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Scripture Readings

November 22 — November 28

SUN.	Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37
MON.	Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Lk 21:1-4
TUES.	Dn 2:31-45; Lk 21:5-11
WED.	Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Lk 21:12-19
THURS.	Dn 6:12-28; Lk 21:20-28
FRI.	Dn 7:2-14; Lk 21:29-33
SAT.	Dn 7:15-27; Lk 21:34-36

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From the Pastor,

There is something so very special, so American, and so Christian and Catholic about Thanksgiving. The act of giving thanks is one of the most important and special of all things humans can do. It means that the person giving thanks acknowledges that they are not alone, that someone has done something for them. It is this relationship of giving thanks that is the basis of our relationship with God, the center of the Mass and the sacraments, and our road to salvation.

We here at Saint Mary's have so much for which to give thanks. We have been blessed with a truly good and generous community of which we are a part. We have warm, friendly people with whom we pray and give glory to God. Even in this year of difficult economic times, we all must admit that the blessing God has given us are truly wonderful

Mass on this Thanksgiving Day will be at 10:00 AM. It is a truly good day to come to church and celebrate Eucharist, a word that means Thanksgiving. It is a day to phone and email people around the city, the country, and even the world who have given to us their time, gifts, inspiration and love. Make this day a special one in every way.

Peace, Father Tom Faucher, Pastor



Con la festividad de Cristo Rey del Universo, termina el ciclo litúrgico "B". Es una buena oportunidad para hacernos algunas preguntas: ¿Nuestra fe ha crecido y madurado durante el año litúrgico? ¿Venir a Misa, domingo tras domingo, durante el año ha tenido algún impacto en nuestra vida personal y de familia? La Palabra de Dios oída y reflexionada ¿ha penetrado nuestros pensamientos, sentimientos, actitudes y decisiones? La Sagrada Comunión ha fortalecido nuestra fe, esperanza y amor? ¿Nos sentimos más Iglesia, más miembros de esta comunidad que el año pasado? ¿Cuál sería nuestra respuesta?

Esta semana celebramos el Día de dar Gracias. La gratitud brota de un corazón que sabe y siente que todo lo que tiene es un regalo recibido sin merecerlo. Dios no está obligado a darnos nada. Lo que nos da es porque nos ama, porque es puro amor. Un corazón agradecido es muy agradable a Dios, porque es un reconocimiento a la bondad infinita de nuestro Dios. Les deseo un feliz día de dar gracias.

Su amigo y servidor, Padre Jesús Camacho

The liturgical year, Cycle B, ends with the feast of *Our Lord Jesus Christ the King*. This is a good opportunity to ask ourselves some questions. Has our faith grown and matured during this liturgical year? Has coming to Mass Sunday after Sunday during this year had an impact on my personal life and that of my family's? After hearing and reflecting on the Word of God, has it impacted our thoughts, sentiments, attitudes and decisions? Has the Sacred Communion strengthened our faith, hope and love? Do we feel more Church, more connected to this parish community than last year? What would our responses be?

This week we celebrate Thanksgiving. Gratitude stems from the heart and it is the heart that knows and feels that everything we have is an undeserved gift. God is not obligated to give us anything. What he gives us is because He loves us, because it is pure love. A grateful heart is very pleasing to God because it is an acknowledgement of God's abundant goodness. I wish you a Happy Thanksgiving.

Your friend and servant, Padre Jesús Camacho

Altar Server Training Classes have been Scheduled...on Friday, December 11 (6 p.m.), Saturday December 12 (10 a.m.) for those who already have some training; and on Friday, December 18 (6 p.m.) and Saturday, December 19 (11 a.m.), for new Altar Servers. Would you like to be an Altar Server? Please call Jason Jaszowski, 385-9893 for more information.

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I want to express my thanks to everyone who opened their hearts and pockets by donating to the Thanksgiving Food Basket program. We shattered last year's total of 231 by 239 individuals and groups signing up plus having enough cash donations that we were able to do 25 additional boxes. **That gives St. Mary's a total of 264 boxes for this year. THANK YOU!!!**

Thanks also go to my wife, Kay, who organized the shopping for the additional baskets and kept track of the funds and the records. She also helped with the signups of those families seeking to receive a food box. As an individual who has been involved in the program since its inception over 30 years ago, she still has a passion for this tremendous outpouring to the needy in our community.

