

**A Message from our Pastor
Fr. Bob Cilinski**

***“I was hungry and you gave me food. I was thirsty and you gave me drink”
- Matt 25:35***

My dear parishioners,

In America, the end of November always brings us to Thanksgiving. We are a grateful people. Thanksgiving gives us the opportunity to remember and acknowledge the many blessings God has shared with us. Today we honor Christ the King which brings our liturgical year to a close. Next week is Advent and the start of a new liturgical year. The Feast of Christ the King is dominated by the familiar parable of the sheep and the goats, the very last parable Jesus tells in Matthew's Gospel. It is a grand and sweeping scene in which Jesus is pictured as King and Judge. Everyone is gathered for the great judgment and it is Jesus whom they will face. We will be judged on how we loved. We give honor and loyalty to Christ by being caring for one another. *“Whatever you are doing to the least of these, you are doing to Me. What you failed to do to them, you failed to do for Me.”*

They are words that are both comforting and disturbing because they teach us that the real proof of how much we love the Lord, is found in how we treat others around us. It might be hard to see Christ in others. Then if we can't see Christ in others, we can be Christ to others. And so we ask, *“Are we Christ to others?”* The answer to that question tells the truth about us and our eternal destiny. This Sunday we can renew our loyalty to Christ and to be Christ to others. This week we can gather to give thanks to God for all that God has given to us, especially in sending his Son to be our Savior and Lord. He humbled Himself in becoming one of us and living among us and teaches us to have a special care for those who come to us in need. This Sunday carries a word of hope. Advent is right around the corner and marks a new beginning.

I give thanks to God for each of you, the people of Nativity for your goodness, loving spirit, generosity to the poor and needy and to the support of the wonderful parish ministries. We would not be able to bring Christ to others without the sacrifices we make together.

Love and blessings,

Fr. Bob Cilinski

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Pastor

Please Note: The Thanksgiving Day Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am. There will be NO noon Mass. The Parish Office will close at 12:00pm on Wednesday, November 25th and will be closed all day on Thursday, November 26th and Friday, November 27th. It will reopen on Saturday, November 28th at 9:00am. Wishing Everyone a Very Blessed and Safe Thanksgiving!

Good News

INSPIRATION FOR DAILY LIFE

Solemnity of Christ the King

Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17
Ps 23:1-3, 5-6
1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28
Matthew 25:31-46

Monday November 23
Revelation 14:1-5
Ps 24:1b-8
Luke 21:1-4

Tuesday November 24
St. Andrew Dung-Lac & co
Revelation 14:14-19
Ps 98:10, 11-12, 13
Luke 21:5-11

Wednesday November 25
Revelation 15:1-4
Ps 98:1-3b, 7-9
Luke 21:12-19

Thursday November 26
Revelation 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a
Ps 100:1b-5
Luke 21:20-28

Friday November 27
Revelation 20:1-4, 11-21:2
Ps 84:3-6a, 8a
Luke 21:29-33

Saturday November 28
Revelation 22:1-7
Ps 95:1-7b
Luke 21:34-36

We don't usually think of shepherds as kings, but the scriptures this Sunday describe the kingly powers of Jesus as our Good Shepherd. A good king cares for his subjects the way a shepherd cares for his sheep.

Kings increase the size of their reign and accomplish their work over the whole territory through their subjects. That's why Jesus says, "Whatever you do for one of the least of mine, you do for me."

For example, our Good Shepherd-King wants to distribute food to the hungry, all the way to the farthest reaches of his kingdom. How does he get it done? He gives an abundance of food to some of us and commands us to take it to those who need it.

What happens if we don't fulfill the King's commands? Do the starving people think the King is benevolent? No, they can only see his goodness

when we do as he tells us to do.

Look at the people who are around you. Each one is an opportunity to give the King a good name.

What about the people whom you like least of all? What about those who've made you feel angry or intimidated or hurt? Well, ask this: What is he/she hungry for? If the answer's not obvious, ask the Holy Spirit. Observe that person long enough to identify the emptiness or pain or fears that are buried under the surface.



Then ask this: What abundance has God given to me that this "least one" is lacking and needs from Christ our King? Can I show him/her the King's benevolence despite my feelings?

When we say no to opportunities to share what we have, we are behaving like one of the goats whom the Good Shepherd-King separates from the sheep. And when we say yes, despite the feelings that could make us goat-like, the King's good reputation spreads, and we are all blessed.

Reflect & Discuss:

1. What good things do you have in abundance? How readily do you share them?
2. Who is of least importance to you? How can you take your focus off of what you don't like about them so that you can give them what God wants to give to them through you?
3. Have you ever done something good to someone who didn't deserve it? How did this affect your relationship with Jesus?
4. What abundance do you see in each member of your family or faith sharing community that, when shared, blesses others?

 **YouTube**
Recorded Homilies!
 WATCH NOW UNDER NATIVITY'S YOUTUBE **PLAYLISTS**

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Praise and Worship Holy Hour

Join us for prayer, praise and worship on Tuesday, December 15, at St. Leo the Great Catholic Church in Fairfax from 7:30-8:30 pm. Fr. Stephen Vaccaro will lead us in prayer along with musicians Valerie and Rocco Repetski. Our special intention will be for the conversion and healing in families. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available. All are welcome. Please bring a friend.


To join us live from home, please visit:
<https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/healingandconversion/>
 Please email info@helpafterabortion.org if you need assistance.

