Le Cam, 916-765-3569

Join us for the Novena starting Dec 3. Then
come and celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of
Guadalupe on the 12th. Join us in a proces-
sion at 6:30 pm followed by Holy Mass and
refreshments at Gallagher Hall, after the
Mass. Everyone is welcomed!

WINGS Christmas Brunch

December 7, Saturday

9:30 - 11:30 am, Gallagher Hall

Tickets \$20 per person

Contact: Sue Collins, 916-337-6237

Join other women from our parish for deli-
cious food, a raffle, silent auction and our
traditional singing of the "Twelve Days of
Christmas." If you would like to host a
Christmas themed table contact Sue. Guest
speaker is Fr. Renier! Proceeds go to Pastoral
Care & the Gabriel Project Ministries.
Canned foods also collected for St. Vincent
de Paul. Seating is assigned so get your tick-
ets early! Tickets on sale this weekend in the
Vestibule.


Sarah Hart in Concert

December 6, Friday, 7 pm

Divine Savior Catholic Church, Orangevale

Contact: Elaine Bauer
559-307-4216

Come hear stories and songs of this beautiful
season in this beautiful, interactive, family-
friendly evening. This is a free event.



If you can't feed
a hundred people,
feed just one.

MOTHER TERESA

PRAYER

Mass Intentions

Sunday, November 24th

7:30 am Lucio Prades†
9:00 am People of the Parish
11:30 pm Josephine Lico†
6:00 pm Marston Girard

Monday, November 25th

6:30 am Maria Porres Altamirano†
8:15 am Nora Padilla†

Tuesday, November 26th

6:30 am Hoa Doan
8:15 am JD Haig

Wednesday, November 27th

6:30 am In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph
8:15 am In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph

Thursday, November 28th (Thanksgiving Day)

9:00 am Aine Esther Martin†

Friday, November 29th

6:30 am Maria Porres Altamirano†
8:15 am Frank Zuccaro†

Saturday, November 30th

8:15 am Filinoma Dizon†
5:00 pm Sister Celeste Dempsey†

Observances

We Celebrate This Week

Sun: Our Lord Jesus Christ
King of the Universe
Mon: St. Catherine of Alexandria
Thur: Thanksgiving Day
Sat: St. Andrew

November is dedicated to: The Souls in Purgatory

Pope Francis' Monthly Intention for November Dialogue and Reconciliation in the Near East

That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together.

Intercessory Prayers

Prayers for the Sick

We pray for our sick parishioners, family and friends, and those in need of healing of the body and soul.

Alan Ramsay	Karen Beckman
Aurora Bertulfo	Karen Maez
Bert Mateo	Liam Ocampo
Cher Juliet	Lorraine Mayrand
Christopher Cordova	Mary Matranga
Denise Phfa	Michael Debellis
Don Paul Howell	Natalie S. Marhauer
Eric Coscolluela	Oliver Carreon
Ernest Deus	Pat Koelfgen
Evalia Hipolito	Paulita Narcisco
Gilbert Menoivil	Pierre Lavapie
Gordon Ferriss	Rebecca Yap
Goria Menoivil	Rene Rodriguez
Jared Ellerson	Shirley Benecke
Jessica Breazeale	Shirley Joseph
Joann Pastorski	Thoa Gilpin
Joey Durse	Tina Mills
Judy Wilkins	Vince Matranga

Prayers for Our Troops

We pray for our military personnel abroad and at home, and for their families.

John Massey Sgt. Alan Price

Prayers for the Recently Deceased

We pray for the souls of all who have died, our family members, friends, and parishioners. May they rest in peace.