Again, we thank everyone who gave in some way to this year's success. Jerry & Kay Helgeson

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS:

Please pray for us as we celebrate the Rite of Acceptance November 22 at the 10:45 Mass.

Candidates: Denice Desilet, Jill Dodson, Dustin Frazier, Nichole Martinez, Jane Stone, Lin Velluti, Chantayn Winner; **Catechumens:** Randy Cox; Melissa Zimmer; Skylar Zimmer

Christmas Polish Mass: Fr. Mariusz Majewski will celebrate Christmas Mass in Polish at St. John's Cathedral on December 25, 2009 at 6PM. Please come and join us in this celebration! Don't worry if you don't speak Polish. There will be a reception after Mass in the Parish Hall.

Platicas Prebautismales.....el 23 de noviembre a las 8 p.m. en el centro parroquial. Los próximos bautizos se celebraran el sábado, 28 de noviembre a las 10 a.m. o dentro de Misa de 7 p.m. Favor de hablar a la oficina parroquial para hacer cita con el Padre Jesus para pedir el bautizo antes de la primera platica. Recuerden que los papás y los padrinos tienen que asistir a dos platicas durante el mes. Tienen que traer acta de nacimiento de la criatura y acta de matrimonio por la iglesia de los padrinos.

Retrouaille....Rediscovery—A Catholic peer ministry for married couples seeking to rebuild their marriage. The next program will begin March 19-21, 2010. To register, or for more information call 1-800-470-2230 or visit HelpOurMarriage.com

CALENDAR — CALENDARIO

Sunday Nov. 22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:45 a.m. Mass (RCIA Rite of Acceptance) • 6:30 p.m., Confirmation Class (Gym)
Monday Nov. 23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 p.m., Platicas Prebautismales (Salon A)
Tuesday Nov. 24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7 p.m. Alanon (Rms. C & D) • 7 p.m. Estudio Bíblico (Salón A) • 7 p.m. Choir Practice (Church) • 8 p.m., Christian Meditation (Parish Center Upstairs)
Wednesday Nov. 25	<p>Parish Office Closes at Noon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7:30 p.m., Thanksgiving Ecumenical Service (St. John's)
Thursday Nov. 26	<p>Happy Thanksgiving!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 a.m., Thanksgiving Day Mass
Saturday Nov. 28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 a.m., Bautizos (Iglesia) • 1 p.m., Church Tour

Thank you to all the wonderful and generous people of St. Mary's who helped with the "Cookie Sale" on November 14/15. We are collecting money for the "needs of the new church," and we have \$497.00 to add to our account. Your support enriches the lives of all of us at St. Mary's.



We had some cookies left over, and the packages were given to Corpus Christi House. Again, **THANK YOU...The Cookie People**

ST. MARY'S BRIDGE GROUP

St. Mary's evening Bridge Group is looking for new members. It meets in members' homes about once a month, on weekend evenings, except during the summer. The group has been meeting for over 50 years. The charge for each evening is \$4 per person. Proceeds go to the school for scholarship purposes.



All parishioners are invited to join and have a fun evening of bridge. If interested, please call Dick Vandenburg, 341-1081. Early mornings are generally the best time to call.

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HOW TO RESERVE A MEETING ROOM

All requests for reservations for Weddings and Quinceañeras should continue to be directed to the parish office; however, if you would like to reserve a meeting room at St. Mary's, please call Yvonne Middleton (376-8846), or send an e-mail containing the following information to ymmidd@gmail.com.

- Name of Person or Group making Request
- Name of the Event
- Date(s) of Event(s) Requested
- Room(s) Requested
- Beginning Time(s) of Event
- Ending Time(s) of Event
- Any Setup or Teardown time(s) required

You will receive confirmation of your reservation by e-mail, if you e-mailed your request. You can also visit the St. Mary's website and click on the Parish Calendar link on the left side of the home page to open the calendar and check your reservation. **Please Note:** In the past we have tried to track and renew standing reservations for meetings (weekly or monthly meetings). We need to change this process and request those who have standing reservations to please call or write to renew these reservations before they expire.

Tours of the church will be available from 1 to 3 p.m. on Saturday, November 28th. If you are interested in being a Docent for this tour, or any other tours of the church in the months to come, please contact Donna Vering at 343-2364 or Chuck McDonald at 866-0715.

Advertiser of the Week—Boise Dental Associates!