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November 22nd 2020, The 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Solemnity of Jesus Christ the King

✚ Upcoming Events:

26 November: 8:00 a.m. Mass, No Eucharistic Adoration today.
29 November: The celebration of Advent begins.
05 December: First Saturday Devotion Mass 8:00 a.m.
06 December: Practice for the Christmas Program – right after Sunday Mass
08 December: Feast of the Holy Immaculate Conception - Holy Day
08 December: Knights of Columbus Sausage making.
13 December: Christmas Program – right after Sunday Mass

✚ First Saturdays Devotion: Fr. Sean will be celebrating Mass on the first Saturday morning of each month at 8:00 a.m. The First Saturdays Devotion, also called the Act of Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary, is a devotion which, according to Sister Lúcia of Fátima, was requested by the Virgin Mary in the apparition at Pontevedra, Spain, in December 1925. Please put on your calendar !

✚ Pray the Rosary: We are all being urged as Catholics to pray the rosary. During difficult times in our lives, we can all find comfort in this beautiful prayer. If it has been some time since you have prayed the rosary, please utilize the link below and revisit this wonderful prayer. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0V7UK9MdHlo>

✚ Annual Catholic Appeal 2020 – One Body in Christ: As of November 13, St. Patrick - Colfax has pledged \$14,765 towards our goal of \$17,031, and St. Joseph - Lacrosse has pledged \$2,250 towards the goal of \$2,682 for the Annual Catholic Appeal. By supporting the Annual Catholic Appeal, you are showing your support for the Diocese and you are strengthening our faith as one body. We are almost there. Thank you!

✚ Knights of Columbus Sausage: The Knights of Columbus have figured out a way to make the sausage this year. We will be conducting our preparation Tuesday, December 8 with the finished product available the following weekend after Mass Saturday December 12, and Sunday December 13. Please contact Bob Lothspeich, John Thompson, or any Knight with your order as soon as possible.

✚ Christ the King: Every year on the final Sunday in Ordinary Time the Church celebrates the Solemnity of Christ the King. The feast of Christ the King was added to the calendar of feasts by Pope Pius XI on December 11, 1925. The image of the Messiah King is everywhere in the Old Testament and Christians today hail Christ as King of the universe. The end of the Church year is a time to focus on the end of time. None of us knows whether the end of the world or the end of our life will come first, but from the perspective of our faith our preparation would be the same. Matthew’s chapter 25 reaches its climax and conclusion with the scene of the last judgment. This judgment includes all humanity, and “the least” includes all the people who suffer distress of some kind. Therefore, at the end all humanity will be judged by the good done to poor and suffering people. Today’s reading offers three significant messages:

- We are invited to recognize Christ’s presence in the poor and the suffering.
- Rejecting the poor and suffering means rejection of Jesus himself.
- The criterion of judgment will be the mercy shown for the least of Jesus’ brothers and sisters.

✚ Mass Intentions: If you would like to offer a Mass intention for someone living or deceased, please contact Fr. Sean with their name and your name. Thank you.

Mass Intention: Requested By:

24 Nov: Tue: Rosemary Moore – M & G Parrish
25 Nov: Wed: Larry Moore – M & G Parrish
26 Nov: Thu: Laura Monterastelli – M & G Parrish
27 Nov: Fri: Merry Moore – M & G Parrish
28 Nov: Sat: Murray Moore – M & G Parrish
29 Nov: Sun: Colfax 8:30 a.m. For our Parishioners
Lacrosse 11:00 a.m. For our Parishioners



Lector: Saturday 28th 5:30 p.m. Chris Thompson
Lector: Sunday 29th 8:30 a.m. Heidi Danaher

Anima Christi

**Soul of Christ, sanctify me;
Body of Christ, save me;
Blood of Christ, inebriate me;
Water from the side of Christ, wash me;
Passion of Christ, strengthen me;
O good Jesus, hear me;
within Your wounds, hide me;
Permit me not to be separated from You;
From the wicked foe, defend me;
At the hour of my death, call me;
and bid me come to You;
That with Your saints, I may
praise You forever and ever. Amen.**

Prayer for the Year of the Eucharist

Communion Song:

With all my heart....
I will sing my thanks to You....
And offer praise....
Unto Your holy Name....
There is no end...to Your love....
Oh Faithful God....
And so, my Lord....
I will sing my thanks to You.
With all my heart.

Responsorial Psalm:

The Lord is my Shepard;
There is nothing I shall want.
Psalm 23

St. Patrick Parish, Colfax With mission to St. Joseph Parish, LaCrosse



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