Ann Danielsen	Mary Grimes
Barbara Doherty	Mary Jo Morris
Colette Koch	MaryJo Cordona
Dennis Knight	Callahan
Destiny Estrada	Mike Diorio
Doris Bourgeois	Raleigh Radin
Frank Brugger	Romy Elvambueno
Isabel Viloria	Sanh Nguyen
John Drumm Sr.	Sister Antinia
John O'Malley	Sr. Kathleen Kinane
Lenon Padilla	Stephen Rando
Liberato Mariano Jr.	Thelma Lyon
Maria Duenas	Tom Baker
Mario Penman	



At St. John the Baptist Parish,
time in conversation with our
Lord is at the center of
our lives.

Prayer Requests

Prayer requests for the sick, military or recently deceased may be made by calling our Parish Office. For Mass intentions please visit the Parish office to reserve a particular Mass time.

Names on the sick, deceased and military list will appear for four months. Call to extend the time or remove.

The Adoration Chapel

Open to everyone 7 days a week

Monday through Friday: 9:00 - 8:00 pm

Saturday: 9:00 - 5:00 pm, Closed the 5th Saturday of the Month

Sunday: 7:00 - 1:00 pm

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be recited daily at 3:00 pm.

Perpetual Adoration is held in the Adoration Chapel on the 1st Friday of the month after 8:15 am Mass through 4:00 pm on Saturday.

Eucharistic Adoration Ministry Hours of Need

For information please contact: James Banach 916-803-0821 or

Veronica Thomas, thomas_vera@yahoo.com

Monday:	9 - 10:00 am	12 - 1:00 pm	4 - 5:00 pm	7 - 8:00 pm
Tuesday:	4 - 5:00 pm	7 - 8:00 pm		
Wednesday:	11 - 12:00 pm	6 - 7:00 pm		
Thursday:	9 - 10:00 am	12 - 1:00 pm	5 - 6:00 pm	
Friday:	12 - 1:00 pm	1 - 2:00 pm	2 - 3:00 pm	6 - 7:00 pm 7 - 8:00 pm
1st Saturday:	12 - 1:00 pm	3 - 4:00 pm		
2nd Saturday:	3 - 4:00 pm	4 - 5:00 pm		
3rd Saturday:	2 - 3:00 pm			
4th Saturday:	3 - 4:00 pm			
Sunday:	8 - 9:00 am	10 - 11:00 am		

We need additional adorers for days and times listed above.

Please prayerfully consider signing up for 1 hour a week with the Lord in the Adoration Chapel. You will never regret it!

All Souls Envelopes

November is the month of the Holy Souls

The Church encourages us to remember the deceased members of our families in a special way. Envelopes are available in the vestibule and the parish office throughout the month of November for you to list the names of those you would like to be remembered in the November Masses. Completed envelopes can be put in the collection basket or returned to the parish office. The envelopes will be placed on the altar for this month.

Respect Life Ministry

Please come and pray for life! Your prayers and life-saving presence are needed at the following Sacramento businesses on their surgical abortion days:

201 29th Street every Wednesday. Carpool from St. Johns at 7:00am returning at 11:30. Call Joanne at 916-607-2228 or come on your own for an hour between 8:00am-11:00am.

2322 Butano Drive every Thursday from 8:00am-11:00am.

Prayer Opportunities At St. John the Baptist

Companioned Prayer (Tue, 3:30 pm)

Daily Mass

Eucharistic Adoration

Morning Prayer (after 8:15 am Mass)

-Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

Inspiration of the Week

Are we looking for Christ to be our earthly king or our eternal one? We often go back and forth with God on this question. What we find in the content of our prayer usually reveals the answer. Because life can be difficult, we may desire that God cushion our earthly experience a bit, make it more tolerable, remove the crosses, and do the miraculous. Preserving our earthly lives can take too much precedence and be of too much concern. Christ the eternal king offers a different promise and hope. The eternal king offers us a way through suffering and hardship to the greater glory to be revealed when our journey is completed in heaven. The eternal king is not the king of earthly comfort but the king who advocates for the poor, vulnerable, lost, broken, marginalized, and hurting. We are asked to become like the eternal king, Jesus Christ, both in this life and in the life to come.