Take English, CompTIA, Citizenship or GED Online!
 Register for English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL), Citizenship, GED, ESOL for Childcare, or CompTIA ITF+ classes which are held twice a week with morning and evening schedules available. Different class levels are available. 12-week semester and spaces are limited. Call to schedule an appointment for registration and for pricing details. Please call (571) 208-1572 or email ewd1@ccda.net for more information.

A heartfelt thanks from the Stella Marina team to Nativity parishioners for all your support!

On Wednesday, November 11th, Stella Marina (an Operation Starfish project ~ www.stellamarina.org) loaded a 40' sea container bound for Cap Haitian, Haiti. Our container was filled with birthing and newborn kits, PPE equipment, 55 pack 'n plays, medical supplies, maternity and infant clothes and the remaining furniture from Paul VI. For more information on Stella Marina, please visit:
<http://www.stellamarina.org/>


This is a friendly reminder to please ALSO wear a face mask while wearing a face shield to protect yourself and others. Thank you for your cooperation!



If you weren't able to join our Parish's Virtual Mission Trip to Haiti or would like to share the experience with others, the recorded mission trip is available on Youtube at the following link:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J6zOcasiHtc>

By the Grace of God
<http://www.ccda.net/donate/ChristmasCollection>

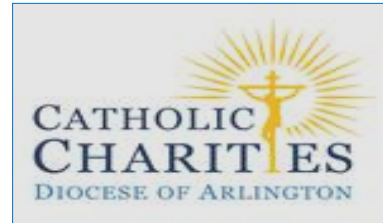





You can now designate Nativity Church or Nativity School as the beneficiaries of your Amazon Smile! You can choose Nativity by going to: **YOUR ACCOUNT, YOUR AMAZON SMILE** and designating Nativity. Amazon then contributes a small percentage of each purchase to Nativity. For questions, please contact Ann Benson at 703 455 2400.

The 2020 Annual Parish Christmas Collection for Catholic Charities is Coming Up! Your Generosity is Deeply Appreciated.

2020 Has been a challenging year for many of us and our neighbors, so we ask that you consider making a special gift to support the needy and disenfranchised throughout our diocese by supporting Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Arlington's programs. This allows you to play a direct role in spreading the love of Christ for the poor. If donating by check, please note Catholic Charities on the memo line or make a gift online at www.ccda.net/donate/ChristmasCollection.





High School Placement Test

Interested in a great, Catholic education for your child's high school years? Saint John Paul the Great Catholic High School invites you to sign your child up for the High School Placement Test, required for all 8th graders applying to a Diocese of Arlington high school. The HSPT will be offered on Saturday, December 5 and Saturday, January 9. While your child tests, stay and discover what John Paul has to offer! Visit jpthegreat.org for test registration details and more information.

17700 Dominican Drive
 Potomac Shores, VA 22026
 • Main: 703.445.0300
 • Fax: 703.445.0301
 • www.jpthegreat.org

The Women of Nativity (WON)

ANNUAL ADVENT TREE

The annual Women of Nativity (WON) Advent Tree project is here!

*****Due to the pandemic regulations, things look different this year. See below for details!*****

The Virtual Tree is live from now until December 4th! "Ornaments" with holiday wishes are on a Virtual Christmas tree on the Nativity website. Please pick the "ornaments" of your choice and return the requested gifts to the Church as specified in the instructions for each gift/gift card you choose.

GIFT CARDS should be placed in an envelope with the recipient marked on the outside. Please write gift card \$\$ amount on the gift card. Please DO NOT wrap gift cards. Gift cards can be returned as early as November 14th through December 6th by placing them in the collection box set up in the parish office during business hours, or before and after Masses on weekends.

Actual newly purchased gifts can be returned on the weekends of November 28 & 29 and December 5th & 6th. There will be representatives from WON in the Narthex and Gym lobby during Masses. Collection boxes will remain in the Narthex for drop off during the week. All organizations we service have requested the gifts be UNWRAPPED for easier distribution.

- **Appalachian Home Building Project** - Providing household items for a home the Knights of Columbus will build for a family in Kentucky in June 2021. **Household Items & Gift cards**
- **ECHO - ECHO (Ecumenical Community Helping Others)** is a non-profit, all-volunteer organization which has helped the neediest people in our community for 50 years. **Direct Contribution**
- **Father Cedric Wilson, Nativity Parish** - Father Wilson's counseling service at John's Hopkins deals with adolescents and needy families in the Baltimore area. **Gift Cards**
- **Gabriel Project** - Donations assist unwed mothers with pre/post-natal needs. **Direct Contribution**
- **Hispanic Outreach Program** - Provides coats, vests, gloves for the needy men in the area. **Men's Outerwear**
- **Holy Family Hospital/Order of Malta** - Holy Family Hospital in Bethlehem provides state-of-the-art pediatric, obstetric, and gynecological care to women and children of the Holy Land. **Direct Contribution**
- **Laundry Love Organization** - During the Christmas season Laundry Love will give toys/gifts to the children of many of these families who have become part of this outreach program. **Gift Cards**
- **LCAC - The Lorton Community Action Center (LCAC)** seeks to provide local low-income individuals, senior citizens, and families with access to basic needs and the opportunity to empower themselves through LCAC's self-sufficiency programs. **Direct Contribution**
- **Nativity School** - Items to help some of our Nativity Parish students. **Children's Clothing & Toys**
- **Nativity Parish** - The clergy and staff handle special needs especially during the holidays. Also, for the Sisters to support their Polish orphanage. **Children's Clothing & Gift Cards**
- **Migration & Refugee Services** - Last year, MRS provided services to about 3,000 refugees, both new arrivals and existing clients. Gift cards will be used for household items to help families get settled here in Northern VA. **Gift Cards**
- **Seniors of Alexandria** - Annie B. Rose House is a low-income senior assisted living community. The gift cards help with several areas of need, e.g., food, transportation to doctors, medical devices, and prescriptions. **Gift Cards**
- **S.O.M.E - SOME** exists to help the poor and homeless of our nation's capital by meeting the immediate daily needs of the people they serve with food, clothing, and health care. **Direct Contribution**
- **St. Augustine's of DC** - Saint Augustine Church is located in Washington, DC. Gift Cards will support children in their after-school program. **Gift Cards**
- **Where Needed** - Gift Card of your choice in the amount of your choice. These will be used in areas where more assistance is needed. **Gift Cards**

