

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

November 20th, 2016

In Hebron, David is hailed as king of all the tribes of Israel. Jesus is anointed king on the wood of his cross, a sign of paradox, of defeat yet final victory. Through his cross we have passed from darkness into the kingdom of light.

Opportunities to Worship This Week:

Sat. 11/19, 6PM (Vigil-Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe)-Patty Brunell+

Sun. 11/20, 8:30AM (Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe)-Bill Grogan+

Wed. 11/23, 6:00pm (Thanksgiving Mass)-For the People

(No masses Thursday or Friday)

Sat. 11/26, 6:00PM (Vigil-First Sunday of Advent)-Elaine Kerchner+

Sun. 11/27, 8:30AM (First Sunday of Advent)-Marvin Titzer+

Sacrament of Penance

Anytime by Appointment/

Fri. mornings after Mass

Mass Attendance

Saturday

Sunday

Anointing of the Sick: Call the rectory any time when anointing of the sick is needed. In the absence of Fr. Martin-Edward, call Peg Garrison, Denise Zurliene or Jim Thompson and they will contact a deacon.

Prayer List:

Way-Fair Nursing Home – Kimberly Buchanan

Garland Keck, Lanora Neavill, Ute Ferido, Leon Chamness, Jack Ciesielczyk, Sharon Reyling, Dan Kinsolving, Brenda Belangee, Jim & Jane Mowry, Phyllis Laird, Kurt Wiseman, Stacy Winkeler, Nanette Williams, Julie Griffith, Gina Williams, Emilee Stanley, Noreen Reeves, Maddox Oppenheimer, Paula Zdan, Sara Kerchner, Charles Drechsel, Shirley Byars, Dorothy Baylor, Eva Decker, Matthew Rorban, Kathy Bramlet, Virginia Winkeler, Tom Colvin, Jim Lawler, Sydney Lawhon, Justin McKnight, Ryan McGehee, Teresa Williams, Andy Reyling, Andrew Mayo, Zeth Frank, Jan Mrozek, and all priests who are sick.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23rd, MASS AT 6PM—WILL NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR MINISTRIES.

Saturday, November 26, 2016

Lector: Mike Oppenheimer

E. Mins: Jim & Margaret Thompson

Ushers: Dave & PJ Cavanaugh

Gifts: John & Leslie Robison

Servers: volunteer

Sunday, November 27, 2016

Mary Roy

GINNY BARRETT, Peg Garrison

Drew Garrison, Clayton Titzer

The Garrison Family

Sarah & Emily Titzer

Our Daily Scripture Readings:

Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5

Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19

Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4

Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a

Lk 21:20-28

Friday: Rv 20:1-4, 11—21:2

Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Rv 22:1-7

Lk 21:34-36

Sunday: Is 2:1-5

Rom 13:11-14

Mt 24:37-44

“One Thing I ask of the Lord, and this I long, to dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.” (Ps.27, 4)

That should be our daily prayer

That should be our daily desire

That should be our daily wish.

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe—What does the Kingdom of God look like?

We Pray today in the Preface at the outset of the Eucharistic Prayer for

a kingdom of truth and life,

a kingdom of holiness and grace,

a kingdom of justice, love and peace.

We know and we believe that we get glimpses of it all. Right here, right now. We practice for Kingdom of heaven living after death by Kingdom living now. The mercy works are cherished methods, splendid ways to do this.

A Christmas Gift

As the season of Christmas approaches, the Parish of St. Edward will gladly welcome anyone or group who may want to procure liturgical vestment{s} for the parish as part of a Christmas sharing. Kindly contact the Secretary, Peggy or Fr. Martin Edward if you wish.

Thank you and God Bless, Rev. Dr. Martin Edward Ohajunwa

St. Edward Parish Christmas Party

Mark your calendars for **St. Edward Parish Christmas Party** which will be held Sunday, December 11th, 2016 **following 8:00am Mass. The time change for mass is to give Fr. Martin-Edward the opportunity to stay and enjoy the fellowship with us.** We will once again have a potluck brunch, so please bring covered dishes of breakfast and lunch. I hear the kids will be performing. So please plan to attend and enjoy good food and great fellowship.

St. Stephen Christmas Cookie Walk

Saturday, December 3, 2016, St. Stephen's is having a Christmas Cookie Walk, Basket Raffle, and Craft Vendors. Baskets include: fire pit, 7" kindle fire, wine basket, items for men, women, children and pets. 1/3 of all proceeds from sale of cookies will go to the Clay County Ministerial Alliance Food Pantry. Doors open 9:00am to 1:00pm. For more info there is a flyer on the bulletin board in hall.

MARCH FOR LIFE 2017

The Diocese of Belleville has ordered 50 tickets for the Youth Rally and Mass held in the morning of the March which is taking place January 26-27-28, 2017 in Washington, DC. If there is any high school youth interested in going please contact the church office or contact Doug Lugge at jdlugge@gmail.com or (618) 476-9505.

THE MAGIC OF CHRISTMAS DINNER SHOW

DELIGHTFUL VARIETY SHOW FOR ALL AGES! HOLIDAY MUSIC WITH 35 SINGERS AND AN ORCHESTRA. GUEST PERFORMER: **PROFESSIONAL MAGICIAN ZI THE MENTALIST!** DELICIOUS MEAL SERVED WHILE YOU ENJOY THE SHOW! FOR MORE INFO SEE THE FLYER ON THE BULLETIN BOARD.

Catholic Campaign for Human Development

The collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development provides funding for groups that make lasting change and uplift the poor in the United States. CCHD's grants improve education, support economic development, and create affordable housing in low-income neighborhoods. Help us continue to defend human dignity and build communities of solidarity. Please give to the CCHD Collection.

The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal

On behalf of the ministries and programs funded by The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal and those they serve, we thank you for your prayers and generosity. May you feel the warmth of God's love and the comfort of His peace at Thanksgiving and always.

COATS NEEDED

Winter is just around the corner and the **Society of St. Vincent de Paul** desperately needs coats to distribute to those in need. **Gently-used or new coats of all types in all sizes for all ages are being requested.** There is a box in the hall to put coats in and when Fr. Martin goes to the diocese he will take them. Thank-you.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Nov. 21: Altar Sodality 6:00pm (**putting Advent Bags together**)

Nov. 23 (WED.): Thanksgiving Day Mass 6:00PM (**St. Edward**)

Nov. 23 (WED.): Thanksgiving Day Mass 8:00PM (**St. Stephen**)