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time in conversation with our
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SPIRITUAL GROWTH

At St. John the Baptist Parish,
we foster a
commitment to lifelong
spiritual growth.

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Advent 2019 Series

Let's Climb the Mountain

November 25 - December 16

(Please Note the Date Changes)

Mondays, 7 pm

Gallagher Hall - St. John Paul II Room

Contact: Dcn Jim McFadden

macfam500@att.net

November 25 - *The Mountain of the Lord*

As we enter into the great season of Advent, the prophet Isaiah exhorts us to climb the Lord's mountain. Is the mountain of the Lord's house really the highest one in our life? There are so many other "mountains" that compete for our attention. But, amidst them all is a highest mountain which is our ultimate concern. So, what is it for you? If it's not the mountain of the Lord's house, then something will be wrong.

December 2 - Eden, the Mountain, and the One who Baptizes with Fire

December 9 - Tell John What You See and Hear

December 16 - History is Going Somewhere, and it Rhymes.

Exploring the Saints at Companioned Prayer

December 3, Tuesday

3:30 – 5:00 pm, Church Chapel

Contact: Bill Stobbe, 916- 505-3800

Beginning this Advent on Tuesday, Dec 3rd St John's Companioned Prayer ministry will be exploring some of our favorite saints as our spiritual companions. We hope you will come to our Tuesday meetings and be part of our discussion and prayer. Who were they, what were their challenges, what was it about their lives that has inspired others, and what do they offer us today?

Teresa of Avila – Dec 3, 10 & 17

Francis de Sales – Dec 31, Jan 7 & 14

Ignatius of Loyola – Jan 21 & 28, Feb 4

Thérèse of Lisieux – Feb 11, 18 & 25

At each meeting we will learn a little about who they were, and we may experience how their stories may call us deeper into prayer. We will have a short discussion followed by Companioned Prayer. We invite you to participate! No need to sign up in advance – just show up Tuesday afternoons at 3:30.

Lifeteen & Edge

November 24, Sunday, 7 pm

Contact: Aaron Santos

asantos@folsomcatholic.org or

916-985-2065

Family Potluck for both youth ministries.
No Edge on November 27.

Lay Mission Project

Contact: Laura Wicklman, 916-337-9116 or

Linda Springer, 916-548-8282

scd.org/family-and-faith-formation/lay-mission-project

Join other Catholics in deepening their understanding of the faith and in becoming a part of the Church's mission to the world. Everyone is invited to apply for the program, regardless of their previous formation. Wherever you currently are in your faith journey, the Lay Mission Project will take you to the next level! LMP is self-paced and designed for adults with busy schedules. St. John Parishioners who completed LMP this year found it to be life changing. Go to the above website to apply – application deadline is November 30. Call Laura or Linda with any questions.

How Would You Rule Your Kingdom?

It would be kind of awesome to be a king or queen! Absolute rule, untold wealth, and people answering your every beck and call are things that wouldn't be half bad.

As great as that sounds, the King of kings could have had all that as well, but instead, he chose quite a different path. He gave up absolute rule so all his subjects could have the free will to choose to follow him. He gave up untold wealth so he could be treated like a common criminal and receive a death sentence. He gave up having servants at his disposal so he could be the servant of all his subjects himself. Yes, he was the King of kings, but he was nothing like a typical king. As much as I think it would be great to be a king myself, I would rather emulate this King instead.

Who would you rather be like? You could have it all or choose to give away everything. Do you arrive at an answer quickly, or do you need some time to think about it? The King of kings awaits your reply. *-Tracy Earl Welliver*



CHARITY

At St. John the Baptist Parish,
we bring Christ's light to all
through service to others.