For more information contact:

Sally Quenneville at sallyq48@gmail.com OR Patrice Chadbourne at patdavchad@yahoo.com

You're Invited

Advent's Journey of Hope



Experience the joyful Advent season of the coming of Christ by reflecting on the Gospels, meditating on the music, and experiencing the presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament. A perfect time for us to reflect on our journey as we welcome Christ into our hearts. Join us and Mark Forrest, Irish Tenor, for this evening of prayer.

Location: Nativity Catholic Church

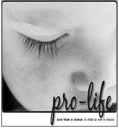
6400 Nativity Lane, Burke, VA 22015

Date: Thursday, December 3rd, 2020 Time: 7:00 PM

Contact: 703-455-2400



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Our natural resources are of great importance to us. We protect our forests, lakes and endangered species of all kinds, plants, sea creatures and animals. Yet thousands of our children are killed every day by abortion in this great country. The greatest natural resources of any country are its children. Let us be thankful for the gifts and blessings of Faith, Families, Friends and Country as we bow our heads in prayer and celebrate and share this Thanksgiving Day, 2020. May God Continue to Bless America.

**Choose Life Today. Choose Life Tomorrow.
Pray Always. We Must Do No Less**

The GABRIEL PROJECT supports women who are facing a crisis pregnancy and need help. Contact 1-866-444-3553 or gabrielproject@arlingtondiocese.org You are not alone! Gabriel Project is a crisis pregnancy program open to all and sponsored by the Catholic Diocese of Arlington.

Stella Marina, an Operation Starfish project (www.Stellamarina.org), is looking for a graphic designer to give occasional support to their project. If you have time to donate, please contact melinda@stellamarina.org - thank you!



Statement by Bishop Michael F. Burbidge on the 2020 Election

Over the last few weeks, an extraordinary number of people in our nation have participated in one of the greatest blessings any free country has: the right to vote and to decide its leaders. At this point in the vote count, it appears that former Vice President Joe Biden and Senator Kamala Harris have won this election to serve in our nation's highest positions of public trust. We understand, however, that President Trump is contesting some of the outcomes in various states, and is pursuing clarity from the courts, which is his right.

No matter the outcome of any election, we must remember that the strength of our republic lies in our unity as fellow citizens and as members of God's holy family. Such relationships are the bedrock of our society and it is important that we foster respect and civility in our ongoing dialogue and encounters with one another.

At this time, may we pray for all of our elected officials, that they will be inspired by prudence and the wisdom of Our Lord to instill peace and justice throughout this great nation, uphold our freedoms, and protect the most vulnerable among us. As a people of faith, may we also be strengthened in our conviction that, now and always, it is God in whom we place our trust.

Days of Recollection for Men and Women Discerners

Could Christ be calling you to the priesthood or religious life? Take a step to find out. The Office of Vocations will hold a day retreat for men on Saturday, December 12, and a day retreat for women on Sunday, December 13. They are open to those 18 years and older. Religious sisters will be present for the women, and seminarians, priests and men religious will be at the men's.

For more information and to register contact the Office of Vocations, 703-841-2514 or vocations@arlingtondiocese.org.
Deadline to sign up is Monday, December 7.



MASS INTENTIONS

*"We are God's People"
1 Peter 2:10*

Monday, November 23

7:30am Special Intention for Marie Anne Dinh

Tuesday, November 24

7:30am Thanksgiving Intention Mass for all Souls
12:00pm Thanksgiving Intention Mass for all Saints

Wednesday, November 25

7:30am † Alfred Minaya
(HW) † Sydney Jennings

Thursday, November 26

9:00am † William Carter
† Cataline Valesquez

Friday, November 27

7:30am Special Int. for Katherine High
(School) 9:00am † Dominador Perez

Saturday, November 28

9:00am † Bach Ngo
5:00pm † Marshall Levitan
7:30pm † Michael Fissell

Sunday, November 29

7:00am † Annie Continetti
Special Int. for Annie & Jimmy Jimenez
11:00am † Esther & Bernard Fram
† Eileen Dallachiesia
5:30pm † Tom Moyhihan

The priest schedule for Masses is found on our webpage:

<https://nativityburke.org/calendar/>

In prayer, let us remember
the sick and deceased of the parish.

Collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development

The Second Collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) will be held THIS week-end. CCHD helps the poor in our Diocese move out of poverty and support their families with dignity. Your contributions assist projects right here in the Diocese of Arlington that help people start businesses and gain job skills. Last year, your generosity enabled us to give over \$100,000 in grants to support these projects. Bishop Burbidge personally approves all grant awards to ensure compliance with Catholic moral and social teaching. Please give to the CCHD Collection, thank you!



THE NATIVITY CRAFT GROUP IS AGAIN
SPONSORING THE:

Nativity Christmas Bazaar

An extraordinary holiday shopping experience!

WHERE: NATIVITY-OUTSIDE IN THE CIRCLE

**WHEN: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6TH
FROM 8:00AM-1:00PM**

THE ANNUAL NATIVITY CHRISTMAS BAZAAR WILL AGAIN BE OFFERING VARIOUS ITEMS FOR SALE SUCH AS: GLOVES, SCARVES, HATS, JEWELRY, PURSES, SWEATERS, BABY ITEMS AND BLANKETS, CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS AND LOTS OF OTHER GREAT GIFTS. SO PLEASE STOP BY AND GET A HEAD START ON YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING! ALL PROCEEDS GO TO CHARITY. CASH OR CHECK ONLY PLEASE. MASKS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING REQUIRED.

Presented by Meg Hunter-Kilmer

Saints Like Me:

WILD, ADVENTUROUS, BROKEN,
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WHO SERVE THE LORD

NATIVITY YOUTH CONFERENCE

FOR MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL TEENS

12.05.2020

Saturday | 1:30 - 2:30 PM | Nativity Church

Open to Middle School and High School Teens.
Co-Sponsored by The Priests, The Sisters, The School,
The Religious Education Office and Youth Ministry.
Everyone will wear a mask, maintain social distancing,
and sanitize their hands.



On behalf of the St. Lucy Team of the
Father Sikora Council, Knights of
Columbus:



Thank You!!!

Your generosity continues to amaze us! In last weekend's St. Lucy "Drive-By/Drop-Off/No-Contact" Food Drive, you donated **13,281 lbs** of food and **\$4,870** in monetary donations. Your donations will help to fill the critical shortage in food pantries and will help feed the hungry children and their families in the Diocese.



Dropping off donations



Some of Nativity's donations



The next St. Lucy "Drive-By/Drop-Off/No-Contact" Food Drive will take place in **March 2021**. Please look for us then and consider donating! And again,

Thank You!!!



Young Adult Ministry

Serving people ages 21-39
nativityburke.org/youngadult

 “Young Adult Ministry with Nativity”

 @nativityyam

Our young adult community is still staying connected, even now! We're grateful to the young adults who've shared their gifts these past few months by assisting with live-streaming Masses and providing music, and to those who have made videos of how they're staying connected to God this year.

To find out more about our ministry and how you can participate in the community, visit our social media accounts or page on the website.

College Ministry

Serving people ages 18-21
nativityburke.org/college

College students- we're thinking about you and praying for you. As more colleges send students home for the remainder of the semester, we want to check in on you while you're here. **If you're local and interested in getting more involved**, contact Alison. Text 703-577-5329 or email afaram@nativityburke.org.

Young Family Ministry

Serving families with children newborn- elementary
nativityburke.org/young-family-ministry/

In our ministry, “family” encompasses families in all shapes and sizes- married couples, single parents, adopted children, one child, multiple children, etc. It's a chance to talk to others about the joys and challenges of raising a family, and also to learn from someone just a step ahead of you. If you have a young child, we welcome you in our community!

Our ministry is happy to stay connected and support young families during this time of distance. If you're interested in updates, send us an email at yafamilyministry@nativityburke.org.



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 IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

<https://nativityburke.org/knightscouncil7992/>
 Facebook: *Knights of Columbus Father Sikora 7992*
 Twitter: @kofc7992

Join the Knights! Do you want to make a difference as a Catholic Gentleman? Then join the Knights of Columbus! Please contact DGK Br. Adrian Santillan-Lecaside or GK Barry Basselgia with any questions or if you need a form 100. If you want a quick easy alternative way to join the Knights, try Online Membership. It only takes 5-10 minutes. Just go to Go to <https://www.kofc.org/> and click “Join” and put Council 7992 as your preferred Council. We'll do the rest for you to make you a member of our Order and our Nativity Council!

Council Meeting: Our regular business meetings are the first and third Tuesdays of the month. Meetings are conducted virtually via GoToMeeting.

Name Tag Assistance: If you have not received a name tag, please provide your name so the Worthy Warden Tom Siepmann can place the order at: siepmann1@hotmail.com.

Handy Knights Ministry: Need a hand with minor home repairs or know someone who needs help? If you are unable to perform basic maintenance tasks or small repairs in your home due to health or other factors, there is a ministry within the Knights of Columbus that may be able to assist, the “Handy Knights.” You can reach us at the following email: handyknightsfnativity@gmail.com.

Food For Others Food Recovery Ministry: Consider joining our ministry to recover food on Tuesdays between 11:00AM and 1:00PM from the Giant location on Burke Center Parkway and delivering it to Food For Others in Fairfax. We average 300-400 lbs of food picked up per week, but have seen loads over 900lbs. If you are interested contact me at rkascolella@verizon.net.

Join Nativity's Usher Ministry: Several weekend Masses at Nativity are in need of additional ushers. The greatest need is at the 9:00am, 12:45pm, and 5:30pm Masses on Sundays. Nativity offers an usher training program sponsored jointly by the Diocese and Nativity. If you are interested in joining the Usher Ministry, please contact Br. Tom Wilder at tomwilder@earthlink.net.

Prison Ministry: Fr. Vaccaro is asking brother knights help in writing letters to those incarcerated. He has a list of names whose lives might be impacted for the better with your correspondence. Please contact him if interested.

Stephen Ministry: Brothers, Father Bob has enlisted the parish council to assess the possibility of establishing a Stephen Ministry in Nativity. This will be a parish program, and they are looking for volunteers from across the parish to join in this ministry. As Knights, our reputation for service precedes us, so Jim has asked that we canvass the council to see who can support as individual volunteers to serve as leaders and/or ministers. Contact parishioner Jim Crawford at jwcrawfordiii@gmail.com or to volunteer.