Second Collection

Please be generous in this week's second collection, which supports the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, one in six people live in poverty. Through this collection you support programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for people across the country who struggle. In addition 25% of the funds we collect will remain in our diocese to fund local antipoverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and work on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

St. Vincent de Paul Thanksgiving Dinner Collection

Contact: Helping Hands
916-985-4630

St. Vincent de Paul will again provide families with food for Thanksgiving dinners. You can help support this program by donating frozen (whole) turkeys, hams, and the side dishes (stuffing, yams, cranberry sauce, etc.). Please bring your donations to SVDP at Helping Hands on Monday, Wednesday or Friday, from 9 am - noon. Items may be brought to the Parish Office outside of the Helping Hands hours. Thank you!

St. Vincent de Paul "Giving Tree"

November 24 - December 16
Vestibule

Contact: Mercy Knight
916-402-4104

Please purchase a gift listed on the ornaments hanging on the tree. Gifts will be given to the children of our community families in need. The red ornaments for girls up to age 13 and green ornaments for boys up to age 13. Gifts should not be wrapped and can be dropped off in the Christmas barrels in the vestibule. The final date to drop off gifts is December 16th. Thank you for your support and generosity. Blessings to you and your families.

Loaves and Fishes

November 23/24, Saturday
Contact: Cathy Kovarik
916-353-0688

"Let us be grateful always"

As we count our blessings this month, let us remember the poor and homeless. The designated cart will be in the vestibule this weekend. Items requested are cup-of-soups, peanut butter and cheese crackers, hot chocolate and oatmeal packets, nutritious bars, raisins and fruit cups, bibles, rosaries, holy cards and religious reading materials. The Divine Mercy Ministry thanks you. Donations may also be dropped off at the Parish Center. All will be handed out personally on Wednesday, November 27 to the homeless at Friendship Park. If you would like to join us, call Cathy for details. Carpools leave for Loaves and Fishes at 6:15 am from the church.

Knights of Columbus Donation Programs

October 27 - January 5, 2020, Vestibule
Contact: SK Percy Park, 916-983-3368 or
GK Dick Phelan, 916-221-0596

Coats for Kids

You can donate "new" or "gently used" - washed children's winter coats or winter accessories. Coats, jackets, winter accessories also for teen's and adults are accepted.

Food for Families

Most requested Food items are: Canned meats & vegetables, beans, rice, healthy cereals, Peanut Butter, Baby food & baby formula.

Drop Off Locations

A Cart and/ or Barrel in the Vestibule, Helping Hands - MWF, 9 am to Noon or Parish Office during business hours from 10 am - 2:00 pm, 916-985-2065

SJND Scrip Gift Cards

Stock up on winter gear for a new season of Sierra snow! From beanies and gloves to skis and jackets, visit the Scrip table after Mass to purchase REI, Dick's Sporting Goods, GAP/Old Navy gift cards, plus more. You receive equal value of what you spend and the merchants donate back to St. John Notre Dame School.

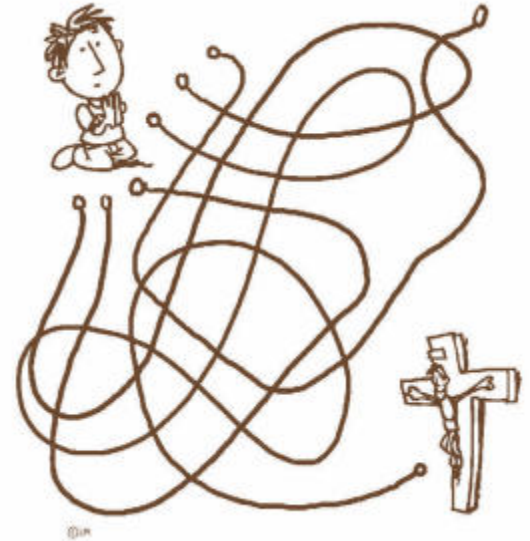
Sharing the Gospel

When the soldiers hurt Jesus, they were only doing their job. They did not understand that they were killing God's Son. Jesus saw into the hearts of those soldiers, and he forgave them. A man next to Jesus on the cross had done terrible things. He knew he deserved to die on a cross, and he was truly sorry. This criminal believed that Jesus was God's Son. Jesus saw into that criminal's heart, and Jesus forgave him, too.