BOY SCOUT TROOP 1100 ANNUAL FOOD DRIVE

WHEN: SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2020 FROM 10:00AM-1:00PM

**WHERE: CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY PARKING LOT, 6400 NATIVITY LANE,
BURKE, VA 22015**

**DONATIONS: PLEASE DROP OFF NON-PERSHABLE FOOD ITEMS FOR
DONATION TO ECHO, INC.**

ECHO Food Room Most Needed Items November - 2020: Jelly, Peanut Butter, Canned Meat, Bag (Dry) Beans, Pancake Syrup, Canned Tomatoes, Muffin/Cornbread Mix, Rice (Box and Bag), Condiments (Mustard, Ketchup, Mayo), Margarine, Eggs, Tortillas, Salsa, Box Drinks, Jello/Pudding Mix, Salad Dressing, Tea/Coffee, Razors, Band Aids, Shaving Cream, Laundry Detergent, Hand or Body Lotion, OTC Pain/Flu/Cold Meds for Children/Adults, Cleaning Supplies, Sanitary Pads.

CORONA CAN'T STOP CHRISTMAS!

Home for Christmas

**a FREE VIRTUAL CONCERT to
SUPPORT the DAUGHTERS of ST. PAUL**

LIVE EVENT ON  YouTube
THURS, DEC. 3, 2020 @ 8PM EST

SAVE THIS LINK:
[HTTPS://WWW.YOUTUBE.COM/C/DAUGHTERSOFSTPAUL](https://www.youtube.com/c/daughtersofstpaul)

**SIGN UP FOR UPDATES:
PAULINE.ORG/VIRTUALCONCERT**

NATIVITY - NEW BAPTISM PROCEDURES TO SCHEDULE A BAPTISM

Step 1: Paperwork

To begin the process, please first complete our Baptism Application which can be picked up from the parish office or downloaded from our website at: <https://nativityburke.org/baptism/>

Please bring the following to the Parish Office:

1. Copy of child's Birth Certificate
2. A certificate of eligibility for your Catholic godparents. Please review our Godparent Requirements. Godparents who are registered members of Nativity do not need to provide a certificate.
3. Completed Baptism Application. Scheduling the date of the Baptism will take place ONLY after these items are received.

Step 2: Preparation for New Parents

If this is your first child (congratulations!), in addition to providing the above paperwork, parents must attend a Baptism Prep class. Godparents are welcome, too. Register Online for our Baptism Prep class at: <https://nativityburke.org/baptism/#preparation>

Step 3: Nativity Schedules the Baptism Date

At this point, please call our Baptismal Coordinator, Anna Marty, to review your paperwork, discuss any questions, and schedule the date and time of the Baptism. She is available Monday - Wednesday at the parish office, please call 703-455-2400 or email amarty@nativityburke.org.

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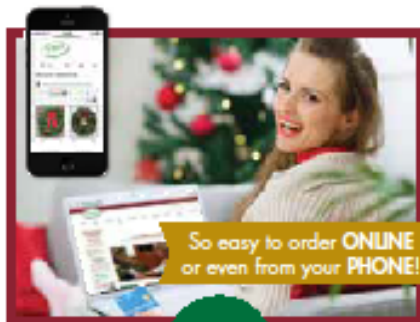
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Helping Others Give Thanks ~

Nativity Catholic School is sponsoring a Thanksgiving Feast Food Drive. We have over 50 families who need our help.

Each class has been asked to donate a specific item or a small monetary donation. All donations need to be brought to school by Tuesday, November 23. Our goal is to provide a traditional Thanksgiving Feast for each family.

A generous parishioner has provided the turkeys. Thank you so much and have a blessed Thanksgiving!



Just download the App, register with 'Nativity of our Lord' and begin. Thank you!



YOUTH MINISTRY

Serving students in Grades 5 thru 12 in a variety of teen groupings



For Complete Information Visit the Nativity Website

Starting September 2020 - All gatherings will take place bi-week outside in the fresh air

- All Groups meet from 5:00pm - 6:30pm
- Masks required - Bring a Camp Chair
- Parent involvement is requested to support this ministry during COVID-19

EDGE is middle school ministry Grades 5, 6, 7, 8
LifeTEEN is high school ministry Grades 9-10-11-12

Bi-Weekly

Mon EDGE	Grades 5 & 6	5:00-6:30pm
Tues EDGE	Grades 7 & 8	5:00-6:30pm
Wed LifeTEEN	Grade 9	5:00-6:30pm
Thur LifeTEEN	Grades 10-11-12	5:00-6:30pm

YM Meeting Calendar

Visit parish the web site - Youth and Family LifeTEEN or EDGE - YM Calendar

No Drop-Ins | SignUp Required
 Visit Web Site to get on the CYM Flocknote for Updates, SignUp and Gathering Reminders

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Nativity Youth Ministry

Get the Weekly CYM Update!

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High School: nativityburke.org/cym/lifeteen/
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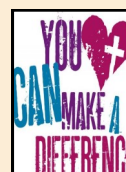
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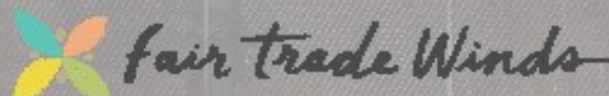
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—Karen Kasmauski for CRS

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Homilía - Solemnidad de Jesucristo, Rey del Universo – Ciclo A – Mateo 25, 31 - 46

Estamos en el último Domingo del año litúrgico en nuestra Iglesia, una fecha muy importante en nuestras vidas como católicos. En el Evangelio de hoy, Jesús nos explica la conexión que existe entre nuestra fe, nuestro mundo, nuestra conducta, y el juicio último que tendremos con Jesús, nuestro rey, llegará otra vez a nuestro mundo. Es seguro que todos de nosotros vamos a salir este mundo material cuando entramos nuestra vida eterna con Cristo.

Es verdad, para ser discípulo de Jesucristo, no es una teoría o algo que solo podemos aprender en la Biblia. Al contrario, seguir Jesucristo es algo muy práctico en nuestra vida de fe. Es algo que necesitamos practicar y vivir. En el juicio último, Jesús nos habla sobre los grandes sacrificios y las grandes renunciaciones que necesitamos hacer en nuestra vida. Jesús habla sobre las obras pequeñas que podemos hacer – las obras de caridad y de amabilidad que podemos hacer día tras día, en los momentos ordinarios que tenemos cada día. No importa para Jesús si tenemos mucho poder o mucho dinero o mucha influencia en el mundo. En nuestra vida aquí en la tierra, necesitamos dar comida al hambriento, algo de beber al sediento, la ropa a la persona que no la tiene. Necesitamos visitar al enfermo al hospital y al prisionero a la cárcel. Estas acciones de caridad son muy importante según Jesús.

Pero, estas buenas obras son mas de buenas obras – tienen su profundidad en la base de nuestra fe, en nuestra relación con Jesucristo, en los valores del Evangelio de nuestro Señor. Hay seguidores de Cristo que están preocupados en lo que ellos llevarán en sus manos en su encuentro de nuestro Señor al juicio último. Pero, no es importante lo que llevamos – es importante como nosotros vivimos como servidores en nuestro mundo, servidores a los pobres y los mas necesitados del mundo. Es nuestra misión. Es nuestra responsabilidad. Necesitamos hacerlo si Jesucristo es nuestro rey.

Posted by Father Lincoln

XXXIV DOMINGO ORDINARIO – A

Evangelio: Mat 25,31-46 ; Venid, benditos de mi Padre!

Concluye el Año Litúrgico, es decir las celebraciones que cada año se van haciendo en recuerdo y honor de Jesucristo, el Dios, hecho hombre, que a través de su historia vital como ser humano, fue realizando nuestra Redención y Salvación.

Los cristianos cada año vamos recordando y celebrando los principales hechos de su vida, así como celebrando y meditando en sus palabras y en su ejemplo, a lo largo de los domingos y fiestas, que por eso llamamos cristianas.

La última celebración es la dedicada a honrar a Cristo en una faceta que, de alguna manera, resume toda su vida y explica su misión: **Cristo Rey de cielos y tierras, Rey de los corazones y de las instituciones humanas, familiares y sociales.**

Señor, que nos muestras en el Evangelio de este día tu reinado en el mundo y entre los hombres, sobre los que quieres reinar con tu Palabra y con tu Corazón. Ayúdame a ser dócil y obediente, libre y comprometido en este reinado tuyo. Que tus leyes, y tu amor, orienten siempre mi vida.

Y a la vez que te veo, Señor, sentado en tu trono de Rey, también te contemplo como un Juez, justo y misericordioso. Ya sé, Señor, que no quieres ni pretendes asustarme ni atemorizarme, y menos amenazarme y castigarme, sino urgir mi responsabilidad mi santidad, mi amor y me afán apostólico y servicial.

Pero al mismo tiempo yo tampoco quiero olvidar jamás que eres justo y leal, y que, al final, a cada uno le darás lo que se merece, oQue según lo que ha ganado a lo largo de su vida. tu bondad y misericordia me muevan, todos los días, a trabajar por mi santidad y el apostolado; y, como soy débil y pecador, a no olvidarme de esa bondad y misericordia que siempre ofrezcas; y que sepa acogerme a ellas, para que supla mi debilidad y mi inconsciencia.

Que merezca ponerme a tu derecha para escuchar tus palabras, tan amables y consoladoras, como exigentes y comprometedoras, y que nunca quiero olvidar: “Venid vosotros, benditos de mi Padre; heredad el reino preparado para vosotros desde la creación del mundo.

Porque tuve hambre y me disteis de comer, tuve sed y me disteis de beber, fui forastero y me hospedasteis, estuve desnudo y me vestisteis, enfermo y me visitasteis, en la cárcel y vinisteis a verme”.

Padre Segismundo Fernandez Rodríguez

Declaración de Monseñor Michael F. Burbidge, Obispo de la Diócesis de Arlington, sobre la elección de 2020

En las últimas semanas, un extraordinario número de personas en nuestra nación ha participado en una de las mayores bendiciones que tiene un país libre: el derecho a votar y a decidir quiénes son sus dirigentes. En este momento del recuento de votos, parece que el ex Vicepresidente Joe Biden y la Senadora Kamala Harris han ganado esta elección para servir en los más altos cargos públicos de confianza en nuestra nación. Sin embargo, tenemos entendido que el Presidente Trump ha disputado algunos de los resultados en varios estados y busca claridad de parte de los tribunales, a lo cual tiene derecho.

Sea cual fuere el resultado de cualquier elección, debemos recordar que la fortaleza de nuestra república está en nuestra unidad como conciudadanos y como miembros de la familia santa de Dios. Esas relaciones constituyen los cimientos de nuestra sociedad y es importante que fomentemos el respeto y la civilidad en nuestro continuo diálogo y en nuestros encuentros de los unos con los otros.

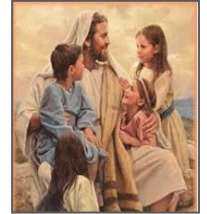
En este momento, reemos por todos nuestros funcionarios elegidos para que se inspiren en la prudencia y la sabiduría de Nuestro Señor con el fin de inculcar paz y justicia en todo el territorio de esta gran nación, defender nuestras libertades y proteger a los más vulnerables entre nosotros. Como pueblo de fe, que también nos fortalezca nuestra convicción de que, ahora y siempre, es Dios en quien depositamos nuestra confianza.

Jesucristo, Rey universal, ¿no es Rey especialmente de la familia?

Jesucristo

Hoy que celebramos la Solemnidad de Cristo Rey, que sea para nosotros la gran fiesta que nos ayude a que Cristo sea nuestro Rey.

Por: Pedro García, Misionero Claretiano | Fuente: Catholic.net
Jesucristo es el Rey del hogar.



Y comenzamos con una anécdota de hace ya muchos años, pues se remonta a Septiembre de 1907, cuando un sacerdote peruano, el santo misionero Padre Mateo, se presentaba ante el Papa San Pío X, que estaba ante la mesa de su escritorio, entretenido en cortar las hojas de un libro nuevo que acababa de llegarle.

- ¿Qué te ha pasado, hijo mío? Me han dicho que vienes de Francia...
- Sí, Santo Padre. Vengo de la capilla de las apariciones del Sagrado Corazón a Santa Margarita María. Contraí la tuberculosis, y, desahuciado de los médicos, fui a la Capilla a pedir al Sagrado Corazón la gracia de una santa muerte. Nada más me arrodillé, sentí un estremecimiento en todo mi cuerpo. Me sentí curado de repente. Vi que el Sagrado Corazón quería algo de mí. Y he trazado mi plan.
- El Papa San Pío X aparentaba escuchar distraído, sin prestar mucha atención a lo que le decía el joven sacerdote, que parecía un poco soñador.
- Santo Padre, vengo a pedir su autorización y su bendición para la empresa que quiero iniciar.
- ¿De qué se trata, pues?
- Quiero lanzarme por todo el mundo predicando una cruzada de amor. Quiero conquistar hogar por hogar para el Sagrado Corazón de Jesús.

Entronizar su imagen en todos los hogares, para que delante de ella se consagren a Él, para que ante ella le recen y le desagracien, para que Jesucristo sea el Rey de la familia. ¿Me lo permite, Santo Padre?

San Pío X era bastante bromista, y seguía cortando las hojas del libro, en aparente distracción. Ahora, sin decir palabra, mueve la cabeza con signo negativo. El Padre Mateo se extraña, y empieza a acongojarse:

- Santo Padre, pero si se trata de... ¿No me lo permite?
- ¡No, hijo mío, no!, sigue ahora el Papa, dirigiéndole una mirada escrutadora y cariñosa, y pronunciando lentamente cada palabra: ¡No te lo permito! Te lo mando, ¿entiendes?... Tienes mandato del Papa, no permiso. ¡Vete, con mi bendición!
- A partir de este momento, empezaba la campaña de la Entronización del Corazón de Jesús en los hogares. Fue una llamarada que prendió en todo el mundo. Desde entonces, la imagen o el cuadro del Sagrado Corazón de Jesús ha presidido la vida de innumerables hogares cristianos. Jesucristo, el Rey de Amor, desde su imagen bendita ha acogido súplicas innumerables, ha enjugado torrentes de lágrimas y ha estimulado heroísmos sin cuento.
- ¿Habrá pasado a la historia esta práctica tan bella? Sobre todo, y aunque prescindamos de la imagen del Sagrado Corazón, ¿dejará de ser Jesucristo el Rey de cada familia?...
- Hoy la familia constituye la preocupación mayor de la Iglesia y de toda la sociedad en general.
- Porque vemos cómo el matrimonio se tambalea, muchas veces apenas contraído.
- El divorcio está a las puertas de muchas parejas todavía jóvenes.
- Los hijos no encuentran en la casa el ambiente en que desarrollarse sanamente, lo mismo en el orden físico que en el intelectual y el moral.

Partimos siempre del presupuesto de que la familia es la célula primera de la sociedad. Si esa célula se deteriora viene el temido cáncer, del que dicen que no es otra cosa sino una célula del cuerpo mal desarrollada.

Esto que pasa en el orden físico, y de ahí tantas muertes producidas por el cáncer, pasa igual en el orden social. El día en que hayamos encontrado el remedio contra esa célula que ya nace mal o ha empezado a deformarse, ese día habremos acabado con la mayor plaga moral que está asolando al mundo.

Todos queremos poner remedio a las situaciones dolorosas de la familia.

Y todos nos empeñamos cada uno con nuestro esfuerzo y con nuestra mucha voluntad en hacer que cada casa llegue a ser un pedacito de cielo.

¿Podemos soñar, desde un principio, en algún medio para evitar los males que se han echado encima de las familias?

¿Podemos soñar en un medio para atraer sobre los hogares todos los bienes?..

¡Pues, claro que sí! Nosotros no nos cansaremos de repetirlo en nuestros mensajes sobre la familia. Este medio es Jesucristo.

Empecemos por meter a Jesucristo en el hogar.

Que Cristo se sienta invitado a él como en la boda de Caná.

Que se meta en la casa con la libertad con que entraba en la de los amigos de Betania.