✝️ Mission for the Week

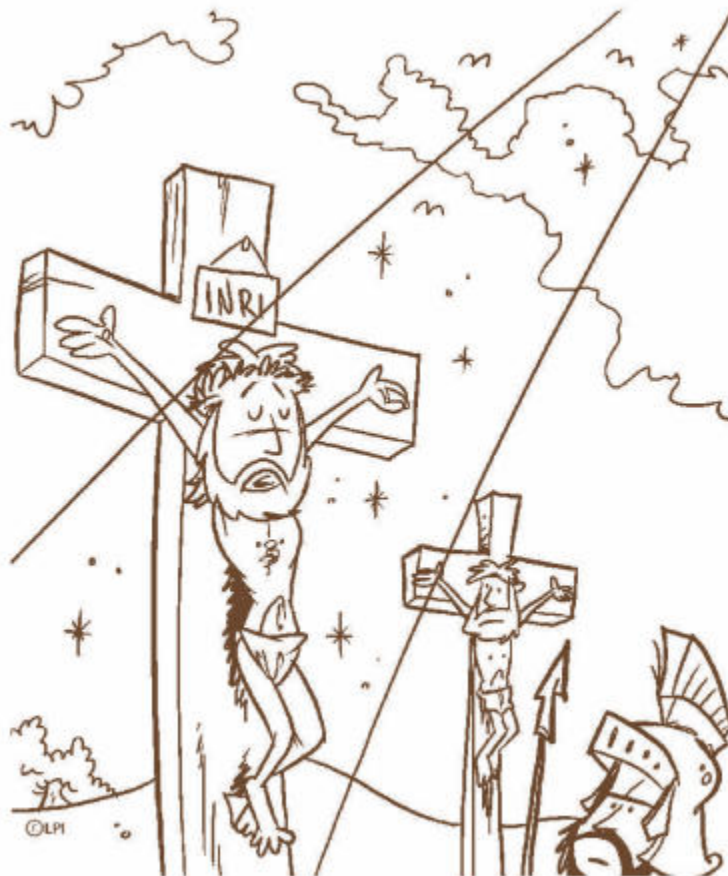
Jesus forgave the people who killed him. He expects you to forgive people who hurt you, too. Think of one person with whom you have been angry. Ask God to help you forgive that person, because Jesus forgives you.

🧩 Puzzle



🙏 Prayer

Dear God, thank you for sending Jesus to forgive my sins, too.



"Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."

MINISTRIES

"Here am I, Lord;
I come to do your will."

Welcoming Ministries

Communications Ministry

Loreen McMahon, 916-933-1330

Ministers of Hospitality

Shannon Bleeker, 916-200-8059

New Parishioner Welcoming Ministry

Lori Hopper, 916-337-0139

Ushers

Stanley Posis, 916-705-9192

Prayer Ministries

Companioned Prayer

Bill Stobbe, 916-505-3800

-Offered to Everyone, Tue, 3:30pm

Divine Mercy Devotion/Cenacle

Pat Koelfgen, 916-989-2915

-Chaplet/Rosary/Morning Prayer, Mon-Sat

after 8:15 Mass, Divine Mercy Chapel

-Divine Mercy Chaplet/Mass, call for info

-Cenacle—Zoeanne Tafolla, 707-333-7359

-Cenacle-Spanish—Ana Haid, 916-956-1177

Eucharistic Adoration

Veronica Thomas, thomas_vera@yahoo.com

-Adoration Chapel open Mon-Fri, 9am-8pm,

Sat 9am-5pm, Sun 7am-1pm. Perpetual

Adoration—1st Fri 9am through Sat 4pm.

Spiritual Growth Ministries

Adult Scripture Study

Lee Weider, laweider631@gmail.com

Marriage Encounter

Dennis & Carrie Crawford, 530-878-3744

-Faith-based program & couples weekend for marriage enrichment.

Praise & Worship

Sheila Fitzpatrick, sheilafitz1@yahoo.com

Religious Education

Parish Office, 916-985-2065

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Debbie Duncan, 916-798-0201

-Information & instruction on becoming a Catholic

Theology on Tap

Aaron Santos, Parish Office, 916-985-2065

WINGS (Women in Growth Spiritually)

Sue Collins, 916-337-6237

Youth/Young Adults Ministries

Aaron Santos, asantos@folsomcatholic.com

-Middle School/Edge, High School/Life Teen

Parish Committees/Councils

Finance Council

Elizabeth Beigh, 916-730-1291

Liturgy Committee

Barbara Bowden, 916-984-9476

Pastoral Council - Coming Soon.

Outreach/Charity Ministries

Bereavement Hospitality/Receptions

Nina Pucci, 916-947-6386

Catholics for Life

Kathy Baxter, 916-337-6824

Gabriel Project

Helen Boyd, 916-367-8071

-Aid pregnant mothers in need.

Grace Quilters Ministry

Catherine Scott, 831-402-4681

-Creating artistic lap quilts for infirmed, home bound members of our parish community.

Grupo Pastoral Hispano

Anna Haid, 916-956-1177

Knights of Columbus

Dick Phelan, 916-221-0596

Pastoral Care Ministry

Dan Dunne, 916-817-1675; Sunday

Candice Ralston, 916-806-8090; Tuesday

-Bring Eucharist to sick & homebound, T/Sun.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Catherine Scott, 831-402-4681

Prison/Restorative Justice Ministry

-Folsom Prison - Fr. H. Gomez, 916-985-2561 x 4206

-CSP Sacramento - Dcn Bill Goeke, 916-733-0262

School Ministry (St. John Notre Dame)

Keith Martin, Principal, 916-985-4129

Senior Visitation

Charlene Agles, charleneagles@gmail.com

-Visit homebound seniors in our community.

St. Vincent de Paul (Helping Hands)

John Knight, 916-985-4630

-Assistance to those in need in our community

Helping Hands - open MWF, 9-12pm

Liturgical Ministries

Altar Servers

Hugo Schmidt, 916-813-0843

Children's Liturgy during Mass

Parish Office, 916-985-2065

Extraord. Ministers of Holy Communion

Steve & Maryanne Ashley, 916-939-7025

Lectors

Barbara or Charlotte Ferreira, 209-480-1153

Liturgical Environment

Arlette Peterson, 916-983-1389

Music - See choir director after Mass.

Additional Ministries

Children's Babysitting at Mass

Georgia Oatmeyer, 916-201-3193

Family Fellowship

Carol Stephenson, 916-952-6744

Gift Shop

Connie Aley, 916-984-9284

Women's Game Day

Roberta Puzio, 916-933-2561

-Join us for bridge, rummy, etc. Weds. 11:00am.

A Gratitude Examen

Gratitude is one of the greatest spiritual practices. It opens our minds, calms our hearts, and rids bitterness of its power. The "examen" is a spiritual practice to reflect on how we have responded to God's work in our lives. This Thanksgiving, consider your own reasons for thankfulness!

What Gifts have You given me?
How have I Received love from others?
How is grace at work in Aspects of my life story?
Do I Trust You to continue to bless me?
Where have I missed Your movements?
Have I used my Talents at the service of others?
Do I see a purpose for my life Underway?
How can I have the Discipline to thank You daily?
Help me give Everything back to You!

Happy
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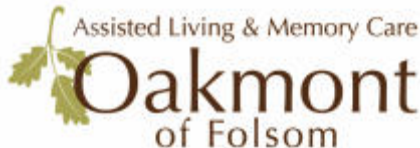
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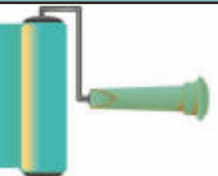
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