Que viva en ella como en propia casa, igual que en la suya de Nazaret... Pronto en ese hogar se notará la presencia del divino Huésped y Rey de sus moradores. En el seno de esa familia habrá paz, habrá amor, habrá alegría, habrá honestidad, habrá trabajo, habrá ahorro, habrá esperanza, habrá resignación en la prueba, habrá prosperidad de toda clase.

Jesucristo, Rey universal, ¿no es Rey especialmente de la familia?... Acogido amorosamente en el hogar, con Él entrarán en la casa todos los bienes...

Hoy que celebramos la Solemnidad de Cristo Rey, que sea para nosotros la gran fiesta que nos ayude a que Cristo sea nuestro Rey.

ÁRBOL DE DONACIONES DE LAS MUJERES DE NATIVITY

Cada año durante la época de Adviento, las Mujeres de Nativity (WON) ayuda a nuestra comunidad con un Árbol de Donaciones. ¡Estamos emocionados por este evento y muy agradecidos con los fieles y generosos feligreses de nuestra parroquia! Agradeceríamos enormemente su apoyo y sus oraciones por otro año exitoso.

*** Debido a las regulaciones de la pandemia, las cosas serán diferentes este año. ¡Mire los detalles a continuación!

Del 14 de noviembre al 4 de diciembre, se colocarán "adornos" con deseos en un Árbol de Navidad virtual en la página web de la parroquia. Por favor elija los "adornos" que desee y devuelva los regalos sugeridos a la parroquia como se especifica en las instrucciones de cada regalo / tarjeta de regalo que usted elija.

Las TARJETAS DE REGALO deben colocarse en un sobre e indicar claramente en el exterior a quien va destinado. Por favor escriba el monto \$\$ en la tarjeta de regalo. Por favor NO envuelva las tarjetas de regalo. Pueden colocar las tarjetas en las cajas designadas en el vestíbulo y en el gimnasio de la escuela antes y después de las misas de fin de semana desde el 14 de noviembre al 6 de diciembre. También, habrá una caja designada en la oficina de la parroquia donde podrá dejar las tarjetas de regalo en cualquier momento durante el horario de oficina.

Los regalos nuevos se pueden dejar los fines de semana del 28 y 29 de noviembre y del 5 y 6 de diciembre. Habrá representantes de Mujeres de Nativity (WON) en el vestíbulo y en el gimnasio de la escuela durante las misas. Las cajas designadas permanecerán en el vestíbulo durante la semana. Todas las organizaciones a las que servimos han solicitado que los regalos NO SEAN ENVUELTOS para facilitar la distribución.

- Proyecto de construcción de viviendas (Appalachia Home Building Project) - Proporcionan artículos para el hogar para un hogar que los Caballeros de Colón (Knights of Columbus) construirán para una familia en Kentucky en junio de 2021. **Artículos para el hogar & Tarjetas de regalo**
- ECHO - Comunidad Ecuménica Ayudando a Otros (ECHO) es una organización sin fines de lucro, totalmente voluntaria que ha ayudado a las personas más necesitadas en nuestra comunidad durante 50 años. **Donar directamente**
- Padre Cedric Wilson, Parroquia Nativity - El servicio de consejería del Padre Wilson en John's Hopkins se ocupa de adolescentes y familias necesitadas en el área de Baltimore. **Tarjetas de regalo**
- Proyecto Gabriel (Gabriel Project) - Las donaciones del Proyecto Gabriel ayudan a las madres solteras con necesidades pre y posnatales. **Donar Directamente**
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- Organización Lavandería de Amor (Laundry Love Organization) - Durante la temporada navideña, Laundry Love dará juguetes / regalos a los hijos de muchas de estas familias que se han convertido en parte de este programa. **Tarjetas de regalo**
- Centro de Acción Comunitaria de Lorton The Lorton Community Action Center (LCAC) - The Lorton Community Action Center (LCAC) busca brindar a personas locales de bajos ingresos, personas mayores y familias acceso a las necesidades básicas y la oportunidad de empoderar a ellos mismos a través de los programas de autosuficiencia de LCAC. **Donar Directamente**
- Escuela Nativity (Nativity School) - Artículos para ayudar a algunos de nuestros estudiantes de la parroquia. **Ropa para niños & juguetes**
- Parroquia Nativity (Nativity Parish) - El clero y el personal se encargan de las necesidades especiales, especialmente durante los días festivos. También, a las hermanas para apoyar su orfanato en Polonia. **Ropa para niños y tarjetas de regalo**
- Servicios de Migración y Refugiados (Migration & Refugee Services) - El año pasado, MRS brindó servicios a unos 3.000 refugiados, tanto recién llegados y existentes. Las tarjetas de regalo se utilizarán para artículos para el hogar que ayudaran a familias a establecerse aquí en el norte de Virginia. **Tarjetas de regalo**
- Personas Mayores de Alexandria (Seniors de Alexandria) - Annie B. Rose House es una residencia asistida para personas mayores de bajos ingresos. Las tarjetas de regalo ayudaran con varias áreas de necesidad, por ejemplo, alimentos, transporte para citas médicos, dispositivos médicos y medicamentos. **Tarjetas de regalo**
- S.O.M.E - SOME existe para ayudar a los pobres y desamparados de la capital satisfaciendo las necesidades diarias inmediatas de las personas a las que sirven con comida, ropa y atención médica. **Donar directamente**
- La Iglesia de San Agustín en Washington DC (Saint Augustine's of DC) - Las tarjetas de regalo apoyaran a niños con sus programas extracurriculares. **Tarjetas de regalo